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ATL:

- TV
- Press
- Radio
- 00H
- Cinema
- Internet advertising:
 - Display
 - Search
 - Social network

BTL: sponsorship, Events, influencer marketing

OWNED MEDIA

Website
App
Blog
Social network
Direct response/CRM

Point of Sales, merchandising, Packaging Branded spaces

EARNED MEDIA

PR:

Press (+digital) articles

USG

- reviews
- recommendations
- Social, Blogs
- WOM



Paid Media: the media that we have to buy from someone else

- Advertising ATL (Above-the-line)
 - TV
 - Print
 - Radio
 - OOH (Out Of Home)
 - Cinema
 - Internet (display e native: social e search)
- BTL (Below-the-line)
 - Events
 - Sponsorships/Product Placement/Influencer Marketing
 - Unconventional (Ambient, Guerriglia MK, etc.)







Events: a powerful communication tool

Events are planned public or social occasions which have a limited duration and a specific purpose

- The company can organize its own events or participate in events organized by others (e.g. trade fairs)
- The strength of the event as a communication tool lies in the fact that the event, thanks to its high capacity for involvement, is able to create very strong interactions with the public



In-store promotions are events





Events to promote Italian roots Tourism...

Columbus Day in New York https://youtu.be/C48kVF53IJs





Buenos Aires celebra Italia

https://youtu.be/W0D01I_s-rw





Events create experiences

Despite the technological advances and multiple ways to create an event, the common end is based on the **experience** and the emotional bonding that can be granted to the public.



Which are the **events** that you could use for Italian Roots Tourism communication strategy?

WHAT would you do during these events?



The event must leave a memory

The Event as a **communication tool** must:

- Have a specific purpose
- Leave a **memory** over time

An event that is forgotten the next day has not achieved its objectives...



We could use events for internal and external communication

Internal communication events:

Meetings, conventions, team building, company days, workshops...

External communication events:

 Congresses, conferences, fairs, trade shows, road shows, instore, etc.



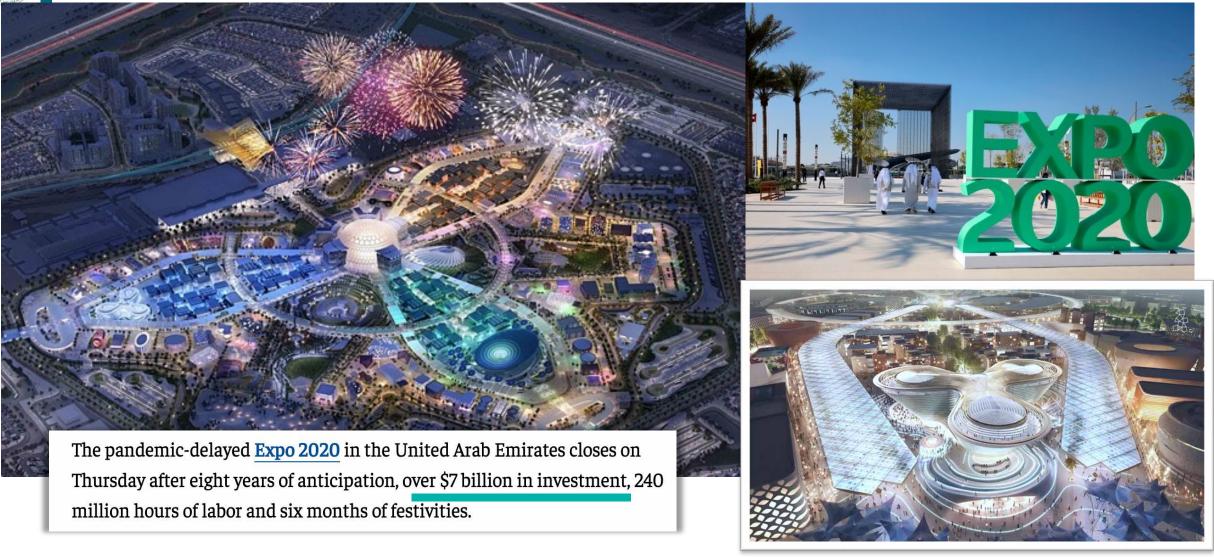
Trade shows are very important for B2B (Business To Business) marketing strategies

Trade shows are very important marketing communication tools. Companies participate in **fairs and exhibitions** for:

- activation of new contacts with customers and suppliers
- strengthening existing relationships
- development and consolidation of reputation and image
- Assessing the competition
- Increasing the knowledge of the customers



Expo Dubai was important for the whole nation





An interesting competition...











