Brand Yourself Better

Finding and using your personal X-factor for business success

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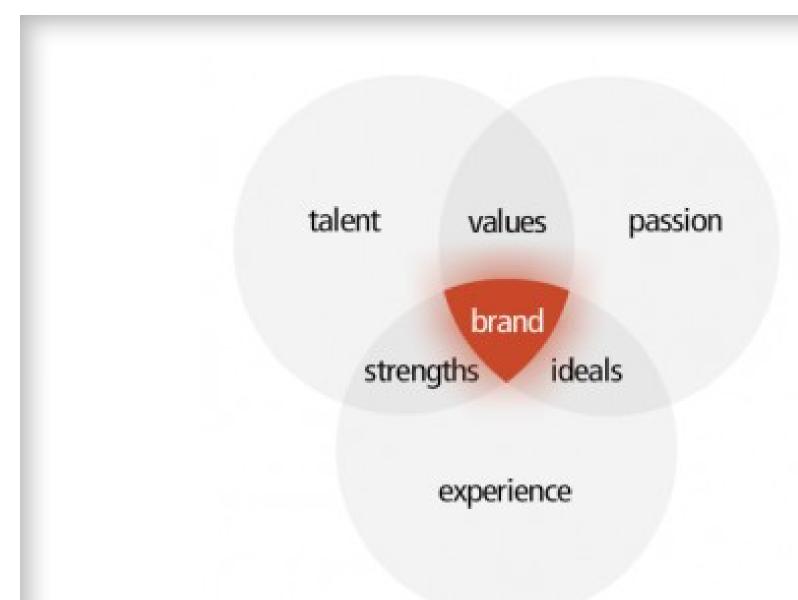
Our Agenda

- What is personal branding?
- What isn't personal branding?
- Benefits
- How to determine your personal brand
- Assets needed to grow and build your personal brand
- Self-packaging
- Measuring and protecting your personal brand

What is personal branding?

YOU as the brand









Today, companies are becoming a lot more like individuals, and individuals are becoming a lot more like companies. In the words of the great philosopher Jay Z: "I'm not a business man. I'm a business, man."



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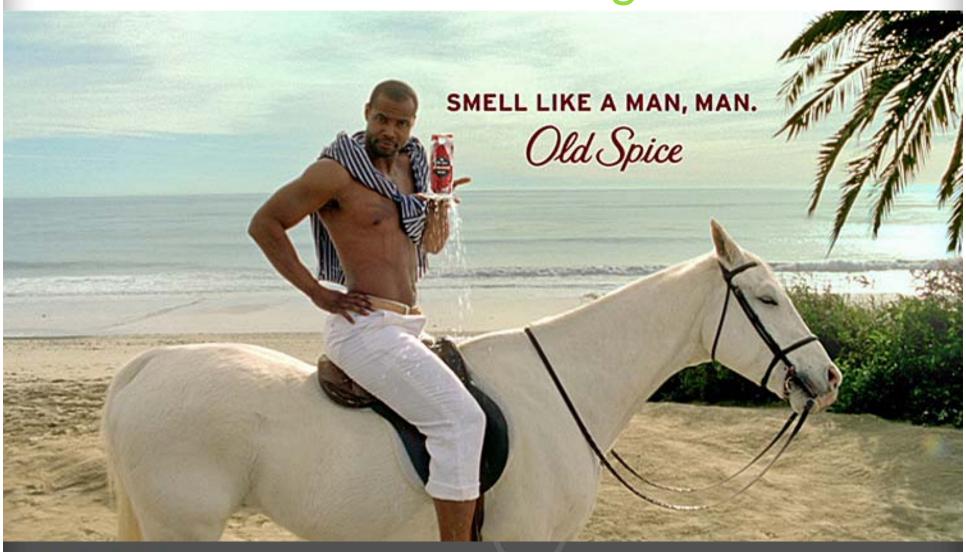
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"Personal branding is what people say about you when you leave the room."

