

PR & Marketing: Key Differences & How The Two Can Work Together

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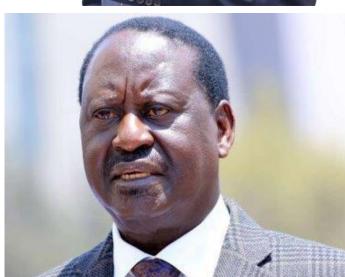
















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Marketing is NOT everything

Importance of PR in Marketing

Perception IS everything





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- Writing
- Media Relations
- Planning
- Advisory
- Researching
- Publicity
- Marketing Communications
- Community Relations

- Consumer Relations
- Employee Relations
- Government Affairs
- Investor Relations
- Special Publics Relations
- Public Affairs & Issues
- Social Media Interfaces
- Customer Care





- 1. <u>Writing</u>: the fundamental public relation skill with written vehicles from news releases to speeches and from brochures to advertisement falling within the field's purview
- 2. <u>Media relations</u>: dealing with the press is another front line public relations function.
- 3. <u>Planning</u>: of special events, media events, management functions and the like
- 4. Counseling: in dealing with management and its interactions with key publics
- 5. Researching: of attitudes and opinions that influence behaviors and beliefs.
- 6. <u>Publicity</u>: the marketing related function, most commonly misunderstood as the only function of public relations, generating positive publicity for a client or employer
- 7. <u>Marketing communications</u>: such as creating brochures, sales literature, meeting displays and promotion
- 8. <u>community relations</u>: positively putting forth the organization's messages and image within the community
- 9. Consumer relations: interfacing with consumers through written and verbal communication
- 10. Employee relations: communicating with all important internal publics of the organization.
- 11. Government affairs: dealing with legislators, regulators and local, state and federal officials
- 12. <u>Investor relations</u>: communicating with stockholders and those who advise them
- 13. <u>Special public relations</u>: dealing with those publics critical to particular organizations, from African American to women to Asians.
- 14. Public affairs and issues: dealing with public policy and its impact on the organization
- 15. <u>Social media interface</u>: when the organization interfaces with the public its website as well as creating links with social media options





Differences & Importance of PR



Focus

PR is concerned with relationships; marketing sells products or services.

Fulfilment

PR identifies & satisfies stakeholder interests; marketing identifies & satisfies human needs & wants

Method

PR relies on two-way dialogue; marketing relies on persuasion

Scope

PR promotes an entire organisation; marketing traditionally promote products and services



How PR & Marketing Can Work Together?



Cooperate Early And Often

- development of campaigns
- crisis & issue management

Share Goals

- Determine common goals for PR & marketing
- •PR can help improve marketing outcomes

Find Win-win Scenarios

- Marketing assets can help PR gain media coverage
- PR can help meet marketing goals e.g. social media listening can spot sales opportunities

Cross-department meetings

- Status meetings
- Know about projects, goals and campaigns of other groups

Comprehensive Monitoring & Measurement

- Earned media can be part of the analytics not only sales / marketing metrics
- •Leads and sales might increase after a large PR campaign or even after a single high-profile media mention

Bottom Line

- •PR & marketing can increase bottom-line immensely
- With greater cooperation and enhanced measurement

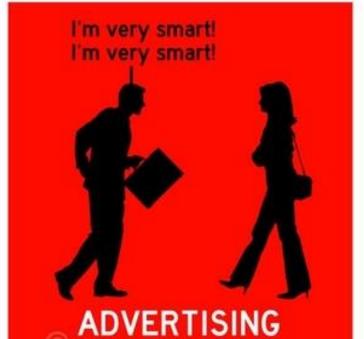


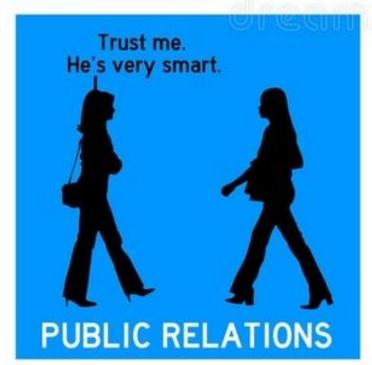


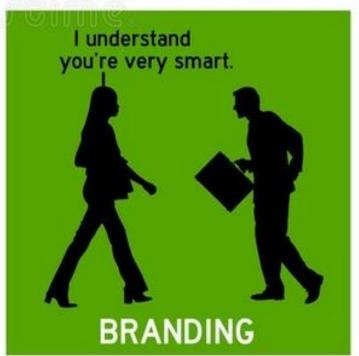
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