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#### **Executive LinkedIn Strategies & Tactics:**

How to Build a Massive LinkedIn Referral Network & Optimized Profile to Get Results Now







#### LinkedIn Is...

- > A 300 Million Person Database
- #1 Professional Network
- Profile to the World
- Establish Expertise
- Source of Direct Access to Talent, Prospects & Strategic Relationships







#### The REAL POWER of LinkedIn



- Position & Brand Yourself
- Brand Company via People
- Build Targeted Networks
- > Access to Top Talent
- Partnerships & Alliances
- ➢ New Prospects & Clients
- > Test Untapped Markets
- Create Predictable Pipelines





# **Knowing The LinkedIn Marketplace**



300,000,000+ LinkedIn Members



Source: LinkedIn® Marketing Solutions



#### **Business Decision Makers**



Small & Medium Business Professionals Over 6.4 Million



Startup Professionals Over 5.8 Million



Business Decision Makers Over 15 Million



Corporate Executives Over 2.8 Million



Financial Service Professional Over 6 Million



IT Professionals Over 8 Million



Marketing Professionals Over 3.8 Million



Career Changers Over 1.7 Million

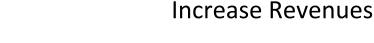




# Why does this all matter?

#### LinkedIn is a Channel that...

### can help...



**Lower Marketing Costs** 

Improve Cashflow

**Connect with Decision Makers** 

# LinkedIn is a Practical Business Tool that when Mastered, can Lead to Exponential Results!





Internet Marketing Company

Events Company

Management Consulting Firm

B2B Fortune 100 Company







## Internet Marketing Co.

- > 7262 Targeted Messages
- > 316 Response: 4.35%
- > 100 PreQual'd Appointment Requests: 1.16%
- Pipeline Increase: \$1.1m
- **Costs: \$16,535**
- Timeline: < 30days</p>





# **Experiential Events Company**

- > 100 Targeted Companies
- > 376 Targeted Custom Messages
- > Response: 5.58%
- ➤ 13 PreQual'd Appointment Requests: 3.45%
- Pipeline Increase: \$9.75m
- Costs: \$16,800
- Timeline: < 60days</p>





# **Management Consulting Firm**

Goal: Build Long Term Thought Leadership, Land New Clients, Create a Best Selling Book

Solution: Build a LinkedIn Community Exclusively with VP's of the Fortune 200



- > 200,000 total VP's of Fortune 200
- 50,000 were accessible
- ▶ 12,000 Double Qualified VP's of Fortune 200 Joined his Exclusive Community
- Best Selling Book & Endless New Busniess
- + Long Term Relationships





# Multi-Billion Office Supply Co.

Goal: 75 Global Sales Reps needed to identify, access, engage & grow their managed accounts

#### **Result:**

- Avg rep added 2000+ High Value Targets to their Target Lists
- Est. personal engagement rate: 30% to 50%
- Est. Pipeline Opportunity Increase per Rep: \$600m
- Annual Requirement: \$50 to \$100m





# The 3 Best Power User Strategies

- > Improve Your Image
  - Profile Mastery to Establish
    Trust & Credibility
- Get Found
  - Networking on Purpose
- Generate Awareness
  - Promotion Tactics



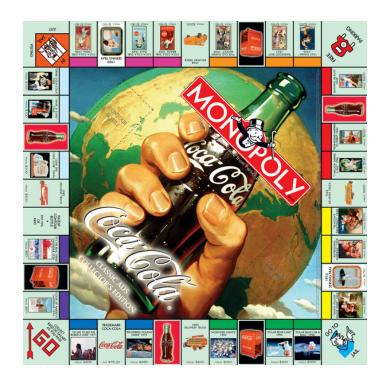




## Improve Your Image: Profile Mastery

"Only one who devotes himself to a cause with his whole strength and soul can be a true master. For this reason mastery demands all of a person."

- Albert Einstein







#### **Profile Optimization**

- Profile Picture
- Professional Headline
- Summary
- Website Names and Links
- Public Profile Name
- Current Title
- Media Integration
- Connections
- Recommendations







"There is nothing worse than a sharp image of a fuzzy concept."

- Ansel Adams

#### Profile Optimization: Professional Headline

#### Models:

- Value Proposition or Solution | Value Proposition or Solution | Trust | Credibility | Title & Company
- Title & Company | Credibility | Value Proposition or Solution | Value Proposition or Solution | Trust
- Value Statement or Specific Call to Action

#### Examples:

- Marketing Director at (Company Name) | DoD Business Solutions
- 13 Million Books Sold | Authority on Creating Lasting Happiness | Transformational Leader |
   CEO, Shimoff & Associates
- M&A IT Strategist | Fortune 100 Program Manager | Strategic Planning | PMO | President & COO at DemingHill





## **Get Found: Networking on Purpose**

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- W. Edwards Deming







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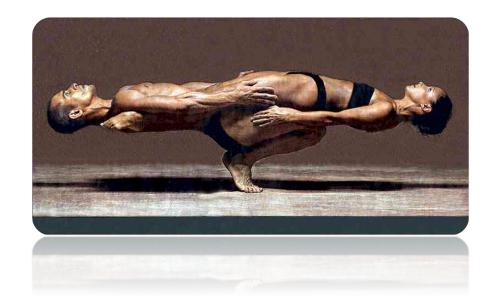




#### **Generate Awareness: Promotion Tactics**

"Something amazing happens when you don't promote... nothing."

- P.T. Barnum





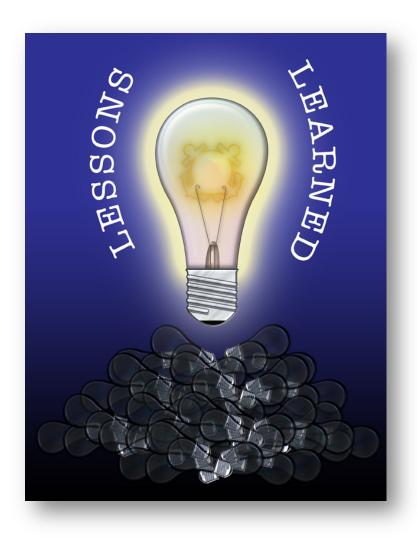
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## **Takeaways**



#### What did we learn?

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- Generate Awareness
  - Promotion Tactics





#### **Contact Information**



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