- Jeff Bezos, Amazon founder



What Personal Branding Isn't





Benefits of Personal Branding



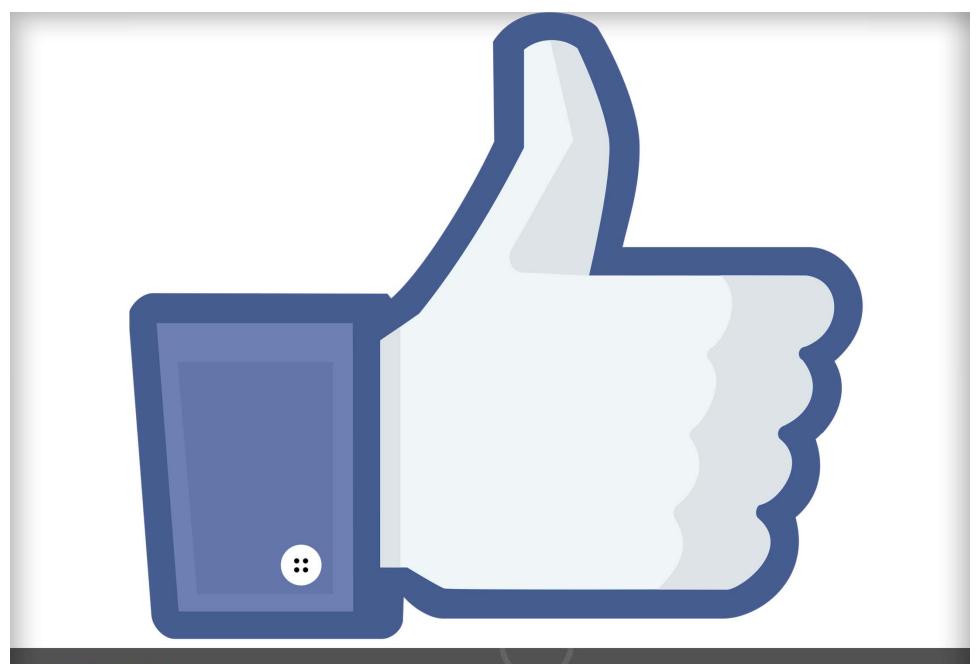


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- What are you good at?
 - Strengths, weaknesses?



 What interests you and motivates you, professionally or personally?



What is your passion?



 What feedback do friends and colleagues provide about how you are perceived?



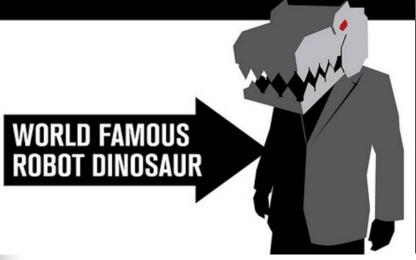
 Experience – What are the factual bases of your career?



 Differentiator – What unique quality makes you different or unusual?



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Assets



RESUME

Jane M. Doe

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Career Objective

To teach choral or general music to K-12 students. Other interests include computers, musical theater, show choir and jazz choir

Educational Preparation

B.M.E.; University of Rush County

Majored in music education (GPA 3.52)

Anticipated graduation May, 2007

University of Illinois 2002 - 2003

Majored in music education (GPA 3.42)

2000 Diploma; Huge High School, San Antonio, TX

Teaching Experience

Spring 2007 Indiana High School

Student teacher

All levels choir grades 8-12

2004 - 2006 Volunteer Teaching Assistant

Rushville University Lab School Beginning chorus; Mixed Glee Club

Honors and Awards

2005 - 2007 Lila Belle Pitts Scholarship Recipient 2005 - 2007 Dean's List University of Rush County

Outstanding Sophomore Musician 2003 2002 Semifinalist at the Midwest NATS Competition

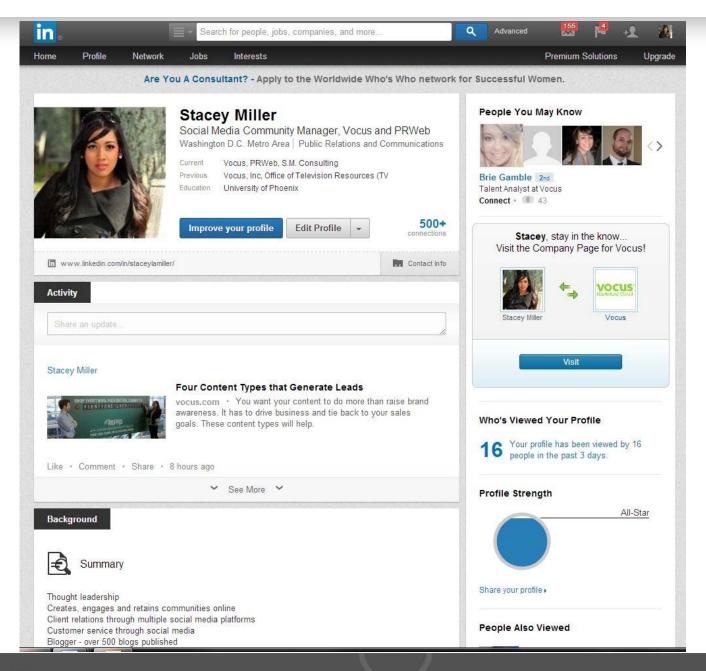
Performance Background

2005 - 2007 Soprano, University of Rush County

Mixed Chorus (2003-2007) Concert Choir (2004) Opera Workshop (2006) Chamber Singers (2003-2004)

Placement file with references available from University of Rush County Student Services.







