### LAUNCH A PROFITABLE LEAD-GENERATING WEBSITE



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#### Launch a Profitable Lead-Generating Website



#### Topics We'll Cover Today

- What is a lead-generating website?
- Goals of lead-generating websites
- Examples of lead-generating websites
- Components of lead-generating websites
- Making money from lead-generating websites
- Building your website with Brilliant Directories



#### Who is this webinar for?

- Websites with professional/business members
- Anyone who wants to make money from their membership or business directory website
- Websites whose visitors want to contact or do business with its professional members



## What is a Lead-Generating Website?



#### A lead-generating website is:

A website that purposefully attracts website visitors in order to capture information such as their name, email, and phone number via web forms and other types of calls-to-action.





#### Who does the lead-generation model work best for?

If you are the company <u>who will service the needs</u> of the captured leads, then you will make money by selling your products and services directly to the leads.



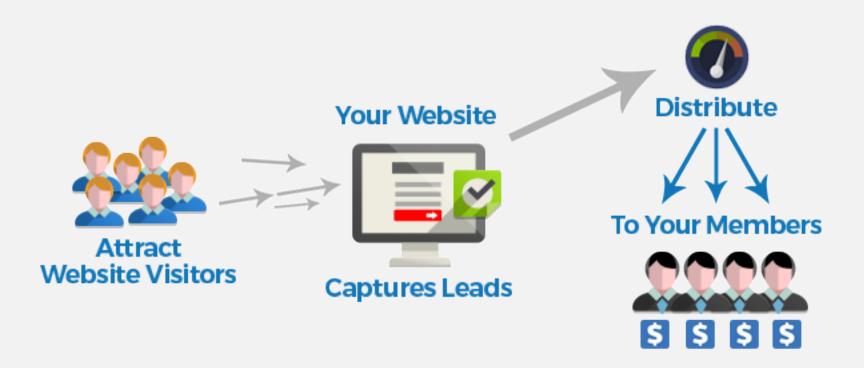


#### Let's Take it a Step Further...

## Lead Distribution Networks



#### What is a lead distribution network?

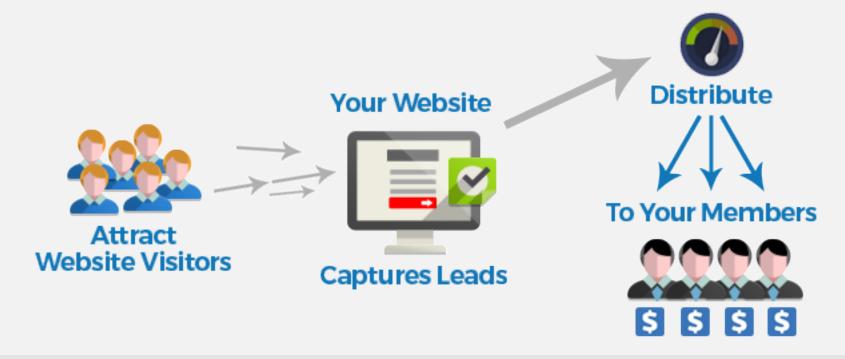


- 1. Attract
- 2. Capture
- 3. Distribute
- 4. Get Paid



#### Who does the lead distribution model work best for?

Websites with a database of professional members who are able to service the needs of captured leads, can make money *by selling leads* to their members.





#### Popular Lead Distribution Networks







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Multi-million dollar websites utilizing strategies and technology concepts explained in this presentation.



#### 4 Pillars of Lead Distribution Networks

- 1. Database of professional/business members
- 2. Ability to capture leads from website visitors
- 3. Ability to automatically distribute leads to members
- 4. Ability for members to purchase leads thru website

Once these 4 pillars are in place, you can focus on driving traffic to your website in order to generate revenue from lead sales.



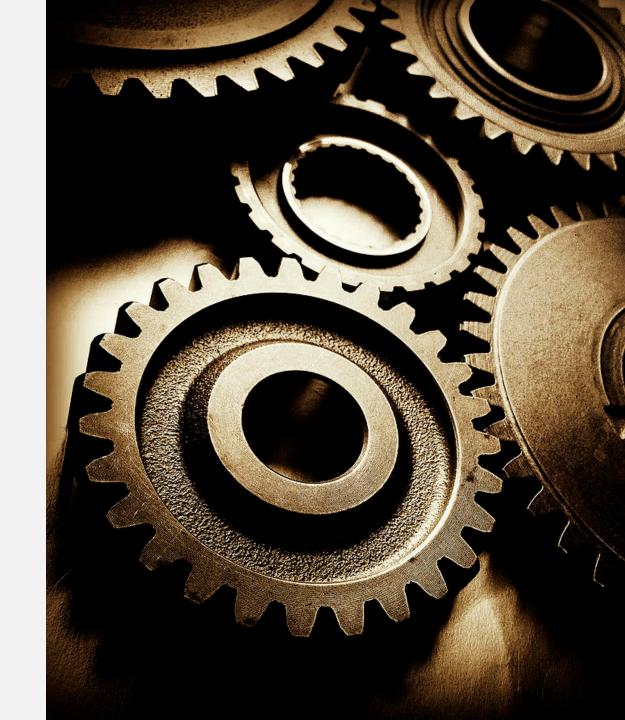
#### Advantages of Lead Distribution Networks

- Easy to implement
- Low operating costs:
  - Traffic to website
  - Website development (inexpensive with Brilliant Directories)
  - Basic customer support
- Easy to scale / unlimited profit potential
- No physical products or services to provide



# 90% of websites built on Brilliant Directories utilize the Lead Distribution Model

# Generating Revenue with Lead Distribution Networks



#### Generating Revenue with LDNs

- Charge professionals to join your network
- Charge general users to search your network
- Sell leads from visitors to professional members

\*IMPORTANT: You can allow people to register for free and only charge for leads.