Events or sponsorships?....



Attention: one thing is to organize an event, another thing is to sponsor an event (investments are different...)





Sponsorships are an exchange relationship

A company (sponsor) provides financial or in-kind support to a person, group or organization (sponsee) in order to allow them to carry out their activities and, in exchange, obtains a series of benefits in order to facilitate the pursuit of its marketing and communication objectives



Which are the benefits for the sponsor?

- Visibility (the sponsor logo is showed in the sponsee communication)
- Free tickets/hospitality
- Licensing agreements

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What are they useful for?

Sponsorships are useful to **create awareness** and **position** a brand (not yet consolidated) through the **image transfer mechanism**

In order to obtain the transfer of values, it is necessary to have:

- Conguence of stimuli (sponsor and sponsee)
- Frequency (repetition of the association)

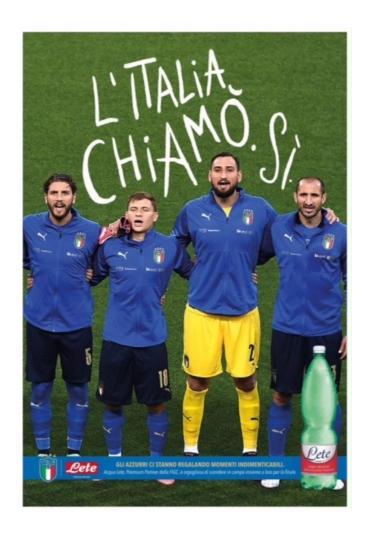


The sponsee is the medium





Companies sometimes use advertsing to increase the awareness of sponsoriship









Ferrari and Formula 1





Licensing, co-marketing & co-branding

Through licensing agreements (e.g. use of the sponsee logo) it is possible to enhance the sponsorship also through co-marketing and co-branding



Partner logo



Prada & Luna Rossa sponsorship



Sponsorships are also useful to create contents for the social media strategy









Product placement

Product placement is a form of communication in which products, packaging, brand name, logo, etc. are intentionally placed in narrative contexts of films or television programs, games, videos in exchange for cash or in-kind (technical supplies or free products-services) negotiated between the advertiser company and the production company.



Product placement

As with sponsorships, you can try to increase the awareness of this association through product tie-in activities (e.g. use the main actor of a movie as a testimonial)







JAMES BOND'S CHOICE

Sulle tracce di un misteriosa criminale, James Bond affronta una nuova missione in No Time To Die Indassando un OMEGA. Seamaster Diver 300M. Realizzato in leggerissimo titanio, questo modello *** è pronto all'azzione e vanta la massima affidabilità Master Chronometer, con il suo alto standard di precisione e impareggiabile resistenza ai campi magnetici.



Milano + Romo + Venezio + Firenze + Aeroporto Fiumicino



Daniel Craig was hired as celebrity for Heineken TV commercials



Heineken



But Product Placement can also lead to co-marketing and

co-branding





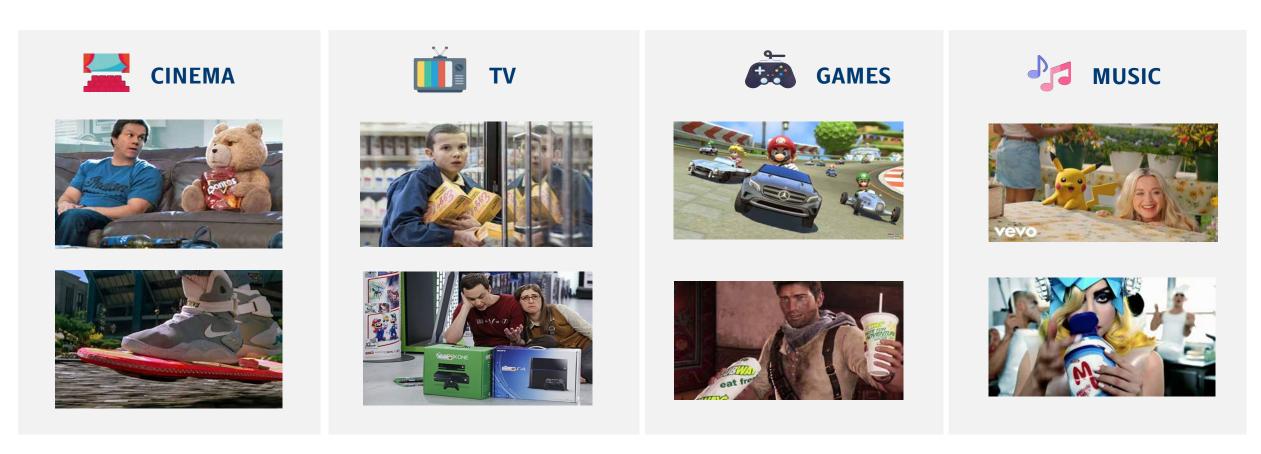
007 Might Be The The King Of Product Placement







