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A PRACTITIONER'S GUIDE TO ACCOUNT-BASED MARKETING

ACCELERATING GROWTH IN STRATEGIC ACCOUNTS

Improve relationships, drive growth and win new business by developing and implementing highly-customized B2B marketing programmes for key accounts.

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Kogan Page Publishers As some of today's major and complex companies are worth more than the GDPs of some countries, traditional marketing approaches, such as glossy corporate campaigns, will have limited returns. Account-based marketing, also known as client-centric marketing, treats important individual accounts as markets in their own right, to help strengthen relationships, build reputation, and increase revenues in important accounts. A Practitioner's Guide to Account-Based Marketing outlines a clear, step-by-step process for readers to harness ABM tools and techniques and set up ABM programmes. Featuring insights from practising professionals and case studies from organizations including Microsoft, Accenture, O2 and Fujitsu, it also contains guidance on developing the competencies needed for account-based marketing and managing your ABM career. This updated second edition contains further discussion on how ABM initiatives can go from a pilot to being embedded in a business, new material on quantified value propositions and updated wider research. Meticulously researched and highly practical, A Practitioner's Guide to Account-Based Marketing will help all marketers to deliver successful B2B marketing.

THE REVENUE ACCELERATION RULES

SUPERCHARGE SALES AND MARKETING THROUGH ARTIFICIAL INTELLIGENCE, PREDICTIVE TECHNOLOGIES AND ACCOUNT-BASED STRATEGIES

John Wiley & Sons Turn data into revenue in the B2B marketing sphere The Revenue Acceleration Rules is a unique guide in the business-to-business space, providing a clear framework for more effective marketing in an accounts-based environment. Written by a veteran in the predictive marketing sphere, this book explains how strategies typically used on the consumer end can be tailored to drive revenue in B2B sales. Industry experts offer advice and best practices, using real-world examples to illustrate the power of analytics and on-the-ground implementation of predictive ABM initiatives. Covering the complete spectrum from "why?" to "how?", this book provides an invaluable resource for B2B marketers seeking a step forward in the rapidly-evolving marketplace. Business-to-business sales makes up roughly 45 percent of the economy, and the power of predictive marketing has been proven time and again in the consumer sphere. This guide is the only resource to merge these two critical forces and provide clear guidance for the B2B space. Supercharge your demand waterfall Align marketing and sales Learn best practices from industry experts Grow revenue with account-based marketing Predictive marketing reveals the small clues that speak to big trends. While B2B diverges from consumer marketing in a number of ways, the central demand for value remains; analytics helps you stay ahead of the curve, streamline the marketing to sales funnel, and increase ROI. Strengthen the relationships you already have, attract new accounts, and prioritize accurately to turn contacts into leads, and leads into customers. Your data can be your biggest marketing asset, and The Revenue Acceleration Rules shows you how to leverage it into revenue.

CUSTOMER INSIGHT STRATEGIES

HOW TO UNDERSTAND YOUR AUDIENCE AND CREATE REMARKABLE MARKETING

Kogan Page Publishers In a noisy, fast-paced marketing world, customer insight holds the key to creating memorable, purpose-driven marketing. *Customer Insight Strategies* outlines the critical role of customer insight and provides techniques and strategies that will help marketers identify trends, nurture leads and understand consumers - ultimately, empowering them to grow profits. The strategies are explained in a straightforward, jargon-free manner, and can be applied to a huge range of marketing challenges, regardless of time, budget or organizational size. *Customer Insight Strategies* shows precisely how customer insights can be used to build a mission with purpose. It discusses many of the core methods through which customer insight can be gleaned, providing easy-to-follow guidelines for applying them to everyday marketing practice. Covering topics such as customer segments, marketing to personas and lead generation, it contains global case studies from organizations including Cisco, NTT, Refinitiv and The Co-op as well as interviews with leading business professionals sharing their thoughts on using customer insights to grow profits. Written by a highly respected thought-leader and industry influencer, this book will help any professional create truly powerful marketing.

