

# Google Ads Strategies for Outfitters

Getting Back To Basics

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# Complicated PPC Landscape

- Privacy / 3<sup>rd</sup> Party Pixel Deprecation
  - First Party Data
- Automation / Al /Machine Learning
  - Smart Bidding
- Responsive, Dynamic and Expanded Text Ads (RSA, DSA, ETA Oh MY!)
  - BLAH BLAH BLAH

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# How To Improve Performance (Ways To Optimize)



- CTR (Click Thru Rate) Optimization Changes to ad copy to maximize clicks
- CPC (Cost Per Click) Optimization Changes to bidding to spend less for same # clicks
  - CVR (Conversion Rate) Optimization Changes to "offer" to maximize conversions



#### How To Improve Performance



	Impressions	Clicks	СРС	CTR	Cost	Conversions	CVR	СРА
Current	10,000	500	\$2.00	5%	\$1,000	5	1%	\$200



# Lead Magnet





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#### Offer Optimization is based around clarity on your ideal audience and what appeals to them

	Impressions	Clicks	CPC	CTR	Cost	Conversions	CVR	CPA
Current	10,000	500	\$2.00	5%	\$1,000	5	1%	\$200
CTR OPTM	10,000	1000	\$1.75	10%	\$1,750	10	1%	\$175
CPC OPTM	10,000	500	\$1.00	5%	\$500	2	0.40%	\$250
CVR OPTM	10,000	500	\$2.00	5%	\$1,000	10	2%	\$100
OFFER OPTM	5,000							



# What is Offer Optimization?



How to improve the value of your offer?

How to do Offer Optimization to improve performance



#### Let's Review Your Offer



#### The #1 Offer Problem

#### We Don't Have An Offer

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**Product** 

Price

Positioning







- Quality ingredients
- Custom scents

- 90% off
- BOGO

- 50% softer skin
- Reverses aging

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#### What's the value of your offer?



$$\frac{$100}{$100} = 1$$

$$\frac{$300}{$100} = 3$$

$$\frac{$50}{$100} = 0.5$$

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### What does your audience want?



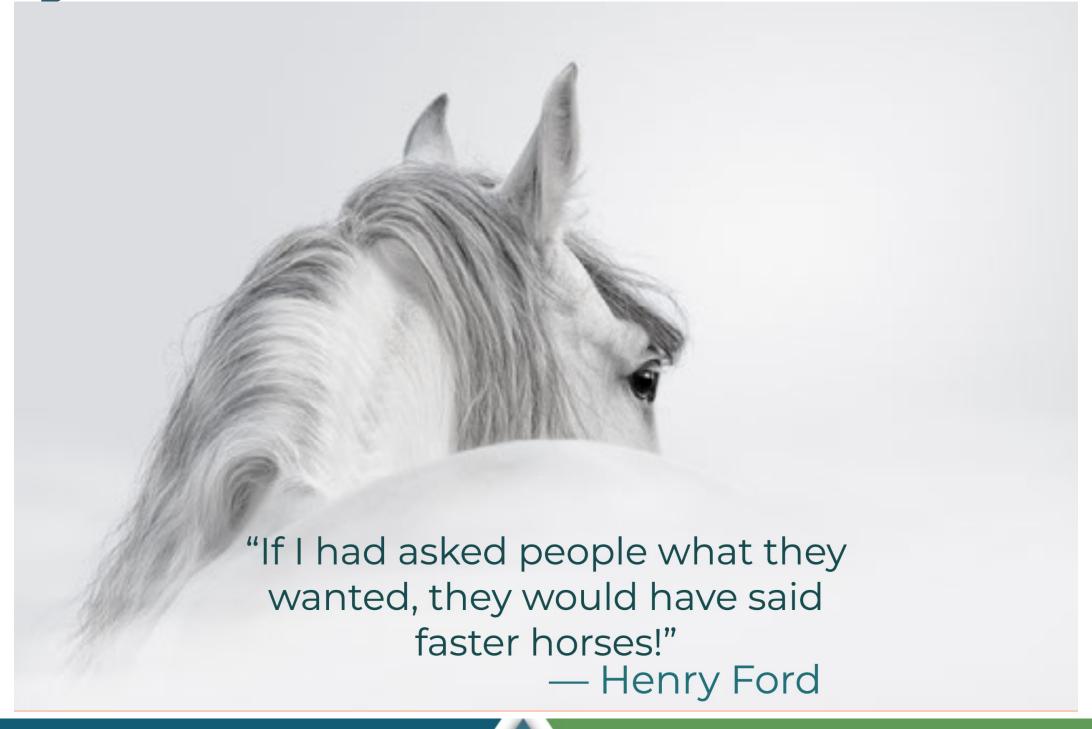
#### Actual Value vs. Perceived Value

As consumers, as people, we are looking for a quick result. What we want upfront is something we can understand as valuable – understanding what we're getting and how it'll make our lives better.



