The responsible service of native advertising

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Native Advertising

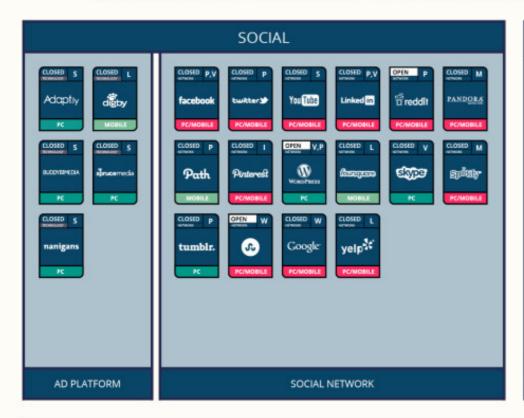
"Native advertising is an online advertising method in which the advertiser attempts to gain attention by providing content in the context of the user's experience."

THE NATIVE ADSCAPE

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The Native Adscape is a reference tool that provides a holistic look at the native advertising market landscape. The Adscape segments companies via social networks, editorial publishers and their ad platform partners.

Additional company attributes include the medium(s) they deliver ads on, what types of content they can promote, and whether they have an open or closed model of content promotion. For clarification, a closed platform allows brands to create and promote content on a singular web or mobile site and open platforms allow the same content to be promoted across multiple publishers.



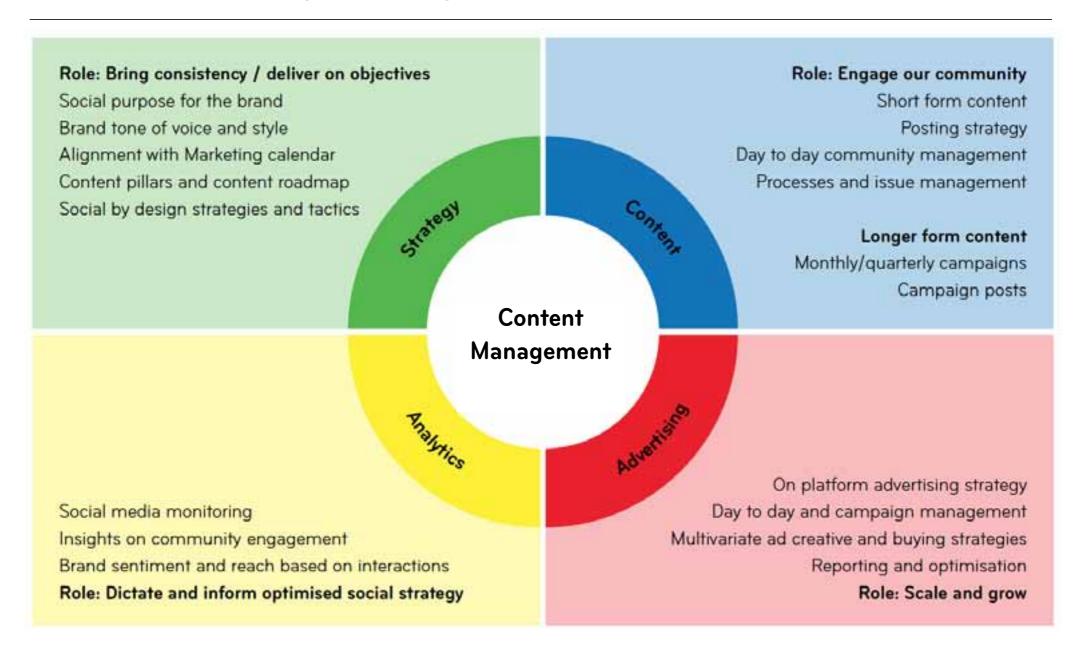


CLOSED Where brands can create and promote content on a singular web or mobile publisher A - All S - Social M - Music I - Images

