ZOE WALKER

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STRATEGIC MARKETER & COMMUNICATOR

CONSCIENTIOUS AND ORGANIZED WRITER with real-world blogging and ghostwriting experience for a publishing and digital marketing firm. METICULOUS AND AUDIENCE-ORIENTED BRAND MANAGER focused on creating and delivering streamlined, authentic, and engaging experiences for clients. PROACTIVE AND MOTIVATED CONTRIBUTOR who can adapt quickly to the constraints and challenges of a team in a fast-paced environment, operating both independently and collaboratively.

Education-

BACHELOR OF ARTS IN CREATIVE WRITING | OREGON STATE UNIVERSITY | CORVALLIS, OR

June 2024

3.94 GPA | SUMMA CUM LAUDE | HONOR ROLL 2021 THROUGH 2024

Key Courses: Writing 411 (The Teaching of Writing) | Writing 462 (Environmental Writing) | Korean 212

Key Projects: Writing 299, an invitation-only publishing practicum to submit a creative piece to a literary journal

Study Abroad in Seoul, South Korea

Summer 2023

Core Competencies—

Writing | Editing | Proofreading | Ghostwriting | Communication | Brand Management | Publishing | Research | Interviewing | Leadership | Google Suite | Trello | Asana | Canva | Squarespace | Kit | Wix | DaVinci Resolve

Work Experience—

CONTENT MANAGER | WRITE FOR YOU | REMOTE

June 2022 - Present

Provide an array of writing, editing, and content management services at a boutique B2B digital marketing firm with focuses on ghostwriting, book publishing, and book marketing

- → Write, edit and proofread, and/or post 50+ blog posts for clients in fields including book publishing, digital marketing, senior care, and gluten free eating; ensure content aligns with brand voice and quality standards; leverage generative AI to create and/or enhance content
- → Manage optimization and continuous improvement of website content and performance; conducted side-wide refresh, including design facelift and light copywriting aligned with brand's voice and tone, in Squarespace
- → Source and create blog graphics, YouTube thumbnails, advertising flyers, and podcast covers using Canva
- → Researched topics including thought leadership, digital marketing, and travel guidance

SECRETARY | STUDENT LITERARY CLUB | CORVALLIS, OR

June 2023 - June 2024

Served as an officer at the OSU club devoted to all things literary

- → Conducted weekly meetings to discuss short pieces of literature; took notes and attendance at meetings
- → Determined and delegated officer tasks with other officers; brainstormed future activities and outreach efforts

STAFF MEMBER | *PRISM* | CORVALLIS, OR

December 2023 - June 2024

Volunteered 9 hours/week at the student-run, yearly arts and literature journal of OSU

- → Collaborated to review student art submissions and tailor the journal's theme whilst selecting pieces for inclusion on the website and in the print magazine
- ightarrow Contributed ideas for journal development, publication, and marketing events

PRINT CONTRIBUTOR | BEAVER'S DIGEST | CORVALLIS, OR

June 2023 - January 2024

Wrote full, in-depth bylined articles on assignment and deadline for the campus lifestyle magazine of OSU

- → Pitched, researched, and developed multiple story ideas with news value for the college community
- → Arranged and conducted multiple written and 12+ in-person interviews with relevant subject matter experts

Publications and Other Writing-

WORLDWALKER and WORLDWEAVER

December 2024

→ Completed a first draft of a YA fantasy duology of 250K+ words

PRISM (the arts and literature journal of OSU)

→ In Which One's Fashion Major in College Becomes Rather Inconvenient Fifteen Years Later (short fiction)

SEO BASICS FOR BUSINESS ENTREPRENEURS

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→ Editor of a non-fiction book by Write For You's CEO about SEO best practices for small business owners