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Partner Marketing Center Onboarding Guide

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## What is the purpose of this onboarding guide?

Welcome to Partner Marketing Center! This onboarding guide is designed to help you start using the most common features and tools available within Partner Marketing Center.

Use this guide **on-the-job**, to aid you as you work through a variety of tasks. Upon completion of the guide, you will be able to do the following:

- Navigate and prepare to use the platform
- Set up the most commonly used asset types
- Access relevant reports to help drive your marketing activities
- Manage contacts and leads



### How do I use this onboarding guide?

- This guide is divided into six lessons.
- Each lesson includes a series of skills.
- When you are ready to complete tasks within Partner Marketing Center, do the following:
  - 1. Identify the **lesson** associated with the task you are completing. (See the next page)
  - 2. Click on the icon associated with the lesson.
  - 3. Select the **skill** you are hoping to achieve.
  - 4. Complete the steps contained within the selected skill.



# Agenda

### Click on the icon to launch each lesson.



Lesson 1: Introducing Partner Marketing Center



Lesson 4: Reviewing reporting options



Lesson 2: Preparing to use the platform



Lesson 5: Reviewing contact management capabilities



Lesson 3: Setting up campaigns



Lesson 6: Introducing lead management



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Lesson 1:
Introducing Partner Marketing Center

#### We will cover these skills:

- What is Partner Marketing Center?
- What four PMS features work together to enable campaign success?

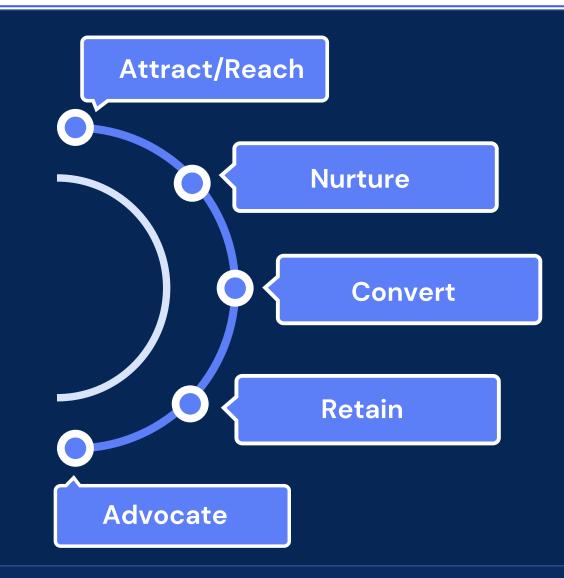




Partner Marketing Center (PMC) is a marketing automation platform that helps you accomplish tasks at each stage of the marketing funnel.

### Using the PMS enables you to:

- Cobrand assets to provide value to your customers
- Reduce production time of assets
- Enhance the quality of assets
- Speed up the go-to-market process



## What four PMC features work together to enable campaign success?

Campaign

Success

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#### Content

Assets to be cobranded and deployed at every stage of the funnel:

- Email campaigns
- Social campaigns
- Banner Ads
- Files



#### **Contact Management**

All-in-one contact center to:

- Import and edit contacts
- Run advanced searches to target the right contacts at the right time



### Reporting

Robust analytics to monitor:

- Campaign performance
- Successful tactics to repeat
- Less successful tactics to improve



### **Lead Management:**

- Manage leads
- Manage lead Scores

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Lesson 2:
Preparing to use the platform

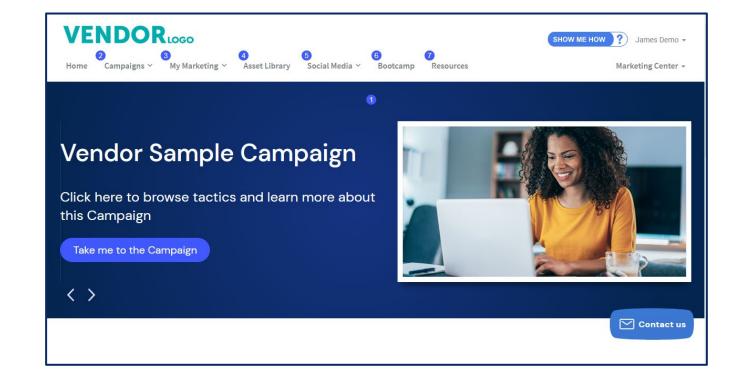
#### We will cover these skills:

- How do I navigate the Partner Marketing Center?
- How do I create my profile?
- How do I update my language and time?





