

# Nonprofit Professional, Global Communicator, Project Manager

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#### **EMPLOYMENT HISTORY**

#### Owner/Founder

Solutions by Amanda | Jan 2023 - Present

- Work with nonprofit organizations and small businesses to:
  - Develop strategic communications and marketing plans
  - Plan large & small-scale events
  - Create compelling content
  - Manage social media assets
  - Develop donor, vendor, and sponsor relationships
  - Create and execute an impactful brand identity

#### Program Lead – Global Social Strategy

ITFO Communications | Jan 2021 – Dec 2022

- Develop and lead strategy and programming for global social amplification program for over 200 C-level executives
- Manage team of 15+ members to create strategic communications, blog, social, and biographical content for executive-level clients
- Conduct team communications and training to maintain alignment with industry and organization standards
- Prepare scope of work documents for customized programs, conducting regular review to manage expectations
  and scope
- Respond to RFPs for new project work, customizing proposals based on individual client needs
- Develop and manage program budgets
- o Develop, nurture, and maintain client relationships across global time zones and business areas

#### Communications Project Manager

ITFO Communications | Oct 2018 – Jan 2021

- o Manage creation and publication process for executive blogs, whitepapers, podcasts, and social media content
- Assign, supervise, and review activities of staff
- Maintain detailed timelines, project plans, and hours budgeted for project deliverables and key milestones
- Lead internal project status meetings and ongoing project schedule updates
- Manage multiple projects simultaneously and understand project priorities in the context of agency and client expectations
- Manage changes to project scope, project schedule, and project costs using appropriate verification techniques
- Help develop client's corporate image and identity
- Engage in client marketing activities, including helping maintain clients' online presence through a website, blog, or social media
- Work with client partners to analyze project needs, to help ensure they fit with resourcing, project objectives, and quality standards

Amanda Davis

# **EMPLOYMENT HISTORY, CONTINUED**

#### \* Research Project Coordinator

University of Kansas | Sept 2015 - Oct 2018

- Designed and implemented social media strategy of five (5) social media accounts (Twitter and Facebook) for Center for Public Partnerships & Research and partner organizations
- Managed nationally dispersed team to develop and launch national e-learning software platform for professional development of family support professionals
- Navigated partnerships and contracts with Federal grant funding partners, state licensing agencies, platform partners, and other stakeholders
- o Provided grant reporting within program's Federal grant requirements
- o Supervised administrative staff and college intern
- o Managed a team of writers to create blog content for Center

#### Field Office Operations Manager

Waddell & Reed, Inc. | Oct 2013 - Sept 2015

- O Managed end-to-end lease process for 160+ field offices across the United States
- Facilitated coordinated decision-making and implementation between home office, field leaders, individual agents, and dozens of vendors in each location

#### **EDUCATION**

- Master of Science in Digital Content Strategy
  University of Kansas | 2018
- Bachelor of Science in Business Administration Franklin University | 2010
- ❖ Bachelor of Science in eMarketing Franklin University | 2010

## **EXPERTISE & SKILLS**

- Donor Development
- Personal Branding
- Content Creation
- Strategic Communications
- Social Media Management
- Fundraising Events
- Non-Profit Leadership
- Non-Profit Consulting
- Strategic Planning
- Social Media Content Strategy

- Event Planning
- Blogging
- Project Management
- People Management
- Project Management Software/Tools
- Collaboration
- Leadership
- Communication
- Visual Presentations
- Public Speaking



#### **NONPROFIT EXPERIENCE**

#BeMoreLikeClaire

Board Member | 2023 – Present Vice President | 2023

**❖** Lawrence Preservation Alliance

Board Member | 2022 - Present

Women Build Gala & Holiday Homes Tour Habitat for Humanity

Planning Committee Member | 2022 – Present

Lawrence Lions Alumni Association

Board Member | 2022 – Present Vice President | 2022 – 2023

Just Food (Food Bank of Douglas County)

Board Member | 2016 – 2022 President | 2020 Leadership Lawrence Lawrence Chamber of Commerce Advisory Board Member | 2019 – 2022

Social Media Club of Lawrence

Board Member | 2010 – Present

Girlfriend's GalaAmerican Cancer Society

Founder & Event Chair | 2014 - 2019

Relay For Life of Douglas County American Cancer Society

Event Chair | 2012 - 2016

## **CERTIFICATIONS & TRAININGS**

Leadership Lawrence Kansas Leadership Center Class of 2019

Graduate Certificate - Data Interpretation & Communication
 University of Kansas
 2018

 Graduate Certificate - Social Media Strategy University of Kansas

2017

The Leadership Challenge (Wiley)

2017