REVENUE DISRUPTION

GAME-CHANGING SALES AND MARKETING STRATEGIES TO ACCELERATE GROWTH

John Wiley & Sons Strategies for any company to transform its sales and marketing efforts in a way that truly accelerates revenue growth *Revenue Disruption* delivers bold new strategies to transform corporate revenue performance and ignite outsized revenue growth. Today's predominant sales and marketing model is at best obsolete and at worst totally dysfunctional. This book offers a completely new operating methodology based on a sales and marketing approach that recognizes the global technological, cultural, and media changes that have forever transformed the process of buying and selling. The dysfunctional state of today's corporate revenue creation model results in trillions of dollars in lost growth opportunities. *Revenue Disruption* examines the problems of the current model and offers real-world solutions for fixing them. It lays out a detailed plan that businesspeople and companies can use to fundamentally transform their sales and marketing performance to win this century's revenue battle.

ACCOUNT-BASED MARKETING FOR DUMMIES

John Wiley & Sons Grow your account list with an effective account-based marketing strategy Buyers have changed the B2B marketing game. *Account-Based Marketing For Dummies* is here to give you the tools to transform your current approach to find, reach, and engage with your potential customers on their terms to meet their ever-changing demands. Packed with expert tips and step-by-step instructions, this book shows you how to analyze current data to identify the accounts with the biggest ROI opportunities and execute effective, account-specific techniques that get results. This practical guide takes the intimidation out of account-based marketing in today's highly digitized world. You'll be armed with the knowledge you need to increase your reach in real time, giving you greater exposure to other decision-makers and influencers within an account. You'll discover how, through a combination of marketing technology and online advertising, your messages can be displayed where and when your customers already engage online. Align your sales and marketing teams for greater success in your ABM efforts Analyze data to identify key accounts Target your messages for real-time interaction Integrate your campaign with marketing automation software If you're a member of a sales or marketing team already using a CRM tool who's looking to increase your reach, *Account-Based Marketing For Dummies* has you covered! "Account-Based Marketing For Dummies clears away the confusion surrounding this much-hyped topic. It offers simple, direct explanations of what account-based marketing is, why it's important, and how to do it. Any business marketing professional will benefit from a look at this book." - David Raab, Founder at Raab Associates "If you're reading this book and just getting started with ABM, welcome to the future of what b-to-b marketing can be: insight-led, technology-enabled and, above all, customer focused. Our clients are delighted with the business impact they deliver using account-based marketing, and you will be, too." - Megan Heuer, Vice President and Group Director, SiriusDecisions "Like a Hollywood agent, marketing's job is to get sales the 'audition,' not the part. Account-based marketing is the key to maximizing the number of the 'right' auditions for your sales team, and *Account-Based Marketing For Dummies* explains how." - Joe Chernov, VP of Marketing at InsightSquared "Ever-advancing marketing technology is enabling a new generation of sales and marketing strategies to thrive, changing the playing field for companies of all sizes. This modern wave of account-based marketing has tremendous potential to improve your business, and Sangram Vajre is an insightful and enthusiastic guide to show you how." - Scott Brinker, Author of *Hacking Marketing* "Account-based marketing is shifting how businesses use customer insights to capture more upmarket revenue. This book teaches a new wave of data-driven marketers how to embrace an enlightened quality-vs-quantity approach and execute a scalable ABM strategy that delivers real results." - Sean Zinsmeister, Senior Director of Product Marketing, Infer "The book may be titled '...for dummies', but ABM is proving to be a smart approach for B2B marketers charged with generating sales pipeline and acquiring and delighting customers. Use this book to help you get started and advance your account-based marketing strategies and tactics that will thrill your sales colleagues, executive team and customers alike." Scott Vaughan, CMO, Integrate

