KEVIN SPENCE

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OBJECTIVE

I'm seeking a full-time position and considering a variety of roles related to my professional experience and or interests. With over three years in strategic sourcing and procurement—focused on both presale proposals and new product development—I have worked effectively with PMs, engineers, quality, logistics, buyers, and suppliers to support key business objectives. Open to positions with training and growth opportunities —I have personal experience and interest in computer aided design, web development, asset management, and certain skilled labor jobs. Based in the Columbus, OH area, I'm available and eager to take on new challenges. Let's connect!

EDUCATION

B.S Mechanical Engineering - The Ohio State University - *12/2017* **SKILLS**

Strategic Sourcing, Estimating, Procurement, Data Analysis, Cost Avoidance, Communication, Excel, Sketch, SolidWorks, JavaScript, Git, Physical Labor

WORK EXPERIENCE

NPDI Procurement Lead @ Vertiv - Westerville, OH - 01/2024-04/2025

- Assigned to multiple product design teams in Vertiv's Thermal business unit where I was responsible for ensuring supply chain health and material readiness for new product launches.
- Engaged with project engineers, commodity managers, and suppliers early in the development process to help inform the design of the units so that manufacturing and cost targets could be met.
- Played a key role in the production transfers of the XDU100A and XDU1350 to Monterrey Mexico. In both cases, I worked to localize the supply chains for these CDUs to North America.

Self-Employment / Career Break - Columbus, OH

- Independent asset management/trading 03/2020-06/2021
- Self-taught Front-End Development KEVINSPENCE95.GITHUB.IO 06/2021—12/2023
- Personal Projects –Designed a Solarium (sunroom) house extension and modeled to scale using Sketch. Designed a boardgame 3D Modeled Components in Sketch, built and tested prototype.

Strategic Sourcing Engineer @ Honeywell Intelligrated - Mason, OH - 01/2018-01/2020

- Helped secure major warehouse automation contracts by implementing sourcing strategies and driving pre-sale cost avoidance. Negotiated/estimated buyout costs for project proposals.
- Worked with concepting engineers and project managers to understand proposed automation systems and develop specifications required to secure adequate quotations for every purchased item.
- Developed strong working relationships with suppliers and supported them throughout the bidding process and early project execution phase. Preliminarily selected suppliers.
- From my 2018 performance development summary... "Kevin has a passion for winning with almost \$1.25M in cost avoidance on the projects he has worked on. Of particular note is the \$95K savings negotiated to secure the win of the 640K Amazon Sites."
- Received a Bronze Award from the director of strategic sourcing for reporting \$504,000 in pipeline savings for the 2019 fiscal year. "Kevin certainly gets things done and always delivers."