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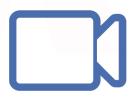
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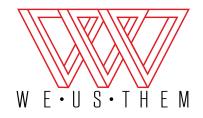














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## BUYING MOTIVATORS: Customer vs Channel Partners

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## BUYING MOTIVATORS VALUE PROPOSITION

What is your product / service?

Who is the target customer?

What value does it provide?

Statement of the unique BENEFITS your product or service delivers to your target customer

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#### **BUYING MOTIVATORS**

# Buying is an emotional decison, justified by logic

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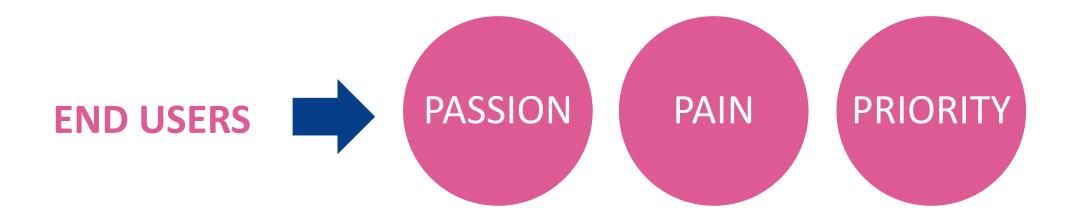








### THE **BUYING** MOTIVATORS FOR:



Ask questions that IDENTIFY THEIR P/P/P's, and tie your benefits to them

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#### THE **BUYING-IN** MOTIVATORS FOR:

DEALERS
REPS
DISTRIBUTORS
AGENTS
CHANNEL PARTNERS

REPS
MONEY
EASE
RELATIONSHIP

Sell the MONEY, show them how EASY it is, and build the RELATIONSHIP

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#### ELEVATE YOUR **SALES MINDSET**

**Trusted Advisor** 

Partner

Consultant

Solution Provider

Vendor



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## SELLING: Services vs Products

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## **SERVICES VS PRODUCTS**

Clarity – harder to compare – advantage?

Perception is reality

**Emotion** 

Measurability

Opportunity to tailor / customize your service

IP protection

Vulnerability to developing world pricing

















### YOUR PERSONAL DIFFERENCE

Relationship and trust – can take longer

Qualifications and experience

Track record with clients "similar to them"

Tell a story that resonates

Cost justify wherever possible

Influence of culture

Travel

















## DISTINGUISH YOURSELF

Niche must be even more clearly defined

More interactive sales process

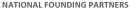
Opportunity to differentiate

Listen for needs ... tie them to your deliverable

Impress them with your creativity

Confidence with sensitivity

Testimonials from customers "similar to them"

















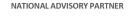
## MUST DO'S

- 1. Maximize your visibility
  - Find opportunities to share your knowledge as an expert
  - Create a book, guide, video, how-to manual
- 2. Use social media / Internet
  - Website, blog, tweet, get involved where your clients are
- 3. Build your network
  - Go to relevant events
  - Referrals (both ways)
  - Strategic alliances and local delivery partners

Be where your clients are ... and show them what you can do for them!





















## SELLING INTO A GLOBAL MARKET PLACE BOTREE INC

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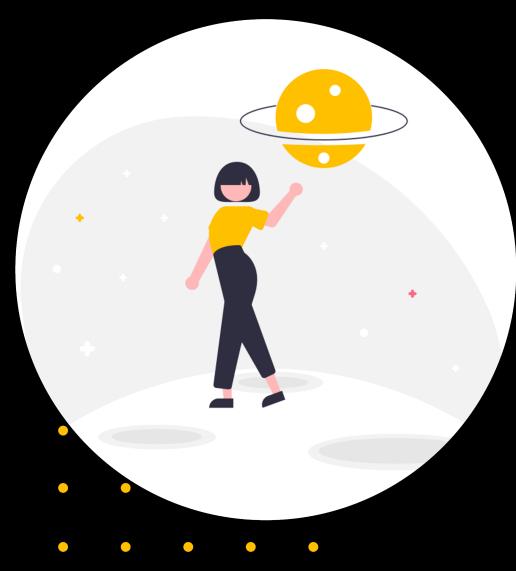