INNOVATION PROWESS

LEADERSHIP STRATEGIES FOR ACCELERATING GROWTH

University of Pennsylvania Press A framework for achieving superior rates of organic growth Achieving superior growth through innovation is a top strategic priority for all companies. Yet most management teams struggle to reach their firm's ambitious growth targets and suffer slow growth. What distinguishes these growth laggards from growth leaders like IBM, Nike, LEGO, American Express, Amazon, and Samsung that realize their full potential for growth? Wharton professor George S. Day shows that growth leaders use their innovation prowess to accelerate their growth at a faster rate. In this essential guide, Day reveals how to build this prowess by combining discipline in growth-seeking activities with an organizational ability to innovate. Day shows managers how to set a growth strategy that is realistic while still stretching the organization; search for the best growth opportunities along the full spectrum of 14 growth pathways; aim their growth-seeking activities toward the creation of new customer value; learn to profit from the uncertainty of innovation by successfully assessing and containing risk; build the organizational muscle to implement an ambitious growth strategy; and move faster from ideas to impact. With the strategies, processes, and methods discussed in Innovation Prowess, leaders can build a tested and comprehensive strategy for driving organic growth year after year. The Wharton Executive Essentials Series The Wharton Executive Essentials series from Wharton Digital Press brings the ideas of the Wharton School's thought leaders to you wherever you are. Inspired by Wharton's Executive Education program, each book is authored by globally renowned faculty and offers a quick-reading, penetrating, and comprehensive summary of the knowledge leaders need to excel in today's competitive business environment and capture tomorrow's opportunities.

INTERIM REPORT OF THE GREEN GROWTH STRATEGY IMPLEMENTING OUR COMMITMENT FOR A SUSTAINABLE FUTURE

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OECD Publishing Green growth can be a way to pursue economic growth while preventing environmental degradation. The Interim Report highlights preliminary findings on a number of key issues that policymakers face in creating greener economies.

OECD SCIENCE, TECHNOLOGY AND INDUSTRY OUTLOOK 2012

OECD Publishing Based on the latest information and indicators in science and innovation, the OECD Science, Technology and Industry Outlook 2012 reviews key trends in STI policies and performance in OECD countries and major emerging economies, and across a number of thematic areas.

LEAVE THEM IN THE DUST!

HOW TO OUT-SELL AND OUT-MARKET EVERY EXECUTIVE EDUCATION OR TRAINING PROVIDER THAT YOU COMPETE AGAINST NO MATTER HOW LARGE OR SMALL YOU ARE!

Xlibris Corporation I don't know of a single Executive Education business or training organisation who would not get some type of improvement by using the strategies in this book. Contrary to media coverage, growing your Executive Education business or any type of training business for that matter is not down to magic or superhuman business acumen. It has everything to do with understanding the way your customers think, out-thinking your competitors and combining a stream of innovative courses, services and messages into an unbeatable value proposition. This book gives you the ammunition to rapidly boost your competitive advantage, leading to increased bookings for courses and development programmes virtually overnight. This book shows you: • How to take control of your results • Why you should rely on your intuition to understand your industry • 12 ways to write winning headlines and subject lines • Why emails must be under 30 seconds long • How to get more clicks from SEO without increasing your rankings • Slash your Pay per Click costs and get more quality prospects • The type of content marketing that works • Why you won't need to create content from scratch • The lead generation system that outperforms your website by 1600% • How to choose your markets and make growth easy • £billion strategy levers • 6 Rapid Business Multipliers you can apply right away • The Significance of A/B Split Testing for breakthrough performance • Why you need more than marketing skills to succeed - 5 management tools for you • Where to target your efforts in social media marketing • Plus much more..

UNICIST BUSINESS THERAPEUTICS: ONTOLOGY BASED AND OBJECT DRIVEN THERAPEUTICS

Blue Eagle Group These books were written as consultation books to be used to solve problems. They are essentially analogous to medical books for individuals who decided to manage the concepts and fundamentals of things in order to manage the root causes of problems. Here you will find all the fundamentals you need to manage when solving structural problems in businesses. It is usable by all those who can see organizations as entities with independent life from their members. It requires dealing with the needs of shareholders, stakeholders and the markets and considering these agents as interdependent entities.

REVENUE GROWTH ENGINE

HOW TO ALIGN SALES AND MARKETING TO ACCELERATE GROWTH

Would you like to grow revenue faster? Whether you own a company, lead a sales team, or work in marketing, we all

share the same goal: revenue growth. Unfortunately, many companies are not growing as fast as they could be. You are running marketing campaigns. Your sales team is making calls. What's keeping you from growing faster? Every company has a Revenue Growth Engine. This is the sum of their sales and marketing efforts. The problem is that most engines are not firing on all cylinders. There may even be important cylinders missing. The good news is that when your Revenue Growth Engine is performing with all cylinders firing, you accelerate revenue growth! In this book, you will quickly discover which parts of your company's growth engine are not performing. You will find a big picture model for aligning marketing and sales to drive growth. Then, Darrell walks you step by step through how to improve each component of your growth engine.

