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PERSONAL SUMMARY

A seasoned business executive recognized for spearheading dramatic revenue performance with robust customer acquisition strategies. Leverages over 15 years of banking experience and top-notch relationship-building abilities to connect with customers and build lasting partnerships.

SKILLS

Sales leadership and training Investment marketing Communication skills Networking Treasury Operations Risk Management Performance Management Banking Operations Relationship Management Financial Analysis Negotiations & Presentation skill Key Account Management SWIFT messages Credit

Excel, Word and financial software proficiency

CAREER HISTORY

Regional Account Manager, Corporate Banking

Ecobank Ghana Limited

May 2017 - Sept 2024

Accra, Ghana

- Managed a team of local account managers to cross sell bank products to regional corporate accounts which increased bank revenue by over USD23.0 million over 4 years.
- Developed and implemented a comprehensive business development strategy to increase share of wallet of regional corporate business for the bank.
- Negotiated partnerships deals with international and local organizations such as USAID, IMO and other NGOs to increase deposit share of funds for the bank.
- Implemented programs to cross sell bank products to customers
- Established and maintained close relationships with FIs and IOs clients to ensure successful collaborations.
- Identified potential investments opportunities for clients according to their individual needs.

Senior Credit Risk Analyst - Corporate Banking

Ecobank Ghana Limited

April 2011 - May 2017

Accra, Ghana

• Demonstrated expertise in analyzing market trends, effectively identifying investment opportunities while also addressing any potential performance issues.

- Led identification, appraisal, structuring and negotiation of corporate business proposals to ensure sound investment decisions and achieve revenue targets.
- Evaluated fundamental aspects of business environment for projects or portfolio companies, including competitive strengths and weaknesses, non-financial issues, and risk/reward factors.
- Reviewed and analyzed financial and operating performance of corporate clients, preparing risk ratings along with management reports, briefs, and project profiles for Credit Committee Board
- Implemented risk management measures to maintain the performance of investment portfolio.
- Utilized expertise in the project/ portfolio lifecycle to successfully identify and achieve critical path milestones while ensuring tasks were completed in a timely manner with high quality standards.
- Handled disbursement, waivers, and complex client interactions including the restructuring of loan facilities.

Deputy Head - Trade Finance Services Department

Feb 2009 - April 2011

Ecobank Ghana Limited

Accra, Ghana

- Assisted customers with complex trade finance problems by offering valuable technical guidance.
- Maintained strict adherence to established Policies and Procedures for International Trade Finance Operations in the bank.
- Reviewed and structured Letters of Credit (LCs), Guarantees and other trade payment instruments in accordance with the applicable guidelines such as UCP 600 and ISBP guidelines.
- Supervised delivery of Trade Finance solutions to bank clients in a timely manner.
- Implemented and updated control measures, resulting in a notable reduction of operational risks.
- Supervised and implemented remedial actions to address all audit issues in the department.
- Provided guidance and instruction to enhance knowledge of International Trade Finance Operations to front - end staff.

EDUCATION

A. PROFESSIONAL

Member of CFA

Certificate in Investment Performance Measurement (CIPM) from CFA Institute, USA CFA Level II - Passed

B. ACADEMIC

Sept, 2004 - Dec, 2005 MSc. Management with Finance

University of Bath, U.K.

Sept, 1998 - Nov, 2001 B. Ed (Social Studies) Hons.

University of Cape Coast, Ghana