Betty Jepkoech Rutto

Professional Summary

Experienced Telecommunications Professional

I am a seasoned expert in the telecommunications industry, specializing in strategic account management, CRM, and channel partner development.

In-Depth Expertise and Industry Leadership

My expertise lies in fostering strong client relationships, understanding unique needs, and delivering tailored solutions that exceed expectations. I have a proven track record of driving business growth through effective account management strategies, innovative sales techniques, and proactive problem-solving. Committed to staying abreast of industry trends and market dynamics, I continuously strive for excellence and aim to deliver exceptional value in this ever-evolving landscape. I am seeking a new opportunity where I can apply my diverse skill set to drive business success.

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Education

AiCE - Al Career Essentials (2024)

ALX Africa

Completed a comprehensive course on artificial intelligence, enhancing my understanding of Al technologies and their applications in business to drive innovation and efficiency.

MBA Project Management (Ongoing)

Daystar University

I am currently pursuing a Master of Business Administration with a focus on Project Management, equipping myself with advanced knowledge and skills in managing projects efficiently and effectively, which complements my professional experience in telecommunications.

CCNA and Cyber Security Certifications (2019)

JKUAT

Gained certifications in Cisco Certified Network Associate (CCNA) and Cyber Security, strengthening my technical expertise in network infrastructure and information security.

Bachelor of Computer Science (2012)

Kabarak University

Earned a degree in Computer Science, providing a solid foundation in software development, database management, and network security, which has been instrumental in my career in telecommunications and IT solutions.

Kenya Certificate of Secondary Education (2007)

AIC Kessup Girls High School

Completed secondary education with a strong academic record, laying the groundwork for my further studies and career achievements.

Skills

Key Competencies

- **Market Expansion:** Proactively identifying and pursuing new market opportunities.
- **Strategic Acquisition:** Developing and executing strategies to acquire key clients.
- **Innovative Marketing:** Crafting creative marketing campaigns to drive sales.
- **Sales Planning:** Designing detailed sales plans to meet and exceed targets.
- **Client Management:** Building and maintaining strong relationships with clients.
- **Relationship Building:** Fostering enduring connections with key stakeholders.
- **Contract Negotiation:** Effectively negotiating contracts to maximize value.
- **Market Research:** Conducting thorough market analysis to inform strategy.
- **Business Development:** Driving business growth through strategic initiatives.
- **Stakeholder Engagement:** Engaging stakeholders to ensure project success.
- **Pricing Negotiation:** Negotiating pricing strategies to benefit both parties.
- **Sales Forecasting:** Predicting sales trends to inform business planning.
- **Record Keeping and Reporting:** Maintaining accurate records and reporting on performance.
- **Customer Service:** Delivering exceptional service to enhance client satisfaction.
- **Competitive Analysis:** Analyzing competitor activities to stay ahead in the market.

Technical Proficiencies

- **Salesforce.com, CRM Systems**
- **Microsoft Office, Operating Systems (Windows, Linux)**
- **Other Applications (Pastel, SPSS, Oracle, Xammp/Wampp, Joomla)**
- **SWOT Analysis, Voice of Customer (VOC)**
- **Tracking Customer Goals, Account Planning**
- **Quarterly Business Reviews (QBRs)**

Work Experience

Strategic Account Manager, Enterprise Division (Public Sector)

- **Telkom Kenya Ltd**
- *June 2017 to Present*
- **Responsibilities:**
 - Lead account sales and business development initiatives.
 - Manage client relationships and oversee channel and partnership management.
- Pursue new business opportunities through cold calling, lead research, and trade show attendance.
 - Develop innovative marketing strategies to create compelling sales pitches.
 - Implement quarterly sales plans to meet and exceed targets.
- **Key Contributions:**
- Achieved an 84% incremental revenue growth in an 18-month sales portfolio revitalization project in 2018.

- Surpassed sales targets by 115%, ranking as the 7th top-producing account manager out of 17.
 - Secured a deal worth 36M in annual revenue with NSSF.
 - Onboarded Kenya Airports Authority as a client, generating 12M in annual revenue.
- Managed operations at the National Registration Bureau, facilitating the registration of over 24 million individuals annually.

Account Manager/Team Leader

- **Kinde Engineering Works Ltd**
- *Dec 2014 to May 2017*
- **Responsibilities:**
- Oversaw premium sales and services for large accounts.
- Developed pipelines within existing accounts for increased penetration.
- Closed software solutions sales and provided consultative selling.
- Updated management with detailed activity and results reports.
- Coordinated internal operations for effective sales support.
- **Key Contributions:**
 - Secured an annual contract valued at 4 million with Kajiado County.
 - Consistently ranked as a top 5 revenue producer.
- Drove new sales opportunities from inception to closure.
- Cultivated strong relationships with customer executives.
- Managed sales pipeline and negotiated contracts effectively.

Accounts Executive

- **Intracom Limited**
- *Jan 2013 to Nov 2014*
- **Responsibilities:**
 - Conducted consultative needs assessments with prospective clients.
 - Identified and addressed communication needs of clients.
 - Created and delivered comprehensive sales proposals and presentations.
 - Generated leads independently through various methods.
- Collaborated with channel partners to exceed sales targets.
- **Key Contributions:**
 - Finalized a \$75,000 agreement with KCB Bank for a network security solution.
 - Secured a \$65,000 contract with NIC Bank for Symantec security software.
 - Consistently met monthly revenue targets.
 - Developed strong client relationships through consultative selling.
 - Achieved significant sales growth within a competitive market.

Attaché

- **United States International University (USIU)**
- *Aug 2011 to Oct 2011*
- **Responsibilities:**

- Conducted installation and configuration of computer hardware, operating systems, and applications.
 - Monitored and maintained computer systems to ensure continuous operation.
- Identified and resolved system and network issues.
- Installed and configured Windows 7 and Windows Server 2008 systems.
- Provided technical support and troubleshooting for various software applications.
- Assisted in the development of IT infrastructure projects.

Why Choose Me

- 1. **Proven Track Record:** Demonstrated success in driving revenue growth and exceeding sales targets.
- 2. **Client-Centric Approach:** Committed to understanding and meeting client needs with tailored solutions.
- 3. **Innovative Thinking:** Capable of developing creative strategies to solve complex problems.
- 4. **Industry Expertise:** Deep knowledge of the telecommunications industry and market trends
- 5. **Relationship Building:** Skilled in fostering long-term relationships with clients and stakeholders.
- 6. **Analytical Skills:** Strong ability to analyze data and market conditions to inform decision-making.

Hobbies and Interests

- **Reading:** Keeping up with industry trends and business strategies, as well as enjoying a variety of literature genres.
- **Traveling:** Exploring new cultures and understanding global market dynamics, which enrich my professional perspective.
- **Technology:** Staying updated on the latest technological advancements and innovations to remain at the forefront of industry developments.
- **Networking:** Building professional connections and learning from industry leaders to continuously improve my skill set.
- **Fitness:** Engaging in physical activities like jogging and yoga to maintain a healthy work-life balance.
- **Volunteer Work:** Participating in community service projects to give back and make a positive impact.

Referees

- **Mr. Ronald Luvale**
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