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### SUMMARY STATEMENT

A thorough marketing perspective (5yrs client-side & 4yrs internal) with a clear understanding of organizational structures and key intersection points. A knack for leading efficient prioritization, communication and delivering omni channel B2B and B2C marketing solutions.

#### **EXPERIENCE**

#### Senior Marketing Manager BALANCE INTERACTIVE

May '14-Current

- Responsible for planning, development and the implementation of all organizational marketing strategies and channel partner relations.
- Develops and maintains marketing and sales processes, involving lead tracking, lead nurturing and marketing conversion models.
- Writes, produces and oversees the distribution of all communications, which includes but is not limited to, RFP's, newsletters, sales and marketing materials, product data sheets, teleconference scripts, etc.
- Creates and manages detailed annual marketing budget and maintains overall responsibility for budget allocation and execution.
- Develops, directs, and implements the agency strategy for all online and offline marketing and communications activities; including content, paid media campaigns, email, social media, PR, branding, and events.
- Aids in client marketing and strategy execution: including competitive analysis and customer journey mapping.
- Creates focused measures of success for established goals based on client needs (QA carried through to analytics).
- Supports channel marketing development and planning based on client organizational goals.
- Executes social media content, content workshops and content strategy with a focus on conversion.

## Senior Marketing Manager FONTEVA

Nov '12-May '14

- Led the creation of a new Fonteva website including vision, strategy, and execution.
- Led Salesforce-to-Hubspot (and visa versa) custom data mapping & integration to enable closed-loop reporting.
- Responsible for top-to-bottom integration of all marketing analytics and technologies.

- Create and execute internet marketing plans that include use of pay-per-click advertising, digital promotional campaigns, search engine optimization, and email newsletters.
- Perform ongoing keyword research for SEO, PPC and other inbound marketing purposes.
- Direct and implement social media initiatives for Twitter, Facebook and Google+.
- Evaluate, acquire, negotiate and manage print & online vendor relationships.
- Create process, materials and define standards to create brand consistency where none has existed.
- Create marketing support graphics, brand collateral, PowerPoint slides & re-usable sell sheet templates, as well as logo design.

## Marketing Manager BROWSERMEDIA

Mar 'II-Nov '12

- Developed detailed activity plans and budgets for specific channels including direct mail, online interactive marketing, trade shows and events, as well as trade advertising.
- Managed online marketing programs including cohesive brand messaging, search engine marketing, email marketing, affiliate marketing, (landing page and micro-site page development), and online lead generation.
- Created a strong, visible social media presence through active Twitter and Facebook follower growth (grew Twitter follower count by 90% in 30 days).
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- Created and wrote copy for multiple NPR marketing campaigns.
- Created a strong, visible social media presence through active Twitter and Facebook follower growth (grew Twitter follower count by 90% in 30 days).
- Leveraged existing database content to optimize search engine content pages and increase organic traffic.
- Created & developed link building strategies and optimizing navigation to improve the work-flow of the website and increase conversions.
- Crafted on-going, targeted recommendations based on audience composition analysis and geographic campaign requirements.

- Developed comprehensive marketing and advertising campaigns for defense, and Federal government agencies.
- Created technical training manuals for clients, developed graphical layout and wrote copy.
- Conducted internal communications activities, writing copy for internal branding guide and company newsletters.
- Planned and implemented advertising and marketing strategies including recruitment campaigns and re-branding for both internal and external communications.
- Ensured lasting client relationships through value added offerings, follow-ups, and an understanding of client's marketing plans in order to suggest innovative promotional items.
- Executed lead generation tactics targeting government and private sector prospects. Produced promotional displays, packaging, marketing brochures, signage systems, and logos for both commercial and government clients.

#### **SKILLS**

- CRM (Salesforce)
- Marketing Automation (Hubspot)
- CMS (Ektron, Wordpress)
- Twitter, Facebook & Social Media Marketing
- Google Analytics & AdWords
- Email Marketing (Mailchimp, Hubspot & Constant Contact)
- Project Management Software (Basecamp)
- Adobe Creative Suite
- Prepress Production
- Microsoft Office

- Marketing Strategies & Campaigns
- Corporate Communications
- Creative Team Leadership
- Product Positioning & Branding
- Web & Print Content Development
- Focus Group & Market Research
- Development of Training Materials
- Public & Media Relations
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#### **EDUCATION**

- George Mason University / B.A. IN ART & VISUAL TECHNOLOGY
- Northern Virginia Community College / A.A.S COMMUNICATION DESIGN