## **ED MAUSS**

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# LEADER OF MARKETING CONTENT STRATEGY AND DEVELOPMENT

I'm an accomplished leader in strategic marketing storytelling and content repurposing for both external and internal communication. I direct and work alongside teams to deliver the right content for stages of the buyer's or employee's journey that will generate demand and drive engagement and ultimately increase revenue. I have a breadth and depth of experience in top-tier B2B marketing organizations to quickly know what's relevant and effective, then to act on it.

#### **STRENGTHS**

Producing Compelling Copy Identifying Key Messages Critical Thinking and Analysis Maximizing Content Use
Establishing Best Practices
Simplifying Complex Information

## **SKILLS**

Digital and Content Marketing Inbound Campaigns Employee Communication Email marketing Workfront and StructuredWeb CMS, Dreamweaver and HTML Microsoft Office, Google Apps Agile Marketing

## PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

# ServiceNow March 2021 - Present

# Senior Manager, Content Strategy and Development

Mentor team to develop content journeys that nurture prospects and customers through the marketing funnel. Consult with subject matter experts to create marketing content assets used strategically in global campaigns and promotion. Establish best practices for collaborating with product marketing and campaign management teams. Create templates for new marketing asset formats as well as invent new, compelling ways to leverage content to tell stories that result in a host of high-performing assets.

# Kontent Faktory Content Director

Oct. 2019 - Present

Provide marketing content training, tools and services to help clients use their content to drive engagement, leads and revenue. Services include campaign content strategy, promotional content development, marketing asset production, brand messaging and ghostwriting. Clients include BMC, Commvault, Dell, Lumen, NetApp, Nutanix, NVIDIA, Riverbed, ServiceNow, Tech Data, TIBCO and Veeam.

#### **Commvault Systems**

Aug. 2016 - Sept. 2019

#### **Senior Manager of Partner Communications**

Managed and supported global and field communication activities, programs and tools to enable channel partners to generate demand for company products. Set standards that boosted email open rates by 40% and click-through rates by 20%.

# **Dell Software** (now Quest Software)

Jan. 2007 – Aug. 2016

# Senior Manager of Marketing Content

Oversaw activities and performance of team members (10 full-time employees and 8 contractors) to deliver high-quality content for digital marketing activities. Drove production of content that generated millions of warm leads via website product pages and paid search landing pages as well as compelling customer journey messaging and collateral.

# PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE, Continued

# New Century Financial Senior Editorial Manager

Nov. 2003 - Nov. 2006

Oversaw the production of high-quality editorial content for internal news articles, e-mail bulletins, web pages, press releases, ads and posters; designed information architecture for web pages and directed development of content. Developed widely read e-newsletter rated as "excellent" or "very good" by 90% of employees. Orchestrated commuter survey campaign to save company \$50,000 in fines.

#### ADDITIONAL WORK EXPERIENCE

- Skyworks Solutions, Employee Communications Manager/Senior Editor
- IBM (formerly Candle Computer Corp.), Senior Editor
- Ingram Micro Inc., Editorial Project Manager
- Books on Tape, Inc., Director of Publications
- Mazda Motor of America, Public Relations Specialist/Service Publications Specialist

#### **HONORS**

- Content Marketing Workshop Leader, Dell Software: Developed material for, organized and conducted a day-long educational event for entire marketing dept.
- Winner of President's Club Award, Quest Software: One of four marketers out of 150 chosen to join elite salespeople on a rewards trip to St. Thomas
- Workshop presenter at Quest Software National Field Marketing Meeting: "Elements of Good Writing"
- Workshop presenter at Quest Software Marketing Summit: "Best Practices in E-Card and Landing Pages" and "Best Practices in Web Content Production"
- **Presenter at worldwide Ragan Communications Conference**: "Are They Really Buying This? How to Sell and Market to Your Employee Audience."
- Helios Awards of Excellence for News and Feature Writing: International Association of Business Communicators (IABC)

## **EDUCATION / CERTIFICATION**

- Agile and Inbound Marketing Certification: Managed by HubSpot, Aliso Viejo, Calif.
- Bachelor of Arts, English: California State University, Fullerton
- Associate of Arts, Broadcast Journalism: Long Beach City College, Long Beach

## **PERSONAL**

- **Board member, Elev8 Action Services** (<u>www.elev8.fund</u>): Economic hope for Haiti through education and training
- Publisher Spilled Soup: Stories That Prove Any Hapless Clod Can Muddle Through Life
  - Podcast: Interviews with notable people about their humorous foibles.
     www.anchor.fm/spilled-soup
  - Written Stories: A light-hearted look at some minor misadventures in life.
     www.medium.com/spilled-soup