How to Design a Shared Experience in a Hybrid World.

Build your brand, delight your audience and fuel community engagement.



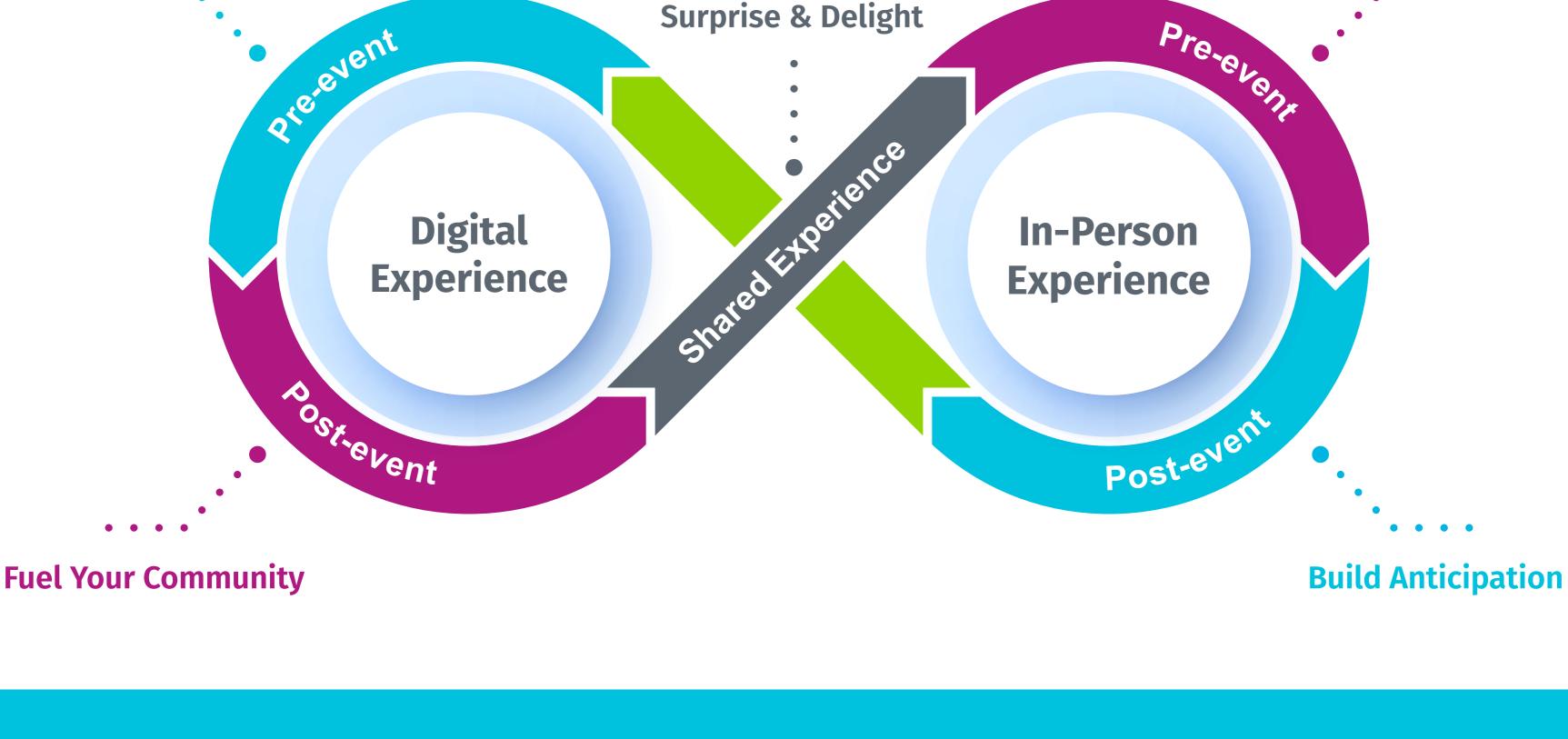
Hybrid Event Life Cycle

Build Anticipation

go-to format once in-person events resume.

