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Top Skills

Pet Care

Dogs

Customer Service

Austin Villarreal

Co-Founder & Head of Operations at Hound
Austin, Texas, United States

Experience

hound

Co-Founder & Head of Operations
January 2021 - Present (1 year 8 months)
Austin, Texas, United States

We exist to empower job seekers and employees, provide great tools for employers, and foster community in the pet care industry. We will become the industry standard, go-to platform for jobs and culture in pet care.

Built by and for pet care professionals. This is going to be awesome

Pet Care Collective

Founder
April 2021 - Present (1 year 5 months)
Austin, Texas Metropolitan Area

We created Pet Care Collective for one reason - unity. Through unifying the sharpest minds and kindest hearts in pet care, our goal is to craft a better, brighter future for the people of our industry. We're better together.

Healthier culture. Better technology. Stronger community.

Mammoth Creameries

Director Of Operations
June 2019 - October 2021 (2 years 5 months)
Austin, Texas Area

PAZ Animal Collective

Customer Experience Manager
May 2017 - June 2019 (2 years 2 months)
Austin, Texas Area

PAZ is a rapidly-growing \$5MM veterinary startup. I've helped to staff and develop workflows for 2 clinics, and am excited to help with the launch of our 3rd practice!

- Launched the front-facing experience of two new clinics
- Protocol development across multiple practices

- Interview, hire and facilitate the training of onboarding customer success representatives
- Ensure efficient workflow through cross-functional collaboration
- Assist in marketing through instagram and community events
- Analyze KPIs for our newsletter, web traffic, and reviews

LUNA Innovation

R&D Intern

January 2015 - December 2016 (2 years)

My colleague and friend launched a pharmaceutical packaging startup in college. I assisted in market research and prototyping.

- Researched competitive landscape and marketing opportunity
- Defined product qualities and assisted with design and 3D printing

Manchaca Village Veterinary Care

Veterinary Technician

September 2015 - September 2016 (1 year 1 month)

Austin, Texas Area

I worked at a 5-doctor veterinary practice and delivered excellent customer service and patient care.

- Identified customer service and patient care
- Trained new hires and assisted in employee skill development

Education

Texas State University

Wildlife Biology · (2014 - 2016)