## General Chronological Resume Sample

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#### **HIGHLIGHTS OF QUALIFICATIONS**

- Proven ability to develop and implement large scale and complex marketing plans, as demonstrated by work with the Argonauts.
- Experience in supervising new business development activities for marketing memberships, sponsorship, promotion and advertising of programs and services.
- Over 7 years of marketing experience in the field of fitness and health, with a successful track record of achieving more than the yearly targeted revenue.
- Excellent communication skills as demonstrated by successfully liaising with departments and organizations to promote increased usage of Faculty facilities, programs and services.

#### **KEY MARKETING ACHIEVEMENTS**

- Participated as an internal contact with the Executive Director of Advancement on a strategy and organization redesign project for fundraising opportunities.
- Increased the Faculty's total gross revenue by 15% and directed referrals from the area by over 300%.
- Secured 15 corporate sponsors reaching ahead of targeted sponsorship goal.
- Compiled, analyzed and applied real-time market intelligence to Priority Programs, increasing the market penetration rate by over 200%.
- Serviced broad range of marketable properties of the Faculty including Varsity Centre, Athletic Centre, academic research and conferences, seminars, and coaching clinics, increasing utilization of current contracts by 25%.

#### PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

#### Manager, Marketing, Advertising, and Sponsorship

University of Toronto, Faculty of Physical Education & Health

2007-present

- Recruited corporate sponsors from a wide database, redirecting existing referral relationships and increasing the Faculty's total gross revenues.
- Guided the Executive Director of Advancement in the development and implementation of revenue, membership and sponsorship strategies.
- Researched and recommended strategic revenue generating opportunities associated with the marketable properties of the Faculty.
- Developed, executed, and tracked the success of direct mail and other promotional campaigns.
- Coordinated conferences, seminars, coaching clinics and community events.
- Scheduled speaking engagements for Physical Education & Health Faculty at major events, organizations, corporations, and schools.
- Networked the Faculty by maintaining a database of current and potential corporate sponsors, identifying and initiating contact with potential corporate sponsors.
- Wrote documentation on how to survey members and collect data to evaluate Faculty priorities.

#### Marketing Liaison

Toronto Argonauts, Toronto

2005-2007

Developed new marketing proposals and implemented them in the most cost-effective and time-efficient manner.

- Initiated, established, and developed new business relationships, translating productive referral relationships into business systems.
- Initiated and presented to senior management on developing brand strategies.
- Negotiated and monitored an annual operating budget for the marketing, advertising, and sponsorship area.
- Developed all sales promotional materials, corporate collateral, video and sales presentations.
- Gathered and analyzed market research data for licensing, merchandising, and contracts.

#### **Training Manager**

Good Life Fitness Clubs, Toronto 2001-2005

 Designed, implemented and evaluated product and sales training programs for the membership services team and assisted them with marketing initiatives.

#### **Assistant Manager**

Sporting Life, Toronto 1998-2001

 Facilitated sales courses and demonstrations and provided technical support for staff and members.

#### **EDUCATION & PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT**

Mentee, The Learning Partnership, Organizational Development and Learning Centre, University of Toronto, Present
Marketing Strategies Diploma, Ryerson University, 2006
Managed Care Program Certificate. Ryerson University, 2001

# Bachelor of Applied Science (BASc.) - Major Kinesiology - Diploma in Fitness and Health Promotion

University of Guelph, 1998

#### **COMPUTER SKILLS**

Microsoft Office (Word, Excel, Power Point), Internet applications, database software and spreadsheet programs, DIS.

#### **AFFILIATIONS**

Canadian Marketing Association, 2007 to present The Canadian Institute of Marketing, 2006 to present Active volunteer with Kid sport in Ontario, 2002 to present