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\*\*SMC-2-1-1-1 Means SMC SEMESTER 2 CLASS 1 TOPIC 1 EXERCISE 1

# WORKBOOK FOR SALES, MARKETING & COMMUNICATIONS SEMESTER #2 & CLASS #1 (ALSO CALLED SMC-2-1\*\*\*)

- **3 TOPICS COVERED IN THIS LESSON:** (Brief Recaps in Brackets. Click the text to jump to the page in this workbook where we cover the Topics).
  - 1 SMC-2-1-1: ACT 3: CONTENT: SCENE 2: WHAT TO INCLUDE AND HOW TO STRUCTURE THE CONTENT (We analyze how to ensure that your content adheres to the C.I.D.E.R. principals.)
  - 2 SMC-2-1-2: ACT 3: CONTENT: SCENE 3: PART 1: BEATING WRITER'S BLOCK & ENDING YOUR PRESENTATION (Strategies to get you into your peak mental CREATIVE/FUN state.)
  - 3 SMC-2-1-3: ACT 3: CONTENT: SCENE 3: PART 2: CREATING A GREAT TITLE FOR YOUR SPEECH (Strategies to create an impactful title for your presentation.)

Please have this workbook open during the SMC-2-1\*\*\* lecture and fill in the blanks or answer the questions in this workbook when Chris asks you to do so during the live lesson (or during the replay of the live lesson). The homework for all lessons is always listed on the last page.

If you are watching a live version of this lesson, please let Chris explain the concepts and then we will have many opportunities for live Q&A when he mentions: "Does Anyone Have Any Questions?" You can also ask Chris questions about the concepts taught in this class during his weekly For MBA Degree Program Students Only Weekly Q&A Webcast, which is available at the following link using the password that was emailed to you.

Please note that after the class is finished, Chris will direct you where to go online in order to take a quiz based on the concepts taught in SMC-2-1. If you can't watch this class live, then Chris' team will have an edited <u>replay</u> of the lesson online within one day after this class has ended.



## <u>TOPIC 1 OF 3: SMC-2-1-1</u>: Topic 1: ACT 3: CONTENT: Scene 2: What to Include and How to Structure the Content

Please go to this website during topic 1 when Chris asks you to. Thanks: https://www.litscape.com/word\_tools/contains\_only.php Optional: Type your notes for Topic #1 in this box: Optional: How can you apply what you have learned about Topic #1 today to enhance your career (or to make you happier and more successful in general)? Optional: Type a question(s) below that you want to ask Chris on the live webcast about Topic #1. If you are watching the live webcast of this lesson, after Chris finishes discussing each Topic, he will say "Does anyone have any questions about Topic #1. At that point you can copy and paste the text that you type below into the YouTube message box to ask him a question. If you are not on the live webcast, you can also ask him your questions during the MBA Only Students Office Hours Webcast (use the password that was emailed to you). Before asking the question about Topic #1, please look at the first page of this document to see what he will discuss in Topic #2 and Topic #3 (in case your question will be addressed during Topic #2 and Topic #3). Thanks:



#### EXERCISE: SMC-2-1-1-1: Creating the Content ("Let It All Out")

In the table below please only complete the left hand green shaded column (we will complete the other columns that are shaded in gold and silver in future exercises today). Thanks

- ✔ Please take your time with this and have fun.
- ✓ Think about how you want your audience to feel.
- ✓ What emotions do you want them to feel?
- ✓ Don't think of structuring the content yet at all.
- ✓ Just free form document and let it all out.
- ✓ If you don't feel like you're in the right mood/right frame of mind to do this exercise, then come back to this exercise tomorrow, on a weekend or get up early 1 day to do this.
- ✓ It's crucial that you spend a lot of time doing this. Thanks.

