

# THADDEUS PAULK



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Rancho Cordova, CA

## EDUCATION

BA in FILM  
Sacramento State Univ.  
2021-present

ASSOCIATES IN CULINARY  
ARTS,  
Art Institute of Atlanta,  
2011

ASSOCIATES IN BUSINESS  
MANAGEMENT  
University of Phoenix,  
2009

## SKILLS

ServSafe Certified

Menu Development

Knife Skills

Grilling, Roasting & Saute-  
ing

Leadership & Team Man-  
agement

High Volume Work Ethic

Budget Management

## AWARDS

AIR-FORCE ACHIEVEMENT  
MEDAL

AIR FORCE GOOD CON-  
DUCT MEDAL

AIR-FORCE TRAINING  
RIBBON

JUNE 2019 CULINARY ALL-  
STAR

## PROFESSIONAL PROFILE

I am a Air Force Veteran who has taken on a few trades since leaving the military. I have over 10 years of experience in the culinary industry. I am looking for an opportunity to lead that will utilize, enhance and grow my culinary experience.

## EXPERIENCE

### EXECUTIVE CHEF

The Academy at District Church / Aug 2022—Present

- Create and execute a school lunch menu for over 50 kids & staff—biweekly.
- Instruct students on cooking basics and kitchen safety.
- Accommodate for various food preferences & dietary restrictions.

### PERSONAL CHEF

Foodom / Nov 2022—Present

- Cook personal chef in-home meals for regular & occasional clients.
- Complete shopping and menu execution according to dietary preferences.

### LINE COOK

The Plank & Riley's /Folsom, CA / July 2023-Present

### BAR CHEF

Aimbridge Hospitality, The Grange/ Sacramento, CA / Aug 2021—July 2023

- Single-handedly handled high-volume shifts, ensuring smooth service during peak hours.

### COOK

The Hyatt Regency/ Sacramento, CA / Aug 2018—Aug 2020

- Worked high volume banquets by successfully serving up to 1500 people per event.
- Was selected as June 2019 Culinary All Star.

### COOK

Parkwest Casino / Rancho Cordova, CA/ Feb 2017 – March 2018

### OWNER-OPERATOR -TRUCK DRIVER

Landstar Ranger / United States / Jun 2014—Feb 2017

### LINE COOK

The Glenn Hotel / Atlanta, GA / 2011—2013

### UNITED STATES AIR FORCE - SECURITY FORCES / Feb 1998— July 2002

I served in South Korea, Turkey, Saudi Arabia, England, Japan and Germany. I guarded priority Air force resources.

- Honorable Discharge
- Air Force Achievement Medal & Good Conduct Medal