

Alin Cerceja

Dynamic & Skilled Culinary Professional

1

Location: Focșani, Județul Vrancea, Romania

Languages: English (Professional working proficiency), Italian (Limited working proficiency)

Birthday: January 1

Professional Summary

Dynamic and skilled culinary professional with extensive experience in diverse kitchen environments. Proficient in a la carte and buffet-style cooking, specializing in Romanian, Italian, and Balcanic cuisines. Strong leadership abilities complemented by excellent communication and teamwork skills. Committed to maintaining high standards of food quality and presentation while enhancing customer satisfaction. Eager to contribute culinary expertise and creativity to a vibrant kitchen team.

Professional Experience

Chef – Velvet Restaurant (Contract)

Aug 2026 – Present (2 mos) | Kongsberg, Viken, Norway · On-site

Core Skills: Cooking, Food Preparation

Chef – Stalheim Hotel (Contract)

May 2026 – Jul 2026 (3 mos) | Stalheim, Voss, Norway · On-site

Core Skills: Cooking, Food Preparation

Chef – HOTELL HALLSTABERGET AB (Contract)

Feb 2026 – Apr 2026 (3 mos) | Sollefteå, Västernorrland County, Sweden · On-site

Core Skills: Food Preparation, Cooking

Chef – THE FOX & ANCHOR LIMITED (Contract)

Nov 2025 – Jan 2026 (3 mos) | Karlskrona, Blekinge County, Sweden · On-site

Core Skills: Cooking, Food Preparation

Chef De Partie – Level Seven, Gastropub & Rooftop Lounge (Full-time)

Oct 2024 – Mar 2025 (6 mos) | Heidelberg, Baden-Württemberg, Germany · On-site

Core Skills: Food Preparation, Cooking

Chef – Restaurang Mibi (Seasonal)

Jun 2024 – Aug 2024 (3 mos) | Hönö och Öckerö, Västra Götaland County, Sweden

Core Skills: Cooking, Equipment Maintenance

Chef – Fletcher Hotels (Seasonal)

Feb 2024 – May 2024 (4 mos) | Netherlands

Core Skills: Cooking, Equipment Maintenance

Chef – Lapland Hotels (Full-time)

Nov 2023 – Feb 2024 (4 mos) | Lapland, Finland

Core Skills: Food Preparation, Cooking

Chef De Partie – Cruisinc Tourism BV Arnhem (Seasonal)

Aug 2023 – Oct 2023 (3 mos) | Netherlands

Core Skills: Cooking, Equipment Maintenance

Specialty Cook – Van der Valk Hotels & Restaurants (Seasonal)

Feb 2023 – May 2023 (4 mos) | Netherlands

Core Skills: Cooking, Food Preparation

Cook Coordinator for Events – Sc.Dinu Comimpex.Srl (Full-time)

Nov 2019 – Dec 2022 (3 yrs 2 mos) | Romania

Core Skills: Cooking, Equipment Maintenance

Cook – SC.Anco Food Services S.R.L. (Full-time)

2019 – 2022 | Romania

Core Skills: Cooking, Equipment Maintenance

Events Cook – SC.Piton Comimpex S.R.L. (Full-time)

2015 – 2019 | Romania

Core Skills: Cooking, Equipment Maintenance

Chef – Ristorante Pizzeria L'aragosta Frankfurt (Seasonal)

May 2015 – Aug 2015 (4 mos) | Frankfurt am Main, Hesse, Germany

Core Skills: Cooking, Equipment Maintenance

Chef (A la Carte Restaurant) – Residenze Miramonti S.R.L. (Full-time)

2013 – 2015 | Tuscany, Italy

Core Skills: Italian & Balcanic Cuisine, Cooking

Cook (A la Carte Romanian Cuisine) – SC.Hi Design Company S.R.L. (Full-time)

2011 – 2013 | Romania

Core Skills: Romanian Cuisine, Cooking

Kitchen Help – SC.Nis-Prod S.R.L. (Full-time)

May 2006 – Jan 2008 (1 yr 9 mos) | Romania

Core Skills: Cooking, Equipment Maintenance

Education

Universitatea „Spiru Haret” din București

Public Administration and Juridical Studies

Colegiul Tehnic "Ion Mincu" Focșani

Bachelor's Degree | 1999 – 2003

Specialization: Electrotechnical, Technical Support