Advanced Marketing in Deltek Vision: Better Budgeting, Visible Value

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Agenda

- 1. Resources
- 2. WebEx Instructions
- 3. Presentation: Advanced Marketing in Deltek Vision
- 4. Questions



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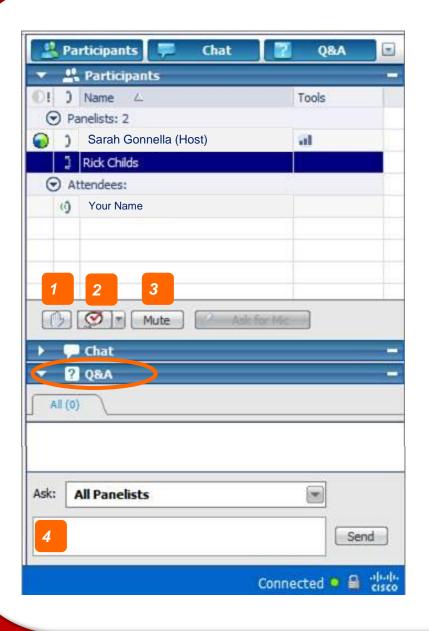
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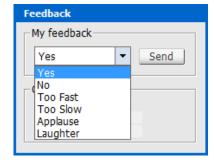
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- 4. Q&A (Type in the Q&A dialogue box [Not Chat] to ask a question. Be sure to choose All Panelist)

CONTEXT: WHY WE ARE THE WAY WE ARE....

IN THE BEGINNING.... MARKETING WAS FORBIDDEN.

In 1909...



Adopted first Principles of Practice

- Barred architects from marketing
- AIA Fee Schedule

ABSOLUTELY NO

JOB SIGNS
PROPOSALS

FREE

SKETCHES

or
EXAGERATED
or
SELFLAUDATORY

LANGUAGE



MARKETING =





Status Quo for 63 Years

1972







Bates v. State Bar of Arizona

- Sherman Antitrust Act
- Free Speech

1990

Additional DOJ investigation & lawsuit led to end of any possible opportunity to restrict fee competition.



1970 > 2010



RECESSIONS:

'70s, '80's, early 90's, 2000's & Great Recession 2007-2009



COMPETITION:

The number of architects more than doubled between 1970 and 1980

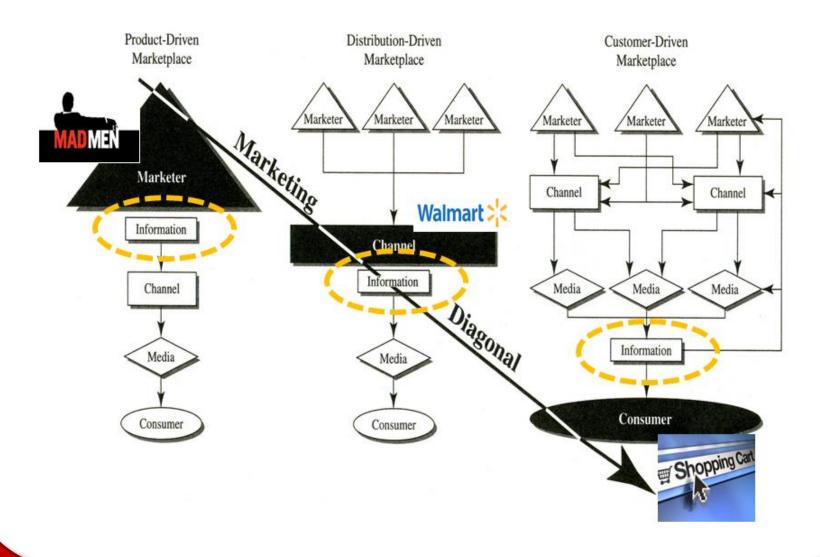


TECHNOLOGY:

Personal
Computers
Graphic Software
The Internet
Email
CAD / BIM / REVIT

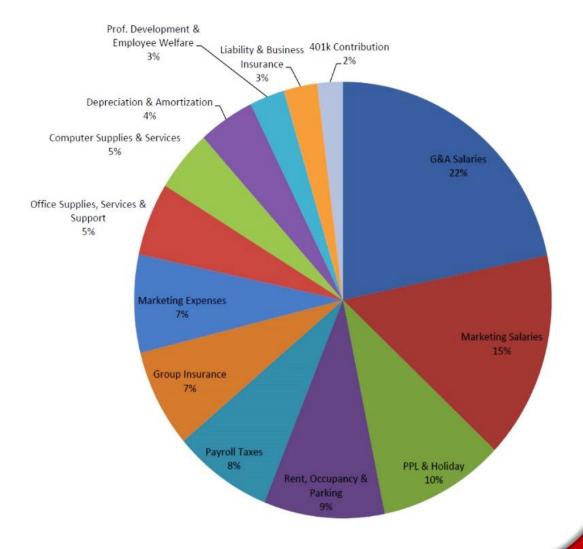


Information = Power



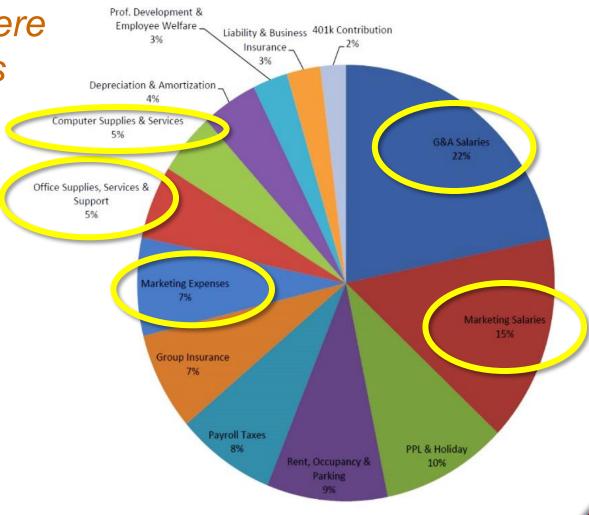
- A relatively short history in which we have embraced marketing
- Business acumen is still not part of the core curriculum of our formal education
- The world is changing at a fast pace and we were already behind.

Accounting Team's View of the World



Accounting Team's View of the World

Categories Where Marketing Lives



Activity-Based Budgeting

- Tracks total time and expenses for key Marketing Activities (i.e. marketing project numbers)
- Allows for easy evaluation of activities for ROI
- Creates individual accountability and has the potential to change bad behavior
- Tracks Mktg Staff time to specific activities



What Should You Track?

Track only what you want to measure.

Marketing (Project) Numbers:

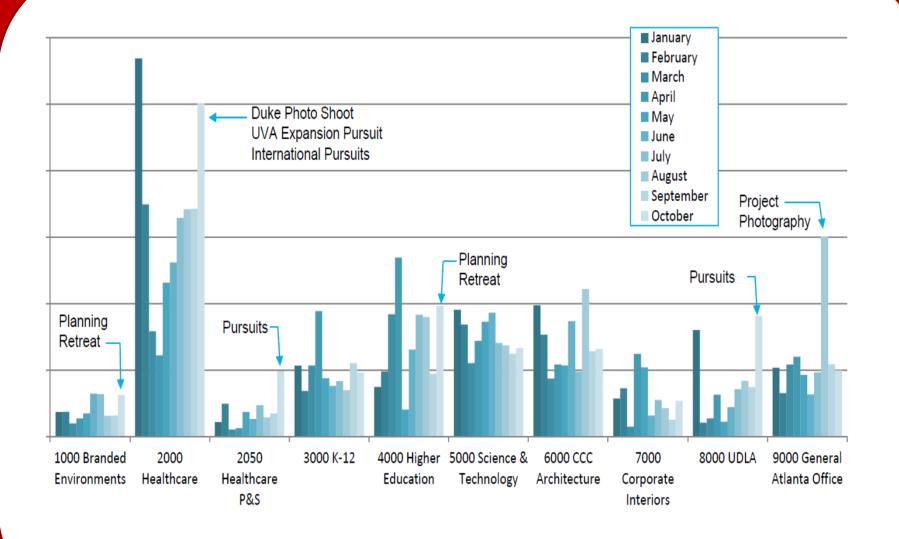
- Pursuits / Opportunities
- Photography
- Business Development
- Conferences / Seminars
- Public Relations
- Sponsorships / Donations
- Awards
- General [Catch-all Bucket]

Breakdown By Meaningful Groups:

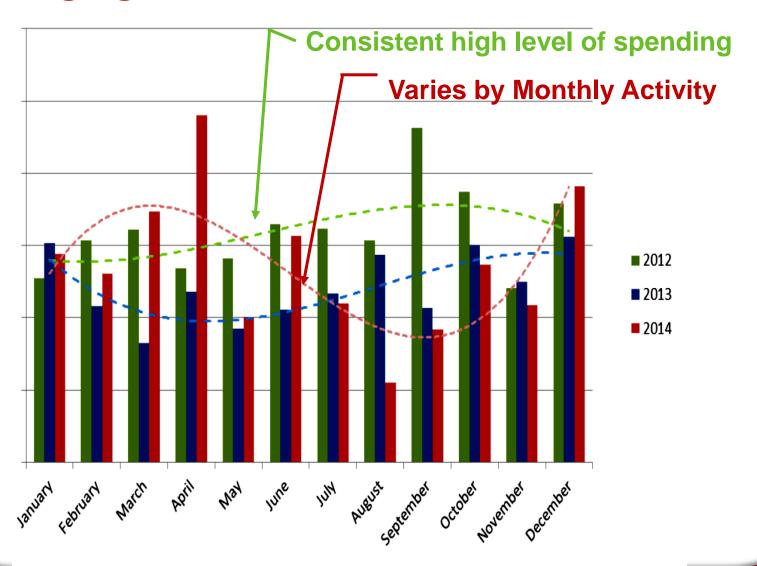
- OFFICE
- STUDIO
- PRACTICE
- GROUP

Track down to the individual [timesheet]

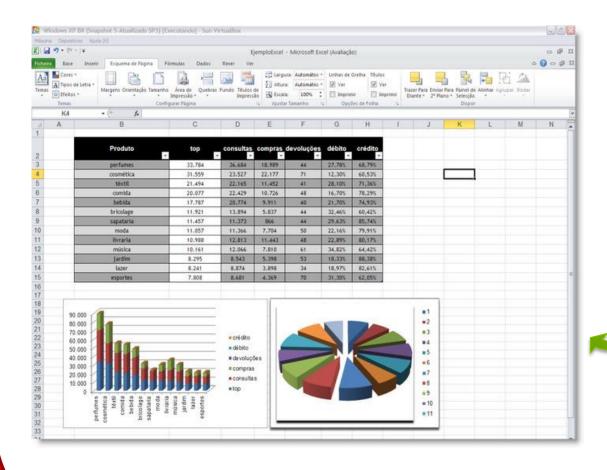




Changing Behavior



EXCEL is Your Friend



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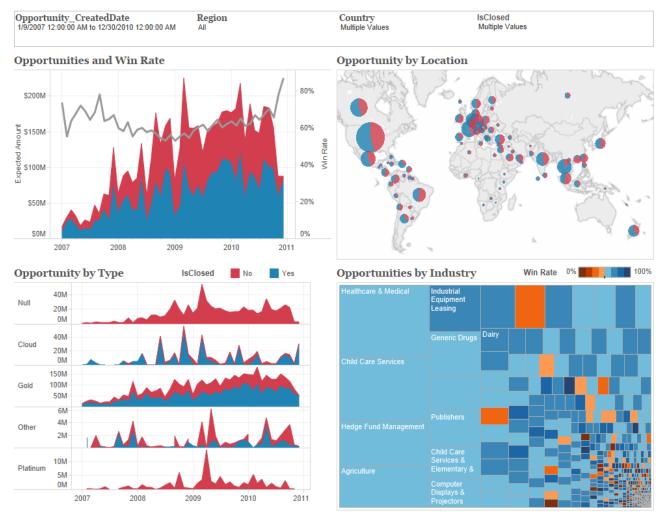
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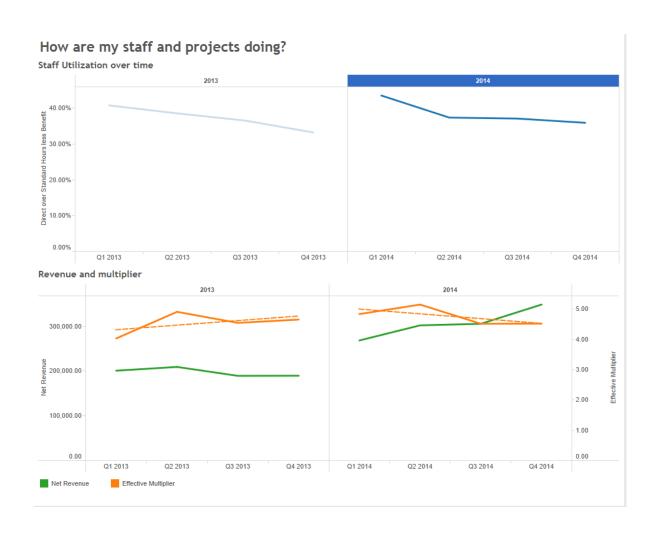
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Opportunity Dashboard



Identify Your Weakness



QUESTIONS?



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