Position Description:

Digital Content Manager

Organization

As the region’s official tourism marketing agency, VISIT PHILADELPHIA® is our name and our mission. Through groundbreaking advertising campaigns, a nationally recognized web and social media presence, and collaborative relationships with local and national partners, we build Greater Philadelphia’s image, drive visitation and boost the economy. Now, in our 25th year of tourism marketing, we’ll help lead Greater Philadelphia’s tourism and hospitality recovery in the wake of COVID-19. For more information about our work, please go to http://www.visitphilly.com/about/.

At VISIT PHILADELPHIA, our greatest investment has always been in our staff — smart, passionate, creative and innovative people who work hard and smart to tout Greater Philadelphia as a must-visit leisure tourism destination. We offer generous and competitive benefits, including comprehensive medical, dental and company-paid vision plans; company-paid life and disability; 401(k) and company match program; and competitive paid time off programs.

Position

The Digital Content Manager is responsible for managing and producing content to be published on Visit Philadelphia’s website, as well as additional owned digital marketing channels. The Digital Content Manager is charged with creating and maintaining compelling, timely, web-specific content in order to grow Visit Philadelphia’s digital reach, influence and effectiveness. He or she is responsible for working with the web team to implement coordinated web content marketing plans across digital channels, while helping to maintain core website content to be current, relevant and highly useful to our readers/visitors.

This position reports to the Senior Director of Digital Content & Strategy.

Primary Responsibilities:

Digital Content Management & Production:
  • Work with the Web team to research, write, produce and fact-check content in our WordPress CMS
    o Create and update major seasonal and campaign-based content and the events therein (e.g., Historic District, Holidays, Summer Festivals, etc.)
Serve as a content producer of pieces covering Philadelphia, including timely posts and event content on visitphilly.com
Produce content that achieves site goals: builds image, drives visitation and boosts economy.
Produce content that progresses editorial strategy; innovate and apply digital best practices, including optimization for social and search.
Pair compelling written content with images, videos and multimedia visual content to propel a website visitor through the story and down a page.

- Optimize pages on visitphilly.com and uwishunu.com to drive qualified traffic to our partner websites.
- Ensure web-based digital content is consistent in terms of style, quality and tone, and is optimized for search and user experience for all channels.
- Assist web team with management and execution of all email communications from conception to completion.
- Communicate with external PR contacts over the phone, online and in-person to acquire additional information.
- Attend press previews and media events for relevant events and exhibitions.
- Adapt select articles for use as press releases to be used by the communications team for media pitches.

Website Development:
- Participate in website development projects from start to finish. Test new developments, UIs and applications for the website across platforms and browsers.

Other:
- Manage various requests for reporting and communication, including Contact Us support.
- Provide support for the Web team in conjunction with department-based needs and projects, including site testing and reporting.
- Adapt select web articles into press releases.
- Provide writing, editing, proofreading and fact-checking services for non-Web-related projects.

Qualifications
- 3-5 years of relevant experience
- Passion for and knowledge of Philadelphia and the five-county region
- Versatile writer, storyteller and multimedia content creator
• Proficiencies in the following applications desired: Web Content Management System (WordPress preferable); basic HTML; Google Docs; Adobe Photoshop, Google Analytics, etc.
• Excellent communications skills, both written and oral
• Collaborative worker; able to work across all VISIT PHILADELPHIA departments with staff at all levels
• Willingness to work additional hours in order to meet tight deadlines
• Creative, organized and flexible
• Ability to establish priorities and meet deadlines
• Ability to adapt quickly

Education

• BA or BS degree in a relevant field

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