### **LOOKING AHEAD**

# AEC MARKETING TOOLBOX



### **AEC MARKETING OUTLOOK**

### "BUSINESS AS USUAL" IS NOT AN OPTION.

### **MARKETING DRIVER NO. 1**

### THE FUTURE IS NOW. AND IT'S ONLINE.

### **MARKETING DRIVER NO. 2**

### CUSTOMER IS A STRATEGY, NOT SIMPLY AN AUDIENCE.

# DISRUPTIVE TECHNOLOGY IS, BUT THE PEOPLE ARE THE DISRUPTIVE FORCE.

### **TIFFANI BOVA**

Global Growth & Innovation, Salesforce

### **EMERGING B2B CONSUMER**

## RAPIDLY CHANGING B2B CUSTOMERS' EXPECTATIONS DEMAND B2C-LIKE EXPERIENCES.

# NOT SINCE THE ADVENT OF THE INTERNET HAS TECHNOLOGY FORCED US TO RETHINK HOW WE WIN, SERVE & RETAIN CUSTOMERS.

Source: Forrester



### **B2B END-TO-END DIGITAL, SELF-SERVE, REMOTE SALES**

Buyers are willing to spend big using remote or self-service.

\$500K to \$1M

amount 12% are willing to spend

Over \$1M

amount 15% are willing to spend

\$50K to \$500K

amount 32% are willing to spend

McKinsey

& Company Source: McKinsey COVID-19 B2B Decision-Maker Pulse #3 7/27-8/11/2020 (n = 3,626)



### **CONVERSATIONAL MARKETING**

### DIGITAL FIRST ...

MOBILE FIRST ...

... AND HUMAN

Hey, Substance151! Thanks for checking me out!



### MAKE SURE YOUR FIRM CAN BE FOUND ONLINE

68%

CITE ONLINE SEARCH AS THEIR #1 SOURCE OF INFORMATION **75%** 

START WITH A GENERIC SEARCH TERM (not a firm name)

12+

SEARCHES BEFORE ENGAGING

### **MAKE SURE YOUR WEBSITE OFFERS VALUE**

0.05 SEC

TAKES FOR A VISITOR
TO FORM AN OPINION

**75%** 

JUDGE FIRM'S CREDIBILITY BY ITS WEBSITE

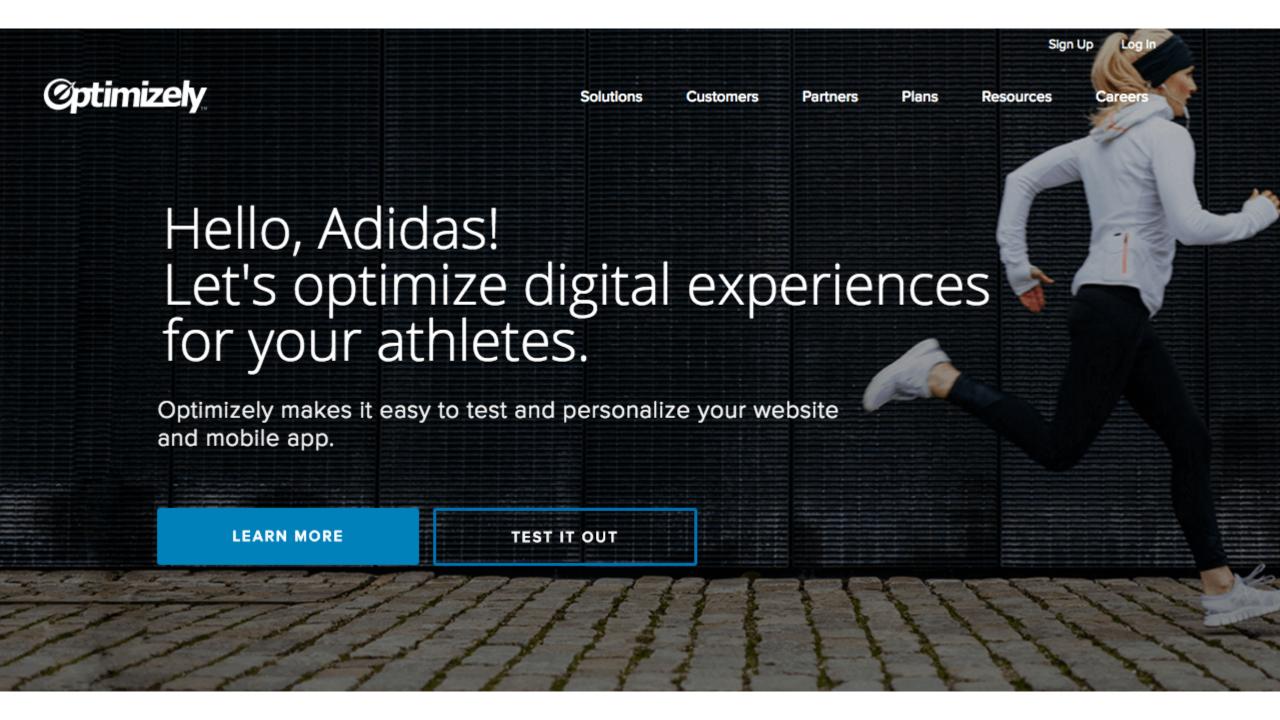
68%

LEAVE IF A WEBSITE DOESN'T ANTICIPATE THEIR NEEDS

### • PERSONALIZATION IS A MUST-HAVE STRATEGY IN THE FUTURE OF B2B MARKETING.

### **JESSICA COLLIER**

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Solutions

Customers

**Partners** 

Plans

Resources

Careers

### Still awake? Let's optimize digital experiences for your customers.

Optimizely makes it easy to test and personalize your website and mobile app.

**LEARN MORE** 

**TEST IT OUT** 

### **B2B EMAIL MARKETING STATISTICS**

5.6 B

ACTIVE EMAIL ACCOUNTS

> 59%

SAY EMAIL MARKETING HAS THE HIGHEST ROI

62%

CITE EMAIL AS TOP SOURCE OF LEADS

### LIST SEGMENTATION

## MARKETERS WHO SEGMENT THEIR CAMPAIGNS NOTICE AS MUCH AS A 760% INCREASE IN ROI.

### REINVENT YOUR MARKETING AND BUSINESS DEVELOPMENT WITH LINKEDIN

675M

PROFESSIONAL MEMBERS



4 OF 5

MEMBERS ARE DECISION-MAKERS

## THE REPUTATION OF A FIRM'S LEADERSHIP IS RESPONSIBLE FOR 44% OF ITS MARKET VALUE.

**FORBES MAGAZINE** 



### **5 MARKETING STRATEGIES FOR WINNING WITH DIGITAL**

- 1. Make sure your firm can be found online
- 2. Make sure your firm's website offers value
- 3. Create personalized, useful online experiences
- 4. Rethink your email marketing
- 5. Master LinkedIn

### **ADDITIONAL RESOURCES**

HTTPS://BIT.LY/2022MARKETING

### **QUESTIONS?**

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