

Building a Next Generation Marketing Strategy For Economic Development



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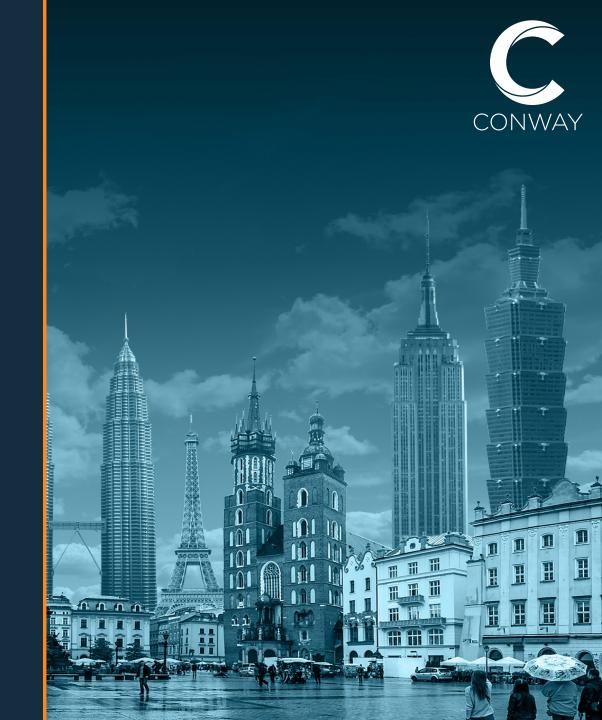
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Agenda

- 1. Next Generation Marketing Strategy
- 2. The Problem
- 3. The Solution
- 4. Walmart Exercise
- 5. Questions













Worlds largest taxi company, owns no vehicles

UBER

Worlds largest bank with, no actual cash

BITCOIN

Worlds most popular media owner that creates no content

FACEBOOK

Worlds largest movie house that owns no real cinemas

NETFLIX

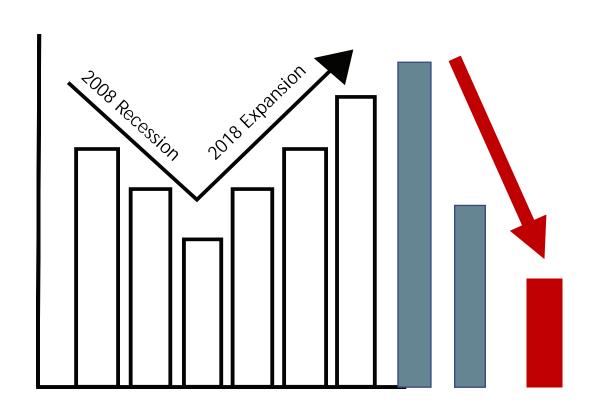
Worlds largest accommodation provider that owns no real estate

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How is Your EDO Positioned?











The Problem



We have always done it this way











The Solution

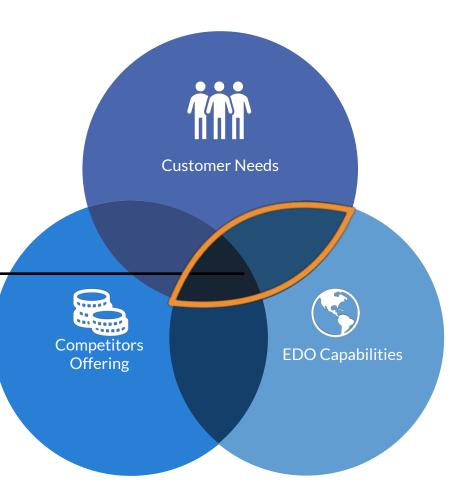


Economic Development Strategy

Where are you going? And how will you get there?

THE SWEET SPOT

It's impossible to execute a strategy if you don't know what it is. This results in frustration among business development, marketing, research and all those in between. Where customers' needs and your community's unique capabilities overlap is what many refer to as the "strategic sweet spot."



Customer Needs

Who is your customer and what do they need? How can you server your customer's customer?

