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PROFESSIONAL SUMMARY

Client-focused and detail-oriented professional with experience supporting SaaS and service-based businesses in onboarding, customer success, and account management. Skilled in guiding 30+ clients per month through implementation, resolving technical issues, and improving adoption across fitness, dental, SaaS, and e-commerce industries. Adept at creating training materials, streamlining workflows, and driving measurable improvements in client satisfaction and retention. Seeking a mentorship under a senior Customer Success Manager to master onboarding, retention strategies, and account management workflows.

WORK EXPERIENCE

Digital Biz Leads

Atlanta, GA + Miami, FL

Customer Success Specialist | Onboarding Coordinator

Jan 2023 – Present

- Guided 30+ clients per month through website setup, CRM integration, and workflow implementation, accelerating adoption by 30%.
- Created step-by-step tutorials, video walkthroughs, and documentation, ensuring clients fully understood and successfully used systems.
- Monitored client accounts and resolved technical and operational issues proactively, boosting satisfaction metrics and retention.

She Reigns Creative

New York, NY + California, CA

Cold Email Marketing | Lead Generation Specialist

Jul 2022 - Dec 2022

- Implemented client onboarding for campaigns, email sequences, and landing pages, ensuring smooth adoption of agency services.
- Conducted client training sessions and provided ongoing support, increasing booked appointments and engagement by 20%.
- Collected client feedback and designed repeatable onboarding templates, reducing setup time and improving workflow consistency.

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Vilnius, Europe

Account Executive / Tech Support

Jan 2022 - Jul 2022

- Conducted 5+ daily demo and onboarding calls for APAC clients, educating users on SaaS features and adoption best practices, resulting in higher adoption rates.
- Resolved technical and workflow issues via Slack, Zoom, and Intercom, improving client satisfaction and follow-through.
- Streamlined client support processes using internal tech tools, increasing efficiency and workflow visibility.

Kitchen Bedroom Gallery (family business)

Johannesburg, South Africa

Sales Manager | Marketing Operations Specialist

Jan 2010- Dec 2021

- Managed a 15-person sales team across 10 showrooms, optimizing onboarding and follow-ups to maintain high client satisfaction and repeat business.
- Developed standardized training materials, scripts, and visual guides, improving client interactions and service adoption.
- Optimized communication and tracking systems, increasing client loyalty and operational efficiency by 20%.

SKILLS & SYSTEMS

- Customer Success Tools: GoHighLevel CRM, Salesforce, Zendesk, Intercom, Whatagraph Analytics, HubSpot
- *Technical & Onboarding Systems:* WordPress, Elementor Pro, ClickFunnels, Google Workspace, Slack, Trello, Notion, Zoom, Loom
- *Core Competencies:* Client Onboarding Account Management Customer Training & Enablement Process Documentation Workflow Optimization Churn Management Cross-Team Collaboration Customer Retention Strategies SaaS Adoption Tracking
- Soft Skills: Detail-Oriented Analytical Thinking Creative Problem Solving Proactive Communication Adaptability Time Management Growth Mindset

CAREER GOAL

To train under an experienced Senior Customer Success Manager, mastering client onboarding, retention strategies, and account management workflows — and transition into a full-time Customer Success Manager / Onboarding Specialist role responsible for delivering seamless client experiences.