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PROFESSIONAL SUMMARY

Experienced professional with 5+ years of expertise in **procurement documentation (RFP, RFQ, RFI)** and **data annotation for AI systems**. Skilled in preparing compliant business proposals, handling vendor coordination, and ensuring documentation accuracy. Strong knowledge of LiDAR, PDET, and MOD annotation for autonomous vehicle data with ability to manage tasks efficiently in deadline-driven environments.

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

Associate L1 (Procurement & Sourcing)

Integra Global Solutions | Oct 2024 — Present

- Manage end-to-end RFP, RFQ, and RFI processes including preparation and submission
 - Prepare structured and compliant **proposal documents** based on client requirements
 - Coordinate with internal teams for data **collection and validation**
 - Ensure accuracy and compliance of all procurement documentation
 - Maintain proposal templates and documentation records
 - Track multiple bids and ensure timely submission
 - Perform quality checks and proofreading of documents
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Senior Process Associate

Apexon | Sep 2019 — Jan 2023

- Performed data **annotation for autonomous vehicle datasets**
- Specialized in **LiDAR annotation, PDET, and MOD labeling**
- Annotated images, videos, and 3D point cloud data for AI models

- Ensured accuracy and consistency in labeling tasks
 - Conducted quality checks on annotated data
 - Supported AI/ML model training through data preparation
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KEY SKILLS

Procurement & Documentation

RFP • RFQ • RFI • Proposal Management • Vendor Coordination • Bid Support • Documentation

Data Annotation & Technical Skills

LiDAR Annotation • Image & Video Labeling • PDET • MOD • AI Data Support

Tools

Microsoft Excel (Basic Data Tracking & Reporting)

Core Competencies

Attention to Detail • Analytical Thinking • Time Management • Communication • Teamwork

DOMAIN EXPERTISE

Procurement & Proposal Management

- End-to-end RFP, RFQ, and RFI handling
- Proposal preparation and documentation support
- Vendor coordination and bid processing

AI Data Annotation

- LiDAR, image, and video annotation for AI models
 - Object detection labeling (PDET & MOD)
 - Dataset preparation for machine learning
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EDUCATION

BE – Computer science and Engineering

Indra Ganesan College of Engineering (Anna University)

2015 —2019