# SYDNEY UMERI

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#### PROFILE SUMMARY

Accomplished, creative, and data-driven Social Producer and Graphic Designer with 6+ years experience leading teams through content creation. product optimization, consumer listening, and high-level marketing campaigns. Highly energetic and success-driven with a track record of surpassing KPI targets, successfully managing cross-functional teams, and leading the creative process of original content development.

#### **EDUCATION & CERTIFICATION**

Foundations of Project Management Certification – Google	2021
Masters of Journalism, Major in Communication/Digital Content – University of Kansas	2016 - 2017
Bachelors of Arts, Major in Media Studies - University of Virginia	2013 – 2016

#### **EXPERIENCE**

#### **Senior Social Media Producer – CBS Sports**

2021 - Current

- Devise and execute unique, creative ideas for new content and campaigns to support business initiatives.
- Lead team of designers to create original visual content and storytelling initiatives from start to finish.
- Plan and execute 4+ go-to-market plans/strategies simultaneously to launch multiple social handles and initiatives.
- Strategized direction and tone of content tailored to target audience through management of cross-functional teams.
- Grew social handles by 205% in four months by utilizing evergreen content and automations Later and Hootsuite.

## Social Media Programming Fellow – SB Nation

2020 - 2021

- Worked with lead designer to create templates to be used throughout seasons and on different community platforms.
- Collaborated with internal talent and content creators collecting data to improve the content creation business process.
- Managed various media platforms to grow social engagement through original video content, specifically on Reels.
- Analyzed media trends and data through A/B testing to optimize and maximum digital reach and CTR conversions.

## Senior Marketing & Communications Coordinator – CROFT & Associates

2018 - 2020

- Lead original graphic and content creation for all marketing initiatives such as social media, email, and corporate materials.
- Grew social engagement over 200% and digital reach by 45% through the creation of content calendars in Hootsuite.
- Created and implemented strategic communication plans to maximize publicity in both traditional and social marketing.
- Wrote company SOWs for internal team projects by showcasing department skill sets to match each RFQ/P submission.
- Scheduled weekly stand-ups with internal team and stakeholders to maintain timelines that fostered customer satisfaction.
- Directed social accounts with a focus on B2B content to market the company's A&E product value to potential consumers.

# Social Media & Dotcom Specialist – The Ames Companies

2017 - 2018

- Conducted social listening initiative to improve customer satisfaction through interaction for increased response time.
- Worked alongside the CMO to plan and execute campaign strategies that drove online engagement and lead generation.
- Administered e-commerce GTM strategies to optimize SEO and hire third-party vendors for back-end promotion logistics.
- Increased brand reach by 36% and engagement by 24% by leading a \$100,000 campaign and A/B testing for optimization.
- Spearheaded the efficiency of company marketing funnel, evaluating Google Analytics data at each stage for best results.

TECHNICAL SKILLS

Exceeded predetermined KPIs through A/B testing and utilizing data analysis to drive informed marketing ad spend.

	TECHNICAL SKILLS	
Adobe Creative Cloud Google Analytics SEO	Alpha/Beta Testing Facebook Ads Product Performance Analysis	Data-driven Analysis Campaign Management Qualitative Analysis

# NON-TECHNICAL SKILLS

Marketing Strategy Development Social Content Development E-Commerce Management Marketing Communications Social Engagement Blog & Corporate Writing **Email Marketing** Team Leadership/Management Cross-Functional Collaboration