## What does your audience want?









## High Value Offer

#### Low Value Offer

**Product & Positioning** 

Price

**Product & Positioning** 

**Price** 



#### How To Increase The Perceived Value of Your Offer



#### The "product" in your offer could be:

#### Sale



- Physical or digital products
- SaaS
- Purchased services

#### Lead



- Lead magnets / gated content \_
- Demo
- Consultation

#### Engagement



- Interaction
- Link clicks
- Views or downloads



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#### How To Increase The Perceived Value of Your Offer



#### A Confused Mind Says "NO"



#### How To Increase The Perceived Value of Your Offer



45%

of US adults will abandon their online purchase if they can't find a quick answer to their question.

Source: Forrester Data

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# What does your prospect need to know about your offer that the landing page isn't telling them?

- Features
- Benefits / Experience
- Amenities
- Quantities / Availability
- Process
- Support
- Shipping / Delivery

- Locations
- Customizations
- Add-ons
- Appearance
- Materials
- Available Dates
- Appropriate Age Range

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#### Action:



What's 1 change you can make to add clarity and increase the perceived value of your product?

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# How To Improve The Positioning of the Offer \*cite group



- Value Proposition
  - Tell A Story
- Include Social Proof
  - Add Specificity

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# How To Improve The Positioning of the Offer \*cite\* group



#### **Value Proposition**

- Landing Page Headline
- Tells your audience the key desirable outcome that they won't find anywhere else.

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#### Improve The Value Proposition





#### +128% increase in registrations



Source: Wider Funnel

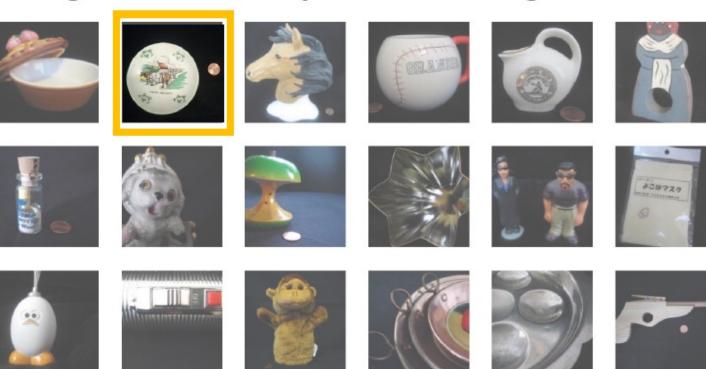


## Tell A Story



Significant Objects

Premise: "Narrative transforms insignificant objects into significant ones"



This plate is about cowherds, about shamrocks, about Ireland, yes, but it also about liberation, about preservation, about eternal life. And if you purchase it, my only wish is that you do not eat corned beef from it, without first thinking of Krishna.

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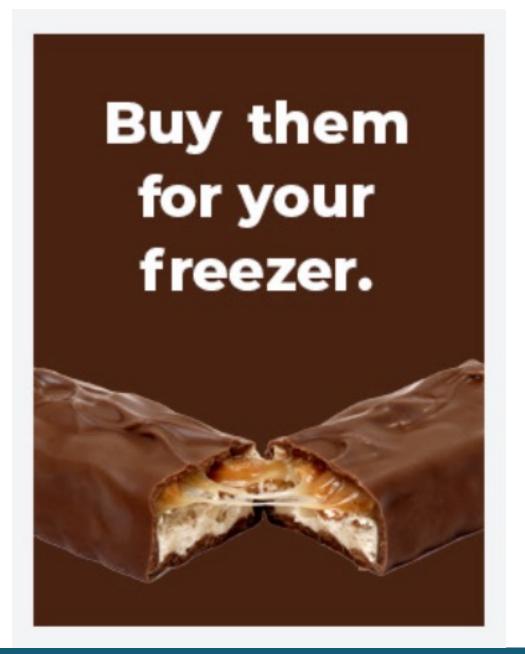
#### Include Social Proof



