

New Strategy for Enterprise Competitiveness

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Changing the Game with Web 2.0: Golden Opportunity for Marketers

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Agenda

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What to understand: Web 2.0 Means Marketing 2.0

- The context for Marketing 2.0
 - The digitization of word of mouth drives marketing transformation
 - The double value proposition
 - Marketing 2.0 examples: the voice of the customer

What to do with Web 2.0.. for 2009 and beyond

- Marketing 2.0 roadmap
 - The big picture
 - 2009-2010 action steps
 - Career enhancement tips

Marketing 2.0 Context: Chris Rollyson, 20 Years of Experience with Enterprise Transformation

- Human capital: people
 - Coached executives to thrive on economic changes
- Technology: the Internet and enterprise software
 - Leading role in launching Java as an enterprise solution
 - One of the Midwest's first corporate Internet businesses
- Business process: e-business and knowledge
 - Corporate change agent at Big Four consultancy
 - Built websites, intranets and extranets to change business processes
 - Principal and subject matter expert at (another) Big Four consultancy
 - Led strategy engagements with auto, energy, CPG, financial services and others on creating the "real-time enterprise"
 - Business strategy for start-ups: transform industries with innovation
- Marketing & relationship: consumer empowerment
 - Customer-led communications revolution: what creates value and how
 - Globalization of colleagues and customers: P2P technology, relationships
 - What will stay the same, what will change





Marketing 2.0 Context: Definitions and Drivers

- Web 2.0
 - Blogs, wikis, social tagging, RSS, mashups, pod/videocasts
 - Social networking: creating/maintaining relationships digitally
- Marketing 2.0
 - Apply Web 2.0 to marketing and customer relationships
 - Adapt tools that were developed in the consumer context
- Marketing 2.0's double value proposition
 - Costs: sharply reduces communication and administration cost
 - Revenue: increases innovation, customer stickiness, brand



Marketing 2.0 Context: Brand-Building

- A distinct new flavor
 - Transparent and digital word of mouth
 - A new kind of interaction, different rules
 - Not your father's Oldsmobile, or your mother's
 - Social networks are the native way to get in this game
- Customers expect you to be there
- Like the Web in 1998, but:
 - Easier technically
 - Harder culturally: change how your firm relates to people

Your brand:

Not what you say it is..

What they say it is



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Marketing 2.0 Context: Relationship Key to Success

- Customers don't care about products and services
 - They want experience
 - They don't owe it to us to buy our stuff
 - Increasingly, "experience" means interacting with other customers
 - Inspire with interaction
- Focus and act
 - Get over selling and marketing
 - Word of mouth is not for money
 - From mass to long tail markets

Relationship: actionable in the Web 2.0 world...

and increasingly expected



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Marketing 2.0 Context: Location, Location...

- Go to where the customers are
 - The transaction cost is lower when you are on LinkedIn, Facebook and Twitter
 - One-click participation
 - Leverage your customers' networks
- Some demographics
 - LinkedIn: 43,000,000 executives
 - Facebook: 300,000,000 educated
 - Twitter: 44,500,000 digerati
 - MySpace: 264,000,000 everybody
- People interact with each other at low transaction costs

Knowledge Social Is Business



Marketing 2.0 Context: Elements of Strategy

- What's not changing
 - Who your customers are
 - Customers' demand for your product/service



- What is changing
 - The ways customers communicate
 - How customers make buying decisions
 - The economics of engagement.. how everyone communicates
- How to take advantage
 - Focus on stakeholders, not technology
 - Understand the ecosystem and how you fit in
 - Go to where your stakeholders are
 - Create new venues where they can do unique, relevant things
 - Align your company with them by putting them first



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Wells Fargo



Marketing 2.0 highlights

- A long-time online banking pioneer, Wells
 Fargo has been blazing the trail by assigning
 Web 2.0 to the front lines, customer-facing processes
- The bank's "hundreds of blogs" have become the most-read nonbanking pages on wellsfargo.com
- 2007 website redesign incorporates Web 2.0 features and content
- First bank with a business banking blog
- First bank with a Second Life presence and first bank on MySpace

Key insights

- All bloggers are team members who have other full time jobs
- They add blogging writing, posting, reading, replying - on top of those jobs
- Bloggers are not communications people

"The updated Wells

Fargo website takes a

customer focused

approach to ease access

to most wanted features

(and the bank has seen a)

50% increase in online

applications."

