# **Jodi Parise**

Train Operator

## **Profile**

I am a Train Operator with 2 years of experience in the field. I have worked for 2 different companies during my career and have operated various types of trains. I possess a valid train operator's license from the state of California. I am knowledgeable in all aspects of train operation and maintenance, including but not limited to: dispatching, locomotive operations, track inspection/maintenance, signaling systems, and fare collection.

# **Employment History**

#### Train Operator at Amtrak (Washington)

Apr 2022 - Present

- Operated a train for 8 years with no accidents.
- On-time arrival rate of 97%.
- Logged over 10,000 hours without incident.
- Helped to evacuate passengers during an emergency situation.
- Completed required training and certifications on time.

### **Associate Train Operator**

Jul 2020 - Mar 2022

- Increased ridership by 10% during my tenure.
- Led the team in safety initiatives that reduced accidents by 15%.
- Implemented a new schedule that saved the company \$50,000 per year.
- Trained 5 new operators who are now successful members of the team.
- Developed a rapport with city officials and transit advocates which led to increased political support for our department.
- Consistently operated my train within budget and on time.

#### **Certificates**

Northwestern University Transportation Center Certificate Program - Transit Management and Operations (TMO)

Mar 2021

New York Metropolitan Transportation Authority Train Operator Certification

Mar 2019

Basic Course & Refresher Courses (MTA TO BSC/RC)

Nov 2017

Washington Metropolitan Area Transit Authority Rail Safety certification

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#### Education

Associate's Degree at Case Western Reserve Collage, Cleveland, OH

Aug 2016 - May 2020

I learned how to safely operate a train and railway system.

#### Links

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#### Skills

Railway systems

Train control systems

Operation of locomotives and cars

**Braking systems** 

Coupling and uncoupling equipment

Pre-trip inspections

#### Languages

English

**Japanese**