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Strategic Communications | Higher Education

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

PROFILE

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PROFESSIONAL STATEMENT

Experienced grant writer with a proven track record of winning grant awards from \$1,000 to \$500,000. Strong writer and researcher able to write compelling and competitive grant proposals for a variety of topic areas including youth, education, media, health and workforce development.

Grant proposal writing

Experienced grant proposal writer. Over 15 years, I have won millions in grant awards for nonprofit and education programs.

Examples:

- \$500,000 for national pre-college and STEM program (LEAD) for high achieving, diverse students.
- \$225,000 for a statewide after-school network in Maryland.
- \$50,000 for diversity initiative to prepare for leaders of color in the Cable industry.

Writing samples: <http://gogograntwriters.com/what-we-do/>

Leadership and program operations

Creative and innovative leadership demonstrated throughout my career. Appointed executive director for a large girl serving organization. Managed all operations of a large 42-site after-school program serving 2,000 students. Managed regional accounts for school district partners and provided technical expertise and support.

Strategic consulting

As a strategic consultant, my clients rely on me to provide them with expert advice on how to proceed with projects. Planning and analysis is a big part of this. Examples of how I put this skill to work on a daily basis with customers include:

- Facilitating strategic planning sessions for boards of directors and staff.
- Writing fund development and business plans for existing and start up projects.
- Developing and delivering customized professional development.

SKILLS 10+ years

Grant writing	Leadership
Project Management	Strategic Planning
Strategic Communications Marketing	Problem solving
P & L	Community Engagement
Content Creation	WordPress, HTML, CSS

EDUCATION

Creighton University, Omaha, NE
B.A. History '85

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STRATEGIC COMMUNICATIONS | HIGHER EDUCATION

EMPLOYMENT HISTORY

Strategic Consultant, GOGO Grant Writers, Seattle, WA

Research, write and submit high-quality competitive proposals. Training and workshops, grant prospect research. <http://gogograntwriters.com/>

Director of Communications, Charter for Compassion International, Seattle, WA

Manage and develop strategic communications including the editorial calendar and stories submissions to TedPrize.com about The Charter. Manage social media, crowd funding, write and select stories for newsletter. Manage immediate correspondence to Charter partners and global members.

<http://charterforcompassion.org/>

Director of Major Gifts, Lead Programs in Business, Philadelphia, PA

Develop the strategic grant program including writing and submitting grant applications and all related details including prospect research, foundation relations. Also, managed the recruitment and selection of students for the LEAD summer business program. <http://www.leadprogram.org/>

K-12 Education Manager, The College Board, Philadelphia, PA

Regional account manager for school district and state departments of education, providing technical assistance on how to use CB programs and services, access and interpret data to achieve their college readiness goals. <https://professionals.collegeboard.com/prof-dev/regions/middle-states>

Regional Director, NCLB Tutors, Philadelphia, PA

Regional GM for free after-school tutoring programs in the Mid-Atlantic region. Operated programs in multiple states and responsible for educational quality, raising student achievement and contract renewal.

<http://www.whitehatmgmt.com/>

Area Manager, Sylvan Education Solutions, Baltimore, MD

City GM for free after-school tutoring programs at 42 school sites for over 2,000 students. Managed 11 program managers, and indirectly 165 teachers (tutors) and responsible for educational quality, raising student achievement and contract renewal

<http://www.catapultlearning.com/>

Executive Director, Redlands Council of Girl Scouts, Oklahoma City, OK

As the CEO my role was to ensure we delivered high-quality leadership development programs for girls that helped them to grow strong, bold and prepared for the world. I worked with the board of directors to raise money, oversee all council operations, including two camp properties, staff, and volunteer development

<http://www.redlandscouncil.org/index.htm.html>

COMMUNITY [2011 – present]

The Happiness Initiative | www.happycounts.org

The Compassion Games | www.compassiongames.org

What's Good 206 | www.wg206.org

Honoring Beloved Community | www.compassionateseattle.org