Rob Grimmett





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Hi, I'm Rob. Corporate communications, social policy research, proud single dad, outdoorsman, runner, cyclist, gardener, Girls at Work, Inc. volunteer and NASCAR-driven.

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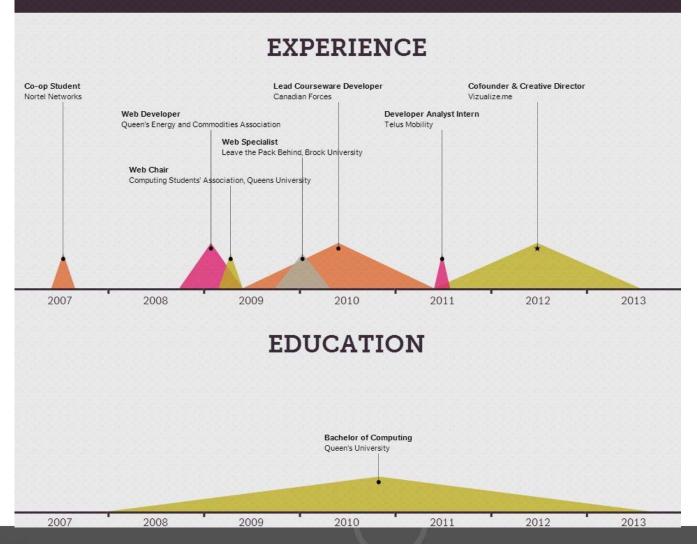




Hannah Wei

Co-founder & Chief Creative at Vizualize.me

I'm a hybrid designer and developer who is passionate about building things with pixels and code. At age 10 I picked up my Dad's old-school HTML4 textbook and taught myself how to build websites. I love to create. Recently I've taken a break from college to build Vizualize.me.







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About Peter Shankman

PR Week Magazine has described Peter as "redefining the art of networking," and Investor's Business Daily has called him "crazy, but effective." Peter Shankman is a spectacular example of what happens when you harness the power of Attention Deficit Hyperactivity Disorder (ADHD) and make it work to your advantage.

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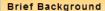
More about HARO

Help A Reporter connects journalists with the sources they require using a social media platform.

HARO (Help A Reporter Out) is already over 36,000 members and growing, and has a growing stable of national journalists using the service on a daily basis.

My only rule: By joining this list, just promise me and yourself that you'll ask yourself before you send a response: Is this response really on target? Is this response really going to help the journalist, or is this just a BS way for me to get my client in front of the reporter? If you have to think for more than three seconds, chances are, you shouldn't send the response.

Official Biography



www.shankman.com



Peter started his career in Vienna, VA, with America Online as a Senior News Editor, helping found the AOL Newsroom and spearheading coverage of the Democratic and Republican 1996 conventions, which marked the first time an online news service covered any major political event.

Born and raised in New York City, Peter still lives there with his two psychotic cats, Karma and NASA, who consistently deny his repeated requests to relinguish the couch. In the few hours of spare time Peter has per month, he's a frequent runner, with 13 completed marathons and three Olympic distance triathlons to his credit, an amateur boxer, and an "B" licensed skydiver. specializing in free-flying.

The Geek Factory

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THE GEEK FACTORY, INC.

Peter is the founder and CEO of The Geek Factory, Inc., a boutique Marketing and PR Strategy firm located in New York City, with clients worldwide.

His blog, which he launched in 2002, (www.shankman.com) both comments on and generates news and conversation.

My Book

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"I've got an elevator pitch, an escalator pitch, and, just to be safe, a stairway pitch."