For example: If we are presenting about how we are going to take market share from competitor X then we might complete the left-hand column of the table as follows:

In the space below, please write down CONTENT and ideas for what you might want to include in your speech, including content and ideas you want to say or include like images, videos, quotes, props etc. (have fun and be creative with this). Please take a lot of time on this and let it all out. (We will complete the gold and silver shaded columns in the future exercises).	*We will complete this silver shaded column in EXERCISE SMC-2-1-1-2	*We will complete this gold shaded column in EXERCISE SMC-2-1-1-3
1: Mention the problem with our business model		
2: Discuss how competitor X beats us too often		
3: Show the product of competitor X and compare it to ours		
4: Discuss the weaknesses of competitor X		

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#### **EXERCISE: SMC-2-1-1-2**: "C.A.P. ing" Your Brilliant Content



In this exercise please place the word "YES" or "NO" in the silver column for every item that you wrote down in the previous exercise (meaning Exercise SMC-2-1-1-1 ....meaning write the answers in the table you completed in Exercise SMC-2-1-1-1). The way to do this is to ask yourself the following 7 questions and all you need is for one of the 7 answers to the questions below to be YES; if so, then write YES in the silver column, otherwise write NO in the silver column.

- 1) Are the items in this bucket Convincing? Or
- 2) Are the items in this bucket Interesting? Or
- 3) Are the items in this bucket Different? Or
- 4) Are the items in this bucket Educational? Or
- 5) Are the items in this bucket Relevant? Or
- 6) Are the items in this bucket targeted towards our Audience. Or
- 7) Are the items in this bucket helping to discuss the Purpose of our presentation?

#### For example:

If we are presenting about how we are going to take market share from competitor X then the 3<sup>rd</sup> content item we listed in the table below doesn't provide the answer YES to any of the 7 questions above, so we answered with "NO." If this is confusing to you then just write YES or NO to the answer SO WHAT – is this item meeting the purpose of my speech? YES or NO (remember the "SO WHAT" test".

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want to say or include like images, videos, quotes, props etc. (have fun	*We will	*We will
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out. (We will complete the gold and silver shaded columns in the future	silver shaded	gold shaded
exercises). Please add or delete rows if you want (I listed 100 rows	column in	column in
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	SMC-2-1-1-2	SMC-2-1-1-3
1: Mention the problem with our business model	YES	
2: Discuss how competitor X beats us too often	YES	
3: Show the product of competitor Z and compare it to ours	NO	



	(not relevant)	
4: Discuss the weaknesses of competitor X	YES	

After you have completed this exercise by writing YES or NO in all of the silver shaded boxes, then delete or draw a line through all rows that had the word NO as the answer as follows (because we won't include them in our presentation):

In the space below, please write down CONTENT and ideas for what you might want to include in your speech, including content and ideas you want to say or include like images, videos, quotes, props etc. (have fun and be creative with this). Please take a lot of time on this and let it all out. (We will complete the gold and silver shaded columns in the future exercises).	*We will complete this silver shaded column in EXERCISE SMC-2-1-1-2	*We will complete this gold shaded column in EXERCISE SMC-2-1-1-3
1: Mention the problem with our business model	YES	
2: Discuss how competitor X beats us too often	YES	
3: Show the product of competitor Z and compare it to ours	<del>O/</del>	
	<del>(not relevant)</del>	
4: Discuss the weaknesses of competitor X	YES	

Please let me know if you have any questions about this exercise. Thanks



#### **EXERCISE:** SMC-2-1-1-3: Structuring and Ordering the Content

#### In the example table below are 13 things I want to discuss (we crossed out the third item):

In the space below, please write down CONTENT and ideas for what you might want to include in your speech, including content and ideas	C.A.P.*	Section*
you want to say or include like images, videos, quotes, props etc.	*We will	*We will
(have fun and be creative with this). Please take a lot of time on this	complete this	complete this
and let it all out. (We will complete the gold and silver shaded columns	<u>silver</u> shaded	gold shaded
in the future exercises).	column in	column in
	<b>EXERCISE</b>	<u>EXERCISE</u>
	SMC-2-1-1-2	SMC-2-1-1-3
1: Mention the problem with our business model	YES	
2: Discuss how competitor X beats us too often	YES	
3: Show the product of competitor Z and compare it to ours	OH	
	<del>(not relevant)</del>	
4: Discuss a weaknesses of competitor X is their operations	YES	
5: Discussion of why purchasing competitor X is smart	YES	
6: Discussion of merging with competitor X	YES	
7: Discussion of changing our marketing strategy	YES	
8: Discussion of the risk with buying competitor X	YES	
9: Discussion of financing how to buy competitor X	YES	
10: Discussion of when to buy competitor X	YES	
11: Another weakness of competitor X is their salesforce	YES	
12: Risk to changing our marketing strategy	YES	
13: In the start of speech mention that Warren Buffet quote	YES	
14: I think buying competitor X is the best strategy.	YES	

Below I explain how to complete this exercise. Please make sure to complete this exercise in the third column of the table in <u>EXERCISE SMC-2-1-1-1</u>). Please read all of the instructions below before starting the exercise thanks.

