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Global Communications -Local Trust

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Communication is what leaders do before, during and after decisions. It is how they achieve results. It is how they inspire us.

Kevin Murray [2]











Need for Change





The biggest changes in Communications:

- Digital content
- Ownership
- Transparency & Authenticity
- Trust
- Influence & Advocacy





Customer Journey - It's not what you say, it's what they hear.



Digital Content



Twitter puts Brands, Companies and Individuals at the same level.

- Shifting patterns of influence,
- Consumers and citizens have been empowered by internet and digital communication.





Digital Content

If the news is that important, it will find me.





Ownership



Ownership

"Old" media are a lecture.

"New" media are a conversation.





Transparency & Authenticity



Transparency & Authenticity

Life in the fishbowl means that the communication needs to be authentic and with a clear POV.

Radical transparency of the world and great uncertainty – needs radical thinking















Communication from the top is the icing. The real substance is in the countries. Too much icing, without the cake, could make you ill.



Reputation is the catalyst of growth.

It's trust in your brands and it's trust in your organization.





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Smart Trust, Stephen M. R. Covey

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Influence & Advocacy



Influence & Advocacy



In communication, people relate to hard concrete examples

Customers want validation that someone from the same industry, same size company, same business challenge, and same use case has been successful.



What does it mean for us?



- Know our audience. Clients.
 Decision making journey.
 Touch-points, in which customers could be influenced.
- Be agile.
- Cooperate with advocates and influencers.



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Backgrounder

The call of communication is still the same.

Aristotle described three main forms of rhetoric:



- <u>Ethos:</u>
 - Ethos-driven message relies on the reputation of the speaker.
 - Logos:
 - Logos is appeal based on logic or reason.
- Pathos:
 - Pathos is appeal based on emotion.

What is critical is the use of emotion to support logic.



4. Communication

- Say one positive thing, and you will become associated with many. [2]
- Build an audience. Speak, write, blog, tweet, make videos. If they like what you have to say, they will like what you have to sell. [3]
- Don't use adjectives. Use stories. [2]
- Be open, honest, public, and responsive during the crisis. [3]
- Apologize the way the real person would. [3]
- Be personal. [3]
- If you don't have the answer for client: "Let me do some research and get back to you". [3]
- There is no shortcut but hard work. Senta

Jaký sem dáme obrázek?



Senta's Tips and Tricks 1/2

Customer

- If you are having problem to make a decision, do it always in favor of your client, Senta
- Understanding your clients, their limited time, their sometimes illogical ways of making decisions, their most important drives and needs [2]
- If you are selling to individuals, talk to individuals, [2]
- Scaring away new customers is worse than losing old customers. [3]

Visualise and Simplify

- In our complex world, nothing works more powerfully than simplicity, [2]
- If you are selling something complex, simplify it with a metaphor [2]
- Prioritize visually. Put the most important thing at the top. When you done with it, the next thing on the list becomes the next most important thing. [3]



International Women Conference, New York, 2008



Senta's Tips and Tricks 2/2

Candor, value and dignity

- Respect everyone for work and effort and individuality. [1]
- Some people have better ideas than others; some are smarter or more experienced or more creative. But everyone should be heard and respected. [1]
- Everyone is a Manager. Let them feel like that! Rudy Kozak, HP.
- You are kind to all mankind. [4]

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- Swallow your pride, prove your worth, and start again. [1]
- You and your bad attitude can be replaced and will be if you don't learn to love the deal like the acquirers do. [1]
- Be human. You don't quit items in the business plan, you really dismissing people with their lifes, families and responsibilities. **Senta**

Globalization

• Geography doesn't matter any more. [3]









Where People Got News Yesterday







"No, you weren't downloaded. Your were born."