- Testimonials
  - Reviews
  - Ratings
- Authority or Credibility
  - Videos

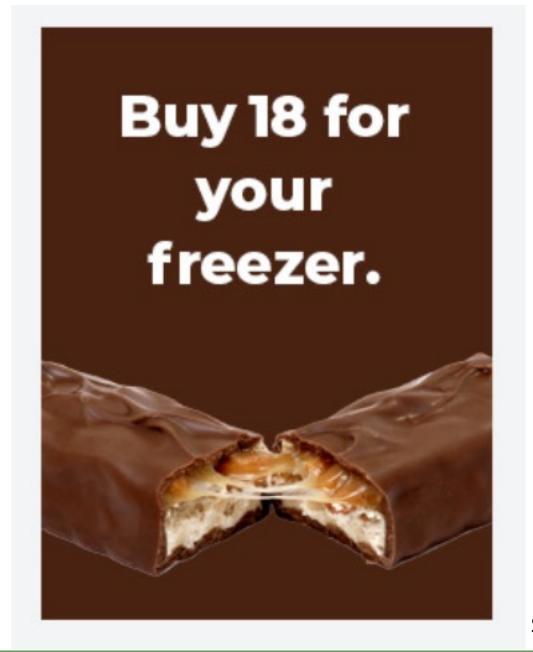


# **Add Specificity**









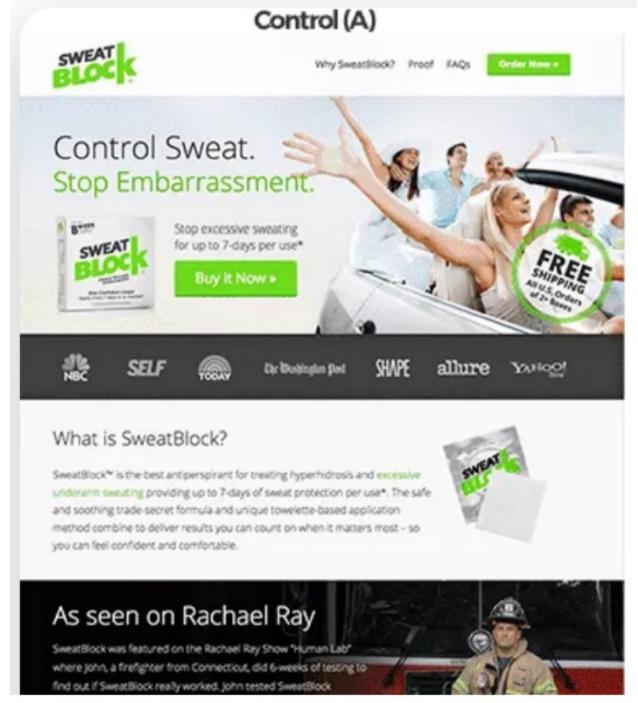
Source: thebrainybusiness.com

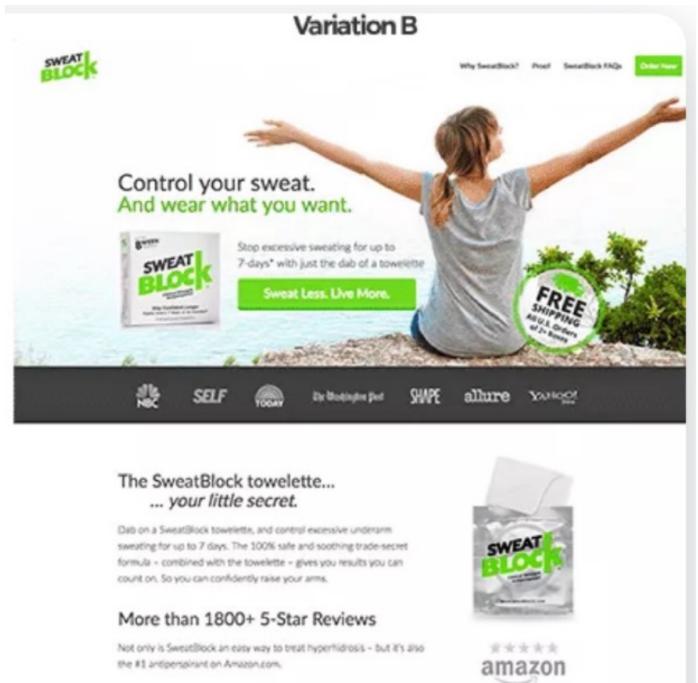
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Putting It All Together +108% lift in revenue







