

# Lukas Neal

## Industrial Engineer

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### STRENGTHS

- 🛠️ **Change Management**  
Fostered smooth transitions supporting project teams; gained confidence from stakeholders regarding change impacts.
- 👥 **Team Development**  
Nurtured growth-oriented environment through tailored training sessions leading to enhanced skill sets and employee confidence.
- ⚙️ **Process Improvement**  
Streamlined operational processes, resulting connections between various departments and minimizing delays, positively impacting performance.
- 📊 **Strategic Planning**  
Engaged in forecasting aligned business objectives with actionable plans, retained focus on overarching goals invaluable for future prosperity.
- 📈 **Data Analysis**  
Interpreted comprehensive datasets uncovering trends vital to process adjustments ensuring sustainability across operations.

### SKILLS

- Lean Methodologies Six Sigma
- Process Improvement
- Change Management
- Data Analysis Team Collaboration
- Strategic Planning

### LANGUAGES

- English Native
- Spanish Proficient

### SUMMARY

Results-oriented Industrial Engineer with comprehensive experience in process improvement and operational excellence. Proven track record implementing Lean and Six Sigma methodologies to enhance productivity and efficiency, contributing significantly to organizational growth. Skilled in change management, team development, and strategic planning through collaborative approaches that foster engagement. Demonstrated ability motivating teams to take ownership of progress initiatives. Updates on activity and time records ensure projects remain on schedule. Committed to an inclusive work culture that promotes professional development while achieving business objectives.

### EXPERIENCE

#### Industrial Engineer

Innovative Solutions Corp 📅 January 2024 - Present 📍 Charlotte, NC

Developed strategies to optimize manufacturing processes enhancing overall performance metrics. Demonstrates adeptness in managing project stakeholders while driving effective change across operations.

- Spearheaded implementation of Lean practices that boosted production efficiency, enabling versatile operations.
- Cultivated a culture of proactive problem-solving by facilitating training sessions improving reporting accuracy by standardizing processes.
- Ensured compliance with operational standards; regular audits verified adherence and streamlined data collection efforts.
- Boosted stakeholder involvement through interactive change initiatives yielding increased commitment and resource allocation.
- Established frameworks for tracking activities and reporting, gaining logistic efficiencies during heightened production demands.
- Drove continuous improvement by documenting best practices influencing operational autonomy within teams.

#### Process Improvement Specialist

Dynamic Industries Inc. 📅 June 2021 - December 2023 📍 Atlanta, GA

Emphasized process optimization through robust participation in cross-functional teams targeting efficiency gains. Developed shared resources fostering standardized practices across departments.

- Implemented Six Sigma protocols reducing waste and elevated customer satisfaction through improved service delivery.
- Orchestrated follow-up mechanisms accommodating timely updates assuring transparency in departmental operations.
- Collaborated in crafting materials essential for embracing new methodologies evaluating their integration potential.
- Drew insights aligning organizational goals with process improvement initiatives securing long-term alignment.
- Encouraged sharing best practices leading to cultural innovation focused on continual growth within the workforce.

#### Junior Industrial Engineer

NextGen Manufacturing 📅 August 2019 - May 2021 📍 Greenville, SC

Supported initiatives optimizing production workflows, engaging teams across all levels in knowledge-sharing during operational improvements. Utilized analytics to drive decisions crucial for efficiency gain.

- Aided in implementing Lean solutions that successfully contributed reductions in cycle times, maximizing output.

MY CAREER



- Industrial Engineer at Innovative Solutions Corp (2.6 Years)
- Process Improvement Specialist at Dynamic Industries Inc. (2.5 Years)
- Junior Industrial Engineer at NextGen Manufacturing (1.8 Years)

- Performed analysis on key performance data directing focus on areas primed for enhancement toggling proficiency in query tools.
- Participated in workshops boosting collective expertise colligating knowledge among dispersed teams.
- Facilitated capacity assessments correlating asset utilization ensuring minimal downtime per production targets.
- Consolidated documentation updating changes fostering smoother transitions advocating staff involvement in proposed shifts.

LEADERSHIP & AWARDS

- Certified Six Sigma Green Belt achieved August 2022.
- Lean Manufacturing Certification attained July 2022.

EDUCATION

Bachelor's Degree in Industrial Engineering

University of South Carolina 🎓 GPA: 3.8 📅 2023 📍 Columbia, SC

*Coursework: Operations Research, Process Optimization, Data Analysis, Project Management*

CERTIFICATIONS

- Certified Six Sigma Green Belt 📅 2022
- Lean Manufacturing Certification 📅 2022

TECHNICAL SKILLS

- **Process Improvement Tools:** Lean, Six Sigma, Kaizen
- **Data Analysis Software:** Excel, R, Minitab
- **Project Management Tools:** Asana, Trello, Microsoft Project
- **Collaboration Platforms:** Slack, Microsoft Teams, Zoom
- **Presentation Tools:** PowerPoint, Google Slides, Prezi
- **Manufacturing Systems:** ERP, MES, SCM
- **Statistical Analysis Applications:** SPSS, SAS, Tableau
- **Scheduling Software:** Primavera, MS Project, Monday.com
- **Simulation Tools:** Arena, AnyLogic, MATLAB
- **Quality Control Frameworks:** ISO 9001, SPC, TQM

PROFESSIONAL AFFILIATIONS

- Member of the American Society of Mechanical Engineers since January 2023.
- Participant in the South Carolina Association of Engineers from February 2023.

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

**Work Status** : Authorized to work in United States. No sponsorship required.

REFERENCES

AVAILABLE ON REQUEST