### MARKETING AND RESEARCH

Lecture Title: Customer Relationship Management (CRM) and Marketing Planning.



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### Lecture take aways

- > Customer Relationship Management (CRM)
- > How to build long-term relationships with customers
- Customer loyalty
- Marketing planning processes that focus on delivering value to customers.

## What is Customer Relationship Management (CRM)?





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### **Different definitions of CRM**

CRM- is an information industry term for methodologies, software and usually Internet capabilities that help an enterprise manage customer relationships in an organized way.

CRM- is the process of managing all aspects of interaction a company has with its customers, including prospecting, sales and service. CRM applications attempt to provide insight into and improve the company/customer relationship by combining all these views of customer interaction into one picture.

CRM- is an integrated approach to identifying, acquiring and retaining customers. By enabling organizations to manage and coordinate customer interactions across multiple channels, departments, lines of business and geographies, CRM helps organizations maximize the value of every customer interaction and drive superior corporate performance

### **Defining CRM**

CRM is the core business strategy that integrates internal processes and functions, and external networks, to create and deliver value to targeted customers at a profit.

It is grounded on high quality customer related data and enabled by information technology. (Buttle, 2009)



seems for her statements

Type of CRM	Definition	Key Focus
Strategic	A customer-centric business strategy aimed at winning and retaining profitable customers.	Long-term customer relationships
Operational	Automates customer-facing processes like sales, marketing, and service.	Efficiency in customer interactions
Analytical	Uses customer data analysis for strategic or tactical decisions.	Data-driven decision making
Collaborative	Applies tech to share information across teams and partners to maximize customer value.	Integration and cross-team collaboration

# Which CRM type do you think your favourite brand uses?





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### Steps in developing the exchange 2 process

#### Raise Awareness

Implementing promotional strategies to make the target audience aware of the offering.

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#### 3 Develop Offering

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Creating a product or service that meets identified needs at an acceptable price.

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#### **Identify Target Groups**

Selecting and targeting specific groups with similar characteristics.

#### Research Needs

Conducting thorough research to understand customer and stakeholder needs.

### **Communication channels**

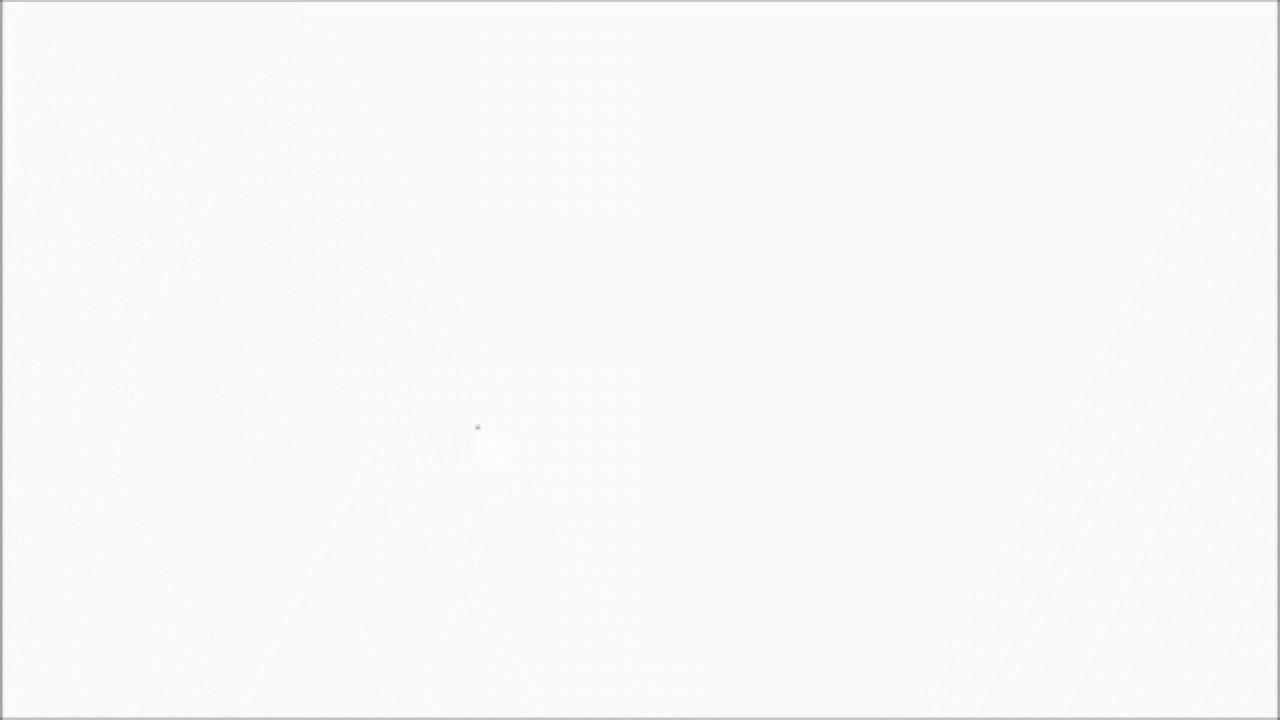
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Communication

