CHERISE NIKOLE JOHNSON

MASTER DIGITAL CONTENT CREATOR + STRATEGIST







Master Digital Content Creator + Strategist (•)



MY MOST RECENT WORK LIES WITH UPROXX WHERE I MANAGED THE VOICE OF THE MUSIC SOCIAL MEDIA ACCOUNTS, CURATED THE POPULAR LIVE PERFORMANCE SERIES 'UPROXX SESSIONS' AND OVERSAW THE PRODUCTION AND TALENT BOOKINGS OF ORIGINAL PROGRAMS 'HOW I BLEW UP,' 'BEHIND THE VIDEO,' 'REACT LIKE YOU KNOW' AND 'WHO IS.'

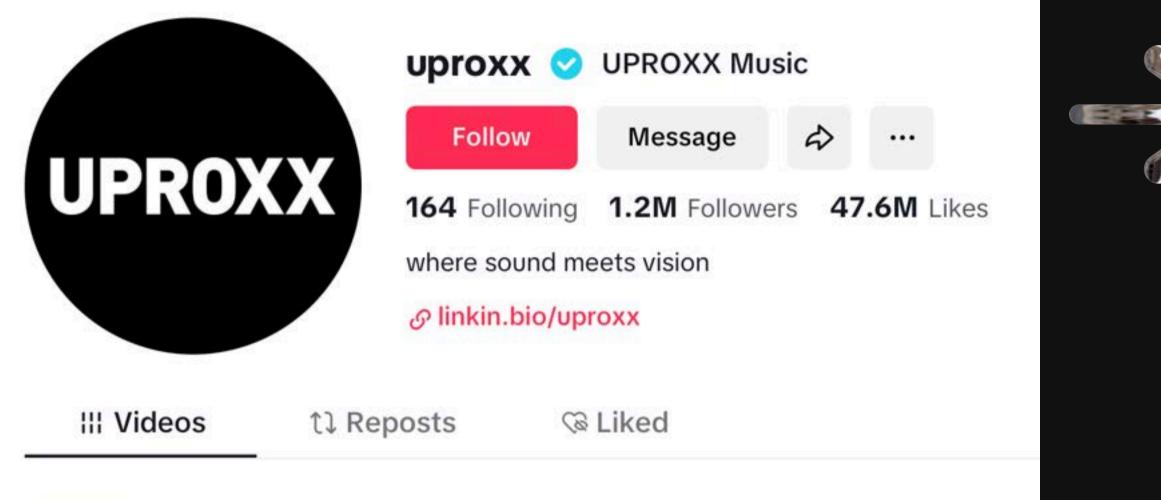


Project Portfolio

TAKE A LOOK







Playlists

TIKTOK AUDIENCE GROWTH

WITH CAREFUL PLANNING AND DATA ANALYTICS, I WAS ABLE TO GROW UPROXX'S BRAND NEW TIKTOK ACCOUNT TO OVER 1.2 MILLION FOLLOWERS, AVERAGING A GROWTH RATE OF 27% PER YEAR. <u>HOW:</u> A COMMITTED, CONSISTENT SCHEDULE, COMBINED WITH A NEVER-ENDING LOOP OF CREATIVE PLANNING.

<u>KEY:</u> THE PERFECT BALANCE OF OWNED MEDIA, USER GENERATED CONTENT AND TRENDS FOR A DIGITAL ECOSYSTEM OF CONSTANT ENGAGEMENT WITH THE AUDIENCE AND UPROXX BRAND.



Project 01

Followers

500000				
400000				
300000				
200000				
100000				
0	2019	2020	2021	2022

I WAS TASKED WITH USING MY EXPANSIVE NETWORK OF MUSIC INDUSTRY CONTACTS TO BOOK AND CURATE THE LIVE PERFORMANCE SERIES 'UPROXX SESSIONS.' I WAS ALSO RESPONSIBLE FOR OVERSEEING THE POST-PRODUCTION AND DISTRIBUTION OF OWNED MEDIA ACROSS ALL SOCIAL MEDIA PLATFORMS FOR A UNIQUE INTEGRATED COMMUNICATION SYSTEM.

Project 02 UPROXX SESSIONS

OVER 100 ACTS BOOKED. OVER 105M+ VIEWS. FOREVER VIRAL.



Project 03

MADE FOR TIKTOK J

AS MORE SOCIAL MEDIA PLATFORMS BEGIN TO FAVOR VERTICAL VIDEOS, I PIVOTED TO CREATING OWNED MEDIA "MADE FOR TIKTOK" INTENTIONALLY TAILORED FOR EACH ARTIST.



WHO IS RICO NASTY UPROXX

Who Is Rico Nasty?

I INTERVIEWED RICO NASTY FOR THE MINI-DOC 'WHO IS RICO NASTY' AND WAS ALSO RESPONSIBLE FOR ITS DISTRIBUTION ACROSS ALL SOCIAL MEDIA PLATFORMS. THIS INCLUDED FINDING UNIQUE WAYS TO REPURPOSE THE DOC FOR BITE-SIZED CONSUMPTION.

