MEDIA RELATIONS MANAGER RESUME

Summary:

A highly dynamic, independent and exceptionally experienced manager in marketing, advertising, press and public relations; has handled companies which are both locally and internationally recognized; has been involved in the success of businesses and their positive evolution; has managed projects involving high-profile dignitaries, politicians, stakeholders and proactively dedicated his time in creating media strategies specifically suited to enhance the company's external reputation in a positive manner; has communicated and translated new acquisitions and contract wins to media and has sourced out opportunities to successfully and proactively roll out media activities.

Professional Experience:

Media Relations ManagerJanuary 2007 – Present Sokolove Law LLC, Wellesley, MA

Responsibilities:

- Translated strategies into effective go-to-market plans and media campaigns.
- Executed campaigns to ensure maximum efficiency and project rollout.
- · Managed and measured effectiveness of campaigns.
- Participated and contributed in the development of the overall media strategy.

Advertising ManagerJune 2004– January 2007 The Advertising Council, Inc., New York, New York

Responsibilities:

- Evolved effective strategies and developed enhancements necessary to fit the current, target market according to demographics and situations to continually secure high net worth clients over competition.
- · Created strategic communication plans to target audience analysis and media budget management.
- Briefed other junior specialists within the agency including the creative team, media planner, researchers and marketing managers.
- Supervised and coordinated team's deliverables to the work of other relevant production departments involved in the project.
- Assisted clients with specific marketing strategies which could work for the product they are launching.

Advertising Account ExecutiveFebruary 1999 – May 2001 Epic Advertising, New York, New York

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Education:

1994- 1999Masters in Journalism and Mass Media Stanford University, CA 1990 – 1994Bachelor of Arts in Media and Communications Stanford University, CA

Skills:

- Proficiency in both oral and written communication skills
- Proficiency in computer applications related to work
- Knowledgeable in applicable laws, codes and regulations
- Expertise in Public Relations, advertising, writing, marketing skills

Awards and Honors:

Tip Top Advertising Agency – Leadership Award, 2005 International Association of Media Director, Member Media and Public Relation Society of America, Member

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