Competitors Offering

Who do you compete with and what is the market offering that you are not? How are they marketing themselves?

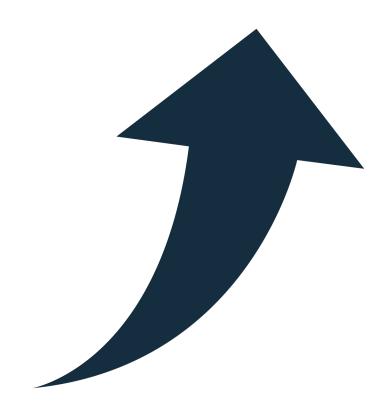
EDO Capabilities

What are the skills that your EDO can bring to the table to best communicate your community's assets to the needs of your customers?



9 Steps to a High Performing Strategy

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1. Set Strategy Positioning Statement

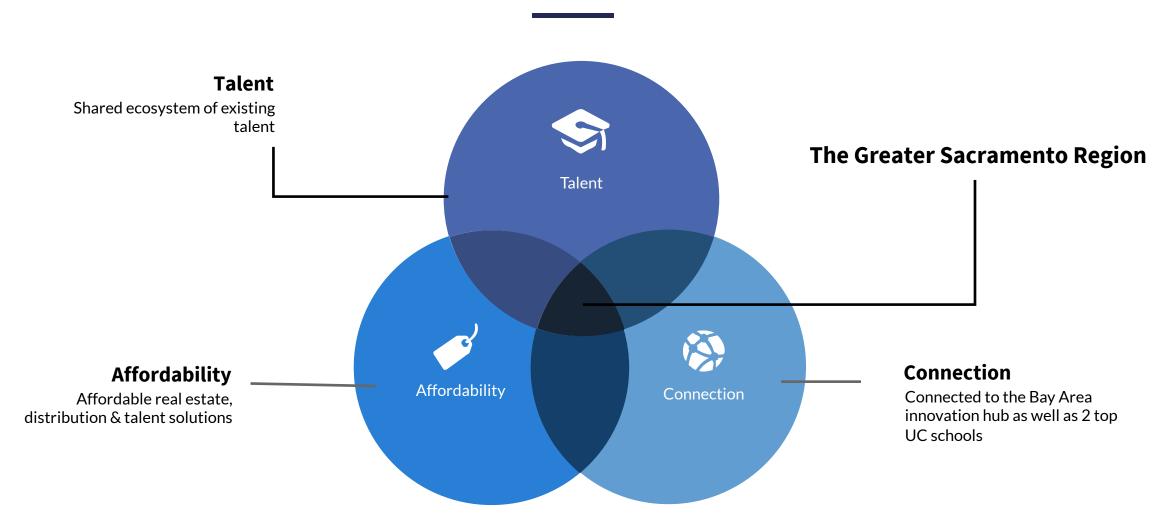
Your **objective** is the goal you are trying to achieve.

The **scope** is the part of the competitive landscape in which your company operates.

Your **competitive advantage** is the essence of your strategy—it describes what your company will do differently from or better than your competitor.