Fuel Your Community

Surprise & Delight



Pre-Event: Build Anticipation

around your event. (i.e. weekly sneak peeks)

Promote Registration

Create a cadence of speaker announcements

Offer flexible registration packages that cater

to all attendee types and incentavize the early

(i.e. virtual only, hybrid, in-person packages)

and event highlights to build buzz and community

Agenda Reveals

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Teasers & Talks

Have speakers record or stream small nuggets

of info about themselves or their session.

birds with deep discounts and special experiences.

(i.e. intros or cliff hangers)

(i.e. exclusive experience for in-person only) **Scheduled Networking**

Invite your audience to an exclusive meet & greet

where they can bump elbows and have photo opps

Speaker Meet & Greets

with high-profile speakers.

IN-PERSON

Match attendees early with exhibitors that fit their target profile to better facilitate meaningful connections.

Surveys & Polls Ask your audience what they want to see, do, hear, and experience.

(i.e. social polling and short questions in registration)



Live Entertainment Personalization

(i.e. games, 1:1 video chat, breakouts, branded swag)

sending out branded "event packs".

Encourage attendees to engage by featuring

a virtual host, activating gamification tactics and

engage attendees.

Engagement

Streamed Entertainment Stream keynotes, and general sessions and create virtual only content that gives attendees a glimpse into the in-person experience. (i.e. speaker interviews, session highlights)

Create multi-sensory brand experiences and use

innovative ways for your attendees to safely

of event organizers state that live sessions contribute to higher audience engagement and overall event success.

Create an "always-on" experience for your audience.

Fuel your community with live programming, before, during, and after

the event, to drive engagement and foster meaningful connections.

Post Event: Fuel Community

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Attendee Interviews On Demand Replay Activate the on demand period immediately after Capture attendee perspective and get their the live event. Add fresh content to keep your feedback on the event. Look for ways community coming back for more! Ensure attendees

can go on a self-guided user journey.

(i.e. record host videos, virtual tours)

Produce highlight videos from sessions that you

didn't stream, to push on demand attendance.

(i.e. highlight reels, recap blogs, post-event

Program a follow-up series leveraging all the

Q&A logs for trending questions and potential

session data collected from the live event. Review

(i.e. webinar series, round tables, Q&A w/ speakers)

Session Highlights

speaker interviews)