The contexts of product placement have entertainment in common



Entertainment is the key generator of consumers' emotions



Product placement works in a similar way as sponsorship (as a communication instrument)

Product placement is a communication tool with a great emotional impact, because it links the product to the entertainment content.

And when the product placement is in contexts with **repetitive exposure** (such as videogames or TV series) there is also the **frequency** «effect» that helps memorization.



TV programs and series in Caffè Borbone's communication strategy





Product placement - Caffè Borbone in TV

Caffè Borbone ha accompagnato con i suoi caffè le trasmissioni televisive più seguite del momento:

Forte forte forte

- Made in sud
- Si può fare
- The voice



Product placement, videogames & metaverse





Videogames: Wendy & Fornites

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When entertainment content is produced by the brand, we have Branded Content





Branded contents could inspire, educate or entertain (like games)



GG is Good Game

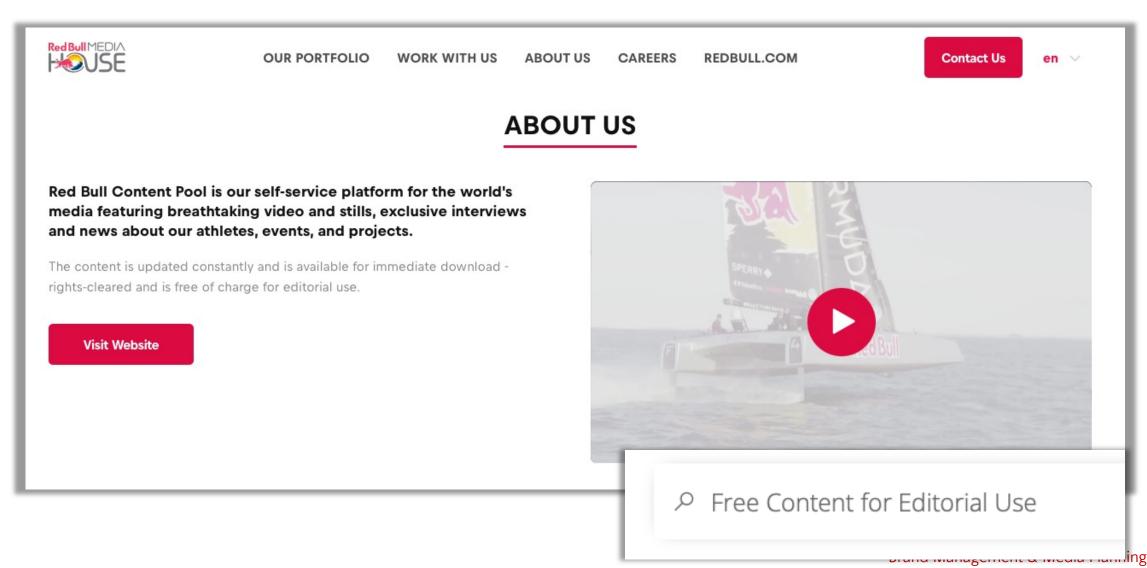
Two letters encoded with the House's century-old DNA take on new meaning in the gaming arena.

The parting salutation of sportsmanship, "GG" or "Good Game" becomes the name and motto for Gucci's ventures into virtual worlds as it creates hubs for play, self-expression, talent, freedom, and individuality.





Red Bull based a lot of its communication strategy on the production of contents





What type of **branded content** could be create to promote Italian Roots Tourism?





Who is an Influencer?

