

Images, Video, Infographics, Data and Your Press Releases: What Works? What Doesn't?

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Don't focus on the technology. Focus on the end goal and how to create business value using digital media.

~ Charlene Li





500 to 1,000

Whoa! That's a broad range. Many reporters get this many emails a day, many of them press releases and pitches.



Aha! Moment

Leverage social data on financial reporter targets to tell our client's story.







The Issue: Company under attack by a short seller trying to drive the company out of business. In the spring, a documentary was released, which presented a one-sided depiction of the company. Our work was focused on telling the company's positive story and fighting back against misperceptions and accusations.





Truth Campaign

Launched with the goal of fighting back against each and every accusation

Proactive Storytelling

Through website, social media, real-time monitoring and rapid response

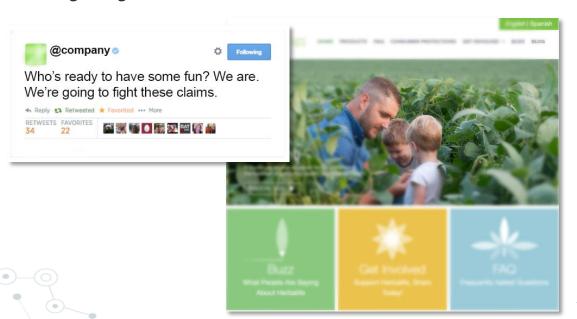
Engaging Financial Press

Ad Parlor Social Data Partner & Twitter Tailored Audiences \$



Arranging a Response

We built a website and new social media accounts dedicated to responding to the criticisms waged against our client.





Targeted Twitter Ads

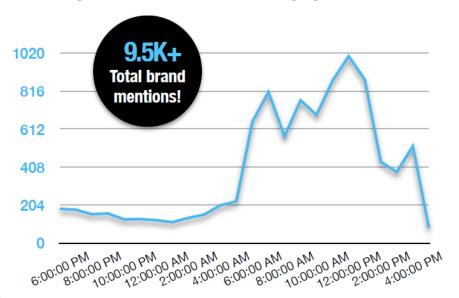
Looking at a variety of data points, we sought to best direct our funding to achieve the lowest possible cost per engagement.

Promoted Tweets Keyword	Promoted Tweets Tailored Audiences	Promoted Tweets Interests	Promoted Accounts
64,665 impressions	3,804 impressions	1,423 impressions	4,8314 impressions
\$.33 average CPE	\$ 1.22 average CPE	\$.63 average CPE	\$3.44 average CPE
5,109 total engagements	61 total engagements	87 total engagements	148 total Follows
8.03% eng. rate	1.60% eng. rate	6.22% eng. rate	.31% follow rate



Engagement Over Time

With the launch of the microsite and new dedicated social media account in conjunction with targeted ad buys, online engagements quickly spiked!





Influencers Take Notice

Major news outlets covered the media response we curated for the client.













Aha! Moment Take 2: If a picture is worth a thousand words...

Storylines can be conveyed using visuals. Create a series of visuals to accompany your press release: Infographics, video, sharable images for social.









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The Coca-Cola Foundation and The Coca-Cola Company Give Back \$106 Million to More Than 230 Organizations Globally

By: The Coca-Cola Company | Feb 13, 2017

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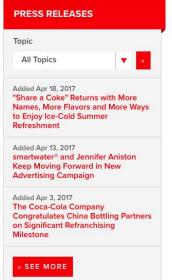






Community contributions equal 1.2 percent of company's 2016 operating income

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Coca-Cola **Basic Example**



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"It's an honor to support the missions of so many deserving and impactful organizations," said Helen Smith Price, president of The Coca-Cola Foundation and vice president of global community affairs for The Coca-Cola Company. "It's only when we work together that we have the opportunity to change lives and create meaningful change in communities."





Coca-Cola Giving Back By The Numbers: Click Here for Infographic

The breakdown of 2016 contributions is as follows:

The Coca-Cola Foundation awarded and paid \$72 million in the following areas:

- \$7 million to support women's empowerment initiatives;
- \$27 million to support water and environmental initiatives; and
- \$38 million to support community strengthening initiatives including education, youth development, HIV/AIDS, arts and culture, and humanitarian/disaster relief

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The Coca-Cola Foundation Gives Back
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Coca-Cola Visual Example



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Websites like <u>Piktochart</u> and <u>Canva</u> give you the tools to make unique and customizable infographics that are sure to impress!





Thanks!

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