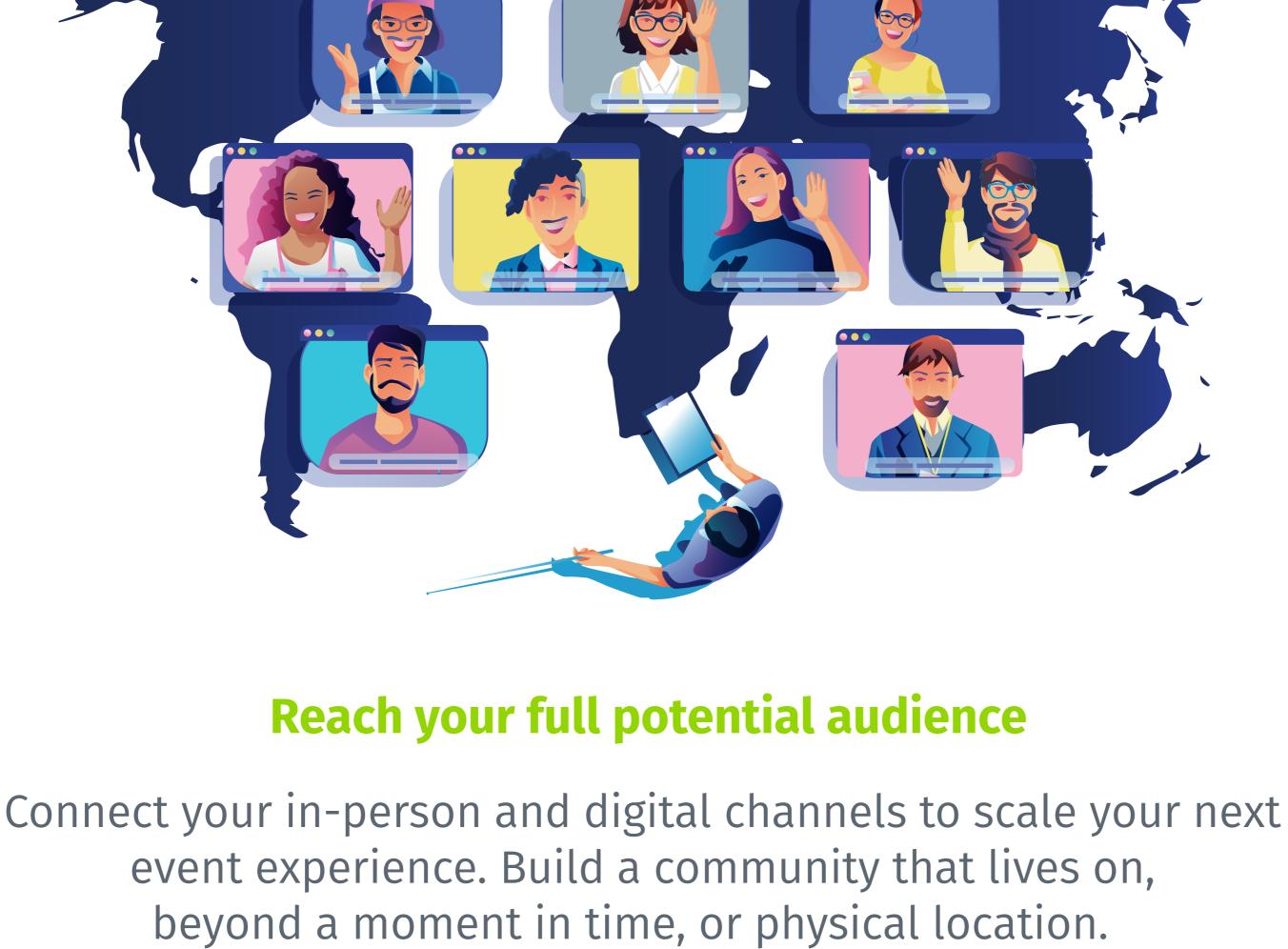
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topic ideas.

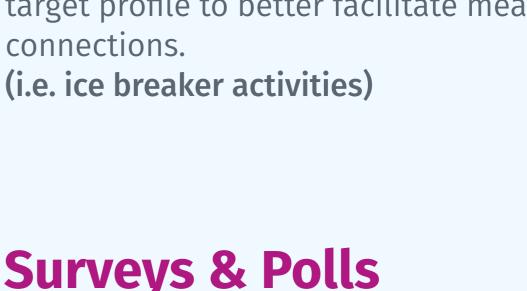
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will or may utilize a digital strategy once in-person fully returns.

feedback.







of event organizers say that connecting the

in-person and virtual audience is their

biggest challenge.

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Utilize audience insights to guide the attendee Engage attendees with powerful story-telling journey and optimize the experience to better and next-level entertainment that inspires. (i.e. musical performances, comedy shows) (i.e. tailored content recommendations)

Giveaways Leave a lasting impression with your attendees and think outside of the box for practical giveaways that end up in their home or on their desk. (i.e. premium merch w/ tasteful branding)

(i.e. VR/AR, touch-less interaction)

Brand Immersion

experience your brand.

to activate influencers and record testimonials. (i.e. testimonials, case studies, identify influencers) **Scheduled Networking** Don't let the live event be the only opportunity for your attendees to connect. Schedule networking activities post event to keep the conversation going. (i.e. sponsored speed networking) **Surveys & Polls**

Collect attendee feedback and try improving

your experience in real-time. Publish positive

results and reach out to attendees with negative

(i.e. event reviews, customer service moments)