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Personal Details

Nationality: Sri Lankan

Marital Status: Single

Visa Status: Transferable Iqama

Professional Summary

Results-driven Procurement Manager and Supply Chain Executive with over 10 years of experience in the Food & Beverage industry, working across internationally renowned brands including Sumi Sushi, Jamie's Italian, and Cold Stone Creamery under Apparel Group KSA. Proven expertise in end-to-end supply chain management, strategic sourcing, supplier relationship management, and cost optimization within high-volume, multi-outlet retail and restaurant environments. Holds an OTHM Level 7 Postgraduate Diploma and an MSc in Supply Chain & Logistics from Anglia Ruskin University, UK. Adept at leading procurement functions from Purchase Requisition (PR) to Purchase Order (PO) processing, managing perishable and non-perishable inventory, reducing total cost of ownership (TCO), negotiating with local and international suppliers (60+), and maintaining seamless supply continuity. Strong command of ERP systems, supplier scorecards, food safety compliance standards (HACCP, ISO), and cross-functional leadership.

Work History

07/2015 - 08/2025

Procurement Manager & Supply Chain Executive
Apparel Group, KSA, Riyadh

KEY ACHIEVEMENTS & RESPONSIBILITIES

- Lead strategic sourcing, supplier negotiations, and contract management
- Manage end-to-end procurement and supply chain operations across multiple F&B outlets
- Oversee logistics, warehousing, and distribution to ensure supply continuity
- Administered ERP, WMS, and TMS systems, enhancing inventory visibility and demand planning
- Collaborated with finance, marketing, and operations, aligning supply chain strategies to support business objectives
- Prepare and present procurement metrics and savings reports to senior management
- Conducted market research to identify and evaluate potential vendors and products to optimize sourcing
- Negotiated and managed 60+ local and international supplier contracts
- Reduced perishable waste by 15% through demand forecasting
- Qualified secondary backup suppliers for risk mitigation
- Improved supplier OTIF from 87% to 96% and reduced PO cycle time by 60% (5 → 2 days)

08/2013 - 07/2014

Service Supervisor
Amwaj Catering Services, Doha

- Supervised daily catering operations, staff scheduling, and service delivery to ensure seamless service and high customer satisfaction
- Ensured compliance with hygiene, health, and food safety standards
- Coordinated meal service with nursing staff, dietitians, and other departments to meet specific dietary needs of patients
- Stay updated on industry trends, best practices, and new technologies in food service and catering.

11/2010 - 07/2013

Supervisor

Al Karam Al Arabi Catering Services (Under Hamad Medical Corporation), Doha

- Coordinated catering services in healthcare environment to ensure quality and compliance with standards.
- Ensured service excellence by adhering to company standards across all components.
- Managed catering department budget, monitoring expenses and identifying cost-saving opportunities.

Education

Expected in 01/2027 **Master of Science (MSc), Supply Chain & Logistics, Anglia Ruskin University, UK**

Modules: Management & Strategy, Leadership & Change, Sustainable Supply Chain & Logistics, Supply Chain Management & Practices, Operation Management, Project Management, Post Graduate Major Project

01/2025 **OTHM Level 7 Postgraduate Diploma, Logistics & Supply Chain**

Management, Organization For Tourism And Hospitality Management, United Kingdom

Degree Awarded with [\[Honors\]](#)

Modules: Logistics Management, Supply Chain Planning Modelling and Analytics, Procurement and Supply Management, Supply Chain and Operations Strategy, Sustainable Operations Management, Business Research Methods

01/2024 **Diploma in MS Office (Honours), Information Technology, Institute of Information Technology, Colombo**

Degree Awarded with [\[Honors\]](#)

MS Word , MS Excel , Advance Excel , PowerPoint

Skills

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| • Contract Management & Payment Terms | • Supplier management |
| • TCO Analysis | • Supplier Consolidation & Risk Mitigation |
| • Ethical Sourcing & Sustainability | • Demand Forecasting (ERP, WMS, TMS) |
| • Inventory Optimization & Turnover Improvement | • Strategic Sourcing & Spend Analysis |
| • Supplier Scorecarding & OTIF Improvement | • PO Cycle Time Reduction |
| • Cross-Functional Collaboration (Chefs, Brand, Finance) | • Budget Management & Financial Planning |
| • Supply Chain Management | |

Certifications

- Basic Life Support” - HAMAD MEDICAL CORPORATION (Apr 2012)
- Customer Service - HAMAD MEDICAL CORPORATION (March 2011)

LANGUAGES

English :

Native or Bilingual

Arabic :

Professional Working

Hindi :

Full Professional

COURSES

- Basic Life Support | Hamad Medical Corporation (2012)
- Customer Service Certification | Hamad Medical Corporation (2011)

References

Available upon request