Simplified Elevator Pitch

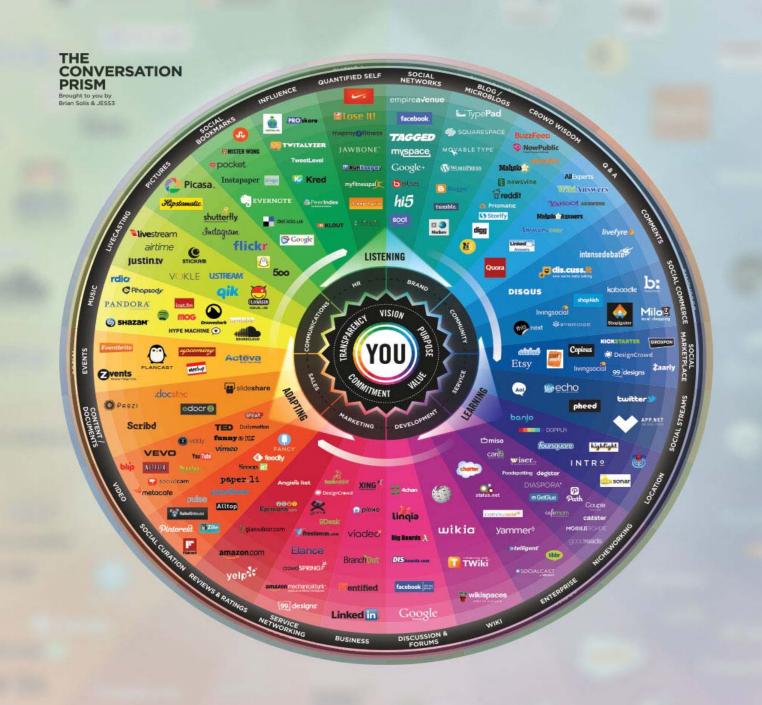
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What problem(s) you solve?

What makes you qualified to do it?

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The Essence of Thought Leadership in a Cluttered Digital World

by Marcus Sheridan





We hear lots of talk about "thought leadership," and it's for good reason—it's real. It matters. And it can lead to great things.

Some may try to deny this reality, but when we dig to the core of each of us—be it on an individual or business level—we all want to be viewed as a thought-leader in some way, shape, or form. Heck, I know I do.

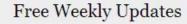
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SEO for Beginners by David Markovich

Posted on July 18, 2013 by Jeff Zelaya

In a world where every invention breeds convenience, web based content is the subtext for modern times. When researching the internet, nobody wants to pop in on countless, complicated, and incoherent websites, offering inadequate amendments to your wasted time. We as consumers need to be able to find what we want immediately, innovation demands it. This is why Search Engine Optimization (SEO) is an important fixture in online marketing via the search engines crawling capabilities. Its protocol is based on the mantra that simplicity is the key to organization.



First off research is needed; one should make sure they aren't putting their time into an idea that has already been tapped. The website should have a title that can easily be interpreted by consumers who can immediately acknowledge the sites content. The title should be unique and brief, yet accurately describes the sites content. Using

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Michael T. Lauer, Cabinet and Furniture ... — Adding to Jonathan Lyons list... You might consider a European-style saw with a sliding table if you can afford one and have the space in your shop layout. The slider act... (more)

What are the best books or resources to learn woodworking?

Jonathan Lyons, I make a lot of sawdus... - One of my favorites is Marc Spagnulo at http://thewoodwhisperer.com/ of his videos are very easy to follow, his workmanship is very thorough, and his designs are often inspire... (more)

Given a \$1000 budget, what tools would you recommend for a beginner in woodworking?

Jonathan Lyons, I make a lot of sawdus ... - Wow, \$1000 on woodworking tools, starting more or less from scratch. It's so easy to make this budget go a long way, or blow it all really quickly. Because of the way the q... (more)

What is the best factory built woodworking bench?

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What are some web sites that provide woodworking plans?

John-Scott Smith, Digital Strategist - Don't forget Wood Magazine ... http://www.woodmagazine.com/wood... 🗗 ... In all honesty, a search for "(X item) Woodworking Plans" will yield some results. I built a Humidor from a... (more)

