

Social impact strategist • Purpose-driven program manager Creative communicator • Empathetic employee engagement leader christyswork.com • linkedin.com/in/christyaschmidt

Work experience

DigitalOcean | 2022 — 2023

Senior Manager, Social Impact

Boston, MA (Remote)

2022 - 2023

- Increased employee engagement by 220% year-over-year through company-wide employee giving and volunteering campaigns
- Facilitated \$600K+ in charitable donations for 800+ organizations by developing the company's inaugural charitable giving strategy, which included community grants and employee matching gifts
- Established the company's first social impact communication strategy, which encompassed internal and external content and channels
- Led the company's first ESG materiality assessment, collecting and analyzing input from 350+ stakeholders to create the inaugural impact report

Weber Shandwick | 2016 — 2021

Account Director, Social Impact

Washington, D.C.

2020 - 2021

- Successfully executed a Fortune 500 client's inaugural global CSR program across nine countries and six languages, engaging more than 150 employees and 100 students, while providing \$200K+ in funding for STEM programs
- Managed and led seven social impact client teams, overseeing scopes of work valued from \$100K to \$4.5M. Accountable for all aspects of account planning, project management, client communication, and final deliverables.
- Produced and managed an editorial process for a thought leadership series and 40+ newsletters that covered topics such as sustainability and CEO activism

Director, Global Business Development New York, NY

2016 - 2020

- Led new business pursuit teams to win \$50M+ from clients across industries
- Managed 60+ RFP responses to agency prospects, developing pitch decks and project plans for months-long pursuits and organizing 15+ person pitch teams

RockTech | 2010 — 2016

Director of Marketing

2014 - 2016

Boston, MA

- Created the marketing strategy for B2B SaaS product to increase brand awareness and generate demand from global prospects
- Established social impact partnership with Salesforce to get 10K+ military veterans trained, certified, and hired in tech jobs

Client Success Manager

2010 - 2014

Boston, MA

- Grew SaaS product user base from zero to 15K+ users and managed 30+ client accounts across six continents including GE, EY, and Cisco
- Ghostwrote a book for CEO on using LinkedIn (*The Power in a Link*, 2011)

Contact

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Professional skills

Social impact strategy & programming

Employee engagement & volunteering

Internal & external communications

Grantmaking & nonprofit partnerships

Product donation strategy Charitable giving strategy

Writing & editing

Content strategy & development

ESG frameworks & reporting

Recognition

DigitalOcean recognized as "Impact Partner of the Year" for charitable giving

Agency team recognized as Purpose Agency of the Year at PRWeek Purpose Awards in 2020 and 2021

Education

Elon University: BA, Strategic Communications; Minor, Bus. Admin. (2011)

Study abroad: South Africa (2010)

Internship: Clearly Creative Marketing Consultancy, Boston, MA (2009)