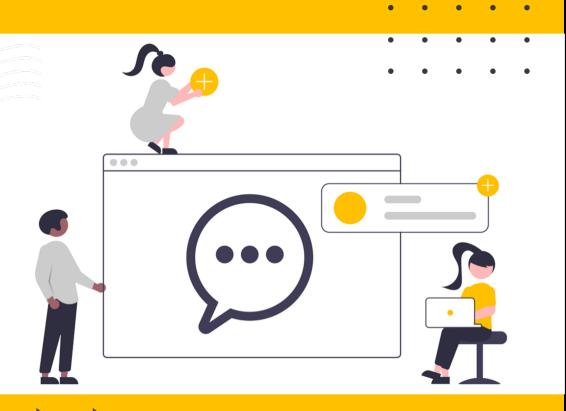




# SELLING INTO A GLOBAL MARKETPLACE







## WHO WE ARE

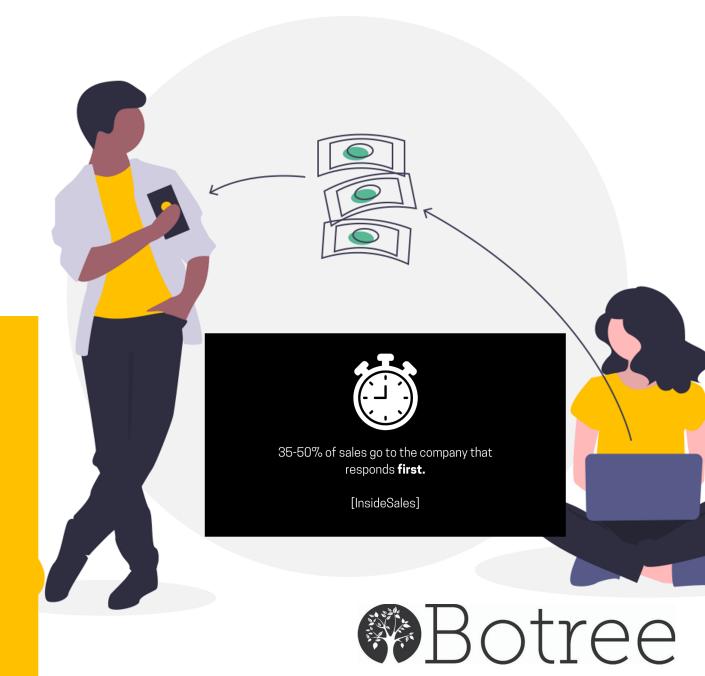
Strategic educational firm focused on Process and People Optimization

"Disrupt and Evolve"