**STEP 1:** Now let's think about what buckets to put these items into so we can structure and order our speech.

I made 6 buckets as follows (put them in the right order and number them as follows):

1: Start of presentation (Intro part)

2: Topic 1: Weakness of Competitor X

3: Topic 2: Buying X



4: Topic 3: Merge with X

5: Topic 4: Changing our Marketing Strategy

6: End of speech (conclusion)

**STEP 2**: Now let's paste each of the 6 bucket topics in the gold column in the table we created in EXERCISE SMC-2-1-1-1 as follows:

In the space below, please write down CONTENT and ideas for what you might want to include in your speech, including content and ideas you want to say or include like images, videos, quotes, props etc. (have fun and be creative with this). Please take a lot of time on this and let it all out. (We will complete the gold and silver shaded columns in the future exercises).	*We will complete this silver shaded column in EXERCISE SMC-2-1-1-2	*We will complete this gold shaded column in EXERCISE SMC-2-1-1-3
1: Mention the problem with our business model	YES	1: Start of presentation (Intro part)
2: Discuss how competitor X beats us too often	YES	1: Start of presentation (Intro part)
3: Show the product of competitor Z and compare it to ours	NO (not relevant)	
4: Discuss a weaknesses of competitor X is their operations	YES	2: Topic 1: Weakness of Competitor X
5: Discussion of why purchasing competitor X is smart	YES	3: Topic 2: Buying X
6: Discussion of merging with competitor X	YES	4: Topic 3: Merge with X
7: Discussion of changing our marketing strategy	YES	5: Topic 4: Changing our Marketing Strategy
8: Discussion of the risk with buying competitor X	YES	3: Topic 2: Buying X
9: Discussion of financing how to buy competitor X	YES	3: Topic 2: Buying X
10: Discussion of when to buy competitor X	YES	3: Topic 2: Buying X
11: Another weakness of competitor X is their salesforce	YES	2: Topic 1: Weakness of Competitor X
12: Risk to changing our marketing strategy	YES	5: Topic 4: Changing our Marketing Strategy



13: In the start of speech mention that Warren Buffet quote	YES	1: Start of
		presentation (Intro part)
14: I think buying competitor X is the best strategy.	YES	6: End (conclusion)



**STEP 3**: Sort the table using the gold column (please note: you can't sort in the PDF version of the workbook. You can copy and paste the table though to another program and then sort if you are using the PDF version):

If you are using the Microsoft Word version of the workbook, please look at Image #1, Image #2 and Image #3 for how to sort by the right-hand column.

If you are using the Google Docs version of the workbook, please look at Image #4, Image #5, Image #6, Image #7, Image #8 and Image #9 for how to sort by the right-hand column.

Regardless of whether you are using the PDF, Word or Google Docs version of the workbook, please look at the page below after Image #9 to see what your "FINAL TABLE" will look like (meaning the one you are editing in Exercise 2-1-1-1). We will use the contents of the table you create to make the slides later (this will all make more sense in ACT 4 when we make our slides).