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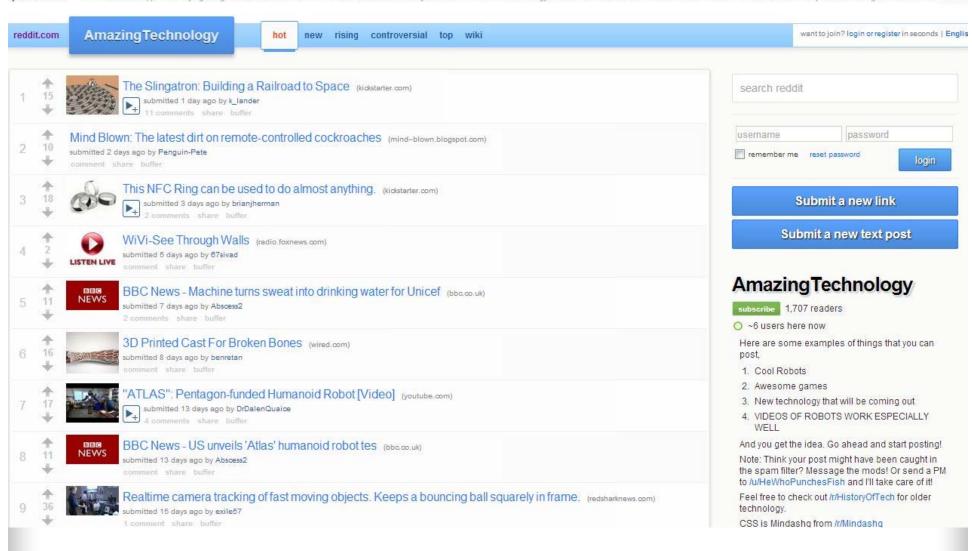
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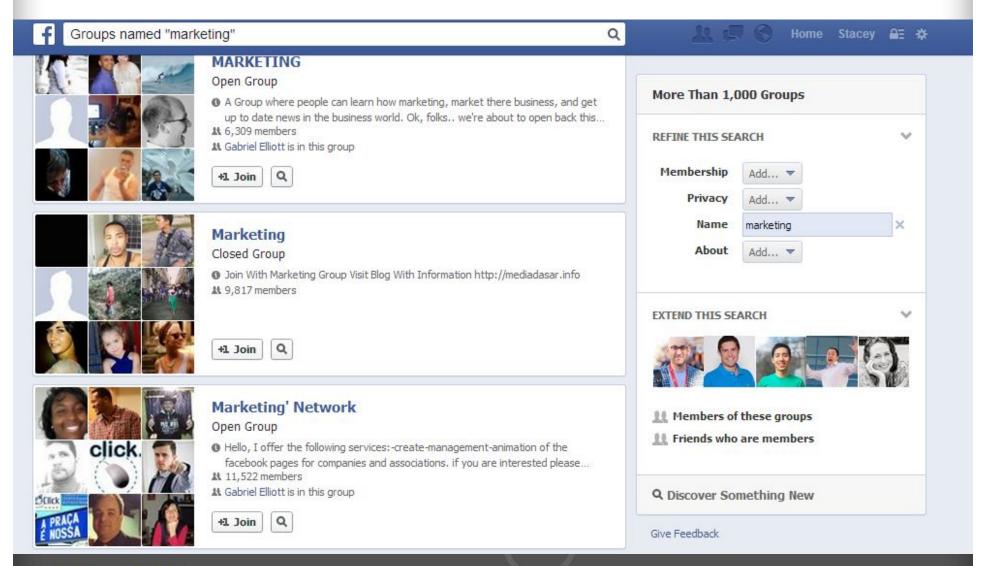
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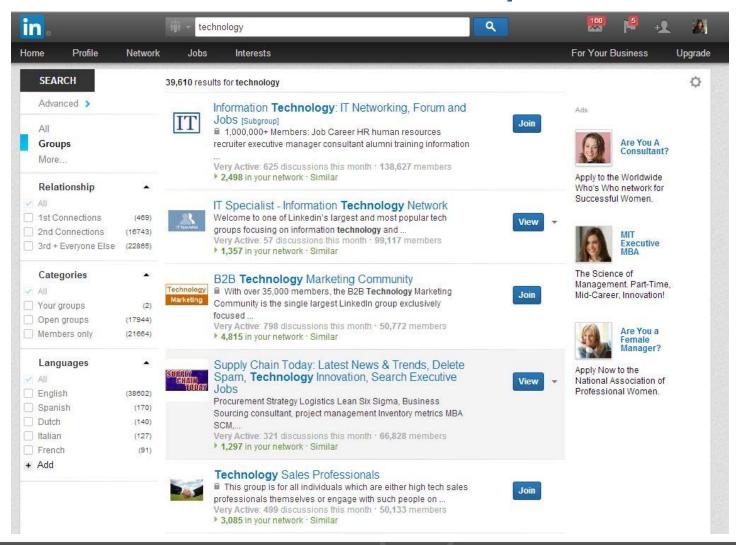


