



The Hustle exists to educate, entertain, and empower the 21st century professional.

Specifically, we're starting with business, technology, and finance news...



The start



Solving our own problems



The move to email

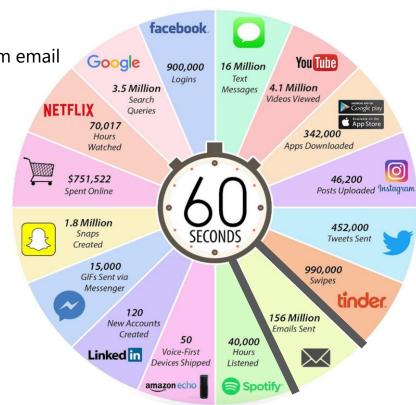


What we were feeling

- Happy that 70% of Hustle Con ticket sales came from email
- It was pretty easy to obtain email addresses
- Our generation was being forgotten by media

What we were seeing in the world

- Ad blocker was killing traditional media companies
- Email was the largest distribution channel
- Most emails sent from brands were terrible
- Having a dependency on other platforms is a terrible long-term solution



the Jon Stewart effect

noun, singular

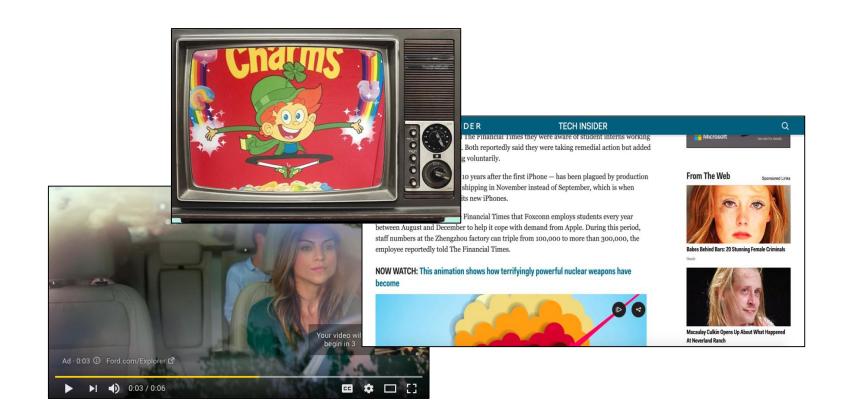
Our community trusts us because our voice is human. It's straightforward, no bullshit, bold, and, most of all, informative. We explain complex ideas in simple ways, making our audience smarter. They tune in everyday to not only hear what we will say, but how we will say it.





Supporting brands and content distribution Distribution via disruption is not the solution

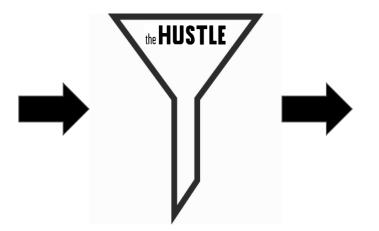




So what does this mean? Our tactics are all Native, but not that 'Native'









Example of what we think is actually Native



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"It looks like you're building a business... need some help?"

When we hear "Microsoft," most of us still think of an extremely persistent animated paperclip asking us if we need help making a numbered list.

But things have changed.

This is a whole new Microsoft -- and their new business suite is like the Golden State Warriors of software: an all-star lineup of features, all streamlined into one solution.

We're talking about Microsoft 365 Business

AKA, one of the most well designed small business tools we've ever seen.

They took the Office suite we all use and love, put it in the cloud -- then made it *stupid* easy to collaborate with teammates across any device. That means super simple file sharing, doc editing, video chatting, messaging, and calendar scheduling -- from anywhere.

Oh, and underpinning all of these programs is state-of-the-art data protection, so every user is protected -- without having to configure any of those scary "advanced settings."

We could keep singing its praises -- or you could experience it for yourself. View a demo and have your minds blown like we did.

What's coming up for The Hustle?

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38%

FOUNDERS

67%

ENTREPRENEURS

37% MAKE MORE THAN \$100K



89%

BELOW 44

91%

FEMALE

26%

IDENTIFY AS SENIOR LEVEL OR HIGHER

AT A COMPANY LARGER THAN 100 EMPLOYEES

the **HUSTLE**