Influencer

Also called **KOL** (Key Opinion Leader) Or **KOC** (Key Opinion Consumer)

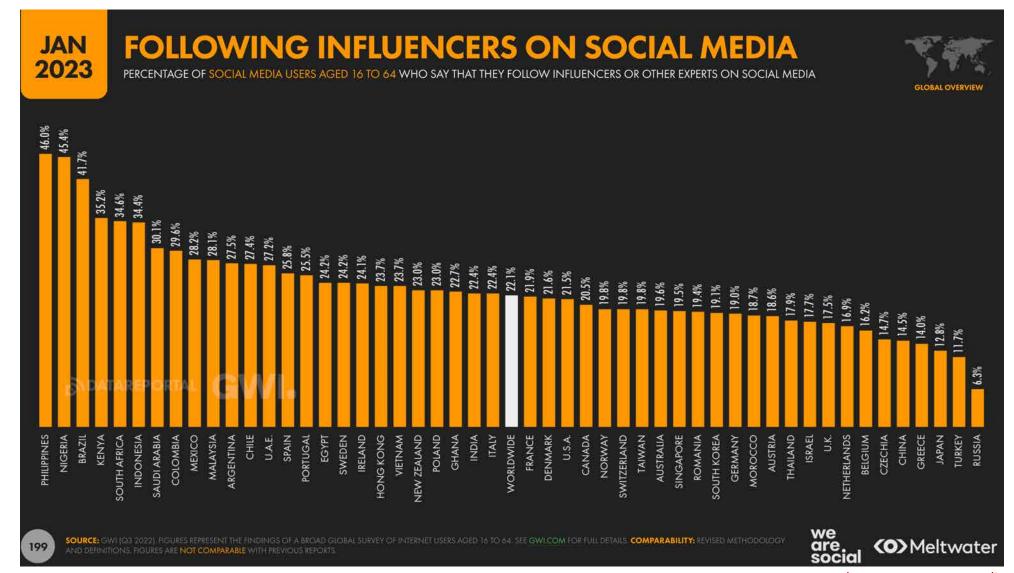
A person with the ability to influence potential buyers of a product or service by promoting or recommending the items on social media.