## SELLING



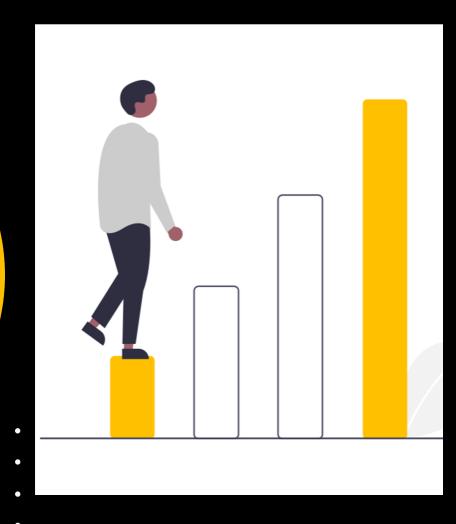




#### What word comes to mind when you think about sales?







## SALES

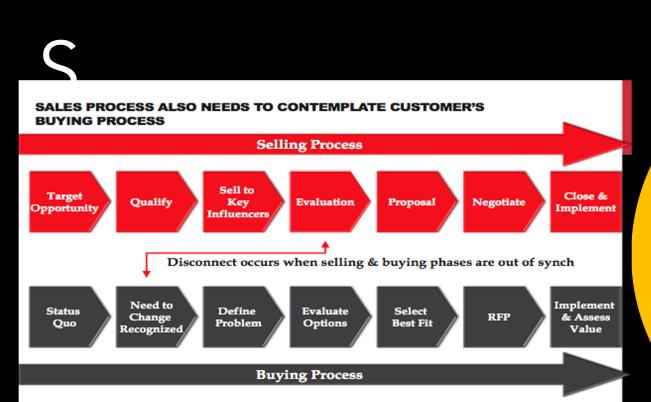


95% of buyers chose a company that "provided them with ample content to help navigate through each stage of the **buying process**."

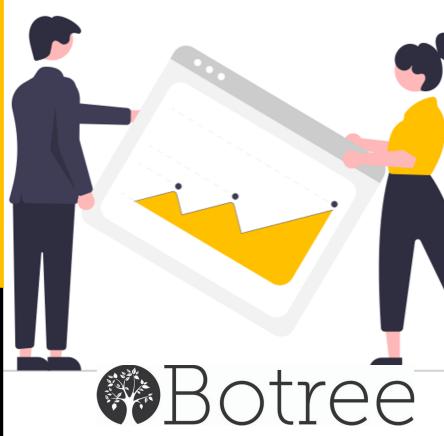
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#### How would you define sales in your organization?



## DISTRIBUTION CHANNELS



As you consider your AVATAR, the expansion into international markets from a "sales" perspective will heavily be weighted on cultural difference, political, and market risk

- impacting the "why" story.

#### HOW:

- Market research
- Need for a local "sales team"
- Regulations marketing collateral

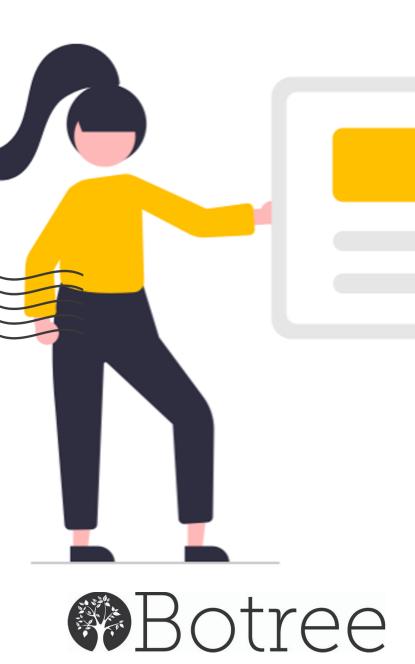


## PREPAR

Consider why some people don't welcome change:

- Stability
- Cost of change
- Selection is difficult
- Anticipated regret

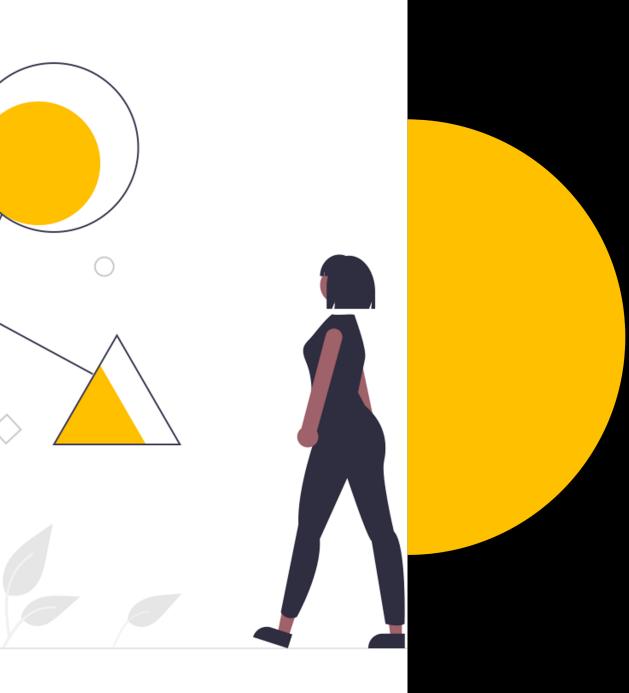






#### What problem does your product/service solve?





# HOW DO YOU START

- Sales and Marketing alignment
- "Did you know?" statements
- Paint the picture
- Join the story
- Share the solution
- Align to your product/service