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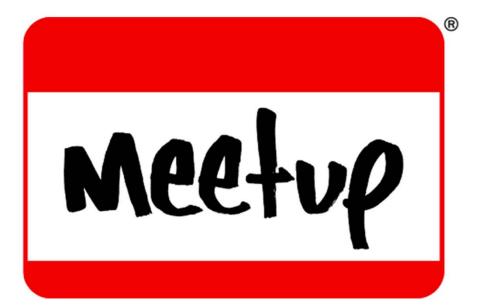
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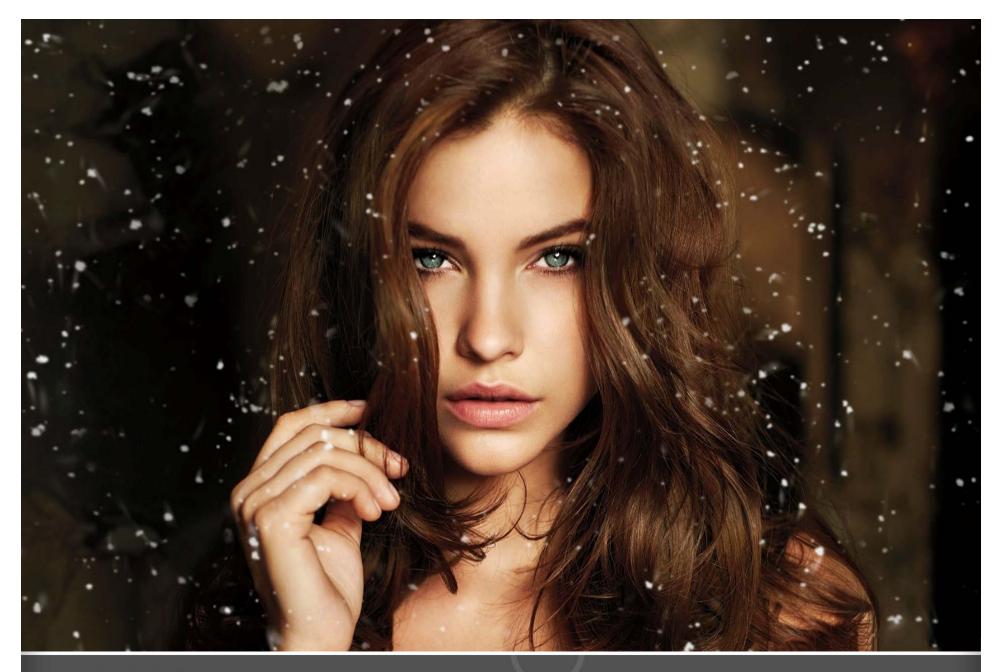
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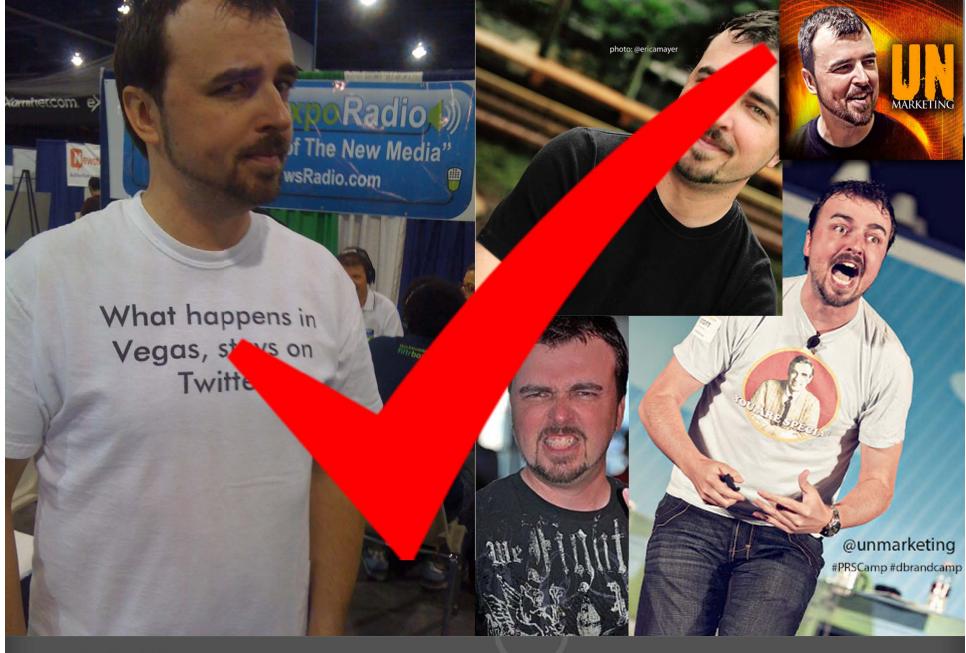


