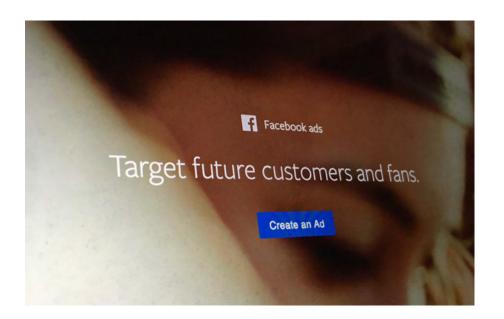


Who are your user personas?

Knowing who your user personas are, what they like, where they live, where they shop, where they go (not as creepy as it sounds) is all part of what marketers call 'user personas'.

It's about imagining your ideal customer as a living, breathing person and is the foundation that any business needs to thrive.



All aspects of social media and social advertising feed into knowing your customer. Once you know who you are talking to, you can speak to them in a way that engages them. The right tone and language will help your social ad campaign have more impact. Crafting copy that converts means:

- Offering a service that they actually want.
- Knowing how to price what you're selling.
- Refining which social platform to target them on, even what time and/or day to post to increase sales and leads.

If you're creating or paying out for ads this is one area that you want to lock down. Test, measure and refine your offerings for sure, but there's no room for winging it when it comes to talking directly to your customers.

"When you speak to everyone, you speak to no one."

MEREDITH HILL

"Everyone is not your customer"

SETH GODIN



What age is your user persona?
Are they male or female?
Where do they live?
What kind of property do they live in?
Do they own their home?
Are they single, married, divorced, widowed?
Do they have children?
If so, how old are the children?
Did they go to college or university?
What is their job?
What is their income level?
What books, magazines or blogs do they read?
What websites do they visit?
Where can you find them online? Twitter, Instagram, Pinterest, Facebook
What time of day are they online?
Do they shop online? If so, where?
Who do they admire?
What are their hobbies?
What do they struggle with?
Who do they like to spend their time with?
Where do they hang out?
What are their goals?
Why would they be interested in your products or services?
What are their painpoints?

A huge boost to your marketing research will come from actually speaking with your user personas. Find 5 people to speak to who fit the desciptions above. They will give you priceless insight into why or why not they would buy from you. Some ideas you can ask are:

- 1. Have you bought anything like my products or services before? If so, what do you think? What do you like or dislike? If not, what has stopped you?
- 2. What do you stuggle with that my service or product could help with?
- 3. If I could create a service or product for you, what would that look like?
- 4. Where do you spend your time online and what time of day?
- 5. What are your pain points relating to what I'm offering?
- 6. What objections might you have in spending money with me?
- 7. What would you pay for something like this?

Top tips: Listen to their answers. Really listen. Use Zoom to record the sessions so you don't have to scribble down notes and miss vital imformation. Enjoy the sessions! I found them VERY helpful to me and hope you do to. Let me know how you get on!



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