VIDEO MARKETING FOR PROFIT

14 PROVEN STRATEGIES FOR ACCELERATED BUSINESS GROWTH

'Online video is the fastest growing marketing tool. It is creating a dynamic element to business marketing strategies at both local and global levels. By harnessing the power of video you can achieve accelerated business growth. Video Profit strategist, Marcus Seeger, discusses 14 highly effective video strategies for small to medium business owners, drawing on his real world experience to bring you the very latest video strategies' --Back cover.

GRASSROOTS STRATEGY

CULTIVATING B2B GROWTH FROM THE GROUND UP

Accelerating profitable growth has been one of the long-standing challenges of business executives. Even today, with stock markets booming and M&A activity returning to record levels, organic growth is anemic for many companies. In our experience, the root cause is a lack of strategy in the organization's thinking, planning, and marketing. Many successful business leaders have built their careers on execution and efficiency but have relatively little experience making the strategic decisions that drive the top line. Lean, Six Sigma, and other efficiency-focused methodologies are fantastic at answering questions around how to do things better, but they are not suited to answer strategic questions around what they should do and why. Through our experience, we realized that there are a set of core principles and frameworks that can improve, sometimes dramatically, the selection and targeting of growth opportunities and importantly, turn good ideas into good businesses quickly and with more confidence. Over time we realized that there was nothing magical in the concepts we were using in our work. We do not claim to be mystical seers interpreting some strategy oracle that only we can understand. And that became our mission: to teach capable people at all levels of an organization how to apply strategic concepts themselves. There are significant advantages to embedding strategic thinking capabilities throughout the organization. 1. Some of the best organic growth ideas bubble up from lower levels of the organization. 2. Embedding strategic thinking skills creates a more discerning audience for top-down initiatives. 3. Leveraging this process over time will groom the next generation of general managers for success 4. Building organizational strategic capabilities can be a real differentiator in the B2B world. To accomplish this we developed Grassroots Strategy, a seminar-based approach that teaches good strategic thinking by having the participants apply what they're learning to actual challenges confronting their business. This book walks through the approach and concepts that we teach and apply during those seminars. The title of this book speaks to our perspective on strategy. The best strategies are not dictated from an "ivory tower." Rather, they are firmly rooted in the reality of the market and leverage the cross-functional experience and intelligence of the entire organization. And once they take root, these strategic principles not only lead to better targeted growth initiatives, they provide the healthy foundation that is needed for a growth culture to thrive. Throughout this book we take readers from strategy apprentice to journeyman strategic thinker. We will show you how to apply proven strategy concepts and tools within a framework that enables their use. With diligence and discipline, this process will separate the best growth ideas from the also-rans. And it will enable you to redirect resources and accelerate the best ideas to deliver results more quickly. How do we know this works? Well, our clients give us credit for hundreds of millions of dollars of incremental operating profit, and that's good enough for us. The number of companies that would benefit from our approach is far larger than those we can reach with our consulting practice. Although there is no substitute for the full, week-long Grassroots Strategy seminar experience, we created this book as a "do-it-yourself" guide for those who want to encourage strategic thinking within their organization from the ground up. Whatever your situation, this book is a convenient way to share these concepts with all teams and individuals seeking strategic growth. We hope you enjoy the journey.

