



# Michael ANDERSON

## HEAD OF MERCHANDISING

Innovative Retail Merchandising Executive with a passion for consumer engagement and brand storytelling through effective merchandising strategies. Extensive experience in creating immersive shopping experiences that resonate with diverse customer demographics. Proven ability to utilize market research and customer insights to inform product assortment and visual merchandising standards. Strong leadership skills demonstrated through the management of multi-disciplinary teams to execute cohesive merchandising strategies across various platforms.

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### SKILLS

- experiential merchandising
- consumer engagement
- brand storytelling
- visual design
- social media marketing
- event management

### LANGUAGES

- English
- Spanish
- French

### EDUCATION

**BACHELOR OF FINE ARTS IN VISUAL  
MERCHANDISING - FASHION  
INSTITUTE OF TECHNOLOGY**

### ACHIEVEMENTS

- Increased overall store traffic by 50% through innovative merchandising strategies.
- Won the National Retail Visual Merchandising Award for outstanding design and execution.
- Developed a comprehensive training program for merchandising staff that improved performance metrics.

### WORK EXPERIENCE

#### HEAD OF MERCHANDISING

Creative Retail Concepts

2020 - 2025

- Developed experiential merchandising strategies that increased customer dwell time by 30%.
- Managed a team of 12 merchandising specialists and visual designers to execute innovative displays.
- Conducted consumer focus groups to gather insights and refine merchandising approaches.
- Collaborated with marketing teams to align merchandising with brand campaigns.
- Oversaw the execution of in-store events that enhanced customer engagement and brand loyalty.
- Utilized social media analytics to inform merchandising decisions and promotional strategies.

#### VISUAL MERCHANDISING MANAGER

Trendy Retailers Inc.

2015 - 2020

- Designed and implemented visual merchandising standards across multiple retail locations.
- Worked closely with product teams to ensure alignment between merchandising and product offerings.
- Trained staff on visual merchandising best practices to enhance customer experience.
- Monitored sales performance of visual displays and provided actionable insights.
- Collaborated with external vendors to create unique promotional displays.
- Executed seasonal merchandising plans that increased foot traffic by 20%.