FLORA ZHOU

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KEY COMPETENCIES

- Over five years of experience in detail-oriented and creative roles, leading to proficiency in photography and programs such as Adobe Lightroom, Adobe Photoshop, Canva, and Figma
- Strong collaboration and communication skills in diverse settings, including customizing copy based on researched attributes of various target markets
- Entrepreneurial spirit with a passion for wellness and sustainability

EDUCATION

Bachelor of Commerce, Business and Computer Science Completion: May 2024 University of British Columbia, UBC Sauder School of Business, Vancouver, BC

- Cumulative GPA: 82.5%
- Key Courses: Introduction to Management Information Systems (89%), Introduction to Systematic Program Design (83%)

WORK EXPERIENCE

Marketing & Operations Assistant, Forum Home Appliances, Vancouver, BC Jun 2021 - Jun 2022

- Supported the creation of three brand new Shopify websites by preparing mockup web page designs, generating visual content, and optimizing SEO
- Maintained user experience of websites and social medias by updating product info, designing sale flyers, and taking professional photographs
- Managed and led the email marketing for the business, writing and publishing blog posts and newsletters sent to over 30,000 subscribers

JumpStart Orientation Leader, *University of British Columbia*, Vancouver, BC Aug 2021 - Sep 2021

- Independently planned and facilitated icebreakers, tours, and events to engage hundreds of students in residence life and encourage participants to build connections
- Introduced community to university and academic setting by identifying students' individual needs and recommending personalized UBC resources

EXTRACURRICULAR ACTIVITIES

Chief Marketing Officer, Eric Hamber Secondary's Griff Store, Vancouver, BC May 2019 - Jun 2020

- Curated promotional content about products for an audience of over 1600 staff and students
- Conducted market research, analyzing over 700 total responses through Instagram and in-person surveys, to mitigate issues in the execution of new campaigns

Business Associate, Fabricate (UBC Ennovate Program), Vancouver, BC Nov 2019 - Feb 2020

- Upcycled unwanted fabrics into functional products, effectively diverting 20lbs of material
- Enhanced company's brand image by planning and implementing multiple marketing campaigns to raise awareness about textile waste and sustainability