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Principal Consultant

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SUMMARY

Strategic and growth-focused professional with diverse experience in disruptive strategies, compelling narratives, and innovative go-to-market approaches. Proven track record of transformational change, developing c-suite relationships, and cross-functional engagement. Trusted business development partner with focus on quantitative outcomes and differentiated customer experiences.

RELEVANT SKILLS

Business Growth & Transformation

Strategic Planning & Execution | Change Management | Go-to-Market Insights & Analysis | Competitive Intelligence | Positioning | Customer Experience Design | Trend-Mapping | Cost / Benefit Analysis

Sales Development & Enablement

Client Value Propositions | Pipeline Development | Product Development | C-Suite Relationships | Pitch Design | Deal Architecture | Close Plans | Sales Enablement | Business Impact Modeling

EXPERIENCE

2018-Present

NCR VOYIX (FORMERLY NCR CORPORATION)

Atlanta, GA

Principal Consultant, Hospitality

- Led implementation of transformative solutions for Fortune 100 clients including Kentucky Fried Chicken, Walmart, Dollar Tree, Ahold Delhaize, Krispy Kreme Doughnuts, and Red Robin Gourmet Burgers.
- Achieved 20% YoY growth in consulting team through scoping, pitching, and managing "Growth & Innovation" discipline.
- Delivered \$5M+ in global services revenue and \$30M+ in pull-through over 4 years through consultative selling.
- Increased proposal values 70% 80% through strategic sales enablement.
- Grew and managed consulting team from 1 to 12 full-time consultants and analysts in 2 years.
- Developed new product offerings based in Data, AI, and Machine Learning projected to drive \$10M+ in incremental revenue over 5 years.

2018 **MORRISON**

Atlanta, GA

Interim Chief Strategist

- Transformed agency leadership through a successful turnaround initiative, generating \$3M in additional revenue through the establishment of a new global AOR relationship.
- Devised and executed cross-channel strategies and global digital engagement plans for prominent B2B clients, such as Samsung, Mitsubishi Electric, and Sealed Air Food Care / Cryovac.

2015-2018 FKA (FORMERLY MOXIE)

Atlanta, GA

Director, Digital Strategy

- Led formulation of digital creative, data, and technology strategies aligned with client business objectives.
- Spearheaded customer journey mapping, persona development, and engagement strategy initiatives for highprofile accounts, such as Porsche Cars North America, American Cancer Society, and AMC Theaters.
- Improved efficiency of client initiatives, including those for Verizon Wireless, TGI Friday's, and Kohl's by
 orchestrating specialized consultations on e-commerce, data analytics, and go-to-market approaches.

2014-2015 **KELLEN**

Atlanta, GA

Director, Digital Strategy

- Directed digital strategy team comprising three team members, offering consultancy in digital communications and issue management to leading companies, including Coca-Cola, Cargill, DuPont, Black & Decker, Boeing, and Nestle.
- Established industry-specific measurement and analytics initiatives by delivering strategic insights to Food Additives, Building & Construction, Airline Passenger Technologies, and Infant Nutrition sectors.
- Achieved 44% increase in digital revenue within 12-month period through comprehensive company-wide account development initiatives.

2012 – 2013 **BRANDMOVERS**

Atlanta, GA

Senior Manager, Digital Strategy

- Pioneered inventive and impactful digital marketing engagement strategies for clients in the Technology, CPG, QSR, and Entertainment sectors, including DreamWorks, Dr Pepper Snapple Group, Vizio, and NuSkin.
- Executed and oversaw online customer behavior and brand impact analysis initiatives, leading to the acquisition of \$1M in new business within a span of less than 12 months.

ADDITIONAL EXPERIENCE

2010-2012 BRANDWARE GROUP

Atlanta, GA

Social & Digital Media Manager

2009-2010 MEREDITH CORPORATION (FORMERLY NMS)

Washington, DC

Corporate Project Manager

2009 MARS PETCARE

Nashville, TN

Interactive Marketing Consultant

EDUCATION

2007 - 2009 **VANDERBILT UNIVERSITY**

Nashville, TN

OWEN GRADUATE SCHOOL OF MANAGEMENT *Master of Business Administration (MBA)*

- Specialization: Brand Management; Concentrations: Marketing & Strategy
- Independent Projects: Green Marketing Strategies at The Ritz-Carlton Hotel Company, Social Media Service Recovery Strategies at Yum! Brands

1999 – 2003 THE GEORGE WASHINGTON UNIVERSITY

Washington, D.C.

Bachelor of Business Administration (BBA)

- Majors: Marketing, Tourism & Hospitality Management
- Dean's List, Fall & Spring 2003
- Internships: Human Rights Campaign, Historic Tours of America, National Restaurant Association

AWARDS

GOLD W³ AWARD SILVER W³ AWARD

SOCIAL MEDIA ATLANTA

Website/Blog

Marketing & Promotion

Top Social Media Influencer

AMA-DC "M" AWARD

IAVA COMMUNICATOR
Marketing Effectiveness Award

PRSA-GA PHOENIXBest Web Marketing

Best Integrated B2B Marketing Campaign

VOLUNTEERING

2015 – Present ASCENSA HEALTH, INC. (FORMERLY ST. JUDE'S RECOVERY CENTER)

Atlanta, GA

Co-Chair, Board of Directors

2015 – Present **PGA TOUR OF AMERICA**

Atlanta, GA

Spectator Information Lead & Course Marshall

2010 – Present DELTA SIGMA PI BUSINESS FRATERNITY

Nationwide

Mentor