Public Relations Manager - Tech Image

Tech Image (http://www.techimage.com/) is the Midwest's only 100% employee-owned marketing services agency that offers public relations, digital marketing and social media to global clients across a myriad of industries. We are a B2B and B2C agency looking to fill a Public Relations Manager position in our downtown Chicago office, although we are currently working remotely.

Tech Image offers competitive compensation and benefits, an outstanding workplace culture and excellent work/life balance. As a wholly owned company of SmithBucklin the agency operates as an independent organization and is fast-tracked for high growth. This hire will participate directly in setting the course for the agency's future, as part of a new brand launch.

This position is ideal for an emerging PR power producer. In addition to offering an amazing environment to learn and grow, we are looking for a dedicated professional who will bring their own unique talents, knowledge and energy to strengthen our existing team. We are seeking a progressive PR professional that has extensive agency experience and is a media relations power-producer.

Position Responsibilities

- Drive strategies, plans, deliverables and performance measurement with colleagues and president
- Collaborate and work to ensure optimal day-to-day implementation of all client programs
- Participate in developing agency SOPs for day to day activities
- Work with colleagues to set and meet all media relations and earned coverage goals
- Work with client and colleagues to develop all PR content based on trends, client products and competitive landscape
- Ability to create compelling brand, thought leadership, and competitive advantage pitch materials and content
- Support client tradeshows and events virtually and in person
- Adopt and support all agency's progressive PR and operational protocols
- Work collaboratively to support client product launches, brand elevation and competitive positioning
- Use Cision, ProfNets, HAROs, Sprout and Sprinklr to build and augment all media relations efforts
- Use BusinessWire in progressive ways to lift reach and performance for posted releases
- Leverage social listening and social media to extend client messages, reach and voice
- Be aware of current public relations principles, trends, tools and methodologies
- Learn each client's company, products, services, competitive landscape and overarching objectives
- Work with client influencers, SMEs and ambassador teams to cultivate and disseminate content
- Work with president and colleagues to refine what and who Tech Image is as a brand
- Participate in new biz dev, proposal development, pitch meetings, website contribution and vetting prospective clients
- Participate in the continuous improvement of Tech Image an award-winning and highly sought after national agency
- Work with new to end existing staff to support their training and understanding of Tech Image processes and cultural
- Engage effectively with all team members to offer helpful and thoughtful ways to improve their performance

- Eagerly accept direction and constructive advice from supervisors and agency leadership
- Proactive and enthusiastic about working with other team members in a fast-paced environment
- Publish weekly reports about client program performance and your own weekly activities
- Foster an open and inclusive agency culture, where diversity, innovation, ideas and colleague support thrives

Qualifications

- 5-6 years of public relations agency experience
- 2-3 years experience in leading/co-leading client accounts
- Proven work experience across diverse B2B, B2C and non-profit clients
- Experience with technology, life sciences, hospitality and construction industries a plus
- Proven portfolio of earned coverage or client success case studies a plus

Equal Employment Opportunity

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