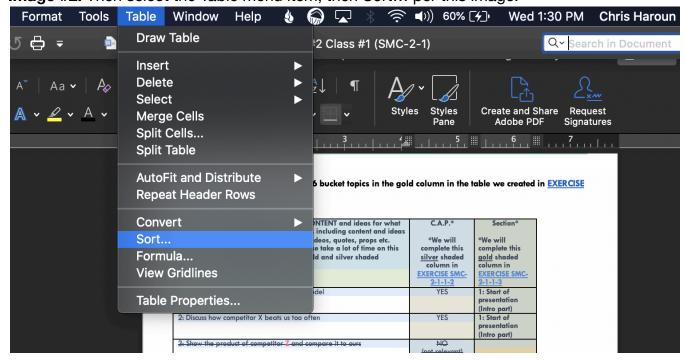


#### **Image #1:** Select your entire completed table per this image:

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3: Show the product of competitor Z and compare it to ours	<del>Q</del> 4	
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4: Discuss a weaknesses of competitor X is their operations	YES	2: Topic 1:
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5: Discussion of why purchasing competitor X is smart	YES	3: Topic 2:
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7: Discussion of changing our marketing strategy	YES	5: Topic 4:
		Changing our
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11: Another weakness of competitor X is their salesforce	YES	2: Topic 1:
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		Competitor X
12: Risk to changing our marketing strategy	YES	5: Topic 4:
		Changing our
		Marketing
		Strategy
13: In the start of speech mention that Warren Buffet quote	YES	1: Start of
		presentation
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14: I think buying competitor X is the best strategy.	YES	6: End
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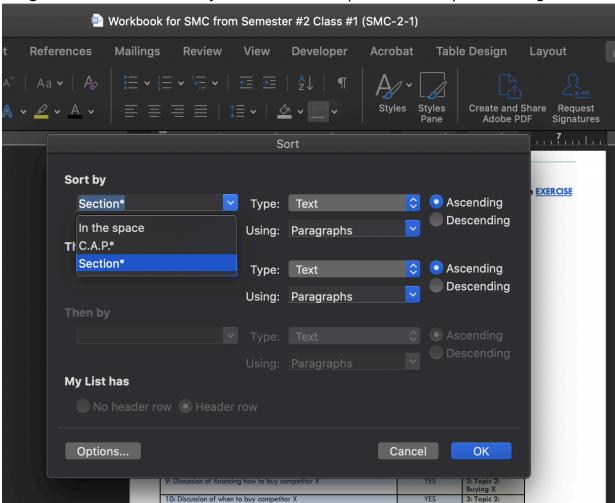


#### Image #2: Then select the Table menu item, then Sort... per this image:



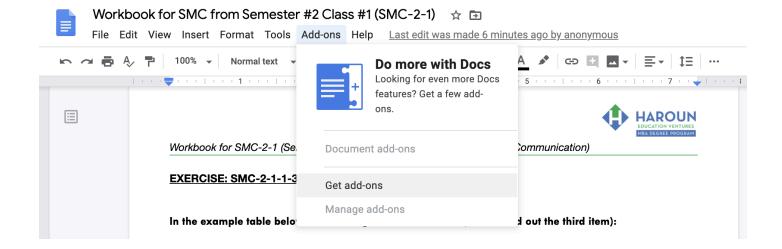






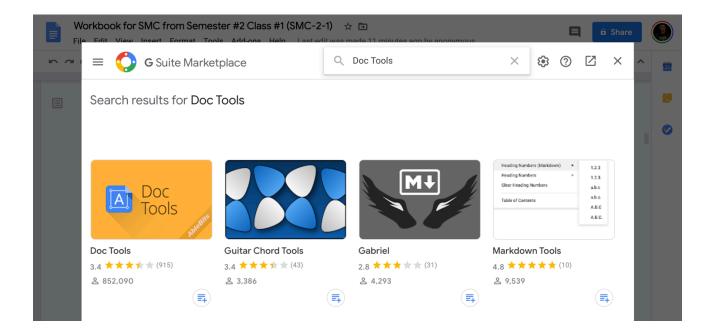


**Image #4:** For Google Docs, per the image below, there's a way to get add-ons. Go to the toolbar item called Add-ons, then select Get add-ons:



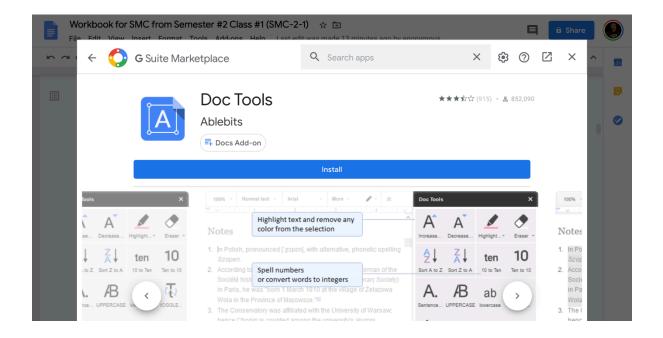


**Image #5:** Per the image below, search for Doc Tools, then select the yellow Doc Tools item in the search results.



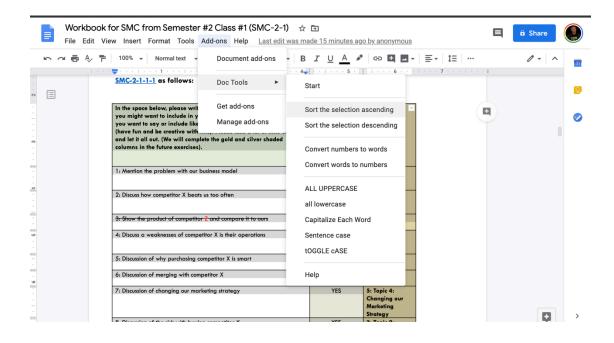


#### Image #6: Per the image below, click the blue button called Install:





**Image #7:** Per the image below, click the Add-ons menu, then select Doc Tools, then select Sort the selection ascending:





**Image #8:** Per the image below, click the check-box called My table has a header row. Then select the Sort by drop-down box and select "Section\* &We will compl..."

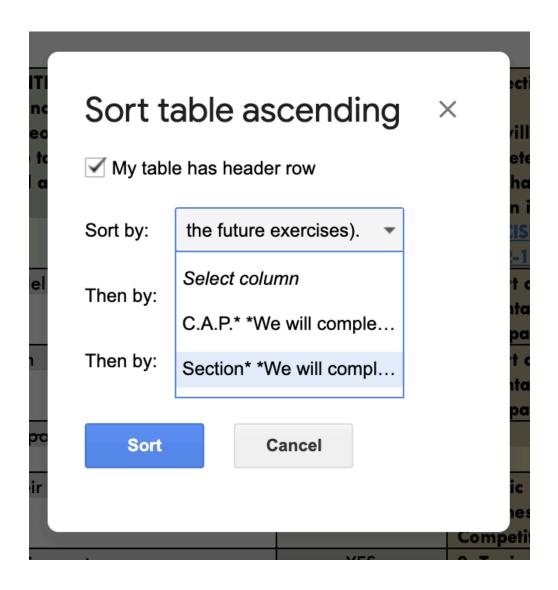
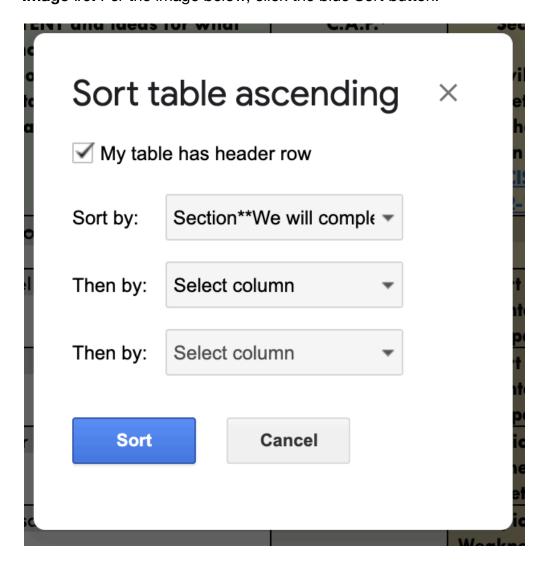




Image #9: Per the image below, click the blue Sort button.





# Now your "FINAL TABLE" is sorted and you have your outline for your presentation (per the example in the table below):

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and ideas you want to say or include like images, videos, quotes,	*We will	*We will complete this
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	<del>relevant)</del>	
1: Mention the problem with our business model	YES	1: Start of presentation
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2: Discuss how competitor X beats us too often	YES	1: Start of presentation
	\/=0	(Intro part)
13: In the start of speech mention that Warren Buffet quote	YES	1: Start of presentation
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4: Discuss a weaknesses of competitor X is their operations	YES	2: Topic 1: Weakness of
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11: Another weakness of competitor X is their salesforce	YES	2: Topic 1: Weakness of Competitor X
5: Discussion of why purchasing competitor X is smart	YES	3: Topic 2: Buying X
8: Discussion of the risk with buying competitor X	YES	3: Topic 2: Buying X
9: Discussion of financing how to buy competitor X	YES	3: Topic 2: Buying X
10: Discussion of when to buy competitor X	YES	3: Topic 2: Buying X
6: Discussion of merging with competitor X	YES	4: Topic 3: Merge with X
7: Discussion of changing our marketing strategy	YES	5: Topic 4: Changing our
		Marketing Strategy
12: Risk to changing our marketing strategy	YES	5: Topic 4: Changing our
		Marketing Strategy
14: I think buying competitor X is the best strategy.	YES	6: End (conclusion)



