# Imani Gaddy

Communications and Social Media Specialist •
Project Manager • Creative Writer • Brand Storyteller

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# Experience -

### **Communications Coordinator**

Northwest African American History Museum April 2022—Present

Seattle, WA

- Improved social media reach and engagement by 45% in 5 months.
- Led graphic design efforts both print and digital for all major events.
- Planed, created and executed digital campaigns to that improved donations by 53% and boosted general online presence.
- Coordinated with other department heads for promotion of all activities and initiatives.

### Communications and Social Media Manager

TILA Studios / TILA Studios Gallery

September 2022-Present

Atlanta,GA

- Created social media campaigns to enhance voice as art industry thought leader.
- Curated and designed annual impact report for sponsors and stakeholders.
- · Developed all graphics for events and initiatives.
- Assisted in event planning, marketing, and day of execution of major art events.

### **Communications Coordinator**

Better Homes & Gardens Real Estate Metro Brokers

June 2020-Aug. 2021

Atlanta, GA

- Designed and created copy for email communications and monthly newsletters.
- Developed comprehensive digital campaigns for Facebook accounts resulting in an 47% engagement across all platforms
- Maintained relationship with vendors and act as a liaison between vendors and agents.
- Led, designed, and hosted classes on marketing and communication for agents to use in their business practices.

### Communications & Social Media

Freelance (Contract)

March 2020-Present

Atlanta, GA

- Developed and implemented brand strategy for clients across all digital platforms.
- Managed, maintained and analyzed social media channels.
- Created press releases and handled media relations for events.
- Designed digital strategies and campaigns to boost engagement and online visibility through email marketing.
- On-site photography for clients during special events and initiatives.

## **Summary**

Motivated communications specialist with a strong aptitude in brand storytelling, social media management, event planning and digital marketing. Quick thinker with an eye for detail that strives in fast paced environments. Adept at empowering companies to communicate and develop brand identities while creating audience retention through digital channels.

# Skills & Expertise

### **Communications & Marketing**

Press Releases Creation, Brand Storytelling & Management, Event Logistics & Publicity, Web Design

### **Digital Platforms**

Constant Contact, Microsoft Office Suite, Adobe Creative Suite, Canva, Final Cut Pro, Cision, SEO, Google Analytics, Hootsuite, Mailchimp, CRM Software,

#### **Hospitality**

Guest Accommodations, Time Management, Organization, Customer Service, Data Management

#### Other

Project Management, Podcast Audio Engineering, Public Speaking, On-Air Talent, Voice Acting, Photography, Graphic Design

### Education

### Georgia State University

June 2019

### **Bachelor of Arts in Communications**

- Concentration in Public Relations
- Minor: Entertainment Media Management