LIV STEPHENSON (THEY/THEM)

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EDUCATION

University of Rhode Island, Kingston, RI

May 2024

Harrington School of Communication & Media Bachelor of Arts: Communications & Media Studies

The American International University, Florence, Italy (study abroad)

July 2022 - December 2022

RELATED COURSEWORK

Social Media and Interpersonal Communication: Explored theories and research on interpersonal communication and social media. Examined social media uses and impact on communication, perceptions, identity construction, relationships, and society. **Entertainment Media Research:** Examined the practice and development of market research across a range of media industry products, including TV, movies, and digital entertainment.

RELATED EXPERIENCE

Social Media Strategist Intern, PMC Media Group, East Greenwich, RI

May 2023 - August 2023

- Contributed ideas and writing for social campaigns posted on lead generation, brand awareness, and community building; ensured
 alignment with clients' brand guidelines and target demographics
- Monitored activity and responded to 100+ comments weekly across clients' social media profiles (Facebook, Twitter/X, Instagram, LinkedIn)
- Compiled monthly analytics reports detailing audience growth, engagement rates, and content performance for 5 clients

Marketing Intern, RI Monthly, Providence, RI

January 2023 - May 2023

- Authored monthly philanthropy column highlighting local nonprofits and community initiatives
- Created and distributed email campaigns to database of over 500 advertisers using Constant Contact, resulting in 15% click-through rate
- Secured venue, catering, A/V services, and signage for annual "Best of Rhode Island" event hosting 200+ attendees
- Developed post-event summaries detailing attendee numbers, sponsorships secured, funds raised, and planning recommendations

Brand Ambassador, Off the Ground Consulting, Wakefield, RI

December 2021 - May 2022

- Secured 12 celebrity influencers to market premium apparel brands, reaching over 5 million potential customers
- Created eye-catching Instagram content including Stories, Reels, and ads showcasing new product collections and promotions
- Analyzed campaign hashtags and Instagram Insights to identify potential influencer partners and inform future digital marketing efforts

Social Media Intern, Schneider Electric, West Kingston, RI

May 2021 - August 2021

- Managed LinkedIn and Twitter campaigns positioning Schneider Electric as an industry thought leader in data center operations
- Published 10+ executive byline articles and influencer posts on LinkedIn with insights into industry trends and data center best practices, achieving over 5K impressions
- Researched emerging data center technologies, risk mitigation strategies, and maintenance innovations to develop content informing C-suite and engineering leaders

CAMPUS INVOLVEMENT

Shamrock Slam Chair, Kappa Delta (Theta Theta Chapter), URI

September 2020 - Present

- Led planning and logistics for annual charity event, serving 250+ attendees and securing \$30K raised for Girl Scouts of America
- Developed budgets, timeline, and volunteer schedules to effectively coordinate 16 person committee and 200 organization members

Teaching Assistant, Public Relations Department, URI

January 2023 - May 2023

- Provided quality assurance editing for 50+ student writing assignments to reinforce lessons on grammar, style, and formatting
- Researched current events, ethical issues, and cultural trends to create engaging prompt questions for class discussions

SKILLS

Software: Constant Contact, MailChimp, Canva

Social Media: Facebook, LinkedIn, Instagram, Twitter/X