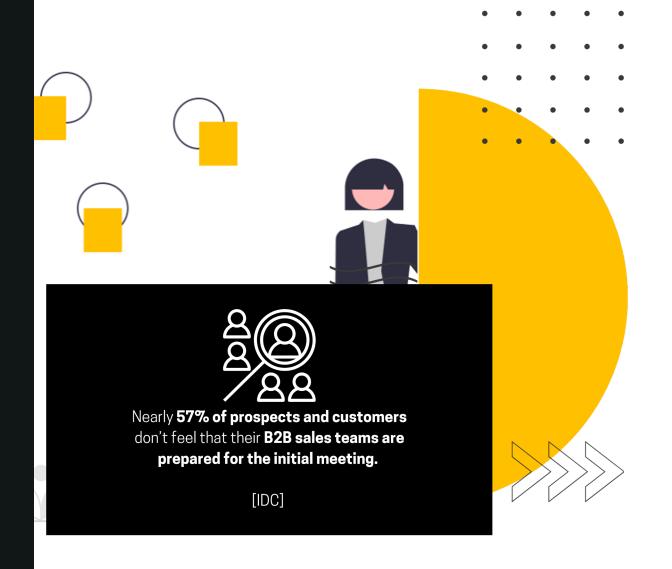
## REMINDERS

Why did you develop the product/service?

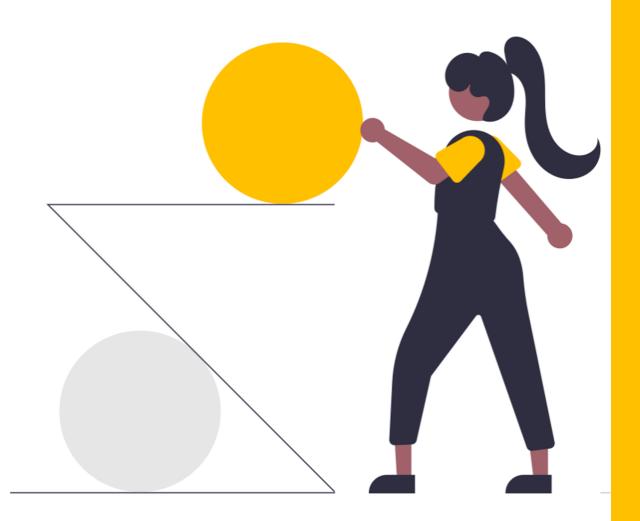
What problem were you trying to solve?

Do NOT lead with your product/service

Consultative Selling is so 1980's







## YOUR VALUE

**Under Valued** 

Didn't appreciate..... The problem is as big or coming as fast as you say?!

**Un-Met** 

Didn't realize... there was even something to fix

that issue or annoyance?!

Unknown

Didn't know... that was a problem I was having until you pointed it out ?!





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## WHAT SEPARATES YOUR COMPANY FROM THE COMPETITION?





