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#### **TL;DR for** [insert your audience here]

Here's the 5-part FOCUS Framework I use with [insert who you help] to simplify demand gen, cut through bloated tools and noise, and build systems that actually work.

Each part solves a specific breakdown I see in most [insert industry or audience segment] marketing teams.

#### **Use this FOCUS Framework to:**

- Audit your current demand gen strategy
- Plan new campaigns with clarity and precision
- Build scalable, personalized, and modern marketing systems that align with today's buyer behavior

It's future-proof by design — made for an Al-native, resource-constrained, growth-hungry world.

#### Free Resources

- Free Demand Gen Playbook
- The Business Case for Investing in B2B Demand Gen (Slide Template)

### Focus the Funnel

#### F — Focus the Funnel

Find the friction. Refine your ICP using real behavior and buyer signals.

- **ICP Clarity:** Who are your top 3 buyer personas? What real customer behavior are you using to define them?
  - → Review Salesforce data, use tools like Clearbit or Intentsify, and analyze recent win/loss reports for patterns in company size, role, and urgency triggers.
- Funnel Calibration: Where are drop-offs happening in your funnel?
  - $\rightarrow$  Use Google Analytics 4 to track bounce and exit rates, HubSpot conversion reports to monitor MQL  $\rightarrow$  SQL drop-off, and Salesforce dashboards to review lead velocity.
- Tactical Input: I use Salesforce, GA4, and Intentsify to track conversion points, funnel velocity, and segment-level performance.
  - $\rightarrow$  For SMBs: HubSpot Free CRM, GA4, and basic Excel/Google Sheets can be a solid starting stack.
- **Prompt:** What is the #1 point of friction in your current funnel?

## Orchestrate the Buyer Journey

### O — Orchestrate the Buyer Journey

Create a natural, connected flow — not just scattered content and campaigns.

- Journey Design: Map your touchpoints across Awareness > Consideration > Conversion
   > Expansion.
  - $\rightarrow$  Use frameworks like the 5 Stages of Awareness or Jobs-to-be-Done to align content with intent.
- Coordination Tool: I plan this using Miro for campaign activation maps and ClickUp or Notion for task execution.
  - ightarrow For SMBs: Miro free tier or Google Slides can get the job done.
- Behavioral Cues: What signals do buyers show before converting?
  - → Monitor high-intent actions like pricing page views, demo requests, and engagement with bottom-funnel content.

**Prompt:** Does each message or touchpoint move your buyer closer to a decision?

## **Craft Magnetic Offers**

### C — Craft Magnetic Offers

Make your offer feel like the answer they've been waiting for.

- Value Hook: What pain point does your offer solve immediately?
  - ightarrow Use interview notes, reviews, and common sales objections to isolate urgent problems.
- Framework Reference: I use Alex Hormozi's Grand Slam Offer Framework to shape high-converting value propositions.
  - → Template: Problem > Promise > Proof > Price.
- CTA Strategy: What's your best performing low-friction CTA?
  - $\rightarrow$  Test free tools, trials, lead magnets, or consultations depending on stage and persona.

**Prompt:** Is your offer painfully obvious to the right people?

## Unify Story and Systems

### U — Unify Story and Systems

Bring content, brand, and automation together so it all feels right.

- Narrative Alignment: What's the core story you want every prospect to believe?
   → Develop one central belief/message that carries across web, ads, nurture, and outbound.
- Personalization Stack: I use Webflow Optimize, Arcade demos, and dynamic form fields in HubSpot/Salesforce to personalize based on persona, company, and intent.
   → SMB options: Smart copy blocks in Webflow, Calendly workflows, and Merge Tags in email tools.
- **Channel Consistency:** Do your ads, site, and emails all reflect the same tone and message?
  - → Create a voice + tone guide, and run periodic audits across your owned channels.

**Prompt:** If someone saw 3 random pieces of your marketing, would they know it came from you?

# Scale with Smart Signals

### S — Scale with Smart Signals

Use AI + ops to double down on what's working. Kill the rest.

- Automation Wins: What manual processes can be offloaded today?
   → Batch scheduling, lead scoring, ad creative refreshes, or reporting.
- **Signal Tools:** I've started experimenting with <u>Gemini in Google Sheets</u> to generate and summarize weekly performance data, and use **Tableau** to visualize engagement and pipeline trends. → *SMBs can use Looker Studio or Airtable for simplified dashboards*.
- Experiment Kill Switch: What criteria tell you when to stop a campaign?
   → Set benchmarks for early traction (CTR, time-on-site, demo rate). Sunset anything that fails 2 weeks in a row.

**Prompt:** Are you scaling smartly — or just adding more work?