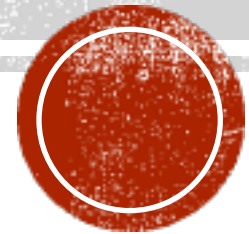


MY CAREER AND PLAN

My plan for the future is to open a continental restaurant and run my own business.

-What are some of my hobbies ?

I have a passion for food and love cooking, I like trying different recipes and flavours together. I've also played professionally football for a few years.



WHAT ARE MY SKILLS AND HOW WILL THEY BENEFIT MY CHOSEN CAREER ?

- People Skills – people skills are very important because I will be interacting with all kinds of people , everyday.
- Leadership Skill – Without a strong leader , a business can face a lack of motivation from its staff , low morale and even lost business.
- And many more like : recruiting, training and supervising staff , managing budgets , problem solving.



SWOT ANALYSIS

- Swot analysis is a powerful tool to help develop your business. SWOT stands for : Strengths , Weaknesses , Opportunities and Threats.
- Strengths and weaknesses are internal to a company , this means that you have control over things and can make a change.
- Opportunities and Threats are external things that are going on outside of your business. You can take advantage of opportunities and protect them but you can't make changes.



WHAT ARE SOME EMPLOYABILITY SKILLS ?

- Problem solving skills - The ability to understand a problem by breaking it down and identifying solutions.
- Working under pressure – Handling stress that comes with customers, time , and deadlines.
- Teamwork – This is very important because you will be working with a team of people like cooks, servers , dishwasher and bartenders. Each has a specific and important function to the operation of a restaurant , that's why teamwork is important.
- Planning and organising- planning and organising can save you time , and it ensures that everything goes to plan .



PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT PLAN CONCLUSION

- Current Situation : At the moment I'm studying at this university towards my goal.
- My career goals : I want to finish this course successfully and start my business which is opening my restaurant.
- What are some of my skills : I possess an important set of skills like – leadership skill , problem solving and decision making , determination and communication , team building and organisation.
- How will I achieve this ? I will keep studying to make sure I finish this course with good qualifications. I will also learn more about the food business and work on the skills needed for it.