#### Rank your level of confidence - International Readiness

I am clear on who my ideal customer is

I understand my internal sales culture

I understand the international environment in which I want to sell

I know where I will need to alter my approach to account for cultural differences

I know how to make the best augmentation for my products and services

I know which is better: to sell direct or to use an intermediary business partner







# THE ART OF NEGOTIATION BOTREE INC Teena Sauve

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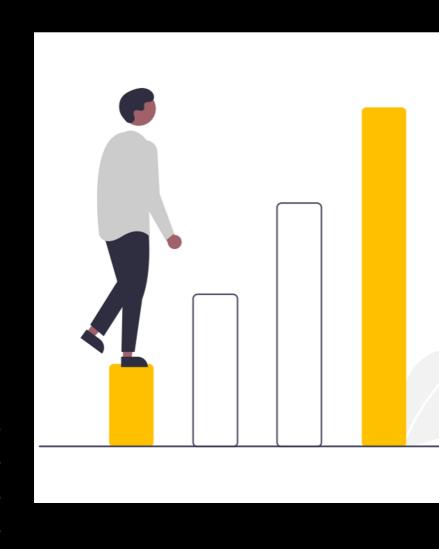












## Negotiator Mindset

"Shifting into a negotiator mindset is thinking you already have a deal. It's just a question of what product and in what terms."

Forbes. Kwame Christian. Mar.2021. https://www.forbes.com/sites/kwamechristian/2021/03/31/using-a-negotiation-mindset-to-win-more-in-sales/?sh=7604f034f8bf



## The Steps

1.Business Review

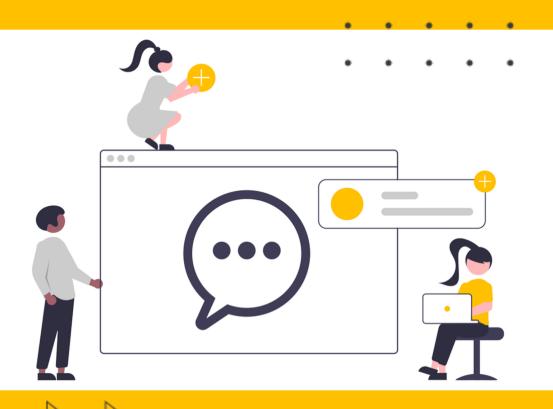
2. Highlight Opportunities

3. Business Plan

4. Steps to Growth

5. Concessions - LAST





## BUSINESS REVIEW

Why: Set an upfront, clear foundation before negotiating.

What is it: What was business like last year for the client?

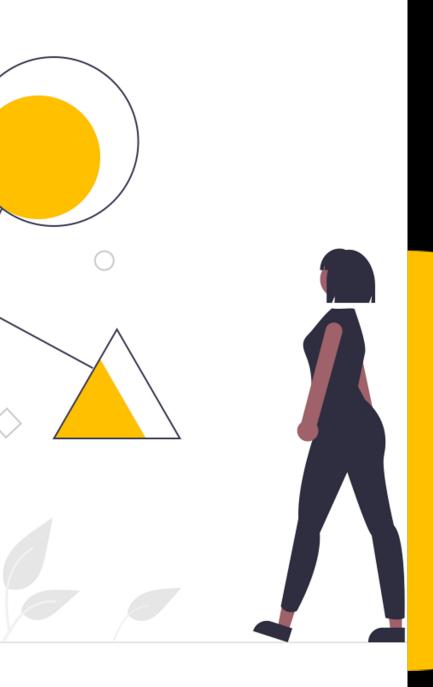
Examples: What % of market share did they get? Were expectations met? Wins + obstacles. In order to move on: The client needs to express they see value in a partnership + objections are resolved





# Share a sample probing question to kick off this step in the negotiation conversation





### HIGHLIGHT OPPORTUNITIES

Why: Create the right environment for negotiation

What is it: Build urgency + excitement around how the client's business can reach new goals

Examples: Explain how your products can support them in growth. Highlight new processes / innovation. Showcase your marketing collateral In order to move on: The client must confirm they see opportunities with your business

