# **Kirsten Anderson**

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### **EXPERIENCE AND SKILLS**

#### **Results Driven**

- Successfully managed 200+ projects in a calendar year
- Nurtured client relationships and set a standard of excellence which led to more than \$250,000 in revenue

#### Communication:

- Acted as 'voice of the client' to define/communicate requirements, update progress and define success to stakeholders at all levels
- Worked independently, yet also as a team member of 7+ departments with multiple directors requiring timely updates and accurate forecasting of project progress and completion

# Leadership

- Mentored direct and indirect reports to improve performance and job satisfaction leading to greater employee retention and increased revenue
- Utilized servant leadership ideology to motivate 5+ departments and stakeholders of all levels to successfully deliver client projects

# **Technical Knowledge & Ability**

- Acted as the 'go-to' person for multiple departments to troubleshoot aspects of IMS systems
- Collaborated to create and maintain client onboarding documentation leading to increased accuracy of client expectations, 15% higher profit margins through strategic product offering, and larger market share via higher tier quality perceptions

## **WORK HISTORY**

Chenier & Thompson - Professional Server - 08/2017 - Present Kimpton Hotels & Restaurants - Manager - 03/2014-12/2016 Deleece Restaurant & Fig Catering - Staff - 2013-2014 Lakeview Chamber of Commerce - Manager - 2013-2014 Glazed Donuts Chicago - Entrepreneur - 2009-2012

# **EDUCATION**

Certified Associate Project Manager, PMI | Microsoft Office

Specialist | Web Development Bootcamp, BLOC Javascript with Angular

& React, Ruby on Rails | BA Journalism, Columbia College Chicago

Transitioning from
hospitality, I am poised
to utilize my 10+ years
of client relationship
experience, along with
project management
and extensive business
skills, to contribute to
an organization that
values innovation,
agility and technical
problem solving.

## **KEY SKILLS**

Proven ability to lead without authority

Laser focus to identify risks and blockers while maintaining big picture objectives

Systems thinker able to utilize and tailor project management methodology

Technical knowledge of contracts and legal language enabling analytical and strategic resource management