Greater Sacramento's Value Proposition

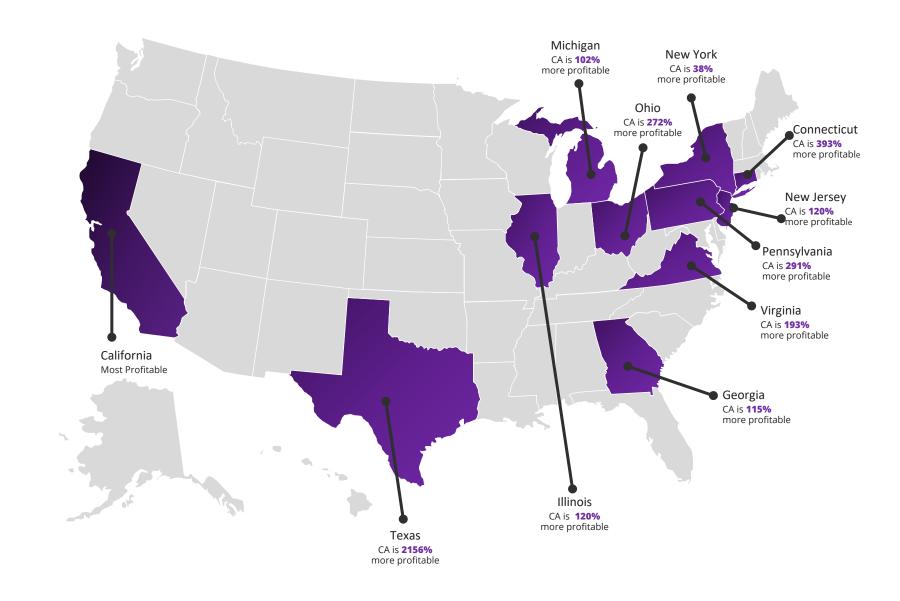
Greater Sacramento provides access to talent and resources through UC Davis and UC Berkeley, as well as the innovation being developed at both top schools, providing a sustainable environment for the next generation of tech start ups.



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10 states with the most Fortune 500 HQs

California has 51 Fortune 500 HQs.
California companies are 2156% more profitable than Texas companies and 38% more profitable than New York companies. This profit amount includes California state taxes and regulations.



NOTE: Eleven states included due to a tie between Georgia and Michigan for 10th place.

SOURCE: Fortune 500, 2016



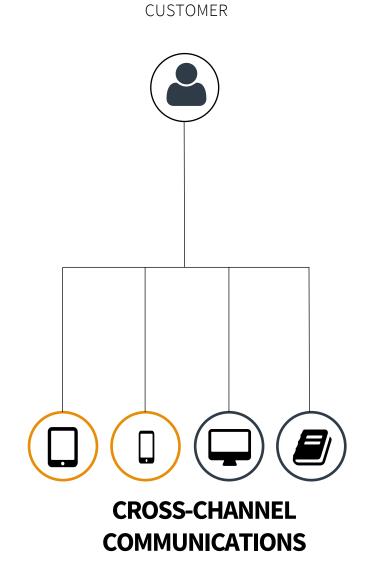
2. Understand + Marketing Your Assets



3. Adopt New Macro Trends

MULTICHANNEL COMMUNICATIONS

CUSTOMERS



Apply trends to your EDO.

Iterate and repeat.



OMNICHANNEL COMMUNICATIONS



A New Opportunity in Digital?

28%

Of Economic Development professionals understand how to leverage digital tools to improve business development and marketing performance

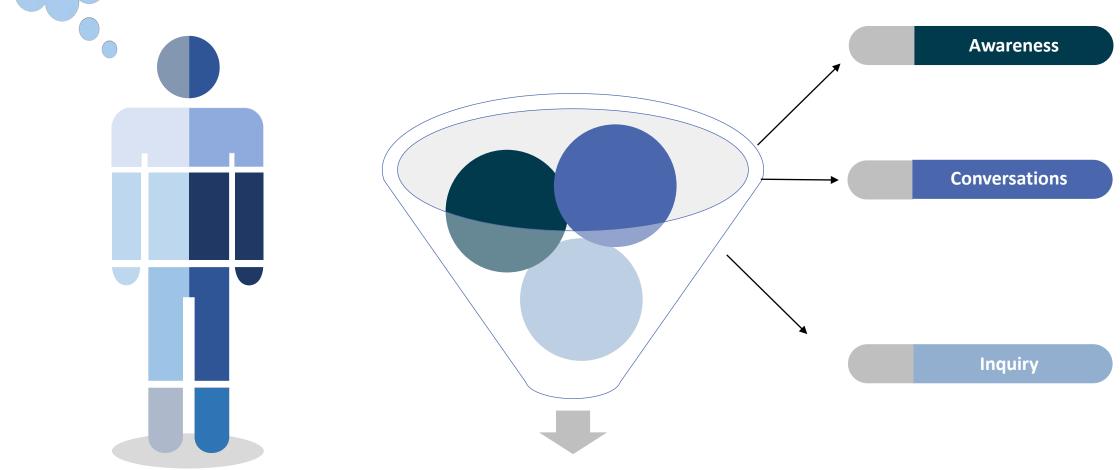
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4. Marketing Personas and Storytelling





