Ryan Collins

Digital Marketing & Sales Specialist



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PROFESSIONAL SUMMARY

Results-driven Digital Marketing & Web Development Specialist with 6+ years of proven ability to deliver results, close high-value deals, and build lasting client relationships. Possesses a strong skill set across multiple channels including SEO, SEM, web design, and development, with expertise in crafting data-driven strategies that generate measurable growth. Recognized for adaptability, quick decision-making, and the ability to pivot under pressure while strategically developing and executing initiatives that drive business growth and set brands apart.

SKILLS

Search Engine Marketing (SEM / PPC)

Search Engine Optimization (On-Page, Technical, Local)

Web Design & Development (WordPress + Elementor)

Google Analytics 4 (GA4) & Google Tag Manager (GTM)

Conversion Rate Optimization (CRO)

Lead Generation & Sales Strategy

Client Communication & Relationship Building

Problem-Solving & Adaptability

Team Collaboration

Data Analysis & Reporting

EXPERIENCE

RETAIL & DIGITAL MARKETING ASSOCIATE, Fitchburg, MA

Surfside Pool Company, July 2025-Present

- Drove revenue growth by upselling premium pool and spa products, consistently exceeding daily sales goals
- Entrusted as a store keyholder, managing closing operations and ensuring smooth end-of-day procedures
- Partnered with ownership on website and digital marketing initiatives, leveraging SEO and design skills to boost online visibility and customer engagement
- Built trusted customer relationships by providing tailored product recommendations and expert solutions, enhancing satisfaction and repeat business

FOUNDER & CEO, Lynnfield, MA

Local Alphas, August 2023-July 2025

 Founded and scaled a digital marketing agency specializing in SEO, SEM, and web development for local service contractors and small businesses

- Designed and built WordPress websites with optimized architecture, schema, and technical SEO to maximize search visibility
- Executed pyramid-style SEO strategies including service pages, location-based content, and long-form resources to drive consistent lead generation
- Managed full digital performance stack: GA4, Google Tag Manager, HubSpot, and CallRail to track calls, form submissions, and conversion outcomes
- Implemented Local SEO strategies including citation management and NAP consistency, strengthening Google Business Profile performance
- Launched and optimized Local Service Ads campaigns alongside Google Ads, aligning paid and organic strategies for measurable growth
- Built a commission-based model where compensation was tied directly to client results, ensuring strong alignment of agency success with client ROI

SENIOR SEM ACCOUNT MANAGER, Lynnfield, MA

X Agency, March 2022-June 2024

- Managed multimillion-dollar Google Ads budgets for e-commerce clients, optimizing campaigns to maximize ROI and revenue growth
- Implemented GA4 and GTM tracking solutions, ensuring accurate data collection and actionable insights
- Developed and executed paid media strategies that consistently improved conversion rates and reduced acquisition costs
- Collaborated with clients on strategy calls as the primary point of contact, delivering clear performance analysis and growth plans
- Leveraged Shopify backend expertise to align ad performance with site optimization and customer journey improvements

DOOR-TO-DOOR SALES REP, Mariboro, MA

Boundless Inc, June 2021-March 2022

- Prospected in assigned territories, building relationships and identifying sales opportunities
- Consistently exceeded appointment-setting targets and weekly activity goals
- Applied persuasive sales tactics to educate homeowners on product benefits
- Developed resilience and persistence working in competitive, rejection-heavy environments
- Enhanced ability to communicate value propositions quickly and effectively

DOOR-TO-DOOR SALES REP, Peabody, MA

Commonwealth Solar, January 2021–June 2021

- Generated qualified leads by engaging homeowners through direct outreach and persuasive communication
- Scheduled appointments for closing team, contributing to consistent sales pipeline growth
- Delivered clear, compelling presentations tailored to customer needs and objections
- Maintained top performance in a high-pressure, quota-driven sales environment
- Built strong interpersonal and negotiation skills transferable to client-facing marketing roles

EDUCATION

GED, Wilmington, MA

Psychology

Marketing

Business

Extracurricular Activities

Baseball

Boxing

CERTIFICATIONS

- Meta Certified Media Buying Professional
- HubSpot Social Media Certification
- Google Ads Apps Certification
- Microsoft Advertising Certification
- Google Analytics 4 (GA4) Certification
- SEMRush SEO Toolkit Certification
- Yoast SEO Academy Certifications (Fundamentals, Advanced)
- Meta Certified Media Planning Professional
- HubSpot Content Marketing Certification
- HubSpot Email Marketing Certification

- Meta Certified Media Planning Professional
- Google Ads Shopping Ads Certification
- Google Ads Measurement Certification
- SEMRush PPC Fundamentals Certification
- Google Tag Manager Fundamentals
- SEMRush Content Marketing Toolkit Certification
- Meta Certified Media Buying Professional
- HubSpot Social Media Certification
- HubSpot Inbound Marketing Certification
- HubSpot Digital Marketing Certification

REFERENCES

References available upon request