

Business Research Proposal

Turner Construction

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I would like to research Turner Construction Company. I want to research them because I would possibly like to interview with them some day, and possibly create a career in the company. I also have an interest in the company because of what the company is doing on the renovation of the Ohio Stadium. The University Athletic Department employs me there so I see what is going on there every day that I work.

Henry Turner and DeForrest Dixon formed Turner Construction Company in 1902. They have had over 96 years experience in building all kinds of structures that can be seen in the commercial construction industry. The company considers themselves as a leader in the construction industry. The areas in which Turner builds include several niche markets. These markets are Design-build finance, Government, Healthcare, Pharmaceutical, Sports, Sustainable Construction, Interiors, and Transportation.

As stated above Turner Construction is the nation's leading builder and construction management firm. Each year the company works on over 1,000 projects. They have a total of 42 offices nationwide, and they strive to excel at each office. At Turner Construction a member of their staff is taught problem solving, interpersonal, and managerial skills that every company should do if they want to succeed. The trademark of the Turner staff includes hard work, dedication, and integrity.

Turner construction is bases out of New York, NY. The profile of the company is one that focuses on construction related services. These services

range from pre-construction, construction management, or general contracting. Turner feels that they stand alone in these categories. The projects that the Turner Construction Company completes can have a price tag on them ranging from \$1 million to over \$200 million. Regardless of this price, each project is treated with the same care and importance to the next project that is completed. In 1998 Turner completed \$4 billion worth of work. With know this, I would say that the company I am researching is built on a strong foundation.

Turner Construction Company employs many people, and they are always hiring more. Turner prides themselves because they do not make a new employee be a trainee first. On the first day a new employee starts they will fill a specific office or project site position. This does not mean you are thrown into the shark pit on your first day. You will still have the assistance of the supervisors and other staff members, but you will receive some type of responsibility.

This is Turner Construction Company in a nutshell. So far, I have enjoyed researching this company. I feel that this project will be beneficial to me in the future, especially if I pursue a career in the commercial construction industry.