George Smith

Event Coordinator

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Profile Summary

Dynamic and results-oriented Event Coordinator with over 5 years of extensive experience in orchestrating large-scale events with a track record of driving operational excellence and fostering client satisfaction. Demonstrated expertise in budget management, vendor negotiations, and innovative event design, consistently delivering events that surpass expectations. Adept at multitasking with outstanding organizational, leadership, and interpersonal skills.

Work Experience

Senior Event Coordinator

Brilliant Events Corp. 1st Mar, 2018 - Present

- Led a team of 5 coordinators to successfully execute over 50 corporate events annually, resulting in a 30% increase in client satisfaction scores.
- Negotiated vendor contracts and saved \$100K in annual expenses by establishing long-term partnerships.
- Implemented a new event management software, improving operational efficiency by 40%.

Event Coordinator

Creative Gala Solutions 1st Jan, 2015 - 28th Feb, 2018

- Coordinated logistics for weddings and large social gatherings, handling budgets of up to \$250K.
- Collaborated with clients to conceptualize theme and design, enhancing event uniqueness and customer satisfaction.
- Increased social media engagement by 50% through innovative marketing campaigns and enhancing online visibility.

Education

Harvard University

Bachelor of Arts in Hospitality and Event Management 1st Sep, 2010 - 31st May, 2014

Skills

Event Planning, Budget Management, Vendor Negotiations, Team Leadership, Problem Solving, Marketing

Notable Projects

Annual Corporate Gala 2022

Organized and managed a high-profile corporate gala for 500 attendees, achieving a 95% satisfaction rate. The event featured keynote speakers, entertainment, and a charity auction, raising \$60K for local charities.

Certifications

Certified Meeting Professional (CMP)

Issued by Events Industry Council, 20th Sep, 2019

Awards

Best Event Coordinator of the Year

Awarded by Event Management Association, 15th Jun, 2020