

Birmingham Bloomfield Chamber of Commerce Presents:

Communicating Your Business in a 2020 World

ABOUT ME

- GO GREEN!
- Nearly 20 years of experience
- Account Director at Identity
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ABOUT ME

PR Professionals



What my friends think I do



What my boss think I do



What my mom thinks I do



What I think I do



What society thinks I do



What I actually do

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QUICK POLL



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MODERN PR MIX

The communications landscape is changing. Marketing, Public Relations and Advertising are *converging more than ever*.

Social media is at the heart of much of the convergence. These things together are creating the

MODERN COMMUNICATIONS MIX

APPLES TO ORANGES TO BANANAS

- Advertising
- Marketing
- Public Relations

The common theme across disciplines is how your audience **FEELS** about your brand.

REPUTATION MANAGEMENT

It's the thread that ties this all together. The **MODERN COMMUNICATIONS MIX** is about creating and sustaining brand awareness and reputation management.

THE CLICHÉ MACHINE

- Know your audience
- Content is king

BUILDING AN EFFECTIVE PROGRAM

- Time
- Money
- Skin in the game
- Staff

PUBLIC RELATIONS

How news has changed

- Fragmentation
- Newsrooms have changed
- Clicks win!
- Less news holes. How can you be relevant?
- Equalized value of media placements
- Paid content is taking its place

CHALLENGES BREED OPPORTUNITY

- Tell your own story on your own platforms
- Technology allows you to advertise to an audience of one. More targeted than ever before. Nearly endless platforms to advertise on.
- Marketing automation programs/creating customer "journeys"



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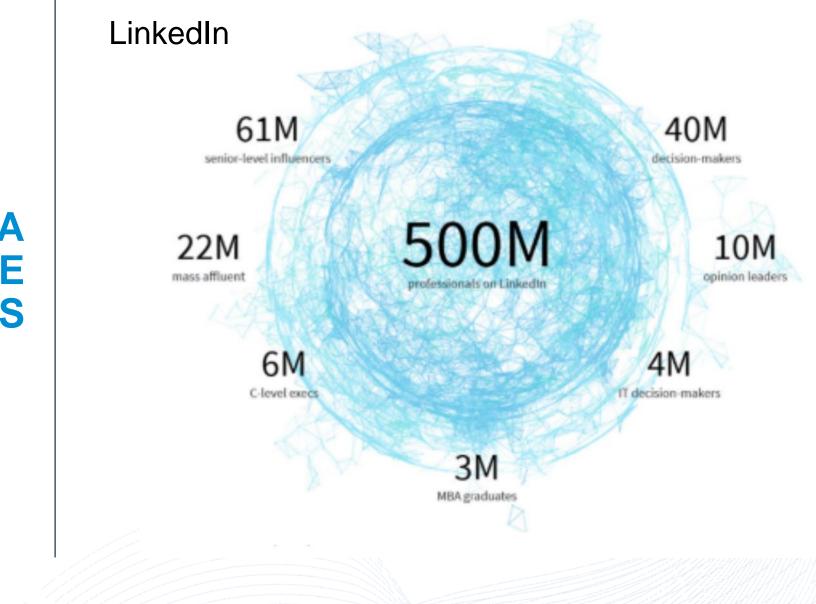
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- Facebook
- Twitter
- Instagram
- LinkedIn
- Podcasts

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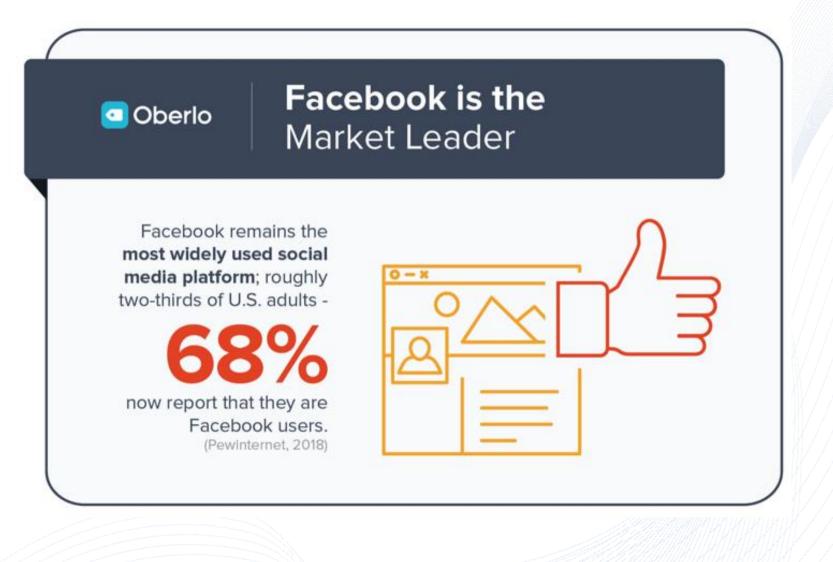
• Blogs





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Instagram Stories Usage



Daily active Instagram Stories users **increased from 150 million** in January 2017 to

500 million

daily active Stories worldwide in January 2019. (Statista, 2019)



How do you choose the right social media platform(s) on which to engage?

SOCIAL MEDIA QUICK HITS

- LinkedIn Professional audience, expensive from a paid perspective.
- Facebook Great for a consumer-facing audience, most b2b companies struggle to produce consistent, quality content. Skews older.
- **Twitter** Super topical. You have to have a unique voice and engage often.

SOCIAL MEDIA QUICK HITS

- **Instagram** Need to have something visual to show and the bandwidth to do it effectively (quality photography, interesting way).
- Podcasts Encouraging stats around businessrelated podcasts. Minimal barrier to entry. Commitment.
- **Blogs** The podcast of a decade ago. Consistency. Voice. Searchability.