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INBOUND ORGANIZATION

HOW TO BUILD AND STRENGTHEN YOUR COMPANY'S FUTURE USING INBOUND PRINCIPLES

John Wiley & Sons Use inbound principles to build and strengthen your company's future We're in a major shift in a fundamental aspect of how businesses grow, how buyers purchase, and how businesses build meaningful conversations and customer relationships. Companies who align their mission, strategies, action plans, and tools with the way buyers think, learn, discover, and purchase will have a huge competitive advantage. Organizations need to adjust their mindset and build a strategic foundation to deal with these facts and not just update a business plan. Inbound Organization shows leaders how to build their company's future around Inbound principles and strengthen the structural foundations necessary to deal with the changes in buyer behavior. It explains how and why Inbound ideas and how to create a remarkable customer experience belong in the boardrooms and on the desks of founders, entrepreneurs, business leaders, and anyone who has a responsibility to lead their organizations into the future. • Discover the foundation of inbound principles • Learn how to put ideas into practice today • Read about organizations that successfully apply the principles of Inbound • Keep your business on course to succeed amidst buyer changes Stay ahead of the curve and learn how to use Inbound principles to ensure you're always ahead of the curve.

MARKET-BASED MANAGEMENT

STRATEGIES FOR GROWING CUSTOMER VALUE AND PROFITABILITY

Using an applied approach that focuses on market orientation, marketing strategy and market-based management, Best details the connections between a market-driven strategy and profitable growth.

FOREIGN OPERATIONS, EXPORT FINANCING, AND RELATED PROGRAMS APPROPRIATIONS FOR 1996

HEARINGS BEFORE A SUBCOMMITTEE OF THE COMMITTEE ON APPROPRIATIONS, HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, ONE HUNDRED FOURTH CONGRESS, FIRST SESSION

MARKET LIBERALISM, GROWTH, AND ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT IN LATIN AMERICA

Routledge The principal themes pursued in this book emerge from the great transformation that the Latin American and the Caribbean economies experienced in the aftermath of both the foreign debt crisis of 1982 and the macroeconomic stabilisation policies that vividly and painfully produced the so-called "lost decade" of the 1980s. Latin America implemented an economic liberalisation process during the late 1980s and the 1990s. The main policy reforms involved in that course can be summarized as privatization of state owned firms, trade openness, deregulation of the foreign direct investment (FDI) regime and fiscal discipline. Latin American countries have also embarked in regional trade agreements, the most important ones being Mercosur and the North American Free trade Agreement (NAFTA). This book compares results from the experience of North-South and South-South moulds of integration. Thus, the impacts of these policies on growth, development, technological progress, poverty and inequality are analysed. Orthodox and heterodox economic policies and theories are discussed along with relevant empirical evidence with a view to assess, on the one hand, the relative merits of the various policy reforms applied by different countries in the region, and on the other, the experience of integration into the global economy. There are thirteen chapters in this collection linked in varying ways to the series of economic reforms introduced in the region in the last decades. The book will be of interest to academics, researchers, students and policymakers interested in the study of economic development in emerging economies and in particular in Latin America.

STRATEGIC MANAGEMENT FOR THE HOSPITALITY AND TOURISM INDUSTRY

DEVELOPING A COMPETITIVE ADVANTAGE

CRC Press This vital volume clearly explains cutting-edge theories and views on strategic management in applied management fundamentals in the hospitality and tourism industry. The author discusses the latest in strategic thinking and provides information on implementing models within specific contexts, such as culture and profit and nonprofit organizations. He also looks at the political, economic, social, and technological changes that significantly affect tourism and hospitality. The volume is distinguished by its thoughtful analysis and review of related hospitality case studies and the management approaches employed and sheds light on ever-the emerging management and operation issues in the tourism and hospitality sector. The book employs an abundance of case studies that illustrate the concepts and models discussed, with examples from such heavyweights in the industry as Disney and Euro Disney, Aer Lingus, British Airways, Four Seasons, Holiday Inn, Marriot, Sofitel, Starwood Hotels, and more. Key features of the

book include: Cutting-edge approach: Applies advanced and recent strategic management views to the tourism and hospitality field. Critical treatment: Provides critical discussions about whether and how strategic models/theories can be applied in the hospitality and tourism field. Sensitive to specific contexts: As the tourism and hospitality industry has become one of the largest industries worldwide, discusses how strategic management concepts can be applied in different cultures and profit and nonprofit tourism organizations. Extensive case studies: Provides supporting case studies related to the strategy content, context, and process from international industries such as Aer Lingus, Accor, Marriott and Ryanair. Organization of the book: Each of the chapters within the case study sections employs a thorough pedagogic structure consisting of a concise introduction, examples and case analysis, discussion points, exercises, and further reading. This book is designed to provoke thought and debate about strategic management and myriad other issues. It will be valuable for students, academics, universities offering hospitality and tourism, and hospitality and tourism professionals.