Project 04

i remember the first time i wore black lipstick



Saweetie f/ Doja Cat "Best Friend" Lyric Video

COLLABORATING WITH SAWEETIE'S DIGITAL MARKETING TEAM, I CREATIVE DIRECTED THE MAKING OF A LYRIC VIDEO FOR HER SONG "BEST FRIEND" FEATURING DOJA CAT TO BE DISTRIBUTED ON UPROXX MUSIC'S YOUTUBE. TIMING AND FRIENDLY ENGAGEMENT WAS KEY TO ITS MORE THAN 295M VIEWS.

Project 05



BACH ENTERPRISES King Bach's "Black Panther Parody" I WAS RESPONSIBLE FOR CASTING THE EXTRAS, MADE SURE EVERYTHING RAN SMOOTHLY AND THAT TALENT KNEW THEIR CALL TIME. I SPENT A LOT OF QUALITY TIME AT WESTERN COSTUME COMPANY AND LEIMERT PARK TO CREATE THESE LOOKS.



BY KING BACH

HIPHOPDX The Thought Box

I CREATED THIS ENGAGING SERIES TO HELP ARTISTS TELL THEIR STORIES IN A WAY THAT WOULD TRANSLATE INTO A VIRAL MOMENT FOR HIPHOPDX'S SOCIAL ACCOUNTS AND WEBSITE.

MORE PROJECTS

YUNG PINCH GOT A DISCOUNTED SOULJA BOY FEATURE IN HIGH SCHOOL



@hiphopdx

sooo i started a thing with @<u>hiphopdx</u>

SOCIAL MEDIA OWNED MEDIA TIKTOK INSTAGRAM/META X (TWITTER) YOUTUBE CONTENT PRODUCTION PROBLEM SOLVING MEDIA PLANNING COPYWRITING SCRIPT WRITING STRATEGY RESEARCH DATA ANALYSIS CREATIVITY **PROJECT MANAGEMENT** LINUX ADAPTABILITY FORESIGHT

SKILLS

ADOBE PHOTOSHOP CAPCUT COMMUNITY MANAGEMENT DIGITAL MARKETING INFLUENCER MANAGEMENT GOOGLE ADS LATER



Work Experience



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The Forefront Group ----- PRESENT

Digital Media Manager (Freelance)

MANAGE SOCIAL MEDIA FOR NICHE MEDIA ACCOUNTS. DEVELOP DIGITAL MEDIA PLAN FOR AUDIENCE GROWTH **USING DATA ANLYTICS.**

Warner Music Group @ UPROXX 2018-2024

Freelance News Writer into Digital Media Contnent Manager

DEVELOPED & PRODUCED OWNED MEDIA. CURATED DIGITAL CONTENT FOR VARIOUS PROGRAMS INCLUDING LIVE PERFORMANCE SERIES 'UPROXX SESSIONS' AND THE STORYTELLING MINI-DOC SERIES 'HOW I BLEW **UP.' BOOKED TALENT AND CONDUCTED** INTERVIEWS.

I HAVE BEEN WORKING IN THE ENTERTAINMENT INDUSTRY SINCE I MOVED TO LOS ANGELES FROM HOUSTON, TEXAS OVER 10 YEARS AGO. NATURALLY, I'VE PICKED UP A LOT OF SKILLS I AM GRATEFUL FOR ALONG THE WAY. ALL OF THEM HAVE BEEN USEFUL ALONG MY JOURNEY IN BECOMING THE DIGITAL STRATEGIST I AM TODAY.

Bach Enterprises <u>2018-2019</u> Executive Assistant ASSISTED CEO IN DAY-TO-DAY ACTIVITIES, SCHEDULE, TRAVEL, MEETINGS, FILM SHOOTS, COSTUME DESIGN AND EVENTS. ASSISTED IN THE MANAGEMENT OF 10+ INFLUENCERS.

Work Experience



CONTENT PRODUCTION.

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HipHopDX

2015-2019

Intern into Social Media Manager MANAGED SOCIAL MEDIA ACCOUNTS, **DEVELOPED DIGITAL CONTENT, WROTE NEWS ARTICLES AND MUSIC REVIEWS.**

Chic Little Devil PR 2014

Celebrity Placement Intern

GIFTED ITEMS FROM CLIENTS' LATEST COLLECTIONS TO APPROVED TALENT. TRACKED WHEN THE TALENT WAS SPOTTED WITH THE ITEM, SUCH AS A RED CARPET **EVENT. SHOWED STYLISTS AROUND** SHOWROOM.

I STARTED OUT AS AN INTERN AT FASHION AND ENTERTAINMENT PUBLIC **RELATIONS FIRMS WHILE ALSO WORKING AS A FREELANCE MUSIC JOURNALIST.** THIS IS THE PATHWAY THAT HAS LED TO MY WORK IN SOCIAL MEDIA AND DIGITAL





Education



2026 University of Houston BA, STRATEGIC COMMUNICATION SPRING 2026

STRATEGIC COMMS STUDENT

Awards + Associations

2024 NATIONAL CYBER SCHOLAR. 2024 WASHINGTON MEDIA SCHOLAR SEMI-FINALIST. WOMEN IN CYBERSECURITY. PRE-LAW SOCIETY MEMBER.

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