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Immediate Communication







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### Advertising

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Advertising is non-personal paid for communications often targeted through mass media with the purpose of achieving set objectives such as:

- Build Awareness
- ➢Induce a dialogue
- Position or reposition brands by changing perception / attitude.
- Development of competitive advantage
- Create an entry barrier



### Main Advertising decisions

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# The most creative adverts examples Undergraduate Diploma in Business Administration



#### **Procter & Gamble: Thank** You, Mom (2012)

#### Apple: Get a Mac

(2006)



#### Coke: Share a Coke (2011)

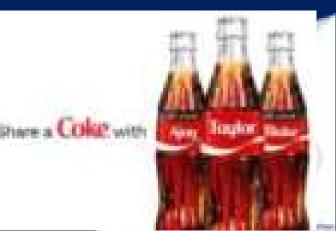


#### Anheuser-Busch: Whassup (1999)













### Primary purpose of Advertising

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#### To inform

#### To persuade

#### To remind

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### **Developing Advertising Strategy**

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#### **Group Task 1 - Advertising**

Identify 2 case studies in which the Advertising strategy was successful and another one which was a failure - 30 minutes

Provide an overview of the business -10 minutes

Describe the advert – 20 minutes

Why it was a success / Why it was a failure? – 10 minutes



### What is public relations?

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Public relations refers to building good relations with company publics by obtaining favorable publicity, building up a good corporate image, and handling or heading off unfavorable rumors, stories and events.





### **Public Relations**

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Public relations is the planned and sustained effort to establish and maintain goodwill and mutual understanding between an organisation and its publics.

- Attempts to shape attitudes and opinions
- Used to communicate with all stakeholders
- Useful in profile strategy
- Used in crisis management



### Major public relations tools

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- News
- Speeches
- Special events
- Written materials
- Audiovisuals
- Corporate-identity materials
- Public service activities
- Sponsorship
- Buzz marketing
- Website







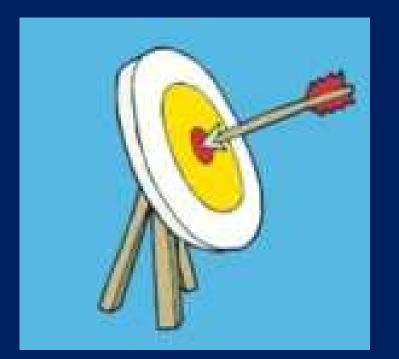


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### **Direct Marketing**

*Direct response marketing* allows companies to reach out directly to specific customer groups in a personalised way. Doing so also eliminates any third party from the equation, saving precious time and costs that go into the campaign.

The most popular communication channels include catalog, fliers, phone call and text, postal and electronic mail, and social media.







#### **Benefits Of Direct Marketing**



### **Personal Selling**

A face-to-face technique where a sales representative approaches a potential customer or the lead personally to sell a product or service. This technique is more common in the B2B arena, but it doesn't mean B2C companies don't incorporate personal selling in their overall selling strategies.



### **Sales Promotion**

Sales promotion consists of those promotional activities other than advertising, personal selling, and publicity. As such, any promotional activities that do not fall under the other three activities of the promotion mix are considered to be sales promotion. Businesspeople may use the term "promotion" when they actually mean "sales promotion."

The common ones used are coupons, sweepstakes, games, contests, price- offs, demonstrations, premiums, samples, money refund offers, and gifts.



### The heart of marketing...

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#### ...customer relationships





### Today's customers have...



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### **Understanding Customers**



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### **Building long-term relationship**

Long-term relationship with customers can result to:

Shared knowledge of the product's requirements

>adherence to quality standards

common vision throughout the development and production process

development of new products and services targeted to specific customer niches.



### Loyal Customers

- WOM recommendations
- Pay more
- Buy more
- Not buying from competitors
- High lifetime value



#### Ladder of Loyalty





- Partner: Someone who has the relationship of partner with you.
- Advocate: Someone who actively recommends you to others, who does your marketing for you.
- Supporter: Someone who likes your organisation, but only supports you passively.
- Client: Someone who has done business with you on a repeat basis but may be negative, or at best neutral, towards your organisation.
- Purchaser: Someone who has done business just once with your organisation.
- Prospect: Someone whom you believe may be persuaded to do business with you.

Source: Christopher, Poyne & Ballantyne, Relationship Marketing

### **Marketing Planning Process**

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Company analysis •Goals

• Focus

- •Culture
- •Strengths
- •Weaknesses
- Market
- share

#### Customer Analysis

- •Number
- •Type
- Value Drivers
- Decision process
- Concentration
  of customer base
  for particular
  products

#### **SWOT Analysis**

Internal –Strengths and Weaknesses
 External –Opportunities and Threats

#### Collaborators

- Subsidiaries
- Joint Ventures
- Distributors

Climate – PEST Analysis

- Political
- Economical
- Social and cultural
- Technological



# **Marketing Planning Process**

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#### **MARKET SEGMENTATION**

•Segment analysis

•For each segment, relevant information is listed

Description

Percent of sales

•Benefits sought

• Product use

•Support requirements

• How to reach them

• Price sensitivity

Stickiness to brand

MARKETING STRATEGY RATIONALE

Listing and discussing alternative approaches and final recommended strategy MARKETING STRATEGY-4Ps • Product • Price • Place • Promotion

**PROJECTIONS**-**SHORT TERM AND LONG** TERM •Sales forecasts •Break even analysis • Revenue forecast

## **Marketing Planning Framework**

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### I. EXECUTIVE SUMMARY

### II. ENVIRONMENTAL ANALYSIS

- The Marketing Environment

### III. SWOT ANALYSIS

IV. MARKETING OBJECTIVES

V. MARKETING STRATEGIES

### VI. MARKETING IMPLEMENTATION:

- -Marketing organisation
- -Activities, Responsibility, and Timetables for Completion

### VII. EVALUATION AND CONTROL:

-Performance Standards and Financial Controls

-Monitoring Procedures

## Group task 2 - Customer

- What is your opinion of companies like Google, Facebook that gather information about your browsing patterns? 10 min.
- What advantages and drawbacks does this pose for consumers? 10 min.
- If you were a business owner, what kind of information would you gather on your customers and how would you use it? – 15 min.

## **Key Questions**

### WHERE do I compete? (Whole market?)

WHEN do I compete? (First into market? Wait for demand?)

HOW do I compete? (New product? New image?)

# Consumer Behavior: How People Business Administration Make Buying Decisions

What Influences Consumer Behaviour?



