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A self-motivated and tenacious builder with a diverse background spanning 8+ years in laboratory science, people/project management, and graphic arts. Thrives in ambiguous and fast-paced environments, within both startup and corporate environments. Skilled at nurturing collaborative relationships to foster community, empowering others through servant leadership, and adapting project needs. A curious and creative entrepreneurial spirit with a passion for creating connections between art and technology.

EDUCATION

Master Of Science in Management & Leadership

Pepperdine University • Malibu, CA, USA

Bachelor Of Science in Biology

Loyola Marymount University • Los Angeles, CA, USA

Minor in Studio Arts

CERTIFICATIONS

Corporate Social Responsibility

Pepperdine University • 03/2023

WORK EXPERIENCE

AJ Vreeland & Co. • Los Angeles, CA, USA • 07/2023 – Present

Founder / Creative Technologist

- Founded and established a creative delivery company focused on providing innovative and high-quality art, design, branding, and marketing solutions to diverse clients.
- Integrates artificial intelligence solutions into the creative delivery process, optimizing workflows, generating leads, and enhancing project outcomes.

Takeda Pharmaceutical Company Limited • Thousand Oaks, CA, USA • 02/2023 – 08/2023

Quality Assurance Specialist

- Managed all project activities for Elaprase raw material tech transfer. Coordinated cross-functionally with Supply Chain, Manufacturing Sciences, and Process Engineering groups to facilitate approval of all plans and protocols.
- Generated and implemented process templates and work instructions for Manufacturing Sciences and Process Engineering to improve SME assessment workflows.

Italian Community Services • Los Angeles, CA, USA • 09/2022 – 04/2023

Consultant

- Conducted market research, analyzed the organization, conducted interviews of key players, and used research to generate thoughtful and strategic recommendations for updating ICS internal CRM system.
- Presented research key findings and collaborated with executive team to determine best-fit CRM platform based on project scope.

- Facilitated relationship between ICS and Salesforce to implement chosen CRM.

Red Bull • Los Angeles, CA, USA • 06/2022 - 08/2022

Consultant

- Generated project plans with Red Bull Global and Red Bull North America Talent Acquisition teams to improve internal recruitment processes.
- Conducted industry best-practice research and presented key findings/recommendations to executive team.
- Generated new hiring guide and interview guide deliverables for internal use.

EntroGen, Inc. • Woodland Hills, CA, USA • 06/2019 - 09/2022

Quality Assurance/Quality Control Supervisor

- Managed daily operations and activities of all QC department staff (5 FTE) . Accountable for all department QC/QA data review, product transfers, and product release for 35+ device catalog.
- Developed and implemented an internal electronic scheduling system for QC and Production departments, reducing miscommunication delays.
- Upheld company compliance, implementation, and training of regulatory requirements through 50+ end to end process improvement projects and SOP updates.
- Redesigned and implemented multiple internal QC assays, reducing technical support needed for product-related inquiries by 50%.
- Developed and implemented Quality Audit checklists for R&D non-clinical studies for use in FDA product submissions.

Quality Control Associate II/I

- Supported Research and Development and Technical Support departments in the implementation of special projects through proactive research and data collection. Generated experimental data for diagnostic device FDA submission.

Natural Balance Pet Foods, Inc. The J.M. Smucker Company • Burbank, CA, USA • 07/2015 - 03/2019

Analytical Chemist

- SME for qualifying all products through routine analytical testing. Accountable for daily product release and communicating results to other departments. Developed electronic SDS inventory system to align with OSHA standards.
- Upheld company compliance, implementation, and training of regulatory requirements through 20+ process improvement projects, internal audits, and SOP updates.
- Supervised and trained staff to ensure daily benchmarks were met for product release (3 FTE) .

Qc Chemist I/Microbiologist I

- Qualified raw materials and final product through routine analytical testing. Developed laboratory safety and process improvement projects in compliance with ISO 17025:2017.

SKILLS & INTERESTS

Adaptability, Business Development, Change Management, Collaboration, Communication, Creativity, Data Analysis, Data Collection, Initiative, Innovation, Leadership, Machine Learning, Management, Problem Solving, Process Engineering, Process Improvement, Project Management, Strategic Thinking, Talent Management, Team Development, Workflow Management, Writing, Acting/Improv, Artificial Intelligence, Chess, Design, Entrepreneurship, Music, Photography, Reading, Studio Arts, Video Games, Virtual Production, Writing