Social Media Effectiveness: 101

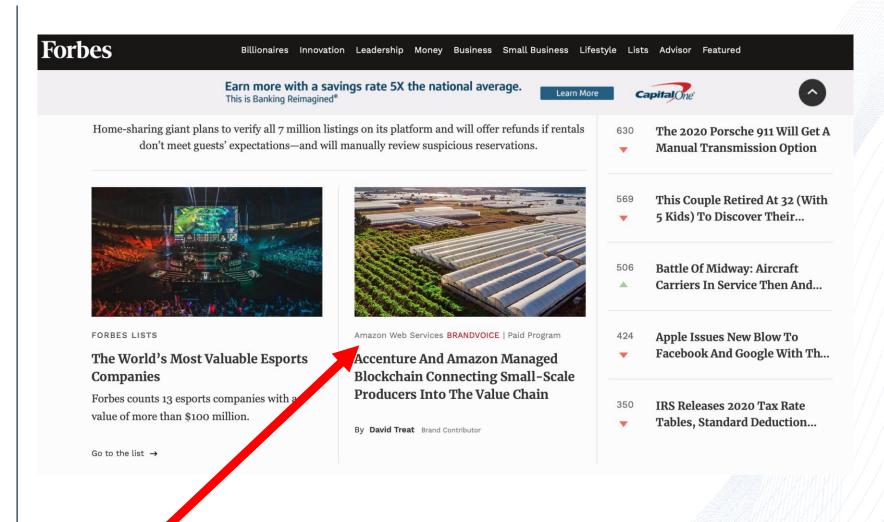
- Consistency
- Relevant content
- Personality of the brand/authenticity

Match the Medium to Your Products/Services & Culture

PAID OPTIONS

Why paid *can* work:

- You control the message
- Targeted
- Often positioned like news/unpaid content
- Provides metrics/data collection opportunities



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You've been tasked with the office holiday party; now what?

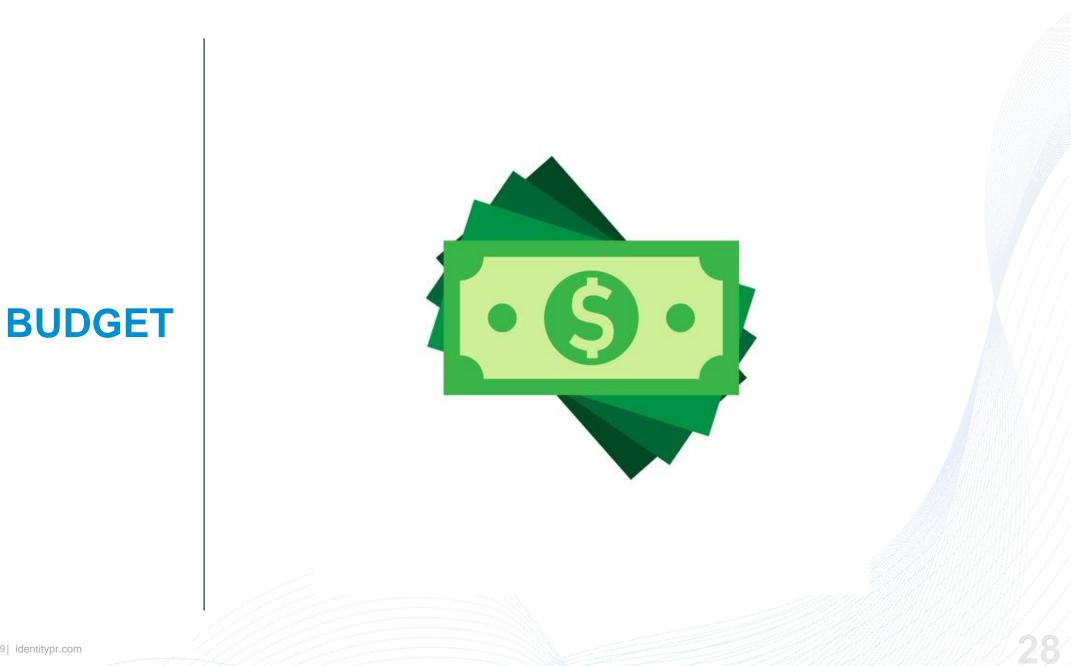
Everyone's working overtime to wrap up major work projects while staying on top of the social demands of the season. Here are five tips to help relieve the stress.

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BUDGET

- Realistic expectations
- Free doesn't really mean free. What is your time worth?



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Industry	% of Revenue Spent on Marketing
Consumer Packaged Goods	24%
Consumer Services	15%
Tech Software/Biotech	15%
Communications/Media	13%
Mining/Construction	13%
Service Consulting	12%
Education	11%
Healthcare/Pharmaceuticals	10%
Retail Wholesale	10%
Banking/Finance/Insurance	8%
Transportation	8%
Manufacturing	8%
Energy	4%

BUDGET PITFALLS

- You can "dip your toe" in the water for minimal investment
- Use targeted budgets to test
- Consider using professionals to scale

FREE Tools

- Google Alerts Monitor online activity/news about your business
- **Hootsuite** Manage/schedule online content
- MailChimp Email marketing campaigns
- Survey Monkey Conduct surveys to gauge feedback on how campaigns are working
- Canva create quality, polished images/infographics

CAUTION: Free Isn't Free

TOOLS

BEST PRACTICES

- Be strategic business objectives
- Start slow
- Repurpose content to maximize communications
 activity
- Measure outcomes
- The target keeps moving be flexible

WHAT MATTERS MOST

Integrated approach. These strategies/approaches to tell your story need to work together.

YOUR TURN

Let's talk about your needs & challenges.

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