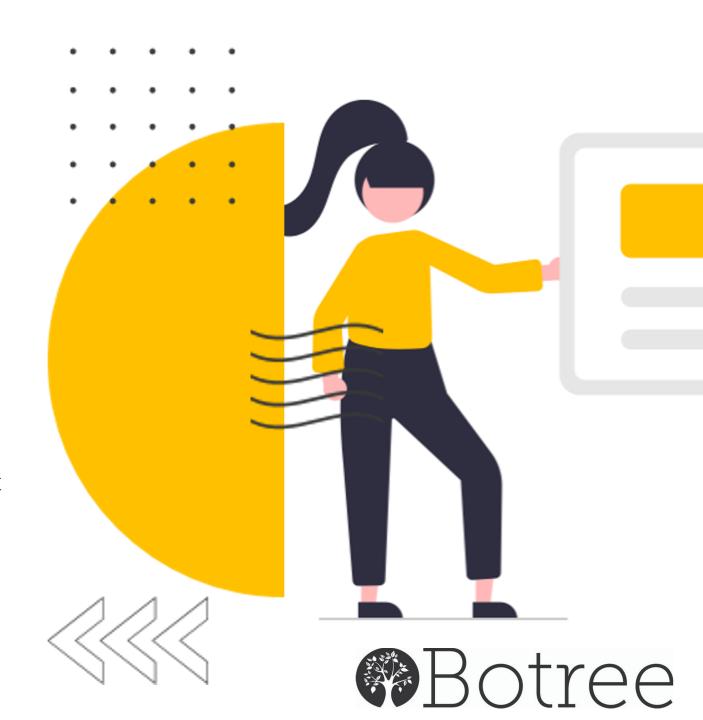


### BUSINESS PLAN

Why: Listen to the client to gain a greater understanding

What is it: Discuss the client's goals to identify ways you can support them

Examples: Ask directly for their goals. Ask about past goals they have met if they are reluctant to open up. Offer your own experiences in business. Talk about how you can follow through on goals together In order to move on: The client has discussed their goals and agree you have a place in it





# Rate your comfort level with asking questions that dig into the client's underlying goals?

Uncomfortable—1

2

0k - 3

4

Very Comfortable — 5



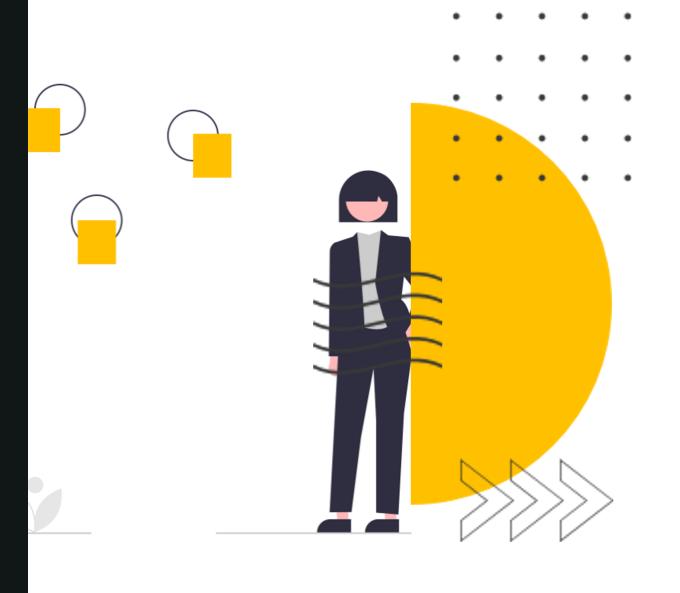
# STEPS TO GROWTH

Why: Show that you are in negotiation together for a win-win

What is it: Plan in detail how you will both work to grow each of your businesses

Examples: What resources present the most opportunity for growth? What can be leveraged for growth? What can you focus on as a team?