Paul Penrose, finextra



Marketing 2.0 Examples:

Procter & Gamble



Marketing 2.0 highlights

- Innovation is a core strategy at P&G
 - How consumers use products in their lives
 - Marketing adds value to products
- P&G sources 50% of innovation from outside;
 - Crowdsource (chemical) engineering
 - Intend to do it with marketing
- Marketing 2.0 key to innovation
 - Gen Y works this way; they are key to demand
 - It is contagious; P&G's blogs began on an old \$1,500 server; now they have 200 very active

Key insights

- P&G is very data and ROI driven; however:
 - ROI is very appropriate for stable processes
 - Innovation is a different kind of process, so don't measure it like a manufacturing process
- Make innovation investments in small chunks
- People are making negative comments anyway;
 you might as well be in contact with it

"The worst mistake is not letting go of control; you have to let people learn, and innovation is a different learning process.

You can approach it this way if you chunk investments small."

Stan Joosta, Innovation Manager, P&G

Marketing 2.0 Examples:





Southwest Airlines

Highlights

- Southwest CEO Gary Kelly asks, "How can an airline make you more productive?" on LinkedIn Answers
- Receives 27 executive responses
 - Immediate passenger insights into how SW can add value to business passenger experience
 - Note: question not about Southwest
- The question and answers are seen by 100s of other executives in the forum

Key insights

- Achieves real-time feedback and marketing goals
- Fast, free, part of profile, actionable

How would it make
you feel if the CEO of
a major brand were to
ask your opinion
about his/her
business in an open
forum?





CNBC

Highlights

- LinkedIn members share CNBC news, blogs and video on LinkedIn
- LinkedIn community content is broadcast on CNBC
- LinkedIn survey results and on-air Q&A with CNBC anchors and reporters

Key insights

- CNBC content recommended by LinkedIn executives to each other
- CNBC reporters can query LinkedIn's executive members for news stories
- Real-time collaboration

This is the perfect

collaboration between

CNBC's viewer base of

well-educated and

affluent professionals

and LinkedIn's powerful

professional network."

– Mark Hoffman,CNBC President





Mayo Clinic

Highlights

- Facebook site lets patients connect with each other
 - Patients tell their stories, in their own words
 - Digitizes the word of mouth that's always happened "over the back fence"
- Podcasts of doctors talking about diseases
- Co-creating experience
 - Prospects, patients, employees
 - Sharing personal experience

Key insights

- Facebook enables people to affiliate with Mayo as "fans," developing community
- Podcasts are a broad distribution medium
 - Enable listeners to access in small chunks
 - Create additional leverage for costly video content

"This is a new reality...

It is how people are communicating now."

Lee Aase, Manager,
 Syndications & Social
 Media, Mayo Clinic



Obama iPhone App

Highlights

- One-click participation
- Supported key business processes
- Multimedia
 - Phone: make calls
 - Web browsing and email
 - Video, photos
- Twitter, Facebook, LinkedIn, MySpace

Key insights

- Reduce cost of engagement
- Chunk contributions small
- Leverage mobility: people can help from anywhere, at any time
- More: Obama social media case study
 - http://globalhumancapital.org/?p=216







Marketing 2.0 Examples:





jetBlue Airways

Highlights

- Customers know what's happening and how to contact jetBlue
- Customers have become eyes and ears
- jetBlue adjusts and tells people real time

Key insights

- Define your audience and your voice
- Watch and listen to customers and competitors
- Monitor every blog, but you don't have to respond to everything
- Ask for feedback constantly, and plan for the hard questions
- Stay involved; this is a 24/7 proposition
- More: jetBlue social media coverage
 - http://globalhumancapital.org/?p=215

"Twitter enables us to monitor what's happening, to react and communicate quickly, to inform and to humanize."

