LinkedIn Profile Checklist

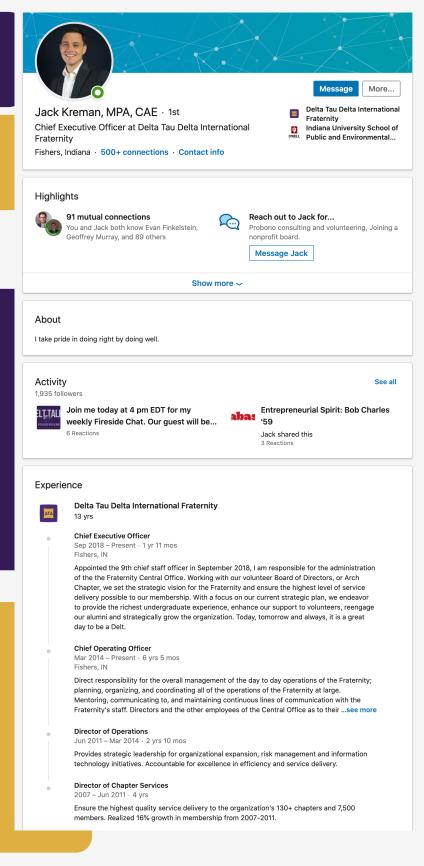
PHOTO: It does not have to be fancy. Use your phone's camera in front of a plain background. Wear a nice shirt and don't forget to smile.

HEADLINE: Tell people what you're excited about now and the cool things you want to do in the future.

ABOUT: Describe what makes you tick. Passion is the heart of some of the best summaries. Opening up about what you love to do adds context to your career. Think about what excites you most professionally—what drives you besides your paycheck? This is an especially good angle if you're younger and don't have much work experience.

Choose stories and words that show who you are as a person, not just a professional. Great summaries hint at traits such as gratitude, humility and humor. Authenticity is key, so be honest with yourself.

EXPERIENCE: In a nutshell, the Experience section of your LinkedIn profile is your online resume. When formatting your LinkedIn profile, it is important to include employment (current and past). While you might not include every job in your past on a traditional resume, it is appropriate to include your entire work history on LinkedIn. LinkedIn gives you 2000 characters to describe your responsibilities, achievements and tasks in this section. Use them. This is a section that counts for LinkedIn's internal search engine, so use your keywords.



EDUCATION: Starting with college, list all the educational experiences you have had including internships and summer programs. Your Education section says a lot about you, especially to potential employers so be sure to use keywords that might help your profile stand out to them.

LICENSES & CERTIFICATIONS: This is

awesome for those who need some sort

of certification to get hired, as recruiters

certification you may have. Be sure to keep

might search under certifications.

So whether its C++ or CPR, add any

these up to date as these often expire.

Education



O'NEILL

Indiana University School of Public and Environmental Affairs Master of Science, Public Administration - Nonprofit Management 2008 - 2011

Earned a perfect 4.0 grade point average pursuing an MPA degree in Nonprofit Management at the prestigious Indiana University School of Public and Environmental Affairs (SPEA), Academic work culminated in a capstone project in which I managed a team of classmates as we consulted with the FIRST program to investigate penetration of their programs into the IPS system.



Activities and Societies: Delta Tau Delta Fraternity, UNK Men's Golf Team, UNK Chorale, Mortar Board Honorary Society, UNK Student Government, UNK Resident Assistant, Volunteer for the ARC of Buffalo County, UNK Nebraskats, UNK Collegium

Pursued a diversified education while maintaining positions of leadership on campus. Balanced campus commitments, with academic requirements and full time employment

Licenses & Certifications



Garth Eberhart, MBA

Officer at The International

COO-Chief Operating

September 14, 2010, Garth managed Jack directl

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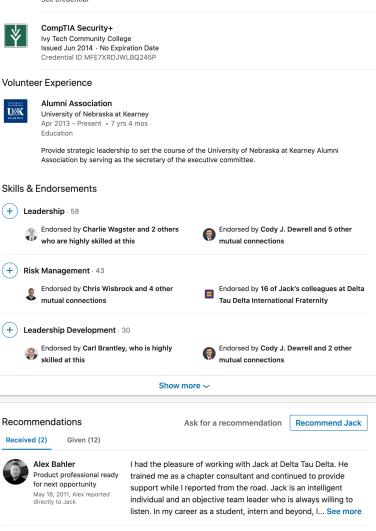




VOLUNTEERING: You are more than just a corporate creature, and your LinkedIn profile should reflect that. There are causes you care about and support after work hours. Showing your philanthropic and humanitarian interests proves you are a well-rounded individual.

SKILLS AND ENDORSEMENTS: According to LinkedIn, people who list at least five skills receive up to 17x more profile views. There is also evidence that the more you have, the higher you'll rank in the search results. Having relevant skills listed on your profile is a signal to others that you're proficient at your work, which will make you more attractive to potential employers.

RECOMMENDATIONS: Ask managers, professors or classmates who you have worked with closely to write a recommendation. This give extra credibility to your strengths and skills.



Jack's initiative, work ethic and willingness to go above and beyond make him an exemplary employee. He truly aligns himself with the needed strategies and tactics to make the organization successful. In doing so, he conducts himself admirably and above reproach. He is artful in his writ... See more

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