In order to move on: The client has planned the specific business they want to focus on with you







# How often do you focus on growth of the client's business before jumping in to concessions / pricing?

Never — 1

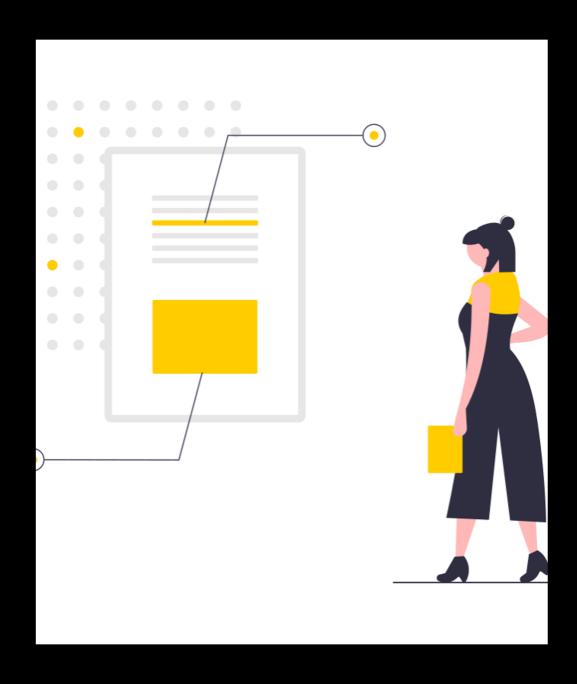
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Sometimes — 3

4

Always — 5





### CONCESSIONS

Why: Slam dunk with concessions vs. using them to sway decision making

What is it: What additional value can you offer to the partnership to strengthen it even more?

Examples: Offer resources to help with a campaign

or education series. Provide training on products. Include incentives tied to web presence. Mention benefits tied to contracts

In order to move on: The client recognizes the diverse value you bring to their business





# How comfortable are you leaving discounts/margins to the very end, if at all?

Uncomfortable — 1

2

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4

Very Comfortable — 5



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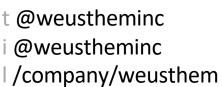








### marketing LOCALIZATION brand AWARENESS **DIGITAL** marketing







### marketing LOCALIZATION

- Know your Audience (75% of users prefer to buy products in their native language)
  - Where do they live? What channels are they on?
  - What content gets their attention?
  - Language translation is not enough! Know context.
  - What converts? What gets their attention?
  - How are they brand loyal? How do they show it?



### marketing LOCALIZATION

- Know your Competition
  - How are they keeping <u>your</u> customers attention?
    - What channels do they employ?
    - Who are their customers?
    - Where are they succeeding, where are they not?
  - Why are they able to continue to gain their dollars?
  - How big are they? How do you plan to compete?



#### brand AWARENESS

- Are your potential clients brand aware?
- Are you speaking to the right customers (B2B vs. B2C vs. C2C, etc.)
- Do you know what your brand stands for? Does it resonate well with your target markets?
- How are customers aware of your brand today? What do you do to create brand loyalty and affinity now?
  - How will that translate to new markets? Will it?



#### brand AWARENESS

- How are your competitors making consumers aware of their brand?
- What do you need to do make your brand present in the marketplace?
- What is unique about your brand?
- How can you find a way to cut through the noise?
- Have you looked into influencers (no they all <u>don't</u> cost as much as you think)!



### DIGITAL marketing

- Do you have a website?
  - Does it have basic information about your product, your service and your contact points?
  - If consumer oriented, is there an e-commerce mechanism built in?
  - Can you ship directly to international clients and transact online?
- Are you on the social platforms that your users frequent? Are they aligned directly for them?
- Do you spend any money on Google AdWords?



### DIGITAL marketing

- Google spends extend to Display Marketing. Have you tried that before?
- Don't count out more formal platforms like LinkedIN and Twitter. They have a role to play.
- Different countries have different blogs, magazines, publications, etc. that are of importance to them. Have you done some research to find out where they are?
- Have you looked at traditional marketing?
- Digital Marketing in different countries, mean different things, know your audience once again!



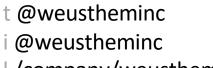




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- Working and Migrating to New Markets
- Legal Support Beyond Borders
- Expanding Internationally International & U.S. Tax Perspective
- Tax and Legal Workshop
- Export Plan: International Law & Tax