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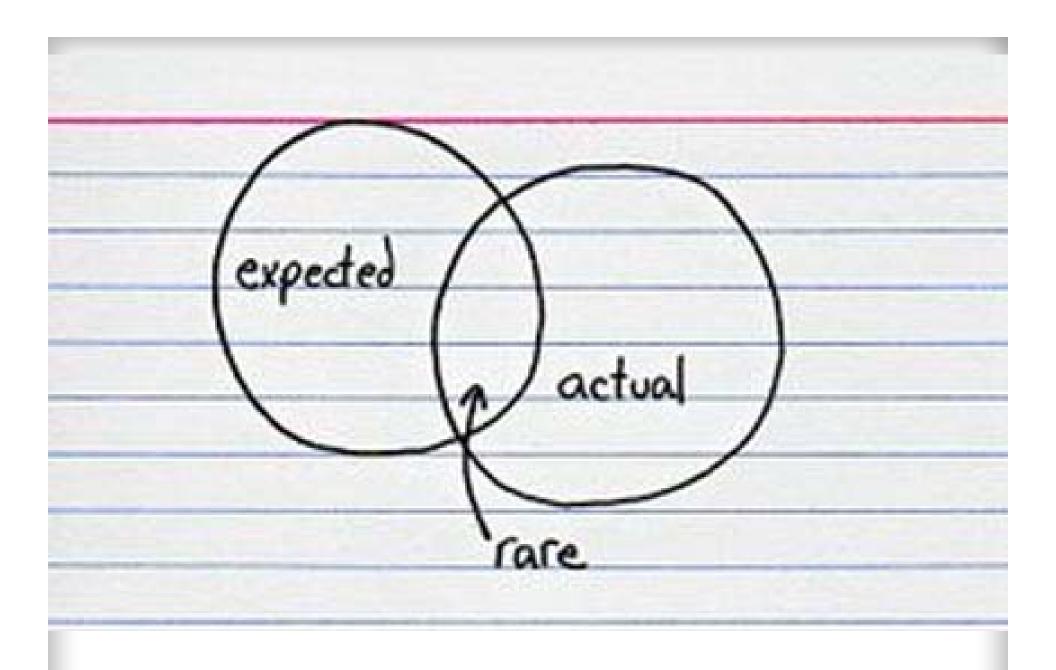
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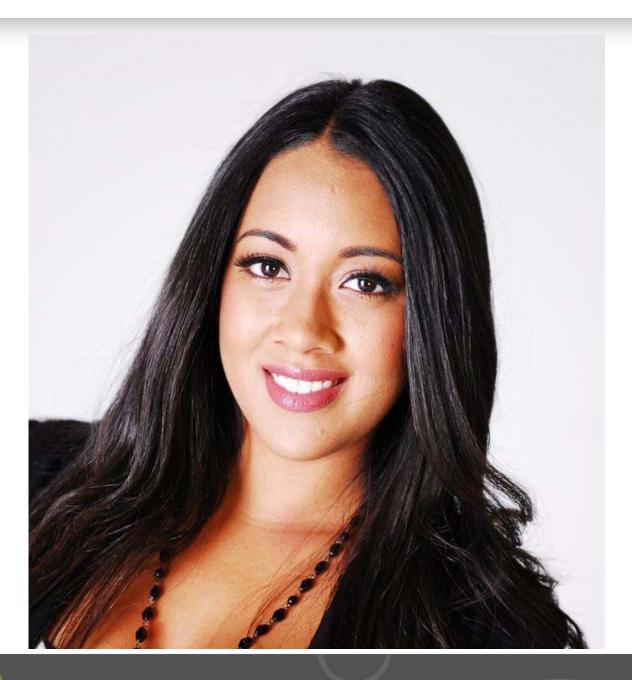
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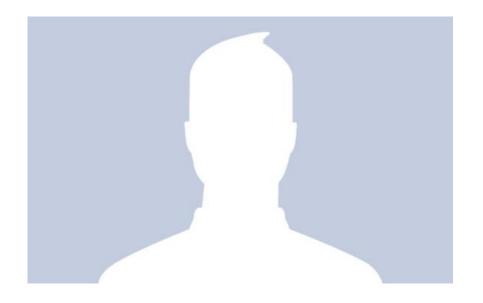
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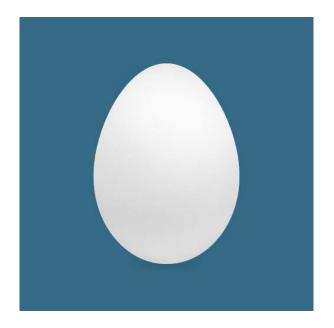