IMPLEMENTING KEY ACCOUNT MANAGEMENT

DESIGNING CUSTOMER-CENTRIC PROCESSES FOR MUTUAL GROWTH

Kogan Page Publishers **Implementing Key Account Management** is a highly practical handbook that guides readers through the realities of rolling out a functional key account management programme. The book offers an integrated framework for key account management (KAM) that businesses can use to design or further develop strategic customer management programmes, enabling them to overcome the obstacles that organizations often face when rolling out their strategies. Bringing together the experiences of leading experts within this field, **Implementing Key Account Management** draws on two decades of research and best practice from Cranfield University School of Management, one of the foremost centres for researcher and thought leadership in KAM. Between them, the authors have designed and delivered programmes globally for clients such as Rolls-Royce, Unilever, Vodafone, The Economist and many more. Rigorously researched, well-grounded and practical, this book is - quite simply - the definitive, go-to resource for implementing key account management programmes.

BOSS - BUSINESS OUTCOME SELLING STRATEGIES

STICKY BRANDING

12.5 PRINCIPLES TO STAND OUT, ATTRACT CUSTOMERS, AND GROW AN INCREDIBLE BRAND

Dundurn **Stand out, attract customers and grow your company into a sticky brand.** **Sticky Branding** provides practical, tactical ideas of how mid-market companies – companies with a marketing budget, but not a vast one – are challenging the status quo and growing sticky brands.

HANDBOOK OF RESEARCH ON SUSTAINABLE DEVELOPMENT AND GOVERNANCE STRATEGIES FOR ECONOMIC GROWTH IN AFRICA

IGI Global **Despite increasing reports across the globe on renewable development and maintenance, little is known regarding what strategies are required for improved economic growth and prosperity in Africa. Improving an understanding of the methods for promoting growth through reusable resource development and administration is a vital topic of research to consider in assisting the continent's development. The Handbook of Research on Sustainable Development and Governance Strategies for Economic Growth in Africa provides emerging research on the strategies required to promote growth in Africa as well as the implications and issues of the expansion of prosperity. While highlighting sustainable education, pastoral development pathways, and the public-sector role, readers will learn about the history of sustainable development and governmental approaches to improving Africa's economy. This publication is a vital resource for policy makers, research institutions, academics, researchers, and advanced-level students seeking current research on the theories and applications of development in societal and legal institutions.**

VALUE-BASED MARKETING

MARKETING STRATEGIES FOR CORPORATE GROWTH AND SHAREHOLDER VALUE

John Wiley & Sons Incorporated **This volume covers Shareholder Value (SV), which may be defined as a firm's ability to earn a return. To achieve it, a company must be perceived to operate in a viable market, pursuing a strategy which promises sustainable competitive advantage.**

CHINESE ECONOMIC HISTORY SINCE 1949

BRILL Key Papers in Chinese Economic History since 1949 offers a selection of outstanding articles that trace the origins of the modern Chinese economy. Topics covered include agriculture and the rural economy; industrialisation and urbanisation; finance and capital; political economy and international connections.

DIGIMARKETING

THE ESSENTIAL GUIDE TO NEW MEDIA AND DIGITAL MARKETING

John Wiley & Sons "We are all DigiMarketers now - or we should be. The authors have for the first time provided a lucid, hype-free, business-based and practical guide to the new age of marketing: it is a kind of digital Baedeker, which

