

LIVE YOUR BRAND: FROM MARKETING TO LEADERSHIP GOVERNOR'S CONFERENCE ON TOURISM | 03.15.2016

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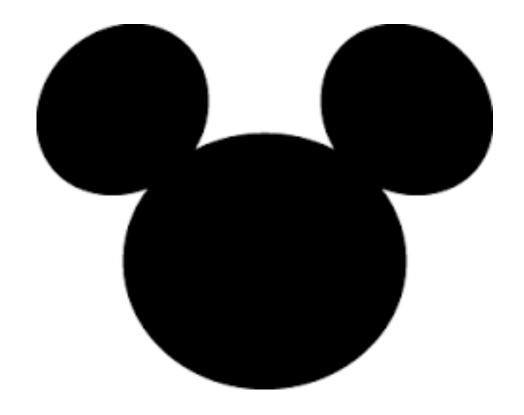
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Some definitions

A brand is all that is known, thought, felt, said, written and experienced about you—from inside the mind of your customer or prospect

BRAND = REPUTATION

BRAND IDENTITY = YOUR LOGO, COLORS, FLAGS, ETC.









THE BRAND EQUITY PYRAMID



The place brand journey

Discern: What is your story today?

Define: What do you want your story to be tomorrow?

Develop: Make it true. And truer.

Deploy: Package it, tell it and sell it.

Discern

Look inside...leadership and stakeholders

Look outside...research, research

Synthesize...a clear picture of your brand reputation

Group Exercise!



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Define

What do you want your story to be?

Leadership precedes marketing your brand

Build on kernel of truth you have discerned





Develop

Make it truer and truer

Driven by brand mindset

Create experiences that deliver the brand

Group Exercise!



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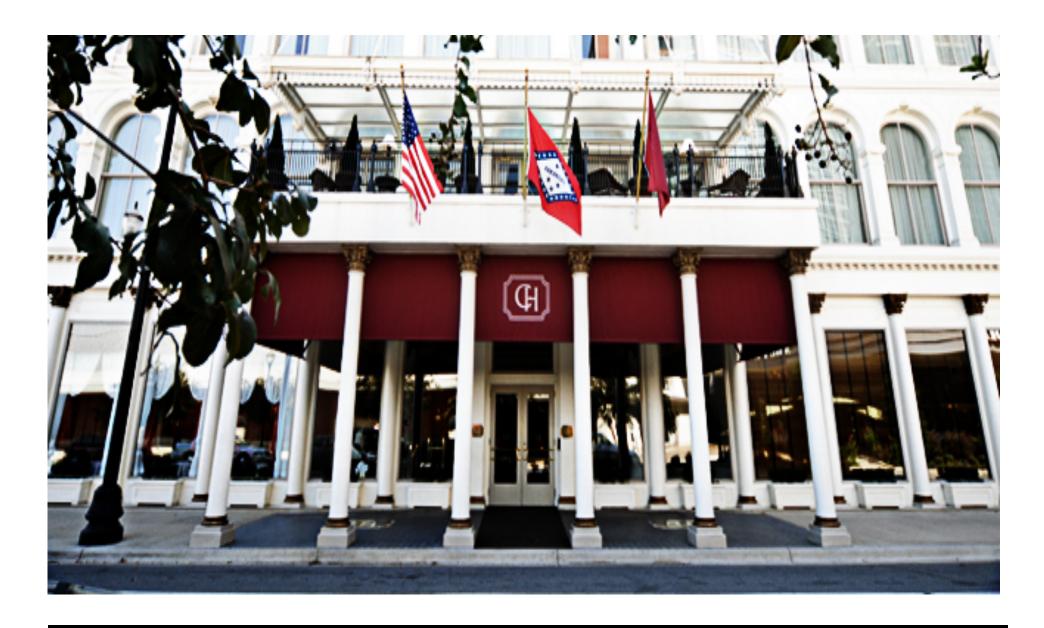
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Package it

Tell it

Sell it

Get it told





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When you lead your brand and live your brand you'll earn a reputation that will take you places and lead visitors to you.

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