# **Courtney Roney**

# **EXPERIENCE**

## JMI Sports | University of Kentucky Sports & Campus Marketing

Apr 2023 - Present

Account Executive | New Partnerships

Lexington, KY

- Cross sell advertising assets for all University of Kentucky Athletic programs/teams
- Build unique marketing campaigns and packages for prospective partners including in-venue signage, social media and digital assets, community events sponsorships, entitlements, etc.
- Prospect new partnerships through online networking, LinkedIn and personal connections
- Attend lunches and networking events to build strong client relationships
- Pitch, negotiate and close multi-year new partnership deals
- Closed six new partnership deals in first year of employment, generating over \$250,000 in revenue

#### **Utah Jazz | Smith Entertainment Group**

Aug 2021 - Mar 2023

Salt Lake City, Utah

Account Executive | Corporate & Premium Partnerships

- Prospect new potential partnerships for the Utah Jazz through online networking, LinkedIn and personal connections
- Attend lunches and networking events to build strong client relationships
- Collaborate with Utah Jazz marketing department to ideate and development proposals that align with prospective partners' strategic direction and marketing goals
- Pitch, negotiate and close multi-year new partnership deals
- Exceeded annual new partnership goal by 340% by end of year one, generating over \$1,000,000 in revenue
- Exceeded annual new premium seating goal by 175% by end of year one, generating over \$500,000 in revenue

#### My New Enterprise

Nov 2020 - Aug 2021

Remote

Marketing & Sales Manager

- Sell a series of business courses targeted to women entrepreneurs to Women's Business Centers around the country
- Manage all social media platforms including Facebook, Instagram, YouTube and Pinterest
- Create ads targeted to our client demographic and manage all advertising statistics
- Contact and communicate with potential and existing clients through phone calls and email campaigns

#### **Utah State University Athletics**

Jan 2020 - Aug 2021

Game Production & Marketing Assistant

Logan, UT

- Execute game day media elements for crowds of 10,000+ people at all sports events, increasing attendance by 20%
- Create long-term and short-term marketing objectives and strategies for al USUI collegiate teams
- Write marketing plans for men's basketball and football with upcoming season projections and new initiatives
- Photograph and interview student athletes for new creative content
- Emcee football, men's and women's basketball
- Write gameday scripts for women's volleyball and women's basketball
- Run sound and music for women's volleyball

## **Hutchings Museum & Institute**

May 2020 - Aug 2020

Lehi,UT

Social Media & Content Coordinator

- Ran all social media accounts including Instagram, Facebook, LinkedIn, Google My Business and Twitter
- Created and ran Google Ad campaigns and increased social media following by 200%
- Designed all graphics for social media, billboards, and other promotional channels

#### **EDUCATION**

## Utah State University, Jon M. Huntsman School of Business

December 2021

Bachelor of Science in Marketing

# **VOLUNTARY SERVICE**

## **Small Enterprise Education & Development Program**

Sep 2019 - Dec 2019

Business Development Intern

Trujillo, Peru

- Mentored and taught business principles to over 30 impoverished small business owners and families
- Prepared and taught Sales and English classes for over 50 students in a local learning and development center
- Planned and taught entrepreneurial business classes for over 100 individuals in two locations across the city
- Made possible for families to send children to school through increased revenue generated by sales of improved products and services