should be on every businessman's book-shelf." —Miles Young, Chairman, Ogilvy & Mather Asia Pacific "The digital frontier is now the center of our universe. As Kent Wertime and Ian Fenwick show, marketers must seize this digital opportunity to accelerate their market growth." —John A. Quelch, Senior Associate Dean and Lincoln Filene Professor of Business Administration, Harvard Business School "Too many advertisers are stuck in the primordial soup when it comes to their digital marketing strategy. However, they need to evolve fast if they are to survive in a multi-channel landscape. This timely book acts like an Origin of the Species, steering hesitant brand owners through the complexities of the digital ecosystem. An impressive blend of academic theory, professional insight and practical advice." —Paul Kemp-Robertson, Co-founder & Editorial Director, Contagious www.contagiousmagazine.com "DigiMarketing: The Essential Guide to New Marketing & Digital Media is a clear call for companies to evolve their marketing practice. This book is essential reading for anyone seeking a roadmap to the future of business." —Dipak C. Jain, Dean, Kellogg School of Management "The rise of conversational media new forms of distribution - from blogs to mobile platforms - challenge traditional approaches to marketing, and require every business to have a transition plan. Kent Wertime and Ian Fenwick have written a book that is required reading for any marketers interested in successfully making that transition." —John Battelle, CEO and Founder, Federated Media Publishing and Author, The Search "Kent Wertime and Ian Fenwick have written the definitive guide to marketing in the digital age. But DigiMarketing does more than educate marketing professionals. It describes the new media landscape brilliantly, making it an essential read for anyone who hopes to understand the most important technological revolution of the past fifty years. I wore out three yellow highlighters before realizing that every sentence and every paragraph is worth committing to memory." —Norman Pearlstine, Former Editor-in-Chief, Time Inc. and Managing Editor, The Wall Street Journal, Senior Advisor, Telecommunications & Media, The Carlyle Group

STRATEGIES FOR ACCELERATING CLEANUP AT TOXIC WASTE SITES

FAST-TRACKING ENVIRONMENTAL ACTIONS AND DECISION MAKING

CRC Press **Accelerating Cleanup at Toxic Waste Sites: Fast-tracking Environmental Actions and Decision Making** presents truly innovative advances in investigative and cleanup technologies, offering valuable solutions that streamline the data collection process, speed up the time it takes to characterize a site, and expedite decision making. Using easy to understand graphic displays, tables, text summaries, and real world case studies, and by synthesizing technical and regulatory reference information crucial to the development of effective cleanup strategies, this book provides the framework for environmental professionals to develop project and program approaches that meet today's needs. An advanced text for those with at least basic understanding of environmental investigation, cleanup, regulations, decision making, and policy development, **Accelerating Cleanup at Toxic Waste Sites** addresses the "human" side of the environmental industry and why it is perhaps one of the most important considerations for successful accelerated cleanup. This book takes the next step by providing managers, project teams, and other professionals with approaches that bring techniques, regulations, strategies, and people together into one comprehensive package that works.

UNLOCKING AFRICA'S BUSINESS POTENTIAL

TRENDS, OPPORTUNITIES, RISKS, AND STRATEGIES

Brookings Institution Press **Africa welcomes business investment and offers some of the world's highest returns and impacts Africa has tremendous economic potential and offers rewarding opportunities for global businesses looking for new markets and long-term investments with favorable returns. Africa has been one of the world's fastest-growing regions over the past decade, and by 2030 will be home to nearly 1.7 billion people and an estimated \$6.7 trillion worth of consumer and business spending. Increased political stability in recent years and improving regional integration are making market access easier, and business expansion will generate jobs for women and youth, who represent the vast majority of the population. Current economic growth and poverty-alleviation efforts mean that more than 43 percent of the continent's people will reach middle- or upper-class status by 2030. **Unlocking Africa's Business Potential** examines business opportunities in the eight sectors with the highest potential returns on private investment—the same sectors that will foster economic growth and diversification, job creation, and improved general welfare. These sectors include: consumer markets, agriculture and agriprocessing, information and communication technology, manufacturing, oil and gas, tourism, banking, and infrastructure and construction. The book's analysis of these sectors is based on case studies that identify specific opportunities for investment and growth, along with long-term market projections to inform decision-making. The book identifies potential risks to business and offers mitigation strategies. It also provides policymakers with solutions to attract new business investments, including how to remove barriers to business and accelerate development of the private sector.**

