## Maiko Mendoza Cruz

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#### **Summary of Professional Qualifications**

- 2 years work experience in Marketing and Public Relations
- Bachelor of Arts, Communications & Marketing
- Languages: Spanish (Native Speaker); English (Fluent)
- International experience and intercultural skills (Japan, Chile, Canada)
- Strong communication (written and oral) and analytical skills with client focus

#### **Education & Training**

International School of Management (ISM), Frankfurt, Germany 09/2009 - Present

Degree: Bachelor of Arts – Communications & Marketing

Relevant Coursework: Consumer Behaviour & Market Research, International Trade

Grade Point Average: 1.5/5.0 (A) Expected Date of Graduation: 07/2012

Universidad de Granada, Granada, Spain 01/2011 - 05/2011

Semester Abroad (Spanish Program)

Relevant Coursework: The Spanish Economy, History of Spanish Banking

Hannah Arendt Schule, Frankfurt Germany 09/1999 - 06/2008

High School Diploma (A-Levels)

Relevant Course/Project Work: English, Students Against Water Privatization

Bayview Avenue Collegiate Institute, Toronto, Canada 09/2006 - 06/2007

**Exchange Year** 

Relevant Coursework: World Issues, Canadian History, Organizational Perspectives

## Work Experience

**OGILVY**, Frankfurt, Germany 01/2010 – Present *Communications Coordinator* 

- Organize press conferences, write press releases and brief journalists on major initiatives
- Research, write and distribute communiqués for various media outlets
- Coordinate with internal departments and external partners on communication pieces

# **SCWARTZ PUBLIC RELATIONS**, Hamburg, Germany 01/2012 – 03/2012 *Intern, Online Entertainment*

- Designed, wrote text and launched online sites (e.g. website, Facebook) for key accounts
- Negotiated price reductions with external vendors
- Optimized processes, planned and liaised with internal clients and external providers on projects

#### **BARCLAYS**, London, United Kingdom 06/2011 – 09/2011 **Account Specialist**

- Created and implemented marketing campaigns for management team
- Forecasted and calculated budget plan for campaigns
- Acquired new contracts, maintained relationships and improved client satisfaction with key clients

## **Project Management**

- DHL Project, Global Business Services, (ISM, 5th Semester)
- Students Against Water Privatization, Hannah Arendt Schule (with Gabriela Mistral School, Chile)

#### Language & Computer Skills

- Languages: German (Native Speaker); Spanish (Native Speaker); English (Fluent); Japanese (Fluent)
- Computer Skills: Microsoft Office Suite; SAP

## **International Experience & Intercultural Skills**

- Au Pair, Japan, 2008 to 2009
- Japanese Language Classes (Advanced), 2008 to 2009
- International Project, Chile, 2007 to 2008
- High School Exchange, Canada, 2006 to 2007

#### **Leadership Skills & Student Engagement**

- Tutor (ISM), Conversational Spanish, 2010 to 2012
- Vice President, ISM Marketing Consulting Student Association, 2010 to 2011
- Student President, Hannah Arendt Schule, 2003 to 2006
- Camp Counsellor, Onondaga Camp, Canada, 2003 to Present

#### **Hobbies & Other Interests**

Long distance running, summer camp counselling

#### References

Available upon request.