#### Advanced Revenue Generation with LDNs

- Premium members get premium visibility
- Premium members get premium access to leads
- Charge members for premium visibility on website
- Different membership levels pay different lead prices

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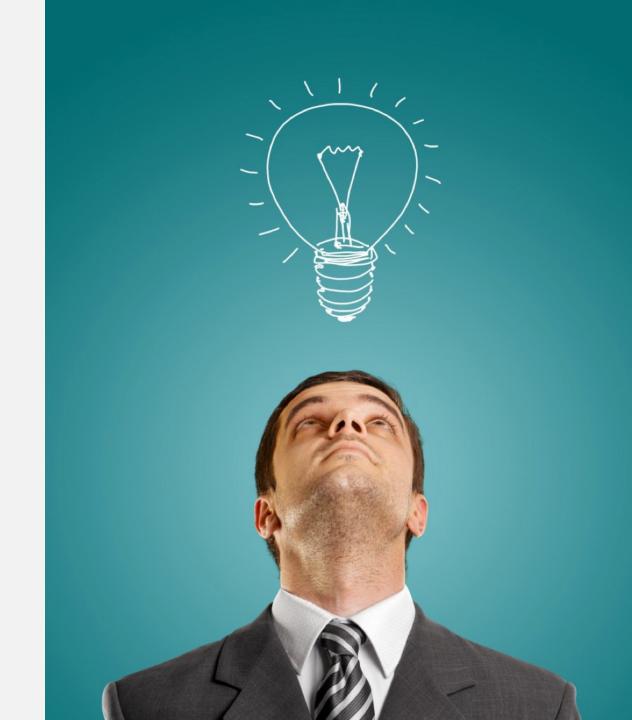
#### How much can you charge per lead?

#### Depends on:

- Your industry (more affluent industries can charge more)
- What your competitors charge
- The quality of your leads
- Supply and demand of your market/industry
- Branding, credibility, and perception of value



#### Goals of LDN Website Owners



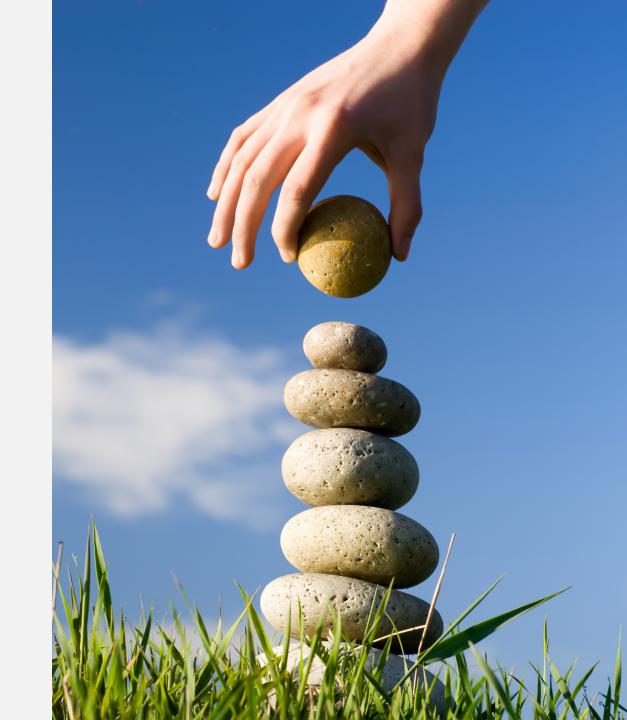
#### Goals of LDN Website Owners

- Continually grow your member database
- Continually attract website visitors
- Convert website visitors into captured leads
- Keep members and website visitors happy

### Your success relies on trust, credibility, and satisfaction



#### Best Practices for Lead Generation Networks



#### How to Keep Your Network Happy

- Website must be easy to use
  - Brilliant Directories works great out of the box
- Members must receive quality leads
  - Consider moderating leads before distributing
  - If members receive "bad leads", refund with ease
- Lead submitters should be contacted by members
  - Promptly match leads with members
  - Don't match a lead with too many members



#### Additional Best Practices

- Moderate leads filter out "fake leads"
- Refund members who have bad experiences
  - Repeat business is key
- Keep lead capture forms brief
- Build strong relationships by calling leads and members as they join
- As you grow and generate revenue, consider hiring additional staff to keep things running smoothly



#### Things to Avoid



#### Avoid the Following

- Offer complicated membership levels
- Refuse to interact with your leads and members
- Sell a single lead to too many members
- Make your website difficult to navigate
- Being greedy by over-charging members
- Spend excessively before you turn a profit
- Try to replicate multi-million dollar websites



## Learn more about the Brilliant Directories Lead Management Module

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#### Advanced Lead Matching Capabilities

- Fully customizable lead capture form
- Auto-match leads based on location
- Auto-match leads based on category
- Customizable lead emails to members
- Priority lead distribution by membership level
- Admin notified when lead is purchased

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#### Webinar Recap



#### Summary

- Lead-generating websites are great for single companies
- Lead Distribution Networks are great for websites with a database of professional members
- Utilize LDN strategies to generate revenue
- Keeping website members and visitors happy will encourage repeat business
- Follow LDN best practices



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