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EDUCATION

Columbia University, M.A. in Communications & TechnologyNew York, NYGPA 4.0 / 4.0 | Scholarships for academic excellence and leadership09/23 - 05/25

University of Texas, Austin, B.S. in Interpersonal Communications, Minor in Educational Psychology GPA 3.8 / 4.0 | Dean's Honor

Austin, TX 09/20 – 05/23

WORK EXPERIENCE

Performance Marketing Intern

Los Angels, CA

Wefluens

12/24 – present

- Develop and implement an omnichannel advertising strategy by optimizing budget allocation, ad placements, and performance KPIs to drive maximum reach, engagement, and conversion efficiency
- Work closely with manager to optimize SEA Campaign through systematic A/B testing of ad creatives and refining SQR negative keyword lists, achieving an 8% decrease in CPC while simultaneously increasing ROAS by 20%
- Build a data-driven report by analyzing platform performance, audience engagement trends, and timing strategy, providing insights that drove a 25% increase in social media engagement
- Collaborate with the creative team to develop compelling ad copy variations and implement A/B testing, resulting in a 15% increase in CTR on top-performing creatives

Digital Marketing Intern

Austin, TX

NestPlus Realty

09/24 - 12/24

- Launched targeted content campaigns across social media and produced 3 articles, 2 videos, and 1 case study, generating over 200 qualified leads and 23 direct inquires within three months
- Revamped Google Ads campaigns by optimizing keyword match types and bidding strategy, boosting conversion rates by 23% within two months and exceeding initial campaign projections.
- Improved mid-funnel conversions by launching retargeting campaigns for high-intent visitors using personalized ad creatives and time-sensitive delivery, resulting in a 26% increase in form submissions and lower cost per conversion
- Orchestrated on-page SEO improvements by redesigning user flow in Figma and refining value propositions, which included A/B testing CTAs, decreasing bounce rate by 17% and improving user engagement

PR & Communication Intern

Beijing, China 05/24 – 08/24

Burson Cohn & Wolfe

- Collaborated with a third-party designer to create the LinkedIn Business Transformation brochure to facilitate partnerships across Greater China, with the briefing receiving 15,000 views within 5 weeks
- Established and maintained relationships with over 12 media contacts, assisting with pitch development and press release distribution, which contributed to a 12% increase in LinkedIn's media coverage in Q3
- Orchestrated high-profile LinkedIn Open Day event, assisting in event coordination and stakeholder outreach, and secured national media coverage from CGTN

PROJECTS & LEADERSHIP

Co-founder

New York, NY

DigiLab | AI-Powered Digital Marketing Simulation Learning Platform

09/24 - 12/24

- Conducted market research through surveys and interviews with 200+ stakeholders to develop a complete learning journey and 10+ business case studies, bridging the gap between education and industry demands in digital marketing
- Developed a high-fidelity UI prototype utilizing Figma, integrating an AI-powered chatbot, enhancing user interaction and engagement with real-time learning support
- Led usability testing with 2,000+ students, collecting qualitative and quantitative data that revealed an 82% in satisfaction rate and a 96% in CTR on core platform features

President

Austin, TX

Honor Society of National Communication Association

10/22 - 05/23

- Expanded student network to 300+ members by orchestrating 3 career panels and 10 coaching sessions, elevating student involvement and creating a more connected campus community
- Drove \$4,000+ in donations by cultivating relationships with 5 local businesses and NGOs for sponsored events, resulting in non-profits onboarding 90+ new volunteers

PROFESSIONAL SKILLS

- Skills: Excel, GA4, HubSpot, Canva, Tableau, Adobe, PowerBI, Semrush, Mailchimp, SQL, Python
- Certificates: Google Ads Certificate, Google Analytics Individual Certification, Meta Blueprint Media Buying Professional
- · Language: Mandarin, English