

KIM BESTER STEWARDESS

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PROFILE

- Nationality: South African
- Seamans Discharge Book
- Visa/ Passport: Schengen (Exp. 29/07/23) Passport (Exp. 27/08/24)
- Health: Excellent, non-smoker, no tattoos or piercings
- ENG1 Medical: Exp May 2024
- Fully Vaccinated

ABOUT

Having vast experience in the hospitality industry through different roles within premium private country clubs and resorts across the USA (with prestigious World class accolades and Michelin Star awards), I feel that I could transfer my skills and a strong knowledge of food & beverage/ service and hospitality to the yachting industry. Therefore, building a strong career within the superyacht industry

I have gained experience and knowledge in Managerial roles, Lead Bartender, Server, Cocktail Server, Bartender, Banquet Event and Special Events set-up and service, as well as French, American/ Plated, Synchronized, Fine dining and Family style service.

CERTIFICATES AND TRAINING

Food Safety at Sea, Level 2 TIPS certification (Exp. 10/26/24)

STCW October 2021

- Personal Safety and Responsibilities
- Fire Prevention and Fire Fighting
- Proficiency with Designated Security Duties
- Personal Survival Techniques
- Elementary First Aid

MARITIME EXPERIENCE

S/Y BLUE PAPILLION 30M PRIVATE

STEWARDESS

OCTOBER-NOVEMBER 2022 / DAYWORK - PRESENT Boss on trip and yacht delivery within the Mediterranean.

Duties include:

Casual service, turndowns, housekeeping and detailing in all areas, dusting and polishing surfaces, assisted in galley when needed.

M/Y MARIA THERESA 33M PRIVATE/CHARTER

2ND STEWARDESS

SEPTEMBER-OCTOBER 2022

Duties include:

- Breakfast, lunch and dinner (plated and family style)
- Service, cocktail service, table setup and decor
- Arrangement, housekeeping in all areas, making beds,
- Polishing several different surfaces, turndowns, detailing,
- Laundry service to guests and crew
- Provisioning and assisting in galley when needed,
- Assisted with fenders
- Assisted in preparing the boat for the winter period.

22M SUNSEEKER CHARTER

DAYWORKER

AUGUST 2022

Charter trips 3-8 guests

Duties include:

- Cocktail service and heavy bar service, brunch and lunch service.
- Cleaning, assisting in galley when needed
- · Assisted with fenders

YACHT SERVICE COMPANY CANNES BOAT SHOW

DAYWORKER

SEPTEMBER 2022

Duties include:

- · Housekeeping, making beds
- Setup interior for boat show, polishing different surfaces and materials
- Cleaning and detailing cabins and bathrooms.

HOBBIES & INTERESTS

- Exploring
- Water Skiing
- Hiking
- Snorkelling
- Keeping Fit
- Swimming
- Ice Skating
- Rollerblading

REFERENCES

M/Y Maria Theresa
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LAND EXPERIENCE

Admirals Cove Country Club | Jupiter, FL
PLATINUM CLUBS OF AMERICA, PLATINUM CLUBS OF THE WORLD,
DISTINGUISHED CLUB

Server

October 2021 – May 2022

Greeted customers, answered questions and recommended specials, wine and desserts to increase profits. Arranged place settings, tableware to create appealing tables. Developed rapport with guests and assisted in generating repeat business by providing exceptional customer service. Set up dining room to meet hospitality and service standards.

Theodore Roosevelt Medora | Medora, ND PUBLIC NON-PROFIT FOUNDATION

Head Bartender

May 2018 - October 2019

Handled inventory, regulation compliance and customer relationships. Recommended food and drinks to patrons based on preference, pairings and special promotions. Maintained inventory of bar products, soft drinks and supplies to drive volume of sales. Managed high volume of shift customers and simultaneously assisted restaurant servers with diverse needs. Produced and balanced daily sales.

The Polo Club of Boca Raton | Boca Raton, FL
PLATINUM CLUB MEMBER| DISTINGUISHED CLUB OF THE WORLD|
AUDUBON INTERNATIONAL
CERTIFIED| AMERICA'S HEALTHIEST CLUB

Server

2016 - May 2017

Arranged place settings with fresh tablecloths, tableware and flowers to prepare for service. Developed rapport with guests and assisted in generating repeat business by providing exceptional customer service. Cocktail service and anticipating condiments, napkins and other needs.