- 1. Home Page: Featured content, such as campaigns, individual assets, recent activities, and more
- Campaigns: Collection of assets related to specific products or services, with instructions on how to execute the campaign
- **3. My Marketing:** Your content, including activities, contacts, settings, reports, etc.
- **4. Asset Library:** Library of marketing assets grouped by asset type
- Social Media: Social campaign library and your social posts
- Bootcamp: Marketing 101 Bootcamp recorded webinars
- Resources: Training Resources to help you learn about the PMC

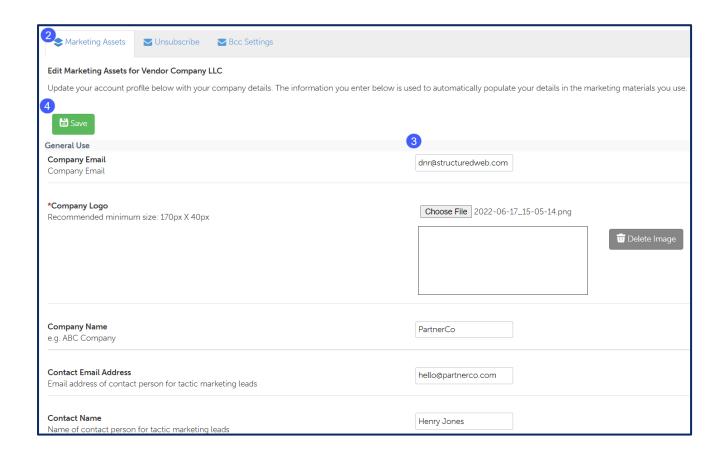


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## How do I create my profile?

Before setting up assets, update marketing assets with your company-specific content such as logos, address, phone number, and website. (Note: all required fields are marked by the red asterisk.)

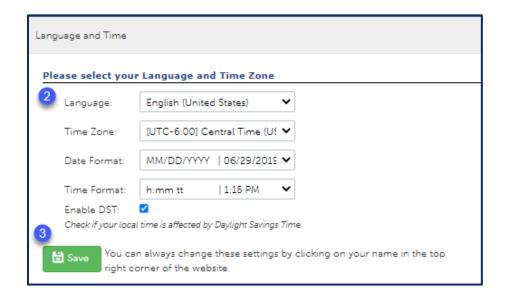
- From the toolbar, select My Marketing > Settings
   (Review How do I navigate the Partner Marketing Center?)
- 2. Select the Marketing Assets tab.
- For each Marketing Asset type, in the text box, type the correct content. Or, from the Choose File button, select the correct image.
- 4. Click Save.



Update your preferred language and time zone at any time. To update your language and time do the following:

- On the upper right side of any page, click the drop-down menu. Then select Language and Time.
- From the Language and Time box, from each drop-down menu, select the appropriate options.
- Click Save.





# Lesson 3: Setup Campaigns

#### We will cover these skills:

- What assets types are available?
- How do I select a campaign?
- How do I set up individual campaign assets, including
  - Landing pages
  - Email campaigns
  - Banner ads
  - Social campaigns
- How do I review my campaign activity?
- How do I access other campaign assets?





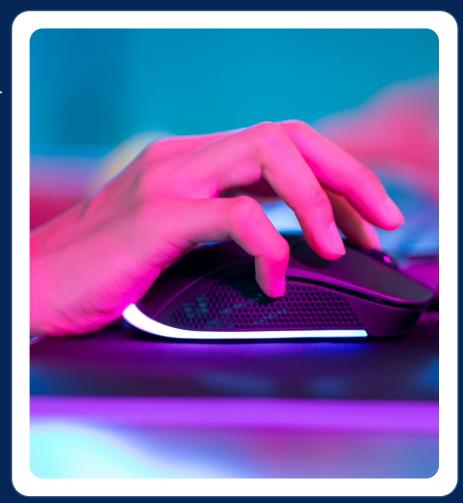
### **Downloadable**

Cobrand assets, then download them for use across multiple mediums.

Reporting is unavailable.

### **Examples:**

- Files
- eBooks
- Whitepapers
- Infographics
- Videos



### **Executable**

Cobrand assets, then execute them directly from the PMS.