We will use the contents of the table you create to make the slides later (this will all make more sense in ACT 4 when we make our slides).



### <u>TOPIC 2 OF 3: SMC-2-1-2</u>: ACT 3: CONTENT: Scene 3: Beating Writer's Block & ENDING Your Presentation

Please go to this website during topic 1 when Chris asks you to and spend 1 minute watching this video: Thanks:

https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=BDsv138RcU0&feature=youtu.be&list=RDULY436FJOAw&t=142

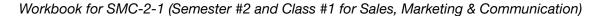
This next video is something you can watch after class (or listen to) in order to get into your brilliant creative state: https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=5LXhPbmoHmU

Optional: Type your notes for Topic #2 in this box:
Optional: How can you apply what you have learned about Topic #2 today to enhance your career (or to make you happier and more successful in general)?
Optional: Type a question(s) below that you want to ask Chris on the live webcast about Topic #2. If you are watching the live webcast of this lesson, after Chris finishes discussing each Topic, he will say "Does anyone have any questions about Topic #2. At that point you can copy and paste the text that you type below into the YouTube message box to ask him a question. If you are not on the live webcast, you can also ask him your questions during the MBA Only Students Office Hours Webcast (use the password that was emailed to you). Before asking the question about Topic #2, please look at the first page of this document to see what he will discuss in Topic #3 (in case your question will be addressed during Topic #3). Thanks:



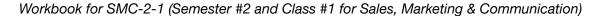
#### **EXERCISE: SMC-2-1-2-1**: Beating Writer's Block

In order to beat writer's block and get in that ideal state of mind to create, please think of a moment in your life when you were incredibly creative when you wrote an essay or a speech or a piece of music etc. Please complete the following questions:
I was in an ideal state when I created/wrote this:
The approximate date was:



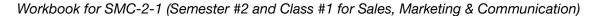


The exact location was:
Was there any background noise or music? If so, what was it?
If you can remember, write down how you felt then:





If you can remember, what were some additional reasons that were your creative then?
What limiting beliefs do you have right now that might hurt your ability to be creative right now?
What can you do to obliterate these limiting beliefs right now?





What are right now	5 additional things can you do right now in order to get back into that ideal creative state?
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Take that walk to eliminate writer's block!

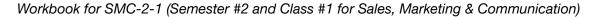




#### **EXERCISE SMC-2-1-2-2**: Ending your presentation

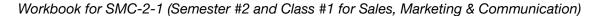
In SMC-1-2 we discussed in a lot of detail many different ways to *start* your presentation. This exercise will help you create an impactful and perfect way to *end* your presentation. You can end your presentation with one of the options that we cover below or several of them. This will make a lot more sense once you have completed this exercise. Please just skip questions that are not applicable to the speech that you are giving. Thanks

I want you to do 3 simple things that will help us with the ending or the conclusion portion of your speech: 1: Write down 1 sentence on who your audience is. (Please see your answers from SMC-1-2 and copy and paste them here.): 2: [Optional] Write down a few emotions that you want your audience to feel. (Please see your answers from SMC-1-2 and SMC 1-3) Emotion #1: Emotion #2:





Emotion #3:
3: Write down 1 sentence on the purpose of your speech. (Please see your answers from SMC-1-2 and SMC-1-3.):
4) Now write down people or organizations you might consider thanking at the end of your speech (you can always remove some of the people/Organizations listed below while preparing the final version of your speech ©
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People/Person/Organization to thank #2:
People/Person/Organization to thank #3:





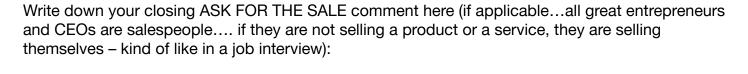
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People/Person/Organization to thank #5:
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People/Person/Organization to thank #9:
People/Person/Organization to thank #10:



Business presentations often end with a call to action. If you are selling a product or a service, which most businesspeople are, then ask for the sale at the end of your presentation or tell the audience to "please come and see me now or contact me at this address for questions."

