

GEORGE PATSOURAS

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PROFESSIONAL SUMMARY

Dedicated and experienced Health and Safety professional with a comprehensive background in security, risk assessment, and crisis management. Demonstrated expertise in overseeing health and safety operations, ensuring regulatory compliance, and leading teams effectively. Proven ability to handle complex situations with a strong commitment to safety and risk mitigation. Seeking to leverage extensive knowledge and skills in a health and safety role.

EXPERIENCE

Feb 2023 – Present

Security Supervisor | Gardaworld | Ottawa, ON

- Oversees the work of security personnel, guards and other team members
- Trains and mentors new security personnel
- Coordinated with local law enforcement and emergency services during critical incidents, ensuring effective collaboration and a swift response

Sep 2019 – Jan 2023

Regional Security Manager | IGS Security Ottawa | Ottawa, ON

- Guaranteed general safety of customers
- Performed regular interview, hiring, new clients
- Crisis management

Jul 2020 – Oct 2021

Health and Safety Inspector | Dustmoon | Ottawa, ON

- Oversaw and managed health and safety operations over multiple point locations
- Ensured health and safety standards, protocols and policies are consistently applied
- Coordinated and led teams for efficient completion of tasks and duties of locations

2008 - 2014

Army Infantry Captain | Greek Military | Athens, Greece

- **Head Officer of Health and Safety** (2008-2014)
- Trained new recruits to ensure readiness against all possible threats
- Led and commanded troops and applied tactical planning and operations
- Involved in Recruit Orientation
- Weapon proficiency
- Tactical planning
- Safety protocols
- Risk assessment

- Personnel management
- Logistical coordination
- Professional development

EDUCATION

Occupational Health and Safety Certificate (Algonquin College)

Industrial Hygiene, Legislation for Health and Safety, Environmental Management, Management Labour, Fire Protection, Ergonomics, Health and Safety Management

Safety in Construction Certificate (Vanier College)

CPR Certificate (Canada)

Private Security Guarding Certificate (Canada)

Occupational Health and Safety Certificate (Greece)

Non-Commissioned Officer (Greece Military Academy)

AWARDS AND ACHIEVEMENTS

- Greece Medal of Profitable Service
- International Medal of Participation in Peacekeeping Missions
- NATO Medal of Peacekeeping in Kosovo
- NATO Medal of Peacekeeping in Afghanistan
- USA Medal of Commendation
- USA Medal of Achievement

SKILLS

- Risk Assessment
- Regulatory Compliance
- Incident Investigation
- Safety Inspection
- Safety Software
- Adaptability
- Critical Thinking
- Attention to Detail
- Mentorship
- Influential Leadership