# **KATIE GERGEL**

#### WORK EXPERIENCE



#### WARNER BROS. DISCOVERY

COORDINATOR, DIGITAL AND SOCIAL MEDIA, TLC (CONTRACT)

August 2021 - present | New York, NY

- Uses consumer engagement platform Khoros to schedule weekly content on official TLC Twitter, Facebook, and Instagram accounts for 6+ concurrent series - Posts daily on network TikTok account (@tlcty) and has assisted in the growth of

the account from 4.5mil followers to 7.1mil followers in less than 11 months - Sources bonus digital content from TLC talent to script and craft original videos - Builds partnerships with Marketing, Press, Talent, Video Production, and Show

Production teams to leverage all digital resources and assets

- Researches and experiments with social channel updates to stay ahead of trends AWARD: 3-person team won 1st Place - Overall Social Presence in 2022 FAXIES, beating social teams from Netflix. Amazon, CBS, etc.

#### **BLISS POINT MEDIA** blisspoint MEDIA OPERATIONS SPECIALIST

Nov 2020-August 2021 | New York, NY

- Devised marketing strategies to help clients find optimal ad placement across streaming/OTT and online video platforms

- Booked out \$400,000+ per week of media spend for five client portfolios

- Served as main liaison between network partners and clients, efficiently communicating campaign needs and inventory pricing

- Constructed audio campaigns from scratch that align with client budget and demo after sourcing inventory and presenting avails

- Researched industry trends in order to provide clients with timely information on the status of the streaming marketplace

#### DISCOVERY COMMUNICATIONS Discovery **DIGITAL MARKETING INTERN**

June-Aug 2019 | New York, NY

- Conducted a competitive analysis to identify industry onboarding trends

- Led A/B testing strategy to determine best practices to increase users opted in for push notifications across Discovery app portfolio

- Assisted in construction of digital and newsletter marketing campaigns

- Gathered data from consumer engagement platform Braze to determine monthly insights and create analytic reports

- Wrote copy for push notifications and in-app campaigns on Discovery apps



#### **DISNEY CHANNEL CREATIVE MARKETING INTERN**

Jan-April 2019 | Burbank, CA

- Assisted writers/producers with scriptwriting and conceptualization for ancillary content on social and linear platforms

- Wrote and produced short promo for show called "Milo Murphy's Law" that aired nationally on Disney XD

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#### SHOWTIME NETWORKS, INC. **DIGITAL MEDIA PRODUCTION INTERN**

June-Aug 2018 | New York, NY

- Worked with Smithsonian Channel digital media department, reviewing and logging content for promotional material across social platforms

- Conducted research for brand and content partnerships

- Worked with other interns on group project addressing how to drive growth in millennial subscriptions to Showtime

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### **EDUCATION**

#### PENNSYLVANIA STATE UNIVERSITY. SCHREYER HONORS COLLEGE

Class of 2020 | GPA: 3.96

**B.A., FILM PRODUCTION** SELECTED AS TOP STUDENT IN MAJOR

**B.A., POLITICAL SCIENCE** MINOR IN SPANISH LANGUAGE

#### SKILLS

#### HARD SKILLS

Khoros, Tubular, Social Bakers, Professional Social Media Posting (Facebook, Twitter, Instagram, Snapchat, TikTok (500,000+ views on personal account)), A/B Testing, Competitive Analysis, Programmatic Media Buying, Copywriting, Creative and Technical Writing, Adobe Premiere, Microsoft Office Suite (Excel), Slack, Zoom, JIRA, Asana, Creative Trafficking/Metadata Input

#### SOFT SKILLS

Time Management, Client Communication, Creativity, Organization, Public Speaking, Adaptability, Leadership, Open-mindedness, Eagerness to Learn

#### HONORS

- FILM PRODUCTION STUDENT MARSHAL. BELLISARIO COLLEGE OF COMMUNICATIONS

- DEAN'S LIST, ALL SEMESTERS

- SELECTED FOR INAUGURAL CLASS OF BELLISARIO FELLOWS

- CHAPEL EXECUTIVE INTERNSHIP SCHOLARSHIP RECIPIENT

#### INTERESTS

- writing Young Adult fiction
- folk and indie music

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horror movies

international cuisines