

CMSA Alumni of The Month

Marcus Shurson '14

November 2022



Pro-Tips

- *Get involved in competition teams.*
- *Competitions are great learning experiences, and bonding experiences with classmates.*

Upcoming CMSA Events-

Construction Professional Speaker in WC349 on Nov. 16th.

Superintendent

Marcus Shurson grew up in New Richland, MN. During high school Shurson developed a hard work ethic; holding multiple jobs, mowing lawns, working at a shipping and receiving department at a geothermal company, and line cook at a local restaurant. During this time Shurson was heavily influenced and inspired by his uncle who worked as a carpenter.

After graduation, Shurson chose MSU mainly because it was close to home. While at Minnesota State Mankato he really enjoyed his business and construction law classes. While a student, Shurson was involved with CMSA as a committee member and helped organize numerous successful events as part of the club. He landed an internship with Schwickert's Roofing the summer before his last semester of college and knew that he made the right choice in the construction management field.

Following MSU, Shurson started as a Field Engineer with PCL Construction working on a medical office building and parking ramp in Edina, MN. He has been with PCL ever since. Throughout the course of his career with PCL, Shurson has worked on many different kinds of projects including higher education, food lines, warehouse projects, and medical projects across the country.

Currently, he is located in Grand Forks, ND working at the University of North Dakota- College of Business as a Superintendent. He really enjoys the planning and problem solving that goes into different projects. Shurson's advice to current students is to get involved in the industry while in school whether that is through internships or working in the trades.

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