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“My father always told me to ‘focus on the details’ and my mother encouraged me to ‘always work hard.’ I believe that ‘the foundation of food is relationships’.”

Betsy McAtee

CEO, Dreamland Bar-B-Que

First Industry Job: Bussing tables at Dreamland Bar-B-Que



Alabama

ALABAMA'S RESTAURANT INDUSTRY AT A GLANCE:

185,100 Alabamans

In 2016, restaurant and foodservice jobs account for 185,100 jobs in Alabama—11% of employment in the state.



1 in 3 Americans begin their working careers in the restaurant industry



1 in 2 adults have worked in the restaurant industry