# **ELLI MCKINLEY**

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#### **SUMMARY**

With over 10 years of experience in e-commerce product operations and team leadership in the ski industry, I have proven ability to build high-performing teams, optimize processes, and enhance customer satisfaction. Skilled in analyzing metrics for strategic decision-making, developing documentation, dedicated to driving continuous improvement and operational excellence.

#### **WORK EXPERIENCE**

# Business Systems Specialist | Colorado Mountain College

Feb 2025 – Present

- Manage Workday administration for Accounting, Finance, Contracts, Procurement, and Projects.
- Optimize business processes by configuring Workday modules to improve efficiency and user experience.
- Collaborate with stakeholders across departments to gather requirements and implement system enhancements.
- Develop and maintain process documentation and provide training for end users.
- Troubleshoot Workday system issues, coordinating with IT and vendors to resolve complex problems.
- Support data analysis and reporting, ensuring accuracy and compliance with financial policies.
- Assist in system upgrades and testing, providing feedback on new features and functionality.

#### E-Commerce Operations Manager | Alterra Mountain Company

Aug 2023 - Jul 2024

- Built, trained, and managed a team of product analysts
- Managed large-scale product builds for e-commerce platforms, including content, pricing, promotions, and taxonomy setup, contributing to a +5% increase in conversion.
- Executed the company's product roadmap by maintaining product setup timeline goals, evaluating new inputs for feasibility and success, and delivering or adjusting products to meet business needs.
- Streamlined processes for gathering product requirements, managing change requests, documentation (workflows and SOP's), and conducting user acceptance testing.
- Ensured all product submissions met company standards and resolved any deviations through structured workflows.
- Partnered with merchandising teams to implement A/B tests for product optimization and improved customer experience.
- Collaborated across departments to ensure systems aligned with business objectives, optimized customer experience, and increased conversion.
- Oversaw quality control for product builds, ensuring accurate content, imagery, and system mapping.
- Maintained strong partnerships with stakeholders, including marketing, operations, and customer service teams.
- Improved business processes to enhance team efficiency and measured performance through reporting and analytics.
- Managed workload forecasting and resource scheduling to support team scalability for additional projects.
- Resolved product-related incidents and prioritized vendor defect fixes.
- Developed product roadmaps and prioritized system enhancements to align with business goals.

 Created and analyzed metrics-based reporting to enhance team productivity and scalability to improve operational efficiency.

# Product Administration Manager | Aspen Skiing Company

Apr 2020 - Aug 2023

- Configured and maintained e-commerce and POS ski products across sales channels using RTP|One, Aspenware, and Inntopia.
- Collaborated on updated Sales Confirmation templates and launched a team documentation system.
- Developed training materials in collaboration with training teams to enhance employee knowledge and operational success.
- Analyzed and optimized product processes to ensure financial accuracy, reduce guest friction, and improve employee experiences.
- Maintained strong communication and collaboration across departments, including Sales, Marketing, IT, and Finance, to meet product and operational needs.
- Led QA testing and check-work processes to ensure functionality and accuracy of all products.
- Generated ideas to enhance purchase flow, increase revenue, and improve guest service experiences.
- Partnered with Ecommerce and Front-Line teams to ensure a seamless online guest journey.
- Created and analyzed reports to identify errors and implement timely solutions.
- Provided leadership within the Mountain Sales & Schools team and supported operational needs as required.
- Utilized strong technical expertise with RTP, Aspenware, and other point-of-sale systems to support product lifecycle management.

# Call Center Manager, Mtn Sales | Aspen Skiing Company

Aug 2018 - Apr 2020

- Collaborated on the creation of a supplemental training program and digital manual for agents.
- Assisted in assessing operational success and improvement opportunities to align with company goals.
- Provided customer service for resort guests to ensure an unforgettable guest journey.

# Call Center Supervisor, Mtn Sales | Aspen Skiing Company

Sept 2016 - Jul 2018

- Collaborated on the creation of a supplemental training program and digital manual for agents.
- Assisted in assessing operational success and improvement opportunities to align with company goals.

# Ticketing Supervisor, Highlands | Aspen Skiing Company

Jun 2015 - Sept 2016

 Provided customer service for resort guests for resort guests to ensure an unforgettable guest journey.

# Lead Ticket Seller | Aspen Skiing Company

Nov 2014 - Jun 2015

• Supported management in frontline ticket office operations and staff training.

#### **CORE SKILLS**

- Strategic Decision Making
- Process Documentation & Training Development
- Optimizing Processes
- Business Systems Optimization

- Stakeholder Collaboration
- Project Management & UAT
- Atlassian Confluence and Jira
- RTP|One, Inntopia, and Aspenware
- Microsoft Office 365

#### **TECHNICAL SKILLS**

- Programming Languages: JavaScript, TypeScript, HTML, CSS,
- Frameworks & Libraries: React.js, Node.js, Express.js, TailwindCSS
- Databases: PostgreSQL
- Version Control & Deployment: Git, GitHub, Render, Netlify

#### **LICENSES & CERTIFICATIONS**

SQL Essentials Training   LinkedIn Learning	2024
SQL Practice: Inserting Data   LinkedIn Learning	2024
SQL for Non-Programmers   LinkedIn Learning	2023
Excel: Creating a Basic Dashboard   LinkedIn Learning	2023
Jira and Confluence Together   Atlassian	2023
Be the Manager People Won't Leave   LinkedIn Learning	2023

#### **EDUCATION**

Coding Bootcamp | University of Denver

In-Progress (Certificate Expected 2025)

# BS, Geology | University of Puget Sound

2013

- Minor in Environmental Policy and Decision Making
- Thesis: Environmental History of a ~13,000 year Sediment Record from the Most Contaminated Lake in Western Washington