

#### Web An overview

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#### Two words about us

- An Italy-based web boutique
- Focused on channel strategy, information architecture and design
- Mobile first, content first approach
- Marketing oriented
- Open source platforms
- Oh-so-nice

## (Ok, one more)

"Web redesign"

www.mentine.net

#### Two words about me

- I'm a web architect
- I interpret needs and goals
- I design scenarios
- I design information
- And also I am Oh-so-nice





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Strategy

Content

Social media

E-mail marketing

Ecommerce Web analytics

#### P.O.S.T.

People

Objectives

Strategy

Tools

# People

#### Personas.

- Define your user as he was a "real person" (she is, really)
  - Age
  - Sex
  - Geographical info
  - Income

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#### Ask yourself

- Which problems do they need to solve?
- Which is their most important need?
- What do they look for?

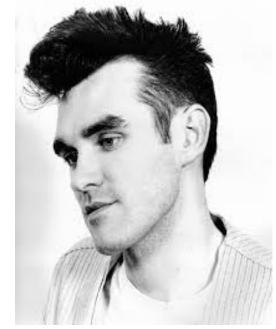
#### Define

- End goals
- Experience goals
- Life goals

# No more than 3 personas in the room, please

Choose. Position your company, your product, your brand. You can't talk to all the world, as the world won't listen.

Choose your niche and do good for them.



Also meat is murder!

#### Goals

I need a website. Now.

My website looks old.

I definitely have to redesign it.

Everybody's got a website, why shouldn't I?

I want to sell.

#### No, have a plan, instead

- Define your goals
- Get all the information you need to make good choices

→ Have a design process.

#### Goals

If you can't measure it, it's not a goal. (Anyway, any project has goals)

- + 45% sales next year
- 2.500.000 € income
- + 3.000 subscribers
- +25% page views

More beautiful

## How do you get there?

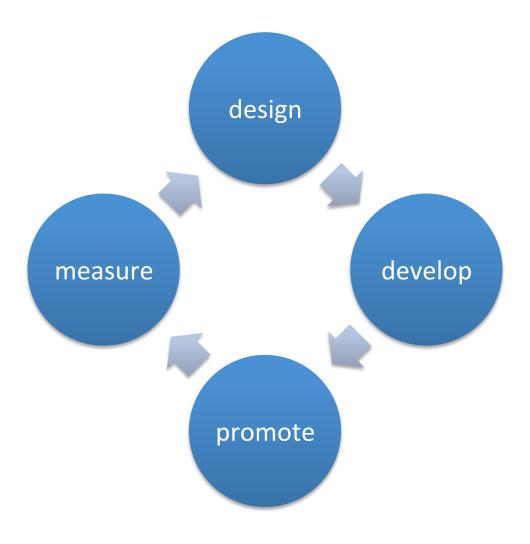
Build a project focused on conversion points. Turn them into calls to action.

- Purchases
- Newsletter subscription
- Ask a quote
- Contact
- Social share
- Comment
- Download
- ...

#### Answer this

How do I define "success" for my web project?

## How do you get there?



# Strategy

#### You probably have a problem

- You design solutions for problems that people don't know to have
- People won't probably search for keywords like "how to change my way of life"
- People don't know you personally

# Which are your pluses? Define them and design around them.

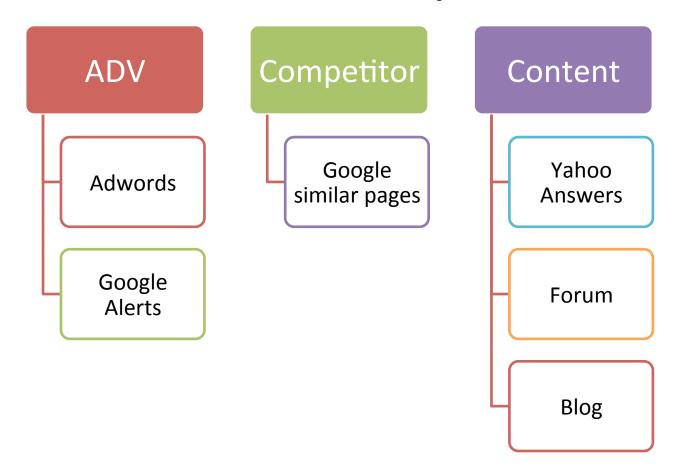
Unknown niches

Customization

Storytelling

Values

#### What about competitors?

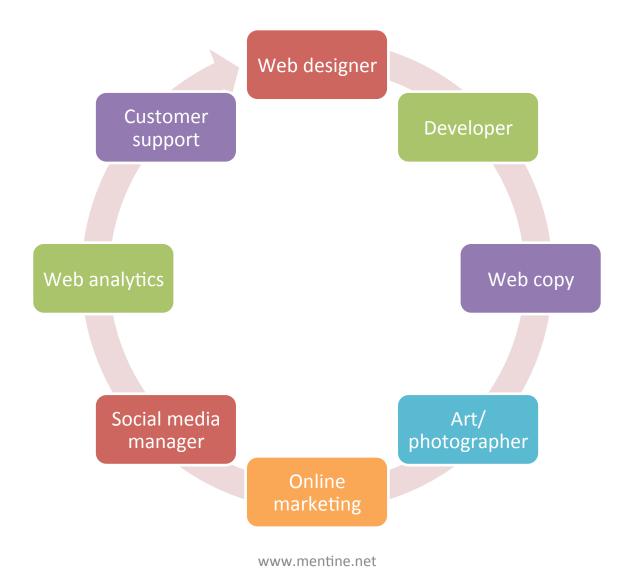


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# Leading actors



#### **Budget distribution**

- 1/3 platform
- 1/3 content & management
- 1/3 promotion

#### Promotion mix

30% short term: ADV e SEM

30% medium term: email marketing

40% logn term: social media & contents

#### Acquire competences

- You're into "Self-production"
- In-sourcing everything? No, please
- Learn what's important to be awared of
- Choose the right partners
- Manage what's close to your possibilities
- Don't fall into "technology is easy" pitfall

#### Acquire competence

- Don't outsource
  - Content management
  - Social marketing
  - E-mail marketing
  - Conversation
  - Analytics
- It's you

## Questions? (a lot, I guess)