The LinkedIn Success Formula

10 Point Checklist

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Read on below for a **10 point checklist** that gives the next, real steps you can take to elevate your marketing to the next level.



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10 STEPS YOU CAN TAKE TODAY

Want to step up your marketing game? Here are 10 steps that can move you closer to your goals – today.

Establish a LinkedIn strategy. Don't just add people blindly. Decide my goals in using the social media platform and create objectives on how I want to position myself there.
Articulate my message clearly. Everything in my profile and my posts should reflect who I am and what I'm representing.
Add value and build trust with my connections. Don't treat LinkedIn like Facebook and Twitter, where random people can follow me and vice versa. Treat my LinkedIn network with care.
Beware of third-party applications that offer automation and connection building features on LinkedIn. The platform's updated terms and conditions state that using apps like these might subject guilty users to being banned.
Have a little patience in growing my LinkedIn connections. Again, it's not like other social media networks where things can go viral at any time. Focus on quality rather than quantity.
Woo my prospective clients, and don't go straight to the pitch. Don't add someone as a connection and give them an offer right away. Build rapport through light conversation.
Create a Dream 100 list. On a spreadsheet, list my top 100 ideal clients in detail. Include all their contact information, their assistants' contact details, and notes on how I might approach them.
Create a messaging sequence template. Though it's best to send unique messages to prospects, it's also easier to have a guide on what to write to them.
Take advantage of LinkedIn articles. Like blog posts, LinkedIn articles can be considered trustworthy sources by Google and advantageous to SEO strategies.
Check out <u>Julie Mason's website</u> to learn more about how to generate leads and sales using LinkedIn.