Luis Ortega

QUARRY SUPERVISOR

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SUMMARY

Quarry supervisor with 9 years in aggregate production, the last 4 leading a 14-person crew at a 1.2 million ton-per-year limestone quarry. Runs crushing and screening, stockpile management and daily production reporting, and trains crews as an MSHA Part 46 competent person. Keeps the plant safe, on spec and on schedule.

SKILLS

- Quarry Operations
- Crushing and Screening
- Stockpile Management
- Production Reporting
- Quality Control Sampling
- MSHA Part 46
- Equipment Maintenance
- Loader Operation
- Microsoft Excel
- Leadership

EXPERIENCE

Quarry Supervisor 03/2022 - Present

Lehigh Valley Stone Company Allentown, PA

Limestone quarry and asphalt supplier serving the Lehigh Valley.

- Lead a **14**-person crew across drilling, loading, hauling and the crushing and screening plant.
- Plan daily production to hit 5,000 tons per shift and file production reporting by product in Microsoft Excel.
- Run weekly MSHA Part 46 safety talks and workplace exams, with no reportable injuries in 2024 or 2025.
- Direct stockpile management for 11 products and pull quality control sampling for PennDOT gradation tests.

Plant Foreman 06/2019 - 02/2022

Blue Mountain Aggregates Kempton, PA

Sand and stone quarry producing about 700,000 tons per year.

- Ran the primary and secondary crushers and cut screen changeout time from 6 hours to 4.
- Scheduled equipment maintenance with 2 mechanics, raising plant availability to 92%.
- Trained 9 new hires on lockout procedures, conveyor guarding and loader operation.

Loader and Crusher Operator 04/2017 - 05/2019

Blue Mountain Aggregates Kempton, PA

Production operator at the same quarry.

- Loaded 300+ customer and haul trucks a day while holding scale tickets within 1% of order.
- Monitored crusher feed and belts from the control tower and reported jams before they spread.
- Performed daily pre-shift checks on 3 loaders and wrote up 25+ defects for repair each year.

EDUCATION

Associate of Applied Science 05/2017

Lehigh Carbon Community College Schnecksville, PA

Construction Management

CERTIFICATES

MSHA Part 46 Competent Person Trainer

Pennsylvania Aggregates and Concrete Association

02/2022

PennDOT Aggregate Technician

Pennsylvania Department of Transportation

08/2023