# **Rick Seufert**

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#### **EXPERIENCE**

## Studios First, Portland, OR - Digital Marketing Consultant, Social Media

DECEMBER 2017 - PRESENT

- Planned and implemented marketing campaign strategies across numerous social media accounts, platforms, and WordPress sites.
- Measured and gathered analytical data to assess the state of the client's marketing performance to date, which then made it possible to gauge the success of our future efforts.
- Coordinated successful digital publishing schedules across a team of publishers, editors, and content creators.
- Used Photoshop and other image editing software to create content for our social media and blog posts. Consistently created engaging photo collages and animated GIFs for our new daily content.
- Wrote and published content descriptions, blog posts, and tweets. Leveraged knowledge of HTML and other markup languages to compose vibrant, professional content.
- \* Regularly engaged with content consumers via our social media accounts, forums, and WordPress comment sections. Presented reports to ownership in a digestible and actionable format.

## CRM BlackBox, Portland, OR - Client Campaign Manager

SEPTEMBER 2016 - DECEMBER 2017

- Managed and optimized the e-commerce offers of dozens of clients in a variety of verticals.
- Onboarded new clients with existing offers and successfully launched several new offers for clients with no previous ecommerce experience.
- Communicated client needs to our web design & development team. Defined requirements and optimizations for clients' sales pages and other web assets.
- Used industry standard and proprietary analytics to measure and improve the performance of clients' ecommerce offers.
- Continually measured client sales page performance and customer retention. Offered solutions to improve conversion and reduce churn.
- Led regular conference calls with clients and teams from around the world. Generated reports and effectively conveyed pertinent information.
- Presented new solutions to clients that met their evolving needs, while meeting internal vendor referral goals.
- Coordinated the efforts of clients' third party development, customer service, fulfillment, merchant processing, and advertising teams to improve revenue.
- Became an expert in a variety of CRM software; including Limelight, Konnektive, & Shopify. Trained clients and teammates to effectively use CRM software.

## **Atmosphere Apps,** Gainesville, FL — *Product Manager*

APRIL 2011 - FEBRUARY 2016

- Oversaw the lifespan of our mobile applications, from initial design to development, release, and marketing.
- Led the design and development of new releases and new features. Collaborative user-focused wireframing with outside stakeholders, design, and development teams.
- Created requirements and specifications documents based on user and stakeholder needs.
- \* Advocated for the user and stakeholders during regular Scrum/Agile development team meetings. Created user stories and led conversations about feature development.
- Coordinated efforts between partners and our development team. Achieved a unified consensus on the goals and priorities for each project.
- Helped our partners serve, track, and troubleshoot mobile advertisements from a variety of ad networks (Doubleclick, AdMob, AdWords, Xaxis).

 Used analytics data to drive the prioritization of new features. Gathered data from A/B and beta testing to inform design decisions.

## **Independent Alternatives**, Gainesville, FL — Administrative Assistant / Support Staff

JANUARY 2009 - APRIL 2011

Implemented procedures to ensure Medicaid billing and coding was done in an accurate and timely manner. Maintained and updated client and agency master files, coordinated self-assessments and documentation with support coordinators and site leaders.

## **Citigroup**, Getzville, NY — Operations Representative

APRIL 2007 - DECEMBER 2008

Trained new employees in our software and procedures. Audited the work of data entry keyers who processed government applications and check payments. Collaborated with development team who created and refined specialized software that our team used to enter and audit data. Regularly rated among the most accurate auditors.

#### **EDUCATION**

## **SUNY Fredonia**, Fredonia, NY — Computer Science & Information Systems, BS

AUGUST 2002 - MAY 2006

Systems software track: Design and Development processes, UI/UX, Java, C/C++, Data Structures, UNIX Systems Programming, Computer Architecture, Paradigms of Programming Languages, Discrete Math

## Erie 1 BOCES, West Seneca, NY — CCNA

SEPTEMBER 2001 - JUNE 2002

Cisco Networking Academy: Studied network technology and protocols, Programming routers, TCP/IP Stack, Network design and security

### **West Seneca West SHS**, West Seneca, NY — NYS Regents

SEPTEMBER 1998 - IUNE 2002

Technology focus: Media Productions, Computer Graphics, Web Design, Basic Electronics, Design & Drawing for Production (CAD)

#### **PROJECTS**

## **MCC GEMS** — Mobile application

Oversaw the design and development of the MCC GEMS application for iOS and Android. Worked with our partner and a third party agency to ensure the application met the requirements of their grant. Integrated app analytics with voluntary user survey responses. Overcame a technical hurdle by coordinating efforts with a government agency's web team (AHRQ.gov).

## **Mylan GBR Guide** — Mobile application

Worked with business partners to create the Mylan GBR Guide mobile application for iOS, Android, and BlackBerry. Advised partners on a proper database format for the application's content. Helped create and improve upon a content update procedure for the app. Met project requirements by successfully navigating the technical issues that arose while developing for the out-of-favor BlackBerry platform and the communication issues associated with white label projects.

- Search Engine Optimization and App Store Optimization
  Wireframing and mock-ups with a focus on usability, accessibility, and positive interactions
  Strong communication and interpersonal skills
  Can successfully coordinate the efforts of people from different teams and backgrounds
  JavaScript (functional programming, prototypical inheritance)
  HTML5, CSS3, XML, Python, Java, C/C++
  Able to quickly learn new programming languages and concepts