Morgan Johnson,
 Manager Corporate
 Communications



Marketing 2.0 Examples:





Serena Software

Highlights

- Global software company with 600 employees, many in home offices
- Ditched intranet for private Facebook group

Key insights

- Facebook gives social information and breaks barriers within global work force
- Changed the culture, updated to Web 2.0
- Much better communication and easier collaboration
- Easier to connect with clients and prospects with separate public Facebook group
- Gateway to behind-the-firewall enterprise data

"Enterprise vendors
haven't succeeded in
making it fun. If it's not
fun, people won't do it.
That's why Facebook
worked."

Kyle Arteaga,
 VP Corporate
 Communications



2009 Action Steps: Marketing 2.0 Adoption Roadmap

Phase I: Preparation 2005-2009

Phase II: Buildout, Scaling 2008-2013 Phase III: Transformation 2010-2020

- Security/legal diligence
- Study user experience
- Learn from employees/ external thought leaders
- Push wikis/blogs on customer-facing projects
- Create Marketing 2.0 interest groups
- Engage customers
- Manage expectations

- Launch customercentric ventures
 - Threadless
- Fit with other processes
- Visible partnerships with external customerled businesses
- Customers involved in innovation
 - Develop new offerings
 - Service offerings

- Sponsor customer-led business ventures
- Customers lead innovation
 - Develop new businesses, offerings

Customer-informed

Customer-involved

Customer-led



2009 Action Steps: Tactics Overview



Observe

- Position yourself as an early adopter, and observe what areas of the company are most interested
- Partner with early adopters to monitor blogs and social websites
- Conduct an impact study on Marketing 2.0 and your portfolio

Plan

- Proactively address key legal ramifications
- Co-create plans to engage customers in open group interaction
- Managing expectations is as important as ever; help marketing think through what actions your company is ready to take to address issues

Act

- Prepare for the mashup craze
- Create programs that leverage employees who are active bloggers, vloggers and video contributors
- Beta forums, blogs and community spaces for customers



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2009 Action Steps: Study Customer Experience

Phase I: Preparation

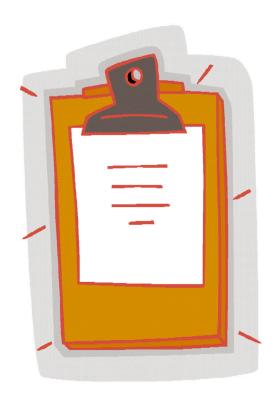
- Observe
 - Study customer behavior for select offerings in terms of experience
 - Locate emerging forums in which customers share their experiences
 - Product management may understand "customer experience" as usage contexts around products, but..
 - Customers use products and services as means to having experiences, especially when other customers mirror them
 - Having experience reflected by other customers boosts awareness.
 - It can change expectations of the group quickly and profoundly



2009 Action Steps: Survey Communications Processes

Phase I: Preparation

- Observe
 - Examine existing processes by which your company communicates with customers
 - What communities does your company host?
 - In which communities do you participate?
 - Regularly monitor blogs and social websites
 - Study their demographics
 - Rating sites are exploding
 - Prepare to have select employees contribute to social networking sites and blogs



2009 Action Steps: Address Legal Ramifications



- Plan
 - Proactively explore key legal ramifications of communicating more often and openly
 - Study relevant legislation
 - Create policies
 - Open customer communication and collaboration will be a core competency that business will need to remain competitive
 - Your company must strike a balance between opening up enough to develop the competency while mitigating risk.
 - This is new ground for attorneys as well
 - You will not get it right the first time
 - For many businesses, the price of waiting too long will be very high



- Plan
 - Create plans for engaging customers
 - Communicate with customers in direct, open group conversations
 - Pilot customer communities
 - For many companies, beginning in a third party environment is beneficial
 - Associations
 - Partners
 - Often, the best way to increase your "customer quotient" is direct contact and joint problem solving
 - Participate in blogs and forums