Buyer Persona











8. Leverage Tools to Automate + Analyze



- Email Templates
- Meeting Scheduling
- Chat Bots
- Lead Scoring



- Reverse IP Lookup
- Campaign Analytics
- Workflow Management
- Document Storage

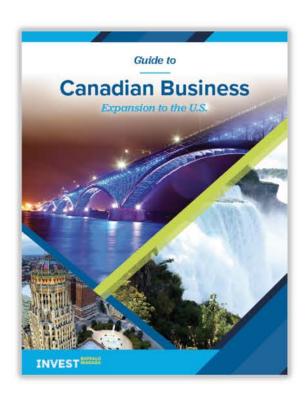




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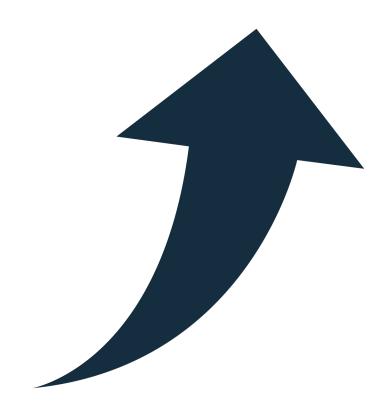


- Site traffic details and analytics
- Total impressions
- Click through rate (CTR)
- SEM performance
- Opt-in conversions
- Downloads
- Conversions
- Leads
- Length of sales cycle
- Press releases
- Media Visits



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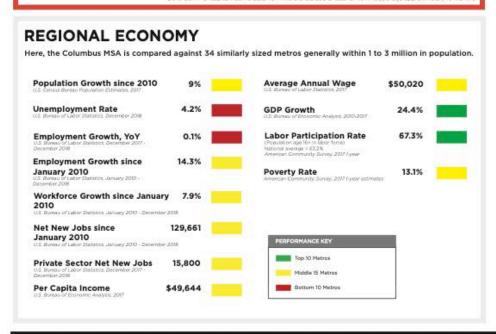
Example: Columbus



COLUMBUS REGION PERFORMANCE DASHBOARD





















Columbus 2020



Doing Business



Market Research



Industries



Moving Here



News & Events



WELCOME

Columbus: Leading the













- ✓ Perform market research
- ✓ Enable sustainable regional brand and narrative
- ✓ Ensure ongoing content development that supports business development objectives
- ✓ Assign roles and KPI's for internal staff and consultant partners
- ✓ Develop marketing scorecard and weekly meetings with BD team
- ✓ Dedicate significant budget for Public Relations and media outreach and editorial
- ✓ Set marketing plan 1 year out
- ✓ Execute plan and and report to executive leadership on quarterly basis









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FAQ's + Parting Thoughts





Marketing programs and strategies should be RESEARCH driven.





USA













high, so we're delighted that Shannon has been

Centre Director Chris Cheung said: "China is certainly

selected as a location for this event."

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TIMELINE 2010 China overtakes Japan as second largest economy 2005 600 million lifted out of poverty since 1981, according to World 1990 Stock markets open in Shanghai & Shenzhen 1989 **Fiananmen** Square massacre 1984 Opens up 14 cities & 3 regions to foreign investment, including

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Relationship Building

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Appointment Setting
Follow up
Appointment Setting
Lead Generation
Event/Seminar Development
Partners/Channel Marketing

Research

Propositions
Predictive analytics

Direct Marketing

Newsletters E-Mail Legislative Updates Polybagged magazines Swag

Training Programs

Sales Training
FDI Training
Sector Training
Specialized Knowledge
Customized Training

Data Management

CRM
Data Visualizations
Operating Procedures

Multipliers Program

Site Consultants
Accounting/Tax
Legal
Specialized Business Services

Metrics

ROI Key Performance Indicators Strategic Imperatives

True urgency is a PRE-REQUISITE for Change.

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