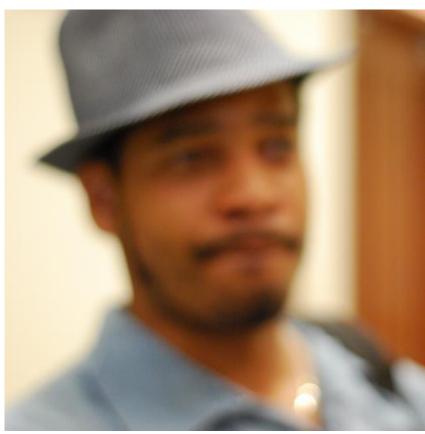


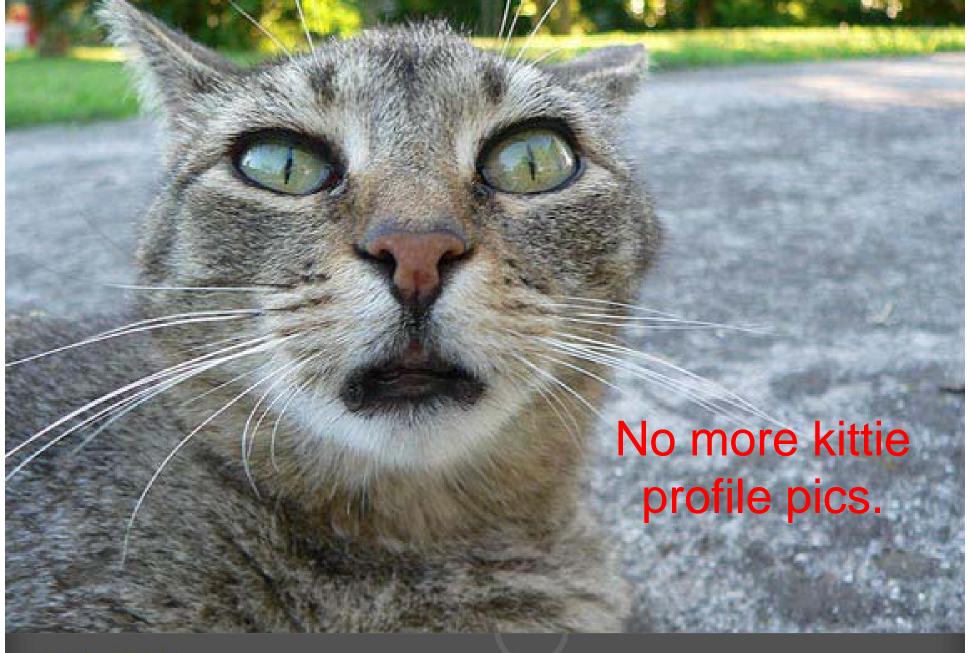














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- Build



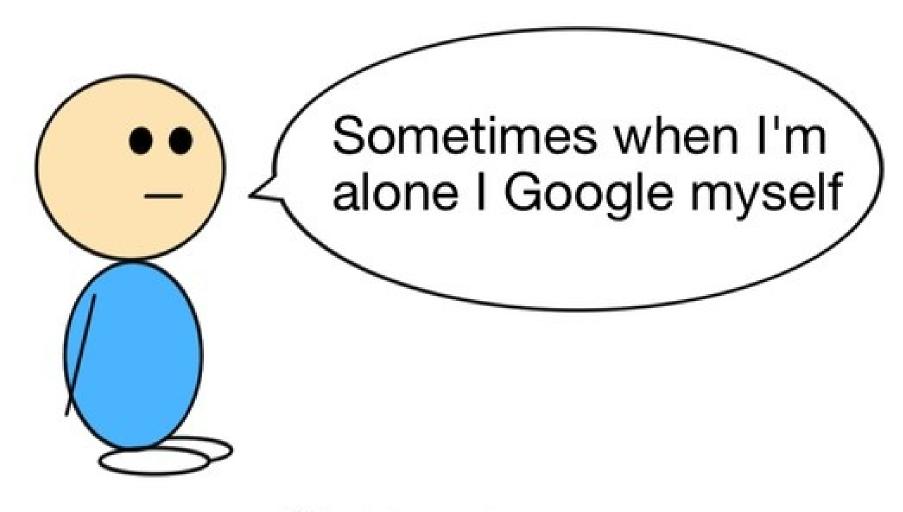
- Organize
- Build
- Measure



Measuring Your Personal Brand

- Monitor, listen, document
 - Your name, industry keywords, hashtags, groups on social and search





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- Organize
- Build
- Measure
- Reassess



"Life is not a dress rehearsal, you have to go for it.
But it takes hard work & dedication and you might
not always get what you want or what you 'think'
you deserve. It doesn't matter. Handle yourself with
professionalism and remember in this business,
it might be who you know that gets you there,
but it's what you know that keeps you there.
Mind your personal brand and the rest will come."

-Aliza Licht, @DKNY pr girl



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