## **GIA NGUYEN**

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#### **EDUCATION**

The University of Texas at Austin

May 2026

Bachelor's of Science, Advertising - Moody College of Communication

Bachelor's of Art, Human Dimensions of Organization - College of Liberal Arts

Creative Writing Certificate - College of Liberal Arts

**Business Minor - McCombs School of Business** 

### **ADVERTISING EXPERIENCE**

Realtor.com, Austin, TX

Jun 2025-Present

# Digital Marketing Intern

- Led the migration of 50+ transactional email templates from Codebase to SendGrid, overseeing QA, validation, PFA testing, debugging HTML, and collaborating with engineers to ensure functionality and scalability.
- Designed and executed marketing email campaigns targeting 100K+ users via Iterable, conducting A/B testing on newsletters to analyze open rates, click-throughs, and user engagement.
- Delivered in-depth performance analysis for key sponsors for FY'25, highlighting campaign wins, pinpointing underperforming areas, and uncovering actionable opportunities to optimize future partnerships and ROI.
- Analyzed affiliate conversion data from Tapfiliate, identifying performance trends and crafting tailored reports to support re-engagement strategies.

Chubby Diaries, Austin, TX

Jun 2024-Aug 2024

#### Social Media Intern

- Researched social media trends and competitor activity in the travel space, providing video ideas and strategic content recommendations that helped increase Instagram reach by 15.77% and impressions by 11.71%, strengthening the brand's visibility and engagement.
- Created content scripts, edited short-form video assets, and contributed to cross-platform content production with a focus on engagement optimization that drove a 229% increase in video views and a 300% growth in subscribers.

#### **ADDITIONAL EXPERIENCE**

DoorDash, Austin, TX

Feb 2025-May 2025

- **Project Manager**  Led a team of 5 in developing a full-funnel integrated media campaign for DoorDash's initiative, in partnership with Wavemaker.
- Managed campaign strategy, media mix planning, budgeting (\$10M mock budget), creative mockups, competitive analysis, persona development, and KPI setting.
- Contributed to investment plan creation, buying grids, media flowchart development, and paid/earned/owned media recommendations across digital, OOH, broadcast, and social

# **Garland Independent School District, Garland, TX**

Jun 2023-Aug 2023

#### **Graphic Design Intern**

- Developed custom branding and promotional materials, such as name tags, logos, foam boards, and table tents, for special events and district showcase events.
- Compiled and analyzed qualitative data to enhance the user experience (UX) design for the district's website.

#### **LEADERSHIP EXPERIENCE AND ACTIVITIES**

Last Writers, Austin, TX Co-President

Jul 2023-June 2025

- Collaborated with cross-functional teams to plan and coordinate funding efforts, workshops, and community outreach activities, effectively raising awareness and support for the organization's mission of preserving patients' life stories.
- Proactively established and maintained relationships with hospice homes, securing new partnerships annually and assisting with assessing and finding patients, ensuring the program's continuity and expanding its impact.

### **HONORS AND AWARDS**

University Honors (5 semesters)

Fall 2022-Present

The LAGRANT Foundation recipient

Spring 2024-Present

Tracy-Locke Morris Hite Endowed Presidential Scholarship for Advertising Studies

Fall 2024

## **SKILLS**

Software: Microsoft Word, Excel, Outlook, PowerPoint, Google Workspace, YouTube Analytics, Google Analytics 4, Tableau, Google Trends, Kantar, Mintel, Winmo, Jira, Iterable, Confluence, Mixpanel, Tapfiliate, SendGrid, Beefree

Certifications: Google Digital Marketing & E-commerce Specialization, Social/Behavioral Researchers, Amazon DSP, Google Ads Display, Google Ads Search, Google Analytics, Amazon Sponsored Ads, Amazon Ads Foundations

Writing: AP Style, Copy-Editing, Biographies

Programming Language HTML, CSS