ACCELERATING COMPANY GROWTH

A PRACTICAL GUIDE FOR CEOs

Oak Tree Press (Ireland) **The cover image of a racing yacht in full sail, capturing the power of the wind and crashing through waves, as it accelerates through the ocean, is the best representation of what it is like to accelerate company growth. To go this fast, you need to have a great team who know what they are doing and who work in perfect harmony, under the leadership of a great captain, who makes the right decisions on what direction to go and the sails to use for the wind conditions, currents, waves and all the other elements that are thrown at you by the unpredictable**

environment. When you get everything right, the excitement and adrenalin rush that comes from the acceleration, as you ride and crash through waves under your own power, is invigorating - just like accelerating the growth of your company. Throughout **ACCELERATING COMPANY GROWTH**, Brendan Dowling shares practical advice and stories, based on his own experience, which will help you to accelerate the growth of your business. Section 1 covers the pre-requisites for accelerating company growth: motivation, leadership, vision and strategy. Section 2 covers the key areas that drive company growth, giving you advice and tips from my own experience: your elevator pitch; value proposition; market; the customer's problem and your solution; marketing; sales; business model; competitors; team/people; finances; and operations. At the end of each of these chapters, Brendan shows how to complete a slide for your Accelerated Growth Plan that covers all the points critical to having a document that forms the blueprint for your company's growth. Finally Section 3 looks at other topics that are important contributors to accelerated company growth: how to use your board of directors; working with venture capital funding; selling your company; and business ethics. Appendix 1 includes a slide deck template that you can use to form the basis of your own Accelerated Growth Plan, while Appendix 2 shows a sample slide deck for a fictitious company, Nautique2 - based on Brendan's first business, Nautique, as if he were starting it again from scratch today.

BIO-BASED PACKAGING

MATERIAL, ENVIRONMENTAL AND ECONOMIC ASPECTS

John Wiley & Sons **Bio-Based Packaging** Bio-Based Packaging An authoritative and up-to-date review of sustainable packaging development and applications Bio-Based Packaging explores using renewable and biodegradable materials as sustainable alternatives to non-renewable, petroleum-based packaging. This comprehensive volume surveys the properties of biopolymers, the environmental and economic impact of bio-based packaging, and new and emerging technologies that are increasing the number of potential applications of green materials in the packaging industry. Contributions address the advantages and challenges of bio-based packaging, discuss new materials to be used for food packaging, and highlight cutting-edge research on polymers such as starch, protein, polylactic acid (PLA), pectin, nanocellulose, and their nanocomposites. In-depth yet accessible chapters provide balanced coverage of a broad range of practical topics, including life cycle assessment (LCA) of bio-based packaging products, consumer perceptions and preferences, supply chains, business strategies and markets in biodegradable food packaging, manufacturing of bio-based packaging materials, and regulations for food packaging materials. Detailed discussions provide valuable insight into the opportunities for biopolymers in end-use sectors, the barriers to biopolymer-based concepts in the packaging market, recent advances made in the field of biopolymeric composite materials, the future of bio-plastics in commercial food packaging, and more. This book: Provides deep coverage of the bio-based packaging development, characterization, regulations and environmental and socio-economic impact Contains real-world case studies of bio-based packaging applications Includes an overview of recent advances and emerging aspects of nanotechnology for development of sustainable composites for packaging Discusses renewable sources for packaging material and the reuse and recycling of bio-based packaging products Bio-Based Packaging is essential reading for academics, researchers, and industry professionals working in packaging materials, renewable resources, sustainability, polymerization technology, food technology, material engineering, and related fields. For more information on the Wiley Series in Renewable Resources, visit www.wiley.com/go/rrs

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ALIGNING BUSINESS STRATEGIES AND ANALYTICS

BRIDGING BETWEEN THEORY AND PRACTICE

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implementing real-time, and a case study on human capital analytics. Chapters 10 - 11 reviews the opportunities and potential shortfall and highlights how new media marketing and analytics fostered new insights. Finally the book concludes with a look at how data and analytics are playing a revolutionary role in strategy development in the chemical industry.

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GLOBAL PERSPECTIVES

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STRATEGY IN 3D

ESSENTIAL TOOLS TO DIAGNOSE, DECIDE, AND DELIVER

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HOW TO BUILD A PRODUCT THAT SELLS ITSELF

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INNOVATION PROWESS

LEADERSHIP STRATEGIES FOR ACCELERATING GROWTH

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