Source: Oxford Digital Dictionary



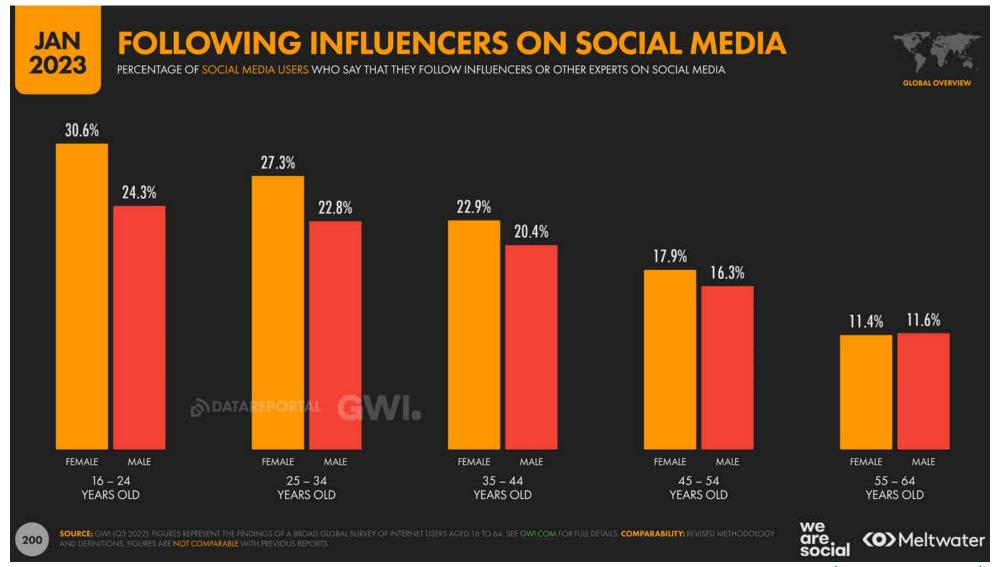


22% of internet users worldwide follow influencers



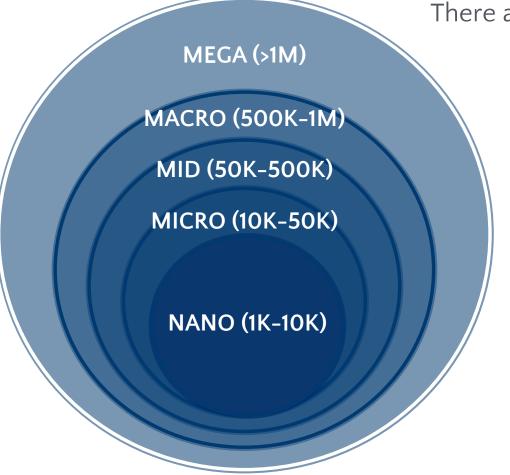


Mainly young people





Influencers' classification

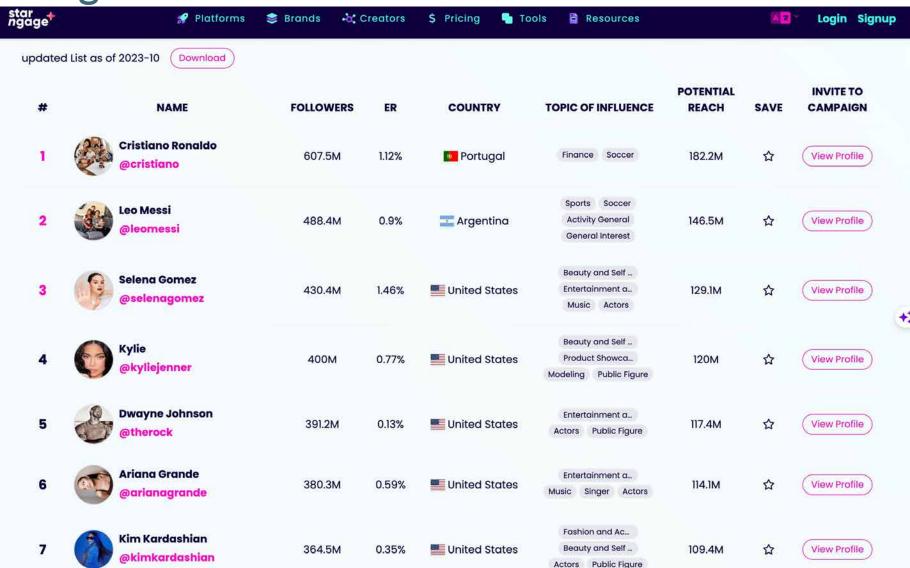


There are **5 types of influencers**:

- Mega-influencers with more than 1 million followers (celebrities)
- 2. Macro-influencers with 500K to 1 million followers
- **3. Mid-tier** influencers with 50K to 500K followers
- **4. Micro**-influencers with 10K to 50K followers
- **5.** Nano-influencers with 1K to 10K followers



Some Mega influencers...



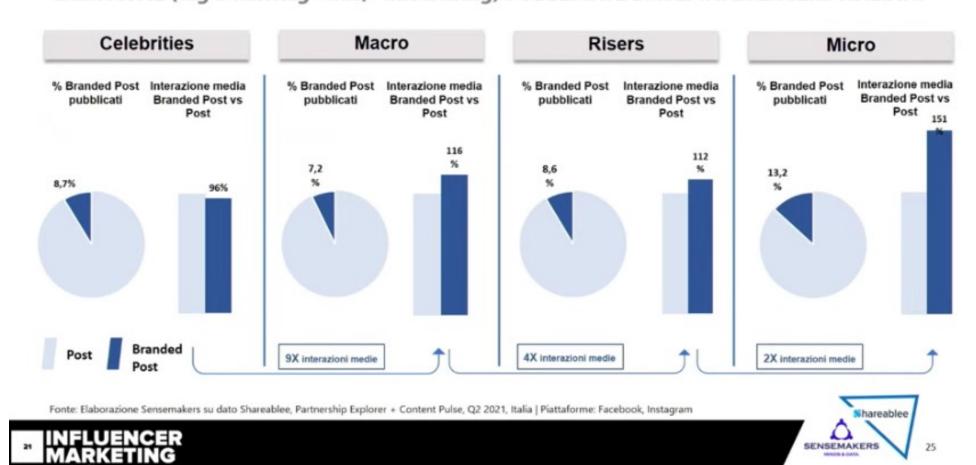


The micro-influencers engagement rate is higher than the average

L'ENGAGEMENT SUL BRANDED CONTENT PER TIER



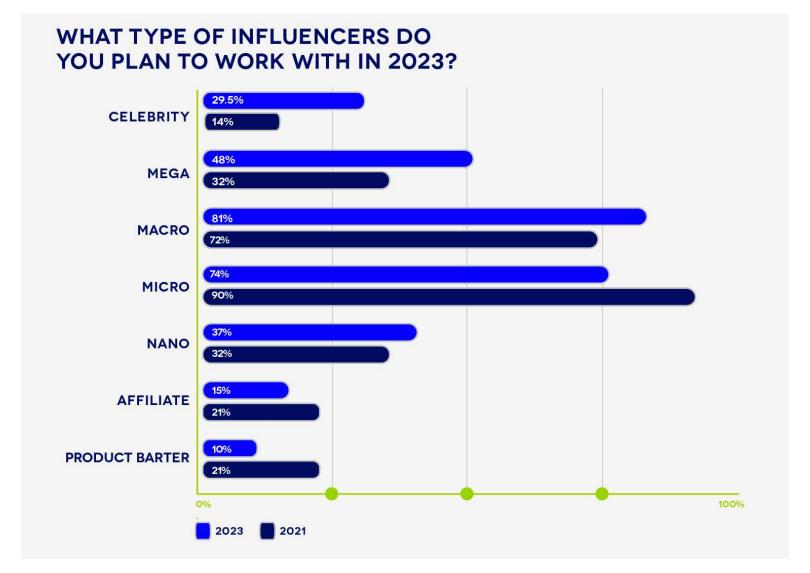
CAMPAGNE (tag o hashtag #adv/#advertising) PUBBLICATE DAGLI INFLUENCERS ITALIANI



Congresso Influencer Marketing 2021 – UPA 13.9.21

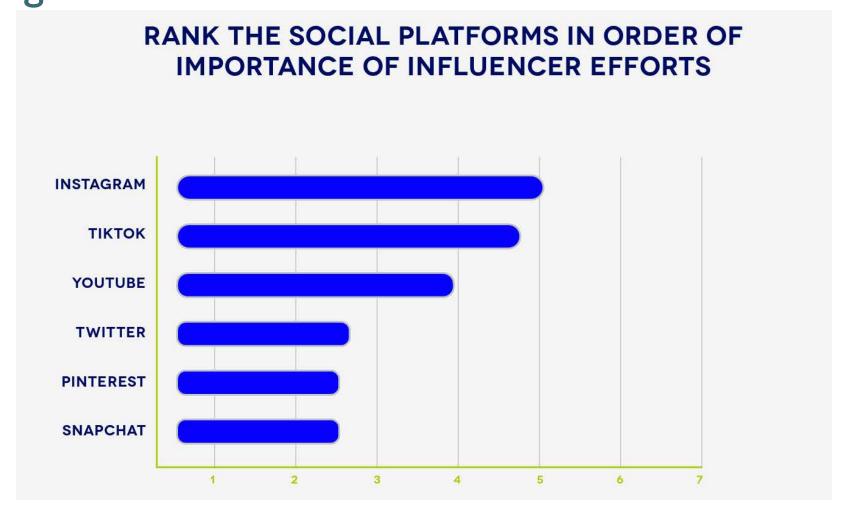


Micro influencers are the most used worldwide





Instagram is the most used social platform for Influencer Marketing



Source: LIMQIA The state of influencer marketing 2023 (global data)



The phases of an influencer marketing campaign





1. Define targets and objectives:

- 1. Awareness and image
- 2. Sales
- 3. Traffic to the website, registration for events
- 4. Increase followers
- 5. Get more impressions / reach

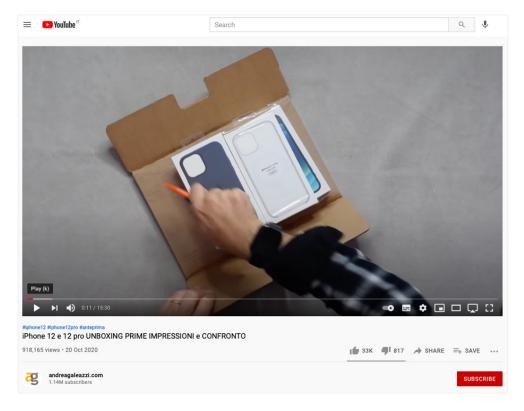


What can create awareness and imagery of the brand through influencer marketing?

- Product demo video
- Unboxing video
- Product reviews
- Sponsored posts
- Promote contests



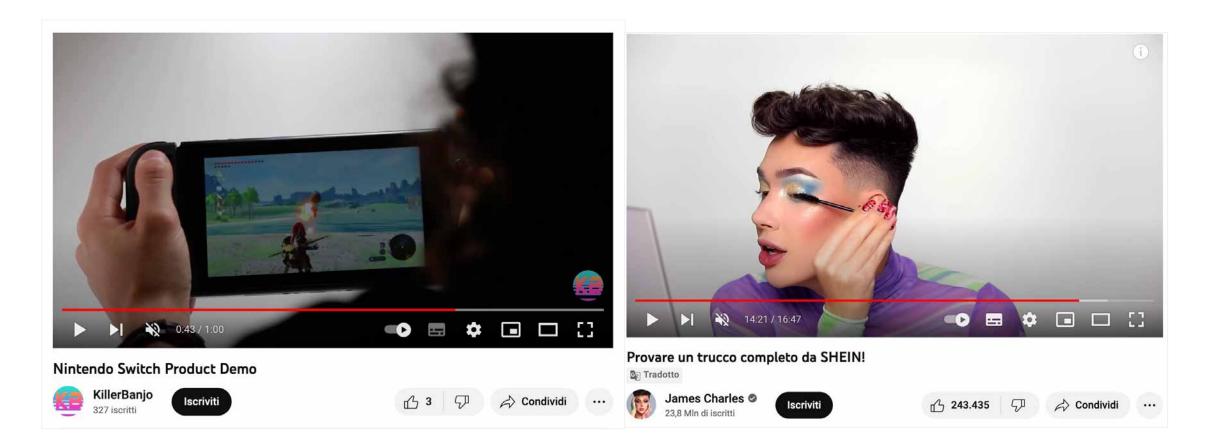
#1 Unboxing videos







#2 Product demos





#3 Product reviews



I do NOT recommend these products... heh

66.788 visualizzazioni · 2 mesi fa



Soo Beauty 수뷰티

✔I launched my own toner pad/수뷰티가 직접 제작한 토너패드! oFollow



Such a disappointment from an amazing brand! | mm...





#4 Sponsored posts













#5 Contests

Also called **Challenge** or **Giveaway** (because of the prizes)

The goals can be:

- Strengthen the **online presence**
- Promote community growth
- Promote the sense of belonging of the community



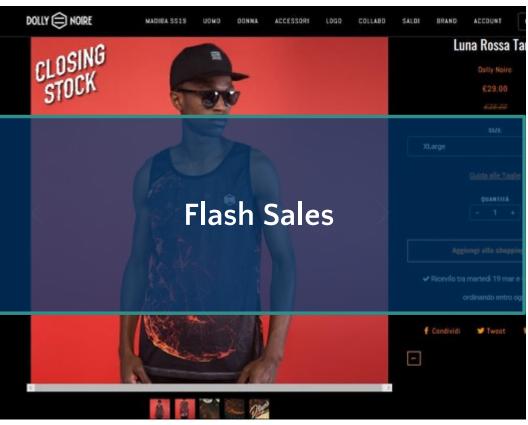


What could increase sales?



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How can we find the right influencers?



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Look for the most suitable influencers



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Finding the Right Influencers

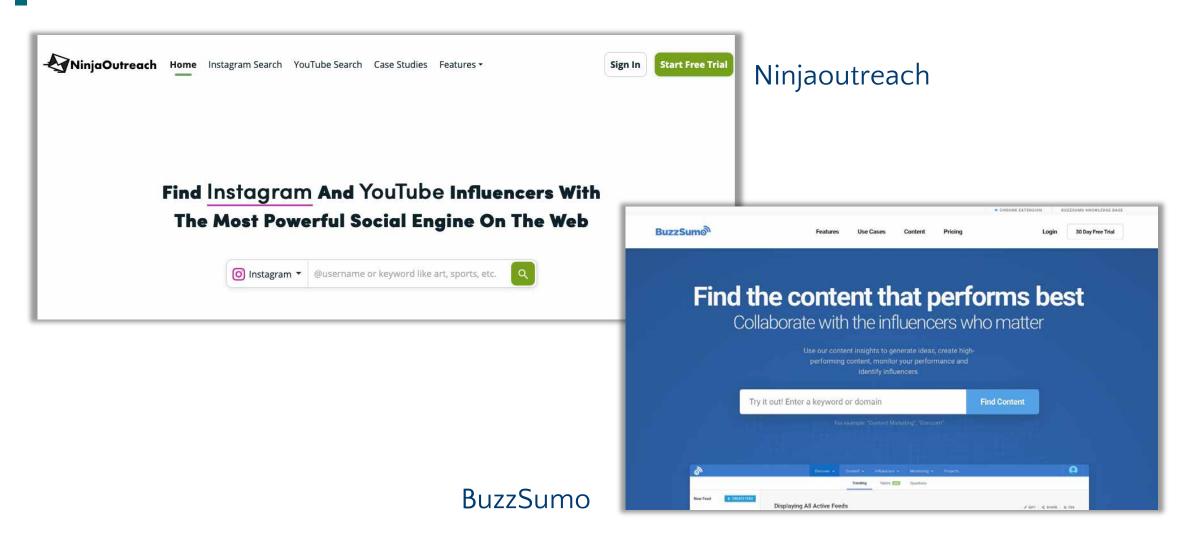
- 1. Start with a Google search.
- **2.** Try an outreach tool like NinjaOutreach.



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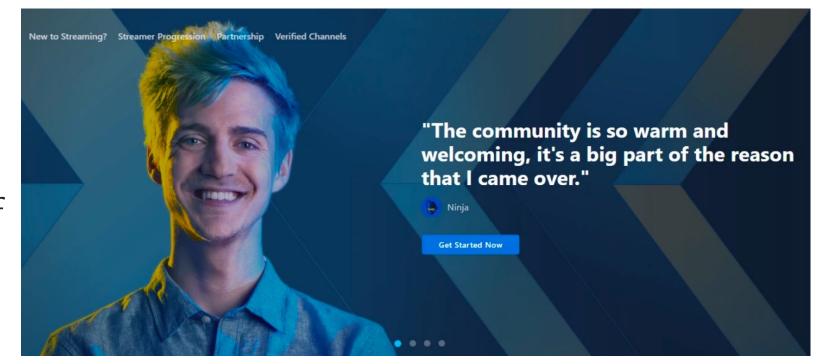
There are a lot of platforms to that use algorythms to select optimal influencers







What matters is the engagement rate with the community (NOT just the number of followers)





Before contacting influencers we need to have clear ideas:



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Define the most effective way of collaborating

- 1. Why should the influencer collaborate with us? What do we have in common with him / her (values / products / service)?
- 2. What advantages or benefits do we offer to their followers?
- 3. What form of compensation do we think we can give?
- 4. What do we expect from the collaboration? What are our goals?



What kind of remuneration or benefits can we offer?





Money



An exclusive experience



Free products



Visibility



Include them in an **affiliate marketing** program



Make them **brand ambassadors** (with a long-term relationship)

Frequency of exposure helps too!

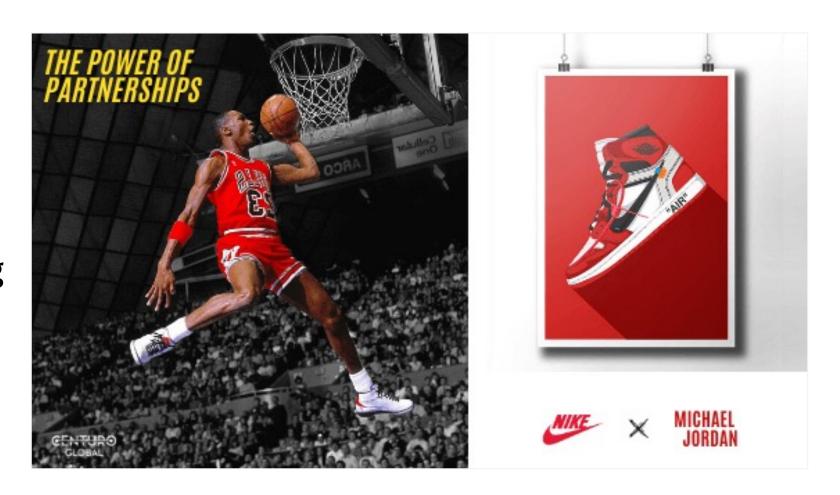


It's better to **keep the relationship over time**, even if the program lasts a short time.

An ongoing collaboration is more effective than a short-term one (frequent exposure helps awareness and image transfer)



When influencers, become ambassadors, it can lead to Co-marketing and Co-branding activities





Chiara Ferragni is a Nespresso Ambassador, and these are co-marketing examples

NESPRESSO

CHIARA FERRAGNI



#NESPRESSOXCHIARAFERRAGNI

Stella Romagnoli | LM Marketing & Digital Communication 2023-24

in foto: il temporary bar di Chiara Ferragni a Milano



Fashion business is much involved in co-marketing with influencers



COLLABORAZIONI

adidas e Beyoncé lanciano la terza collezione Ivy Park

> DI ELENA BARA 8 FEBBRAIO 2021

La terza collezione firmata adidas e Beyoncé è stata antici campagna d'eccezione che vede tra i suoi protagonisti anche Gucci Mane

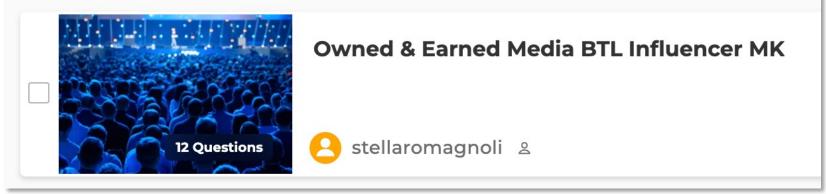
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