

# How to Grow & Manage Your Business Online

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### Overview

- Introduction
- Build Your Brand Online
- Grow Your Business Online
- Manage Your Business Online
- Questions



### Introductions

- Name
- Business Name & Product or Service
- What you would like to gain/learn?
- Who am I?
- How I hope to help you!

# Build Your Brand Online

"Your website is undoubtedly the single most important branding tool you can have!" -- Michael Hyatt



# Why Build Your Brand Online

- Legitimacy
- Perceived Value
- Professionalism
- Virtual Home Base



# How to Build Your Brand Online

- Brand Research
- Brand Identity
- Brand Strategy
- Brand Engagement



- What you need to get started:
  - Domain name
  - Email address
  - Host
  - Content



- Professional Logo Design
- Design Concept / Template
- High-Quality Images
- Website Building Software
- Image Editors



### Things to do:

- Define your goals & objectives
- Create your content
- Create list of needed functions/applications
- Watch tutorials on your selected website builder



- Determine how you will handle maintenance & updates
- Set up & pay for necessary accounts (i.e. PayPal, Mailchimp, Eventbrite)
- Familiarize yourself with image editors

# Web Design DIY Tools & Free Resources

### **Domain & Hosting**

- Go Daddy
- Host Gator
- Blue Host
- WP Engine

### Stock Photography

- Istock Photo
- RGB
- Picjumbo
- Pixabay

### WYSIWYG Website Builders

- Wix
- Weebly
- Square Space
- WordPress

### Image Editors

- Pic Monkey
- Gimp
- Pixlr
- Paint.net

# Grow Your Business Online

"Growth is never by mere chance; it is the result of forces working together." —James Cash Penney, founder of JCPenney.



# Motivate Your Audience

1. Make it clear!

2. Make it attractive!

3. Make it easy!

4. Make it social!

# Call to Action!





# Lead Magnets





# Get Social





# Manage Your Business Online

"The true measure of the value of any business leader and manager is performance." - Brian Tracy

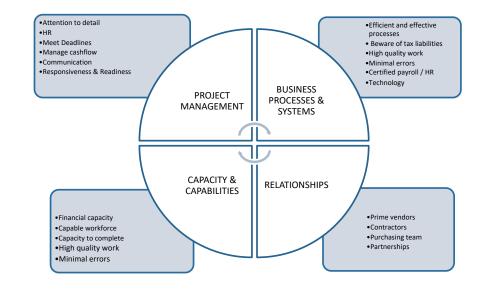


### Maintain Your Site

- 1. Maintain functionality!
- 2. Maintain relevancy!
- 3. Maintain control!
- 4. Maintain your position!

# A Best Practices Framework





### DIY Tools to Grow & Manage Your Business Online

#### **Project Management**

- Asana
- Monday
- Teamwork

#### **Capacity & Capabilities**

- Freelancers
- Fiverr
- Upwork

#### **Business Processes & Systems**

- PayPal / Square
- G-Suite / MS Office
- DropBox
- QuickBooks

#### Relationships

- Social Media
- Hootsuite
- Constant Contact / Mail Chimp
- Keap (Infusionsoft)



# THANK YOU FOR YOUR TIME!!!



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