# Shayla Johnson

# **BRAND STRATEGIST**

# **About Me**

- -Voted best dressed
- -I like costume parties
- -l enjoy going to art galleries
- -I love gift giving

## VCU Brandcenter Curriculum

The VCU Brandcenter is recognized as America's number one graduate program for advertising and branding. The Creative Brand Management track focuses on the core fundamentals of a traditional MBA curriculum with an added emphasis on creativity and collaboration. The program is centered on branding, insight driven strategy, and the application of creativity in business

# **Professional Skills**

Brand Strategy & Positioning
Critical & Creative Thinking
Teamwork & Collaboration
Leader of Cross-Functional Teams
Qualitative & Quantitative Research
Focus Groups & Surveys
Social Media Strategy
Google Adwords
Visio
Keynote

# **Get in Touch!**

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# **Academic Education**

## **VCU BRANDCENTER**

Masters of Science in Business with a concentration in Creative Brand Management | May 2020

#### **Relevant Coursework**

- Business of Branding
- -Strategic Thinking
- -Creative Thinking
- -Research Methodologies

## **NORTH CAROLINA STATE UNIVERSITY**

Bachelors of Science in Business Administration with a concentration in Marketing | May 2018

#### **Extracurricular Activities**

- All-Girl Cheerleading Team: Fundraiser Chair & Community Service Chair
- -Queen In You Vice President
- American Marketing Association
- -Air Force ROTC

# **Work Experience**

## **SOCIAL MEDIA ASSISTANT**

Market at 25th | January 2019 - October 2019

Managed Social Media accounts through Buffer: including Instagram and Facebook

- Attended events promoting store Grand Opening
- Increased Facebook engagement by 46% and reach by 78%
- Increased Instagram followers by 2,317
- -Increased Facebook followers by 2,967
- -Wrote Press Release for You Snap We Match Program

## **ACCOUNT MANAGEMENT INTERN**

#### Madison+Main | May 2019 - August 2019

- Supported the Account Management team with various marketing campaigns
- -Conducted market research, including research analysis
- -Took part in creative concept sessions
- -Helped research media plans for clients

### **COMMUNICATION INTERN**

Hillsborough Street Community Service Corporation | May 2017-August 2017

- Managed social media accounts through Hoot Suite including: Instagram, Facebook, and Twitter
- Utilized marketing tables at events to promote the Hillsborough Street
- Collected and analyzed social media data in excel spreadsheets
- Posted blogs, specials, events, and updates on the Hillsborough Street website

## **MARKETING INTERN & AMBASSADOR**

#### Graduate Management Admission Council | Jan 2017 - April 2017

- -Carried out marketing tactics with tabling events and posted flyers on campus each week
- Posted on social media handles about upcoming specials, events, and informative webinars
- Demonstrated public speaking skills when informing students about the GMAT exam through presentations