# JENNIFER WILKIE

# Marketing and Sales Professional

#### **PERSONAL PROFILE**

A highly competitive and driven individual with over 8 years of experience in the hospitality and event industry. Committed to success, hard work, and efficiency. Extremely organized and detail-oriented with expertise in customer service and a passion for marketing and sales. Known for the ability to manage, connect with others, and excel under pressure. Excellent oral and written communication skills.

### **CONTACT DETAILS**

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#### **EDUCATION**

#### Florida International University

Miami, FL - December 2016

- Bachelor's of Business Administration: Marketing
- Sales & Customer Relationship Management (CRM) Certificate
- GPA: 3.76, Dean's List

#### **PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE**

# Account Manager | November 2018-February 2020

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- Assist Sales Executives with conducting site visits, client/hotel preconference meetings, and managing transportation and field staff
- Review, confirm, and sign off on all vendor contracts
- Generate Service Agreement Addendums for clients
- Manage and operate on-site for any themed events, transportation moves, tours, meetings, off-property events, etc.
- Finalize and update costing sheets, reconcile vendor invoices, create preliminary invoices, and finalize file for Billing department

# **Creative Associate Producer | March 2018-Nov 2018**

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- Research and acquire new product offerings
- Negotiate payment terms with creative vendors
- Organize and maintain supplier data to include contact information, insurance, and payment terms
- Develop and maintain sales tools available to the team
- Participate in industry affiliations to establish professional connections with industry partners and external vendors

#### Sales Coordinator | September 2017-March2018

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- Assist Sales Executives with generating proposals, client contracts, and invoices
- Communicate daily with suppliers to confirm inventory, availability, pricing, and terms/conditions
- Produce detailed cost sheets, quotation of services, service agreements, and deposit billing invoices

#### **PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE**

#### **Event Manager | January 2016-October 2017**

Johnny Rockets Sports Bar & Gameroom | Sunrise, FL

- Execute corporate functions for companies such as American Express, FedEx, and Motorola
- Strategically sell event packages during face-to-face sales calls
- Impact company performance revenue through a 25% increase in Event Sales in 2016
- Responsible for training and managing new and current event hosts

# Sales Apprentice | November 2016-February 2017

Automatic Data Processing (ADP) | Fort Lauderdale, FL

- Cold calling existing and potential clients to discuss ADP's offerings
- Generate proposals and client contracts, including collecting all necessary financial paperwork
- Strategically sell payroll packages during face-to-face sales calls
- Build relationships with bank partners, CPAs, and existing clients

#### Restaurant Manager | October 2013-January 2016

Johnny Rockets Sports Bar & Gameroom | Sunrise, FL

- Responsible for training and managing new and current employees
- Maintain appropriate payroll labor percentage during shifts
- Manage shifts up to \$15,000 in revenue with a team of 50 employees, tending 4,000 guests per day
- Responsible for ensuring accuracy of money count for deposits and contents of safe

# Server Trainer & Bartender | June 2012-October 2013

Johnny Rockets Sports Bar & Gameroom | Sunrise, FL

- Leading the team in upselling and suggestive selling of products
- Certified with federal regulations with regards to the sale and distribution of alcohol  $\,$
- Leading and upholding company standards to meet training needs

#### **ACCOMPLISHMENTS**

- International Live Events Association (ILEA) South Florida Board Member 2019
- Student Government Board Member 2011
- Student Athlete Award 2011 and 2012
- Varsity Volleyball Head Captain 2010, 2011, and 2012

#### **PERSONALITY HIGHLIGHTS**

- Friendly demeanor
- Strong communication and interpersonal skills
- Fast learne
- Works well with deadlines
- Motivated and dedicated
- Neat and well-organized
- Motivated by problem solving
- Independent worker