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Objective: To obtain a Boat Captain position where I can apply my navigation expertise, leadership skills, and commitment to maritime safety to ensure efficient operations, deliver excellent service to passengers and crew, and gain experience while increasing my credential tonnage.

Professional Summary: Experienced and licensed Boat Captain with several years of maritime navigation, vessel operations, and crew management. Skilled in ensuring passenger safety, compliance with maritime regulations, and efficient route planning. Proven ability to lead crews, perform emergency procedures, and maintain vessels to the highest safety and operational standards. Adept at delivering exceptional customer experiences in both commercial and recreational settings.

Summary of Skills:

- Advanced leadership and team management in high-pressure environments
- Expertise in navigation, tactical planning, and operational execution
- Strong background in security, risk assessment, and crisis response
- Skilled in training, mentoring, and motivating diverse teams
- Adaptability and problem-solving in dynamic, fast-changing situations
- Excellent physical stamina, discipline, and situational awareness
- Proficient in communications, coordination, and mission planning
- Commitment to safety, integrity, and operational excellence

Professional Experience:

FINZ Dive Shop and Charters	SEP 2025 – Current
Protective Security Officer (Armed) Federal Protective Service	NOV 2022 – DEC 2024
Brevard County School Guardian Program	MAY 2020 – JAN 2022
Security Team Leader - Disaster Relief	SEP 2019
Business Owner – Dale Mabry CrossFit	DEC 2014 – DEC 2017
U.S. Army Officer - Special Forces Officer	DEC 2004 – APR 2015
U.S. Army Soldier - Senior NCO Special Forces	OCT 1991 – DEC 2004

Education:

AAS: Marine Engineering, Management, & Seamanship CFK	Current
AAS: AAS: Diving Business Technology CFK	Current
Master of Arts – American Military University	MAY 2012
Bachelor of Science - Liberty University, Lynchburg, VA	MAY 2002
Associate of Arts Degree - Liberty University, Lynchburg, VA	MAY 2002

Clearances / Certifications / Licenses / Permits

- USCG Merchant Mariner Credential - OUPV - Operator Of Uninspected Passenger Vessels As Defined In 46 U.S.C. 2101 (53)(B) Upon Near Coastal Waters Not More than 100 Miles Offshore. Master Of Self-Propelled Vessels Not Including Sail or Auxiliary Sail of Less Than 25 Gross Register Tons (GRT) Upon Inland.
- PADI Scuba Diving (Dive Master, Open Water, Rescue Diver)
- CPR/First Aid/AED certification / FCC Marine Radio Operator / Florida boater's safety
- Florida Driver's License / TWIC (Transportation Worker Identification Credential) card
- Confidential Security Clearance – Federal Protective Service (Nov 2022)

* Held Top Secret or Secret Clearance for over 25y