Source: Copyhackers

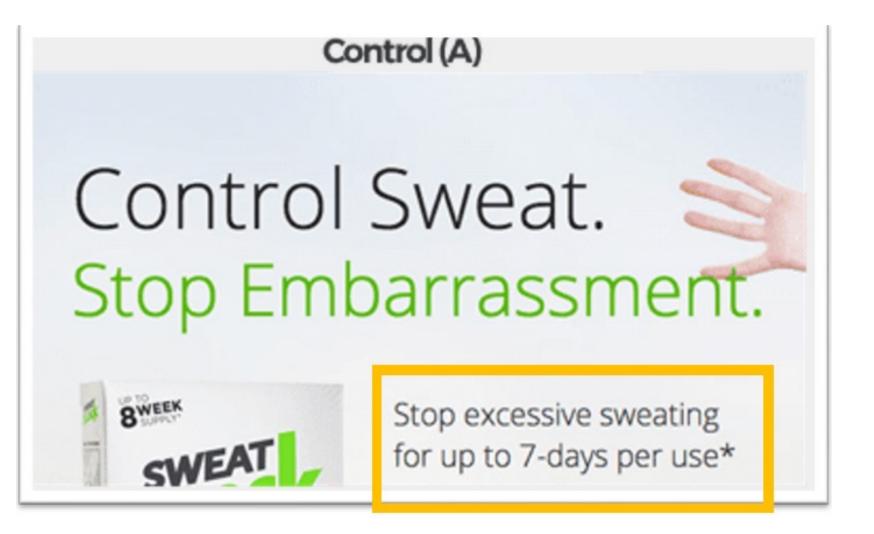
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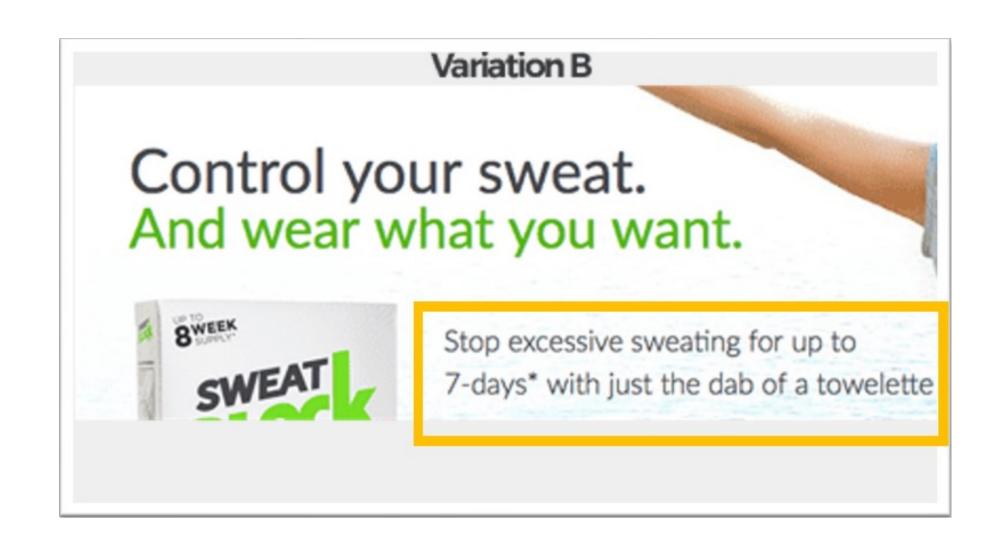
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#### From Vague to Specific







Source: Copyhackers



# Solve Their Problem – using their language \*cite group



Up to 7-days of sweat relief!

SweatBlock safely stops excessive underarm sweating for up to 7-days per use\*. Countless skeptical customers said they had "tried everything" and were amazed when SweatBlock actually worked for them. They were even more blown away when it lasted as long as it does. SweatBlock is simply the best antiperspirant option for long-lasting effectiveness



Source: Copyhackers



#### Call To Value



**Order Now** 

Call to action

Sweat Less. Live More.

Call to value

Source: Copyhackers

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#### Action:



What's 1 change you can make to your positioning to increase the perceived value of your offer?

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### Decrease The Perceived Cost of Your Offer Keite Group





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# Decrease The Perceived Cost of Your Offer Keite group



#### Perceived cost of your offer:

- Monetary
  - **Effort**
- Difficulty
  - Time
  - Risk
- **Obligation**
- Loss of privacy

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#### Cost of the offer isn't worth it to me!



"I don't want to have to fill out a multi-page form, to contact you, to have your sales team contact me, just so I can figure out if new windows are in my budget!"



