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## **SUMMARY**

Versatile, independent writer, B2C, & B2B digital demand generation marketer who thinks strategically & acts tactically. Fortified with integrity. Open to the right permanent opportunity...

Vast expertise in demand generation, digital marketing, content, and email marketing. Experienced building programs from ground zero to optimizing/improving existing programs. Creative strategist who thinks strategically and acts tactically when it comes to planning, executing, measuring, and optimizing programs. With almost 30 years of digital marketing experience, I command a versatile set of of skills and knowledge, coupled with depth of experience, hands-on competence, attention to detail, the tenacity to 'figure it out,' and a measure-twice-cut-once mentality. Passionate about doing what's right for the customer, company, team, and coworkers in accordance with a growth mindset.

## **EDUCATION**

Stephen F. Austin State University, Nacogdoches, TX

- 1994 Cum Laude Graduate
- Bachelor of Science, Journalism & Public Relations
- Associate Editor & Editor of University Newspaper
- Classically Trained Newspaper Reporter & Journalist
- Oxford Comma Enthusiast

### **PERSONAL**

Mom Writer Reader Amateur Photographer Jewelry Artist Gardener Southern Cook Bread Baker

## SKILLS & EXPERTISE

#### Demand Generation, Digital, & Inbound Marketing

Experience creating, managing, & executing B2B demand generation strategies & programs, working closely with sales & leaders to ensure transparent feedback loop for improvement. Experience optimizing programs, processes, & implementation or use of marketing tools. Lead definitions, creating or optimizing the lead funnel, and setting demand generation goals to budget focused on incremental improvement at each stage is a skill at which I excel. Extensive experience developing, tracking, and optimizing inbound marketing campaigns across digital and traditional channels to maximize budget and cost-per-lead.

#### Email Marketing & Automation

Approximately 20 years leading teams & using email marketing. Adept in messaging, email marketing best practices, A/B testing, multivariant testing, targeting, segmentation, and dynamic content focused on incremental improvement and growth. Skilled in learning new email platforms, with knowhow in the most common ESPs such as Mailchimp, Constant Contact, Vertical Response, & marketing automation platforms such as Klaviyo. Portfolio

#### Targeting & Segmentation

Skilled in identifying, targeting, and obtaining insight into a target audience, and adept in innovative and inventive uses of data to ensure delivery of the right offer, the right message, at the right timing to target both high-value and look-alike prospects. A customer data warehouse is the most valuable asset a company owns and I employ a test-and-learn approach to identify hidden gems and new opportunities within the data. Skilled in crafting relevant positioning and messaging to reach the audience.

#### Marketing Program & Project Management

Vast expertise and experience managing digital and traditional marketing programs from strategy through measurement and optimization, including demand generation, lead generation, email marketing, integrated marketing, content marketing, and more. I work closely with stakeholders, creative, and cross-functional teams to ensure materials requirements are clear, concise, and all delivered on time and on budget with exceptional quality of design. As a program manager, I hold those accountable for asset delivery with honesty, kindness, and respect.

#### Writing & Editing for Digital, Sales, & Brand

Skilled in content strategy, messaging, & program management. Experienced leading, directing, and managing writers, agency partners, vendors, & cross-functional teams.

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## **TOOLS & PLATFORMS**

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Website - Wordpress, Wix, GoDaddy, Formstack, Optin Monster Marketing & Sales - Salesforce.com, SalesLoft, Alyce Gifting Platform, Sales Navigator, ZoomInfo, DNB Optimizer, Hubspot, Optin Monster, 6Sense, some Klaviyo (deployment), Marketo

**Email Service Providers (ESPs)** – MailChimp, Constant Contact Social - Ll. Facebook

Advertising - LinkedIn Advertising, Facebook Advertising **Metrics** – Google Analytics, Salesforce Reports, Hubspot Project Management - Jira, Basecamp, Sharepoint, SmartSheet,

OneDrive, MS Teams, Monday.com, Trello, Mavenlink (Katata), Asana Design - Canva, some PhotoShop, InDesign

Office - Office365, Windows Applications, PC, Mac

#### ADDITIONAL SKILLS

Vendor Management | Relationship Building | Website Conversion & Optimization | Team Leadership & Development | Database Marketing | Sales Enablement | Field Marketing | Player-Coach | Writing | Copyediting for SEO | SEO Research & Planning | Blogging | Social Media Advertising | Social Media Management | Content Marketing | Content Strategy | E-commerce | B2B Marketing | B2C Marketing | SaaS | Tracking & Attribution | Reporting | Data Analysis | List Management | Graphic Design/Layout | Art Direction | Product Content | Program Management | Lead Generation | Direct Mail | Demand Generation | Digital | Traditional | Advertising | Account-Based Marketing

#### FREELANCE & CONTRACT PROJECT HISTORY

Landrum Talent Solutions for Brivo, Inc. 2023 -Present - Brivo.com, Content & Program Manager, Demand Generation Team

Texas Parks & Wildlife Department - 2023 TPWD.texas.gov Communications Coordinator

Bark Avenue Market & Bakery - 2019 -2024 - barkavenuemarket.com, Email Marketing

**Landrum Talent Solutions for Rocket** Software - 2021 rocketsoftware.com, Demand Generation Program Management McKinley Marketing Partners for Ciena, Inc. - 2020 - 2021

ciena.com, Content & Copywriting, Demand Generation

512-Society, LLC - 2020 - 2021 512-Society.com, Website Content w/SEO

Staccato 2011 - 2019 - 2020 staccato2011.com, Email Marketing, E-Commerce, Website Management

Marvel Marketers - 2019

marvelmarketers.com, Marketing Automation Project Management

TrackingPoint, Inc. (acq) - 2017 - 2018

tracking-point.com, Acting Marketing Director

Active Prospect - 2017

activeprospect.com, Content, Website, Event Management

Harte-Hanks - 2016

hartehanks.com, Employer Marketing Strategy

Chemistry Matters - 2015 - 2017

chemistry-matters.com, Content, Website, Social Media & Event Mgmt

TrustRadius - 2017

trustradius.com, Content Marketing & Demand Generation

#### REGULAR FT EMPLOYMENT HISTORY

Rocket Software rocketsoftware.com Field Marketing 2021-2022

Xplore Technologies (acq) Xploretech.com Director Demand Generation 2015 - 2016

BancVue (dba Kasasa) kasasa.com Digital Marketing, Product Management 2013 - 2014

Click Forensics (acq, aka Adometry) adometry.com Director, Demand Generation - 2008 (series B startup - layoff)

Hoover's, Inc. (a D&B Company) - hoovers.com: Sr. Media Manager, Lead Generation 2005 - 2007; Sr. Database Marketing Manager

Travelocity, Inc. (acq) - travelocity.com: Online Marketing Manager - 1998 -2001; Marketing Communications Manager - 2001 - 2002; Database & Email Marketing Manager - 2002 - 2003

Interested in all the dirty details of a colorful 30-year marketing career? Click the button for the full CV.

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Life is like roller derby: when you fall down (because you will), your only option is get up and skate harder - or be trounced by what's coming.