If potential customers approach you and they sound interested in the product don't over sell it. Always stop selling once you get the sense that they are interested in buying the product or else you will sell past the close and lose the sale as this potential customer might think – "why does he keep saying great things about the product....he seems desperate for this sale. Am I missing anything?" Kind of like when you were learning about asking people on a date etc....I won't go there as I am the worst person on the planet to give dating advice!

If applicable, write down your closing "ASK FOR THE SALE" comment (i.e., if you are interested in purchasing our product, please see me know. I cringe when I write or say this next comment...but there has to be a sense of urgency like – we have a special price or sale that is valid for anyone at this conference today etc. This sense of urgency call to action is helpful. Your call if you want to use this methodology in the ending portion of your speech.)



If you are not taking orders for a product or a service, then be sure to have business cards or pamphlets... or better yet, USB tokens in your pocket in case an enormous potential customer approaches you after your presentation. Here is a link to where to buy these USB drives – buy the cheapest ones that will fit the size of your presentation materials:

https://www.amazon.com/s/ref=sr\_hi\_2?rh=n%3A172282%2Cn%3A541966%2Ck%3Ausb&keywords=usb&ie=UTF8&qid=1489268055

If you want to be really creative and this can get a bit expensive but it's worth it, then create your business cards on a flash USB drive that is the size of a thick business card: <a href="https://www.google.com/webhp?sourceid=chrome-instant&ion=1&espv=2&ie=UTF-8#q=business+card+usb&\*">https://www.google.com/webhp?sourceid=chrome-instant&ion=1&espv=2&ie=UTF-8#q=business+card+usb&\*</a>

Here are some fun examples from <a href="www.customusb.com">www.customusb.com</a> that will help you get noticed. Give these to massive potential customers as they can be a bit pricey but definitely worth it – remember CIDER as this is convincing, interesting, different, educational and relevant. Heck bring these to job interviews too if you want to take a calculated risk and stand out:





OUR OVERSIZED BUSINESS CARDS OFFER ADDITIONAL HEIGHT, PERFECT FOR STANDING OUT OF ANY PILE!

OVERSIZED CARDS: 3.50" X 2.16"

STANDARD CARDS: 3.50" X 2.00"











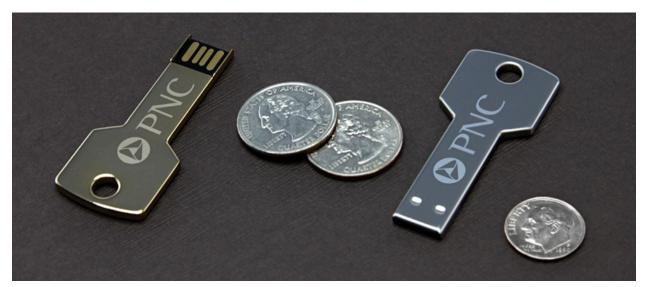














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[Optional]: Do you have business cards and USB tokens in your pocket and what should you include on the USB tokens after you give your speech (to give away to potential massive customers...if applicable)?

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Yes or No. Comments:



[Optional]: Did you mention your contact details when you ended the presentation? Please don't forget to immediately connect using LinkedIn with all contacts that you met the day of your presentation. Did you do this?

Yes or No. Comments:		

I want you to memorize the first few words of the ending portion of your speech. Why? Because sometimes you have to end a speech early for whatever reason that is out of your control like someone tells you during your speech that we are running short on time. In this case you say your closing line and if it's a business speech end with the call to action meaning asking for the sale or listing your contact details or asking potential customers to approach you right now [strike while the iron is hot and while you have their attention].

Here are a few words to use to start the end your speech – and you can always use these as a crutch go to if, for some reason, your speech must end now. Here are 5 examples:

- 1: The bottom line is...
- 2: In conclusion...
- 3: And so The best solution or recommendation is...
- 4: Our next steps are....
- 5: We talked about [topic 1, topic 2, and topic 3 or whatever structure you used] and the best approach to take is....