# Reduce Perceived Costs - Barriers To Entryxcite group

- Adjust versioning or scope (samples)
  - Make onboarding easier
- Make signing up or checking out easier
  - Guarantees for risk reversal
- Reduce the amount of collected data needed



#### Reduce Fields



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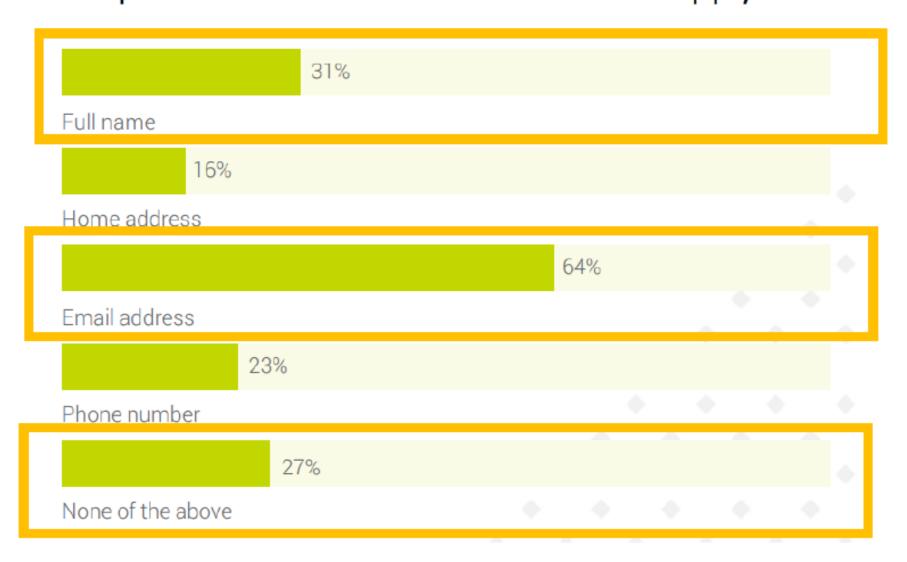
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# What personal info would you trade for \$20? \*cite group



Survey Question: What information would you be willing to provide to an app or website to get a \$20 coupon or discount code? Select all that apply.



Source: Tinuity Consumer Privacy Study

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#### Reduce Friction

+45% new customers +\$300M new revenue Year 1



Email		
Password		
	Forgot password	
Login	Register	

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Source: Jared Spool

#### Action:



# What's 1 change you can make to decrease the perceived cost of your offer?

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## How to do Offer Optimization to improve performance \*cite\* group

# Optimization: Doing more of what works and less of what doesn't.

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### Optimize Offer Congruence



Search Term Keyword Ad Landing Page CTA

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## Within Each Ad Group, Audit for Alignment: \*\*cite\*\* group



- 1. Search Term and Keyword data
- 2. Keyword and Ad Text
- 3. Ad Text and Landing Page Headline
- 4. Landing Page Headline and CTA

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## The Problem May Contain The Solution



Ad	$\downarrow$ CTR	Conv. rate	Conversion	
Promo Code   Get \$25 Off Eligible Items   Official Site - Shop Now +2 more				
	25.22%	35.59%	533.91	
+Free +Shipping	29.39%	30.91%	31.53	
+Sales	7.21%	0.00%	0.00	
code"	14.71%	47.67%	21.45	
coupon"	30.60%	38.22%	79.88	
discount"	25.53%	35.21%	311.64	
promo"	26.02%	36.38%	88.41	

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## How to do Offer Optimization to improve performance \*cite group

Landing Page for the keyword– organic grapes

CTA – Get Coupon



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Keyword	Impressions	Clicks 40,687	CTR 3%	Cost \$40,687	-	Coupon Downloads	Cost per Download		CVR 5%
concord grapes	1,393,992					2034	\$ 20		
organic concord grapes	887,109	18,359	2%	\$25,703	\$1.40	37	\$	695	0.2%
where to buy concord grapes	678,396	22,830	3%	\$27,396	\$1.20	1370	\$	20	6%
concord grapes health benefits	184,285	8,532	5%	\$11,092	\$1.30	171	\$	65	2%
concord grapes coupon	25,693	4,264	17%	\$ 3,838	\$0.90	1279	\$	3	30%

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#### How To Improve Performance



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Data is very good at telling us what \*is,\* but miserable at telling us what \*could be\*



Joel Klettke Founder Case Study Buddy

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# Common Obstacles in the Outdoor Adventure Space \*\*Cite\* group\*

- Rivers vs National Parks vs Near Me Geo
- Know your audience all the way through your audit
- What we know about what we do vs what our prospects know
- Reservation Systems vs Site Landing Pages

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