

# **MARION KHENAFFOU**

## MARKETING DIRECTOR

Digital Acquisition • Branding • ROI • Communication • International Development

Executive Marketing Leader shaping scalable, sustainable growth across SaaS, B2B, B2C, FMCG, and MedTech. I transform marketing into a true business driver, blending strategic vision, operational excellence, applied AI, and a strong ROI mindset. Experienced in leading international teams across 35+ countries to build responsible, high-impact growth.

## **EDUCATION**

#### HARVARD BUSINESS SCHOOL

Sustainable Business Strategy Certificate: March 2024

#### **NEOMA BUSINESS SCHOOL**

Bachelor of Science - Marketing Diplomated: May 2004

#### **OLYMPIA HIGH SCHOOL**

High School diploma - USA Diplomated: June 1998

## **KEY COMPETENCIES**

- Strategic Marketing Leadership
- Go-to-Market
- International Team Management
- Digital Acquisition, CRM & Performance
- Brand Strategy
- **ROI-driven Acquisition**
- Sales Enablement & Commercial Excellence
- Al for Marketing Optimization
- Ethical & Sustainable Marketing (ESG)

#### **TOOLS**

Salesforce • HubSpot • GA4 • Google Ads • SEMrush • Trello • Asana • Canva Pro • WordPress • AB Tasty • ChatGPT Agile methods & lean marketing • Budget tracking • P&L management • Panel studies (Nielsen)

## HOBBIES

- Secor and DIY
- Genealogy (writing a book)
- Eco-friendly travel

## PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

## Transition Lead Trade Marketing AFH & Export - Mondelez International 2024 (freelance) | FMCG | Team: 5

- Led go-to-market strategies for Food Service, covering pricing, CGP, and promotions.
- Developed a custom ROI Builder for channel prioritization and profitability analysis.
- Collaborated with marketing, finance, and commercial teams.
- Managed third-party agencies for POS visibility, retail activations, and promotional

### Marketing & Digital Acquisition Director - Allurion Technologies

2022 - 2024 | MedTech | Multi-markets | Budget: 10 M€ | Team: 20

- Member of the Corporate Leadership Team, shaping global go-to-market strategy.
- Built and led a marketing center of excellence (CRM, paid media, content, analytics) with a hybrid team across Europe and the Middle East.
- Designed and optimized data-driven customer journeys with persona-based lead scoring and CRM integration.
- Developed a multi-market performance dashboard (CAC, LTV, ROAS, CPL)
- ✓ ROI x2 MQL x10 Shortened acquisition cycle by 10%

#### B2B Marketing Strategy Director - Sodexo / Pluxee

2017 - 2021 | CSR | 35 countries | Budget: €2M | Extended team: 150 marketers

- Member of the Global Marketing Transformation Board, driving strategies across 35 countries.
- Built a Group-level marketing center consolidating CRM, digital acquisition, content, and brand strategy.

  Deployed global frameworks for campaigns, launches, and KPI tracking.
- Structured and led a multi-country team of 150 marketers across EMEA, LATAM, and APAC, in collaboration with agencies and tech/data teams.
- -30% budget | +10% performance | + international synergies

#### Product & Services Marketing Manager - RELX Group 2014 - 2017 | Publishing / Event Management | Budget: €1M | Team: 14

- Offer structuring, range redesign, product strategy, and content
- Product performance management and enhancement of sales support materials
- √ +10% participants | +4% digital revenue

#### EARLY CAREER: DISNEY, MICROSOFT, ENTREPRENEUR 2004 - 2014 | Branding, Digital, UX, Project Management

- Managed B2B and B2C digital marketing campaigns. Built an ethical e-commerce brand: UX, SEO, CRM, content creation.
- Developed strong international project management and branding skills.

## MANAGERIAL VALUES

Empowering leadership | Strategic marketing and growth vision | Scalable, sustainable organization builder | Board-level influence | Operational and partner agility | Customer-centric innovation and impact culture