Before we complete this current exercise for how to end your speech, please review SMC-1-3 if you want to end your speech with one of the following:

- 1: A quote (I included 150 quote example)
- 2: A video
- 3: A relevant fact or personal story
- 4: A historical event (that is relevant as always of course)
- 5: An outline of your speech (for example, "We talked about X, Y and Z and the bottom line is...)
- 6: An image...I included 30 examples in exercise #4 including this one on how to make memes:



[We will copy and paste the contents of yellow shaded boxes, such as this one, later in the course when we create our slides.]

Lastly, please write your concluding sentence(s) here – you can combine several different ways to end your speech as mentioned over the last few pages. For example: "Per this image, the bottom line is... Please let me know if you have any questions or if you are interested in learning more about my product, please approach me after the Q&A\* session is done. I want to conclude my speech by thanking you all for your time and...."

My concluding sentence(s) is(are):

TYPE YOUR CONCLUDING SENTENCE HERE:

\*Please note that we will cover how to prepare for and how to conduct a Q&A session in Act 7.

Please write down additional comments, images etc that you might also want to say/include to end your speech by completing the applicable questions below. Please feel free to complete multiple questions below if you are considering ending your speech with more than 1 strategy.

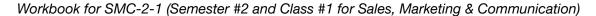
(We will use your answers in this yellow box when we create our slides later in the course in ACT #4. If you are not yet sure which approach is best to end your speech, then answer a few of the questions below. Thanks):

1) If you are ending your speech by thanking people or organizations, then please write which people/organizations that you want to end your speech with here:

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If you are ending your speech by ASKING FOR THE SALE, then please write how you want to sk for the sale here:  TYPE HERE  If you are ending your speech with a quote, then please write down the quote here:  TYPE HERE
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f) If you are ending your speech with a bottom line concluding message, then please write it down here (please skip this question if you already included this in the very first question in this yellow box. Thanks):
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7) If you are ending your speech with a powerful image, then please insert your image here [if you are using the PDF version of the workbook, then instead of inserting the image below, write down the location of the image on your computer/device in the box below]:

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IMAGE or MEME
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[OPTIONAL] Type location of image file here.



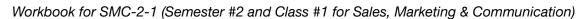
TOPIC 3 OF 3: SMC-2-1-3: SMC-2-1-3: ACT 3: CONTENT: Scene 3: Part 2: Creating A Great Title for Your Speech
Optional: Type your notes for Topic #3 in this box:
Optional: How can you apply what you have learned about Topic #3 today to enhance your career (or to make you happier and more successful in general)?
Optional: Type a question(s) below that you want to ask Chris on the live webcast about Topic #3. If you are watching the live webcast of this lesson, after Chris finishes discussing each Topic, he will say "Does anyone have any questions about Topic #3. At that point you can copy and paste the text that you type below into the YouTube message box to ask him a question. If you are not on the live webcast, you can also ask him your questions during the MBA Only Students Office Hours Webcast (use the password that was emailed to you). Thanks:



## **EXERCISE SMC-2-1-3-1**: Creating a GREAT Title for Your Presentation

movie would it be? Would it be a drama, a documentary, a comedy, or a different genre of film:
Movie type:
Next, please recall the target audience of your speech and the purpose of your speech (from SMC-1-2):

For this exercise – if your speech was a movie and you had to come up with a title, what type of

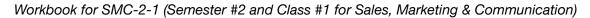




Make sure your speech title covers at least 2 of the items from the C.I.D.E.R. categorization that we covered earlier in today's class.

Now please create 3 catchy titles that are 70 characters or less (as this is half the length of an old school tweet and you might tweet a 70-character intro to your speech):

Title a)			
Title b)			
Title c)			





Now email 10 friends that are representative of the target audience of your speech and send them all 3 of your catchy titles listed above, along with the purpose of your speech and the audience and ask them to rank your titles (or pick the best one).

10 friends you will ask to rank your titles are:	
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## **HOMEWORK**

After this lecture, please complete any exercise(s) in this workbook that you have not yet completed (if applicable) and the quiz associated with this lecture. The quiz is always in the last lecture for each class. Thanks