Marketing Intern 2023

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What Are You Looking For In An Internship?

Learn more about marketing & all aspects of business

Open, inclusive, welcoming work environment (DEI) (REACH)

Experiences that will prepare me for the future



Intern Opportunities

- Intern Meeting with Rob Paterson (6/1)
 - Warm welcome to interns
 - Presentation about Kamatics operations, core values, and history
- New England Air Museum (7/12)
 - ▶ Learned more about Kaman corporation, Charles Kaman, and aerospace
 - Guided tour by previous Kamatics employee and Vietnam Veteran
- President & CEO, Ian Walsh Intern Program Presentation (7/25)
 - Presentation overviewing Kaman Corporation
- Intern Service Day Fidelco Guide Dog Foundation (7/26)
 - Completed tasks for Fidelco, the guide dog foundation that Charles Kaman & his wife were founders of (painting, setting up tables, etc)



Internship Takeaways

Throughout my time at Kaman, I have found myself learning more about...

- Marketing
- Communication
- Supply Chain
- Business Development
- Customer Service
- Product development
- Community Service
- Finance
- International business



The Importance Of Marketing: Interview with Ryan Joseph & Bob Dizel

"We're a critical function to the corporation... we're the voice of the customer inside the business."

"Customers are our #1 priority"

-Constant communication: being transparent, honest, empathetic, and respectful to customers -Listen to customers (product & market

"Sometimes we have to go above & beyond to support our customers"

development)

-Satisfying customers wants & needs -Inspect & pack parts (production) -Early Delivery

"Communication is key"

-Giving bad news to clients is hard. Diversity in types of communication is crucial to peak customer service -Empathize with the customer -They ask we deliver

"Be prepared to constantly learn"

-Have a good attitude, take feedback, be able to work with people, and be open to change -Don't get frustrated when problems come your way

Experiences & Projects

- Marketing Quote & PO Training (5/23)
 - Assisted the marketing team in completing customer's RFQ
 - ► RFQ \rightarrow (ACR) \rightarrow QAS \rightarrow Cost Review \rightarrow Quote \rightarrow PO Template
- Order Entry Training with Steph Moreland (6/22)
 - Studied PO's and learned how to enter customer's orders in IFS
 - ► PO & Template → OET → IFS Application → Contract review
- Airbus Bond Check Training (6/24)
 - Had the opportunity to assist the bushing value stream with inspecting parts with KAron
 - Inspected finished bushings for defects (Used a microscope to see which bushings were not coated correctly)
- Call with "Customer A" pertaining to delay in their order (6/28)
 - LT jumped to 30 weeks
 - Had extra inventory to hold them over
- Malpractice Training with Paula (7/12)
 - Learned about the importance of honesty in the workplace and being true to the company's core values



Experiences & Projects

- CSO Meeting discussing possible new part for "Customer B" (7/12)
 - Meeting with marketing, production, & engineering teams
 - Discussion about if creating this new part was feasible
- Monthly Marketing Meetings & Team Meetings
 - Group discussions regarding important information/concerns that the team should be aware of
 - Open and structured meetings that allows peers to communicate efficiently
- Meetings with "Customer C" regarding delivery improvement (Weekly)
 - ▶ 300 pcs past due as of 6/14
 - Problem with plating (resulted in back up & extra testing) (liquid nitrogen)
 - Milestone chart created for client (list of operations and quantities)

Next Steps

I will be returning to Syracuse University to finish my B.S in Marketing Management and B.A in Spanish Literature, Language & Culture

> I will implement the importance of community service. I will continue to establish goals and reinforce the core values of Kaman (REACH)

> > I will reinforce everything I have learned throughout my time at Kamatics and practice them with confidence in my future (school and career)