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EDUCATION

Google UX Design Certificate

// August 2022 - January 2023 Online

Completed a rigorous training designed for entry-level job readiness. 15 modules included topics like: UX research fundamentals, inclusive design, low-fidelity and high-fidelity prototypes, and tools like Figma and Adobe XD. Completed hands-on projects and <u>developed</u> <u>a portfolio</u> including 3 projects to receive the certificate.

Master of Business Administration Postgraduate Degree

// August 2010 - May 2014, at Jansons School Of Business, Coimbatore
Graduated with a 7.2 GPA. Organized various <u>club activities, Ted Ex events</u> and a <u>Startup</u>
<u>Business Plan Competition</u> for student development- <u>MOC</u> in National Level Start-Up Business
Plan Competition "IDEATORS"-

EXPERIENCE Assistant Manager - SME Retail Enterprise Mahindra & Mahindra Financial Services Limited // November 2019 - August 2022 Coimbatore - Tamil Nadu

- Territory Management: Successfully managed a diverse client base across a territory of five cities.
- Portfolio Management: Consistently <u>achieved 95%</u> of goals and effectively evaluated portfolio performance.
- Strategic Collaboration: Collaborated closely with internal teams to drive company-wide objectives and enhance the operational sales process.
- Market Expansion: Instrumental in doubling the company's market presence through strategic partnerships with three leading vendors, resulting in significant customer acquisition.
- Effective Negotiations: Closed an average of three deals per month by skillfully negotiating with major vendors in the machine parts manufacturing industry.

<u>Management Trainee - Pre-Owned Cars</u> Mahindra & Mahindra Financial Services Limited // July 2019 - November 2019, Coimbatore - Tamil Nadu

- Tamil Nadu State Mentor: Provided mentorship and guidance for new product launches and self-source business initiatives in Tamil Nadu, overseeing a team of 50 executives and 10 senior managers.
- Data Analysis and Reporting: Gathered data from various clusters and transformed it into comprehensive business reports and documents for senior management analysis.

- Sales Performance Management: Oversaw the collection of business and portfolio reports from executives, guided them to achieve sales targets, and maximized lead conversion.
- Vendor Management: Organized monthly vendor meetings, addressed inquiries, prepared project progress reports, and identified areas for improvement while maintaining ongoing communication with vendors.
- Business Development: Cultivated new relationships with Pre-Owned Car dealers, generating new business opportunities through these partnerships.

Internship - Sales And Marketing Research Coca-Cola // May 2018 - July 2018, Chennai - Tamil Nadu

- Market Understanding: Demonstrated expertise in understanding assigned markets, identifying challenges, and uncovering opportunities.
- Marketing Strategy: Developed, implemented, and evaluated effective marketing initiatives to enhance brand presence and drive sales.
- Customer Insights: Conducted focus groups and market research, analyzing customer purchasing trends to inform pricing strategies.
- Client Satisfaction Improvement: Significantly increased client satisfaction from 80% to 95% by introducing a value-added offering of a complimentary cooler for carbonated drinks.
- Market Research and Analysis: Conducted in-depth competitor analyses, tested new products by gathering feedback from clients and customers, and utilized surveys and interviews to evaluate satisfaction, loyalty, brand awareness, and reach.

SKILLS

Technical

Adobe XD // Figma // Google Slides // Basic knowledge in Adobe Photoshop // Python // Tableau // Data Management // Microsoft Excel - Microsoft Word - Microsoft PowerPoint

Design

User research // Wireframing // Usability studies // Presentation // Prototyping // Information Architecture // Interaction Design // Mockups // Design System // Responsive Design // Empathy Map // Persona // User stories // User Journey Map // Competitive Audit // Ideation // Accessibility // Brand Identity // Data analysis Marketing Analysis.

Collaboration

Communicative // Gives design critique + feedback // Strong presenter // Detail-oriented Self Starter // Survey // Strong presenter // Detail-oriented.