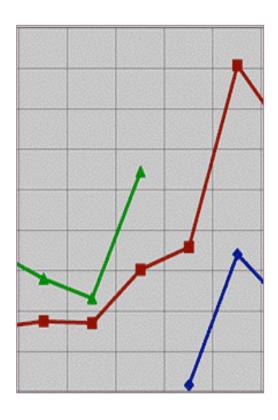


Focus on enabling customer to customer discussion

2009 Action Steps: Manage Expectations

Phase I: Preparation

- Plan
 - Managing expectations is critical
 - Think through what actions your company is ready to take
 - Plan how you will address issues
 - Prepare before getting involved in group customer conversations
 - Make clear what you are able to do
 - Customers will usually understand when you communicate openly
 - Customers often have little patience for excuses
 - They have heard them for years

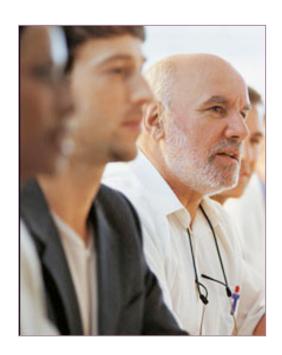


Focus on enabling customer to customer discussion

2009 Action Steps: Learn from Employees and Thought Leaders

Phase I: Preparation

- Act
 - Depending on your industry and culture, you will have a portion of your employees who are
 - Active bloggers
 - Musicians and bandleaders
 - Photographers
 - Vloggers and video contributors
 - Leaders in social networks
 - Create a mentoring program to share and extend knowledge
 - Create measurable competencies
 - Beta forums, blogs and community spaces



Focus on enabling customer to customer discussion

2009 Action Steps: Career Enhancement Tips

Phase I: Preparation

- Consider P2P in your career planning
 - How will these trends change what you do?
 - Create a career plan independent of any firm
 - Mobility is far higher during disruptive change
- Pursue customer-focused initiatives and projects to build your skills
 - Inside work
 - Outside of work
- Invest serious effort in LinkedIn, Facebook, Twitter
 - Build your own professional network
 - Reach out to people and actively help them
 - Project your knowledge with LinkedIn Answers
- Build your individual online presence
 - Participate in online forums
 - Engage with bloggers with similar interests, and start a blog



Rare Opportunity for Marketers: Conclusions



- Of all functions, marketing is most focused on customers
 - Marketers will get first crack at responding to changing expectations

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- But they must confront legacy thinking
- Customers prefer to learn from each other in many cases
 - Study after study shows that they often trust a group of strangers in a social network more than company representatives and experts



- Web 2.0 completely changes the context of marketing
 - It digitizes and actualizes word of mouth for the first time
 - Marketers that get it will produce unprecedented value
 - Marketing 1.0 will produce decreasing value



- They jettison 1.0 "us and them" thinking
- They openly collaborate with customers





Explore: the Ecosystem

Want to keep up?

- Marketing 2.0 brand management
 - http://bit.ly/brandytcsra
- Subscribe to the Social Network Roadmap Monthly Advisor
 - Advises CEOs, CMOs and CIOs on social network adoption
 - http://www.feedblitz.com/f/f.fbz?Sub=518100
- Join me on Facebook
 - Keep in touch real-time
 - Explore its marketing potential by checking out what my network is doing
 - http://www.facebook.com/csrollyson



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enthusiasm!



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- The Social Network Roadmap
 - Helps companies adopt Web 2.0 by managing risk
 - http://socialnetworkroadmap.com
 - Currently rated #1 worldwide by Technorati
- The Global Human Capital Journal
 - CEO/CMO/CIO journal for innovation
 - Currently rated #8 worldwide by Technorati
 - http://globalhumancapital.org
- The Executive's Guide to Web 2.0
 - EGLI blog currently rated #2 worldwide by Technorati
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