Adam Eisenstat

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Writer | Communications Consultant

Summary

- Extensive/diverse experience as: Creative Writer, Copywriter, Publicist, Journalist, and Editorial Director.
- Creative and versatile wordsmith; Exceptional storyteller and content developer, Persuasive Communicator.
- Ability to gain expertise on new subjects quickly & write about them effectively/engagingly; Expert interviewer.
- Golden Quill Award Winner (2014), History/Culture Feature (Pittsburgh Quarterly magazine) [link to article]

Professional Experience

Writer / Communications Consultant

2010 - Present

- Developed art promotion specialty as writer/consultant for artists internationally.
- Various Outlets. Wrote articles on art marketing; ARTograma.com. Wrote artist reviews.
- Xanadu (Art gallery). Created and upgraded marketing pieces for artists (artist statements, etc.).

Writer / Communications Consultant

2010 - Present

Various Roles: Long-term consultant, contributor, etc. – Pittsburgh / New York

- Fulton Area Business Alliance (business improvement district). Amplified organization's voice by expanding, upgrading, and integrating communications (Web content, social media, publications, and PR).
- Provide Support (Software co.). Wrote case studies that measurably improved firm's search ranking and profile.
- Misc. Publications (online/print) inc. Vox, Pittsburgh Business Times, Time Out New York, Spin, Independent Film Channel, MSNBC.com, etc.: Wrote features, essays, and reviews.
- Pittsburgh Quarterly (magazine); The Bulletin (community paper). Wrote articles about local history/culture.

Senior Copywriter

2003 - 2010

Outpost Creative (advertising agency) - New York, NY

- Wrote copy for multiple national and regional accounts, including: Bally's Gaming, etc.
- Worked on diverse assignments, in all media: Web, print, direct mail, billboards/signage, etc.

Director of Communications [Roles: Editorial Director / Chief Publicist]

2000 - 2003

School of Visual Arts (major private art college) - New York, NY

- Conceived, wrote, and promoted: Annual report, Online newsletter, Content for new intranet.
- Used new outlets to advance institution's brand; and extend internal media's reach to prev. underserved audiences.
- Implemented proactive PR; Explored organization in depth and engaged multiple departments for stories to pitch.
- Fostered marketing mind-set in students & staff through presentations/education and articles in school publications.
- Served on committees and advised upper management on communications issues; Conducted media training.
- Wrote features for school magazine (Visual Arts Journal).

Director of Communications [Roles: Chief Publicist / Editorial Director] Corporate University Xchange (conference, consulting, & research co.) – New York, NY

1997 – 2000

- Established PR operation/role as company spokesman; Generated press that propelled company into hyper-growth.
- Produced B2B content (print newsletter, collateral, etc.) that was instrumental in making start-up a preeminent brand.
- Delivered presentations on training, technology, and other business topics at international conferences.

Education

B.A., English (Cum Laude), University of Pittsburgh