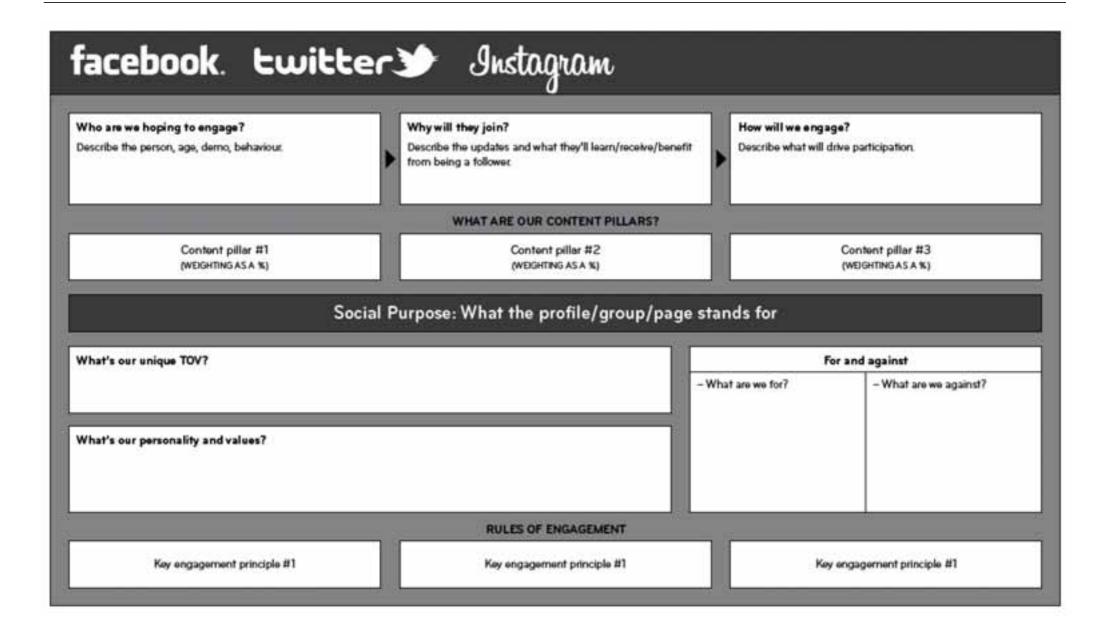
OPEN Where brands can create and promote the same piece of content across multiple web or mobile publishers P - Posts/Stories L - Listings W - Websites V - Videos

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We believe that 4 things achieve 'great' content



Staying focussed and true to your brand





How consistency killed hungrythirsty



Brand history









Friends O friends Find people you know

On brand on message



Who are we hoping to engage?

18-24 males who subscribe to the OAK attitude and want to get involved. They connect with brands that offer them status, rewards, entertainment.

Why will they join?

Funny and engaging content that breaks up their day. Tangible rewards and incentives for being loyal.

How will we engage?

Consistently pursue the fight against 'hungrythirsty'. Educating audiences that OAK is the antidote.

What are our content pillars?

Hungrythirsty education 40%

Promotion 25%

Distribution 25%

Product 10%

Social Purpose: Join the fight against hungrythirsty

What's our unique TOV?

Unapologetic. Potent. Playful. We're not afraid to speak our mind, tell it like it is. Even over step the line every now and then.

What's our personality/character?

Posts and comments should feel like they're coming from an individual rather than a brand. They should feel like the author takes the battle against hungrythirsty personally. Intense and unapologetic yet delivers everything in a playful and witty tone. They are not SJH, from the TV ads, it's a separate voice.

For and against.

- Funny but relevant content
- Rewarding not giving away (fans need to earn their stripes)
- Doing things the way they should be done
- Posting for the sake of it
- Corporate niceties
- Taking ourselves to seriously
- Inactive fans/followers

Top 3 rules of engagement.

1. One to two posts a week. Four big events per year.

- 2. We are response-led not comment-led.
- 3. All comms must prompt user involvement.





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THE ONLY CURE FOR A STORE THAT DOESN'T STOCK OAK

We won one of these...



...and the fight against hungrythirsty continues.







5 (native adverting) principles

5 principles to remember

Using social channels as a finely tuned ad targeting tool will fail your brand and your audience. Yet posting compelling content but not supporting with ads means you'll be talking to yourself.

The opportunity is far greater and you have to be willing to experiment across channel.

1. Be true to your brand and purpose

Your page/brand is responsible for delivering a good experience. Lock down your social/brand purpose to create a consistent voice and experience.

2. Plan, schedule and evaluate content

Create content calendars that align with brand activities (real or virtual) to connect with your audience. Explore different formats of content, photography, graphics, long and short form.

3. Only scale once people have interacted

Don't amplify/promote anything without proven interaction. Once an audience 'Likes' something you've permission to tell more people.

4. Measure against your business goals

You're in the business of business. Make sure your posts are laddering back to key objectives that can be measured.

5. Understand the numbers and use the insights

You've access to some of the most powerful analytics about your audience. Listen, learn and experiment by scaling the insights you discover into more content.



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