# **CRYSTAL BAUS**

# CMO | STRATEGIC MARKETING LEADER

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MARKETING | COMMUNICATIONS | CUSTOMER EXPERIENCE | REVENUE GROWTH | DIGITAL TRANSFORMATION

# **PROFESSIONAL SUMMARY**

Transformational marketing executive with 18+ years of experience driving brand innovation, revenue acceleration, and multi channel growth strategies. Adept at leading cross-functional teams, managing multi-million-dollar budgets, and implementing digital-first initiatives that amplify engagement, optimize customer acquisition, and maximize profitability. Proven ability to collaborate with C-suite leaders to align marketing with business objectives, expand market share, and scale high-performance teams for long-term success.

# **EXPERTISE & STRENGTHS**

- Strategic Growth & Market Expansion
- Digital Marketing & Revenue Optimization
- P&L Management & Budget Oversight
- C-Suite Collaboration & Business Development
- Paid Media (Google Ads, Social) & SEO
- CRM, Automation & Lead Generation
- Corporate Communications & PR
- Customer Experience & Engagement
- Data-Driven Decision-Making

### INDUSTRY EXPERIENCE

Health Technology, Aerospace, Solar Energy, Healthcare, Life Sciences, IT, Safety & Productivity Solutions, Digital Graphics, Specialty & Industrial Gas, Agriculture, Cloud Technology Solutions, and Nonprofits.

------ PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE ------

# FOUNDER & CEO | STRATEGIC MARKETING CONSULTANT

Crystal Clear Communications - Phoenix, AZ | February 2014 - Present

- Led a strategic marketing consultancy delivering data-driven solutions for Fortune 500 clients, including Blue Cross Blue Shield, Honeywell, and OMCO Solar.
- Spearheaded multi-channel marketing strategies, SEO, and paid media, resulting in a 40% increase in email subscribers and a 30% boost in engagement rates.
- Managed \$1M+ marketing budgets, optimizing digital and content marketing for measurable ROI.
- Developed brand positioning, customer journey mapping, and performance analytics to drive 35% revenue growth.

# ACCOUNT EXECUTIVE

3500 Kelvin - Phoenix, AZ | September 2023 - April 2024

- Optimized client workflows and conversion paths, boosting lead generation by 20%.
- Aligned marketing strategies with business goals to increase market penetration.
- Provided technical support for marketing platforms to ensure seamless execution.
- Successfully executed the Lunar Showcase Event, attracting 200+ industry professionals.

# MARKETING DIRECTOR

OMCO SOLAR - Phoenix, AZ | January 2023 - August 2023

- Led the development of a new website, enhancing UX, brand presence, and content strategy.
- Directed trade show planning and execution, including a high-impact customer appreciation event for 200+ industry leaders.
- Produced compelling video content and digital storytelling, reinforcing brand credibility and market positioning.
- Managed media outreach and digital campaigns, strengthening industry presence through advertising, sponsorships, and strategic messaging.

# CHIEF MARKETING OFFICER | ACCOUNT MANAGER | VIDEO PRODUCER

Manley Creative - Phoenix, AZ | January 2019 - October 2022

- Delivered \$4M in annual revenue growth through strategic marketing, sales, and customer experience optimization.
- Led the rebranding and transformation of Manley Creative into a full-suite creative agency.
- Developed and executed integrated marketing campaigns for Fortune 100 and 500 clients.

#### **PUBLIC RELATIONS ACCOUNT EXECUTIVE**

Elevation | Phoenix, AZ | September 2012 - February 2014

- Drove strategic PR campaigns that contributed to \$1M in B2B client growth, increasing brand awareness and engagement.
- Secured high-profile media placements and developed cohesive messaging strategies aligned with client goals.

#### MARKETING DIRECTOR

The Imaging Systems Group | Calgary, AB Canada | September 2010 - May 2012

- Managed a \$900K budget, executing events and sponsorships totaling \$200K annually.
- Enhanced brand presence through PR, media relations, and data-driven marketing efforts.

#### **MARKETING COMMUNICATIONS & CORPORATE EVENTS MANAGER**

Mutoh America Inc. | Phoenix, AZ | May 2006 - September 2010

- Managed \$800K annual marketing budget to execute national campaigns, trade shows, and advertising.
- Expanded lead database by 25,000+ and secured \$200K in sponsorships annually.

# **OWNER | CERTIFIED INTEGRATIVE HEALTH COACH**

HealthStyles 4 You | Phoenix, AZ | March 2015 - Present

- Delivered personalized coaching that empowered individuals to adopt sustainable health behaviors.
- Applied data-driven strategies to achieve measurable health outcomes for clients.

------ TECHNICAL SKILLS ------

- CRM & Automation: HubSpot, Salesforce, Workfront, Jira, Entrepreneurial Operating System (EOS)
- Digital Marketing: Google Ads, Meta Ads, SEO, Email Automation
- Analytics: Google Analytics, Performance Reporting
- Content & Design: WordPress, Adobe Creative Suite, MailChimp, Microsoft Suite
- Project Management: Monday.com, Airtable, Asana, Slack

------ EDUCATION & CERTIFICATIONS-----

- Bachelor of Arts in Communication Bowling Green State University, Bowling Green, OH (August 2004)
- Professional Integrative Health Coach Institute for Integrative Nutrition, New York, NY (February 2015, December 2024)

- Professional Educator Certification Arizona Department of Education (August 2024)
- Generative AI for Business Leaders Business Strategy (September 2023)
- CPR, AED, and First Aid Certification American Emergency Response Training (May 2023)

------KEY PROJECTS & IMPACT-----

# CONF Fundraiser Kick-off Event – Emergency Hospital in Kenya

- Led marketing, communications, and fundraising efforts to help raise \$150,000.
- Managed messaging, social media, PR, and donor engagement.

# The BR Companies | Behavioral Health Grant Application Management

- Led project management for six grant applications under a \$3.3 billion government funding program.
- Managed stakeholder coordination, deadline tracking, and compliance reviews.

# **Manley Creative: Rebranding & Expansion**

Transformed Manley Creative into a full-suite creative agency, driving record client acquisition.

#### Blue Cross Blue Shield Arizona - "Get Fit Don't Quit"

Led marketing and PR, video production, expanding community engagement and social reach.

# Honeywell International | Marketing & Account Manager

- Developed content and digital strategies across Aerospace, Industrial Automation, Building Automation, and Energy & Sustainability Solutions.
- Created multimedia campaigns showcasing IoT, automation, and industrial software innovations.

------VOLUNTEER WORK & COMMUNITY LEADERSHIP------

#### MARKETING CONSULTANT

Charles Onyari Nyakweba Foundation (CONF) (2024 – Present)

- Develop and implement strategic marketing initiatives to enhance digital outreach and fundraising.
- Lead event planning, management, and execution to support healthcare expansion in Kenya.