



CE Course Handout

Bridging the Gap June 16th, 2017





Welcome!

Bridging the Gap

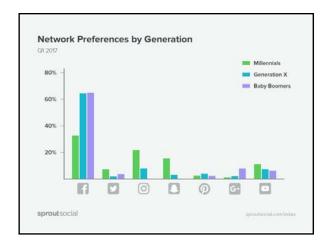


Issues That Arise in the the workforce around generations:

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Issues That Arise in marketing to various generations:

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Whoaaaaaa...!!

Those generations look pretty different!

How do we handle the future??



Generations:

- WWII or Traditionalists (1925 1945)
- Baby Boomers (1946 1964)
- Generation X (1965 1981)
- Gen Y or Millennials (1982 2000)



Population Numbers in Each Area:

The approximate number of people by from latest US Census publication (changing daily with births and deaths):

- Traditionalists/Mature/WWII Generation: 40,267,984
- Baby Boomers: **81,489,445**
- Generation X: **61,032,705**
- Generation Y/Millennials: **85,405,385**



Traditionalists



Born before 1945

Mick Jagger was born in 1943 – making him 73 years old!

Jagger quote:

"I'd rather be dead than singing 'Satisfaction' when I'm forty-five."



Traditionalists

- Born before 1945
- 4.7% of workforce
- Fountains of wisdom
- Work is work
- Core Values: dedication, sacrifice, conformity, respect for authority, duty before pleasure, following the rules, discipline, consistency & strong work ethic
- Career Goal: build a legacy



Traditionalists' Defining Moments











Baby Boomers



1946 - 1964

Madonna was born in 1958 – making her 59 years old.

Madonna quote:
"I'm anal retentive. I'm a
workaholic. I have insomnia. And
I'm a control freak. That's why
I'm not married. Who could
stand me?"

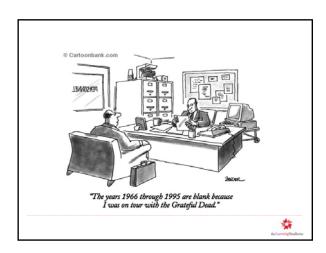


Baby Boomers

- 1946 1964
- 38.6% of workforce
- Long, long healthy life into health food, the environment, exercise & diet, wellness
- Live to work
- Core Values: personal growth, youthfulness, involvement, personal gratification, personal expression
- Career Goal: build a stellar career



Baby Boomers' Defining Moments



Generation Xers



1965 - 1981

Beyonce born in 1981 – making her 36 years old.

Beyonce quote:

"Who I am on stage is very, very different to who I am in real life."



Gen Xers

- 1965 1981
- 32.1% of workforce
- Want work/life balance
- Attracted to the edge like taking risks
- Technologically savvy
- Work to live
- Core Values: self-reliance/independence, pragmatism, fun, balance
- Career Goal: build a portable career



Gen Xers' Defining Moments













Millennials/Generation Y





Justin Bieber was born in 1994 – making him 22 years old.

Bieber quote:

"I followed all my followers and friended their friends."

Bieber currently has 3,216,532 "likes" on ONE of his Facebook pages.



Millennials/Gen Y

- **1**982 1994
- 24.7% of workforce
- By 2025, they will make up 75% of the world's workforce
- Cautiously optimistic about future
- Like a challenge
- Technologically driven
- Work best (most efficiently) alone
- Core Values: confidence, tolerance for diversity, morality, civic duty
- Career Goal: build parallel careers







Generation Z

- Born 1995 & after
- Aka Generation "I" / Generation Alpha
- Called "Digital Natives"
- Have never known a life without digital media
- Formative years started with the Great Recession



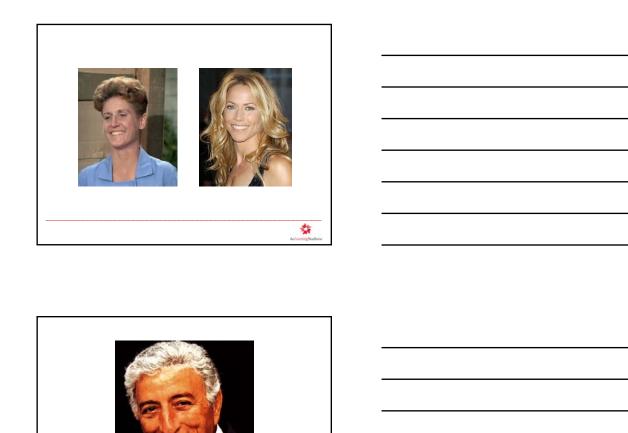




Remember This Woman?



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The Point?

60 is the new 40,

50 is the new 30...







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