## Low-Involvement versus High-Involvement Buying Decisions

VS

### <u>HIGH</u>

Usually purchase is infrequent, significant perceived risk

Customer actively seeks information

Customized decision process

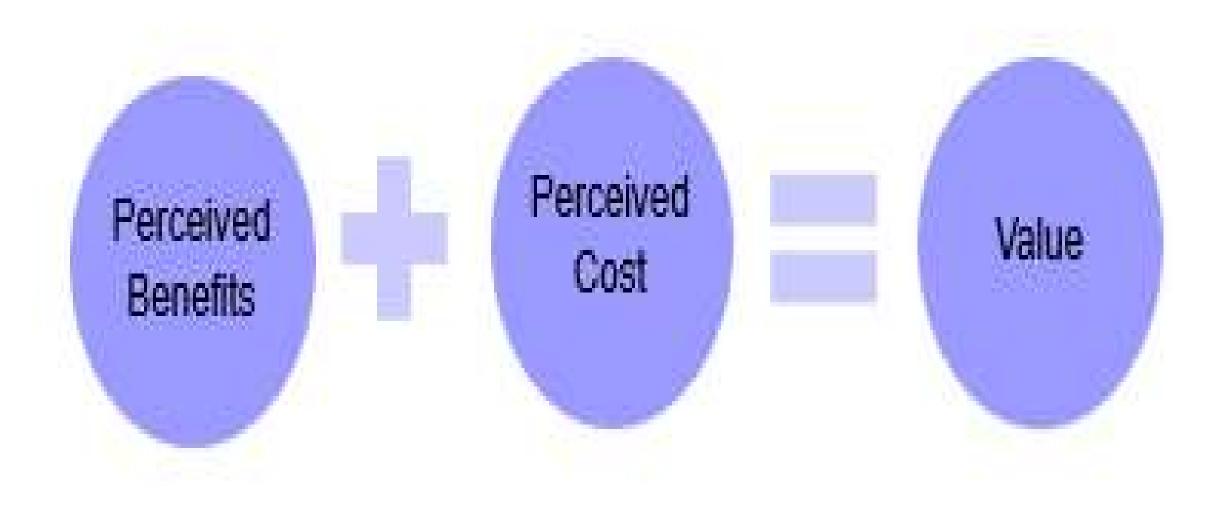
#### LOW

Usually purchase is familiar and / or inexpensive

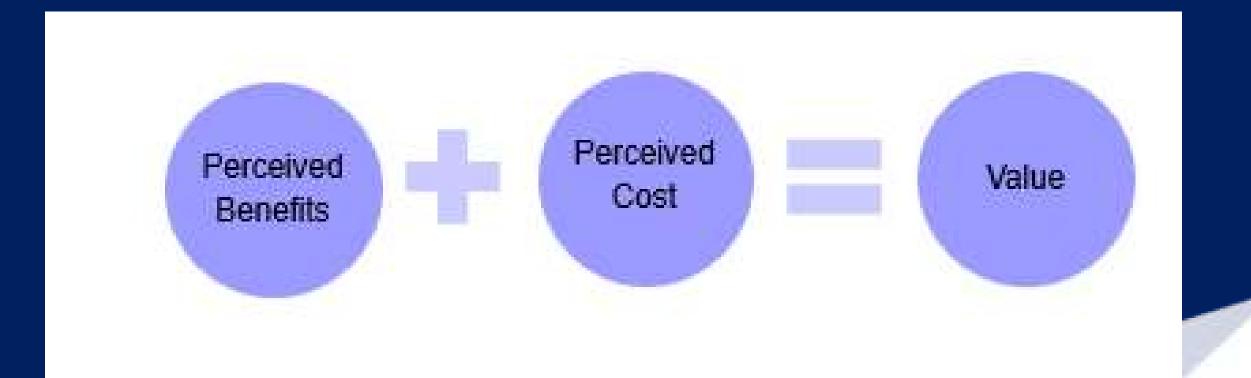
Highly selective attention to information

Quick taken decision

Routine behaviour



## **Delivering Value to Customers**



## **Customer Marketing**

### Customers want...









Good Product

### Excellent Service

Value

#### What else?

## **Customer Marketing**

### Customers want...









Good Product

### Excellent Service

Value

#### Wow experience

### Value...

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### **How Is Value Created?**

Value changes during the use of a product or during the customer journey. Value is perceived during the purchase intent, the shopping, the actual purchase or buying, the installation or start-up, the use and even the re-sale.

We sometimes call this the Waterfall of Needs. Needs change during the customer journey.







Creating customer value increases customer satisfaction and the customer experience. The reverse is also true. A good customer experience will create value for a customer.

Creating customer value (better benefits versus price) increases loyalty, market share, price, reduces errors and increases efficiency. Higher market share and better efficiency lead to higher profits.



### Waterfall of Needs

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		Buving Experience People	Post Purchase		
			Delivery time taken to deliver		
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			Understanding product	Use experience	
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	People	E-tailer	Non Price	Service	
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Prospecting

What is the best product for my

Do I want to rent or buy How urgent Distans with friends Browse

Attributes that we

see.

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### Group Task 3 - CRM

>Think of a product /<u>create</u> a product

Create a framework for customer relationship management process

How would you make your customers become loyal to you brand?

>What decision would you take when it comes to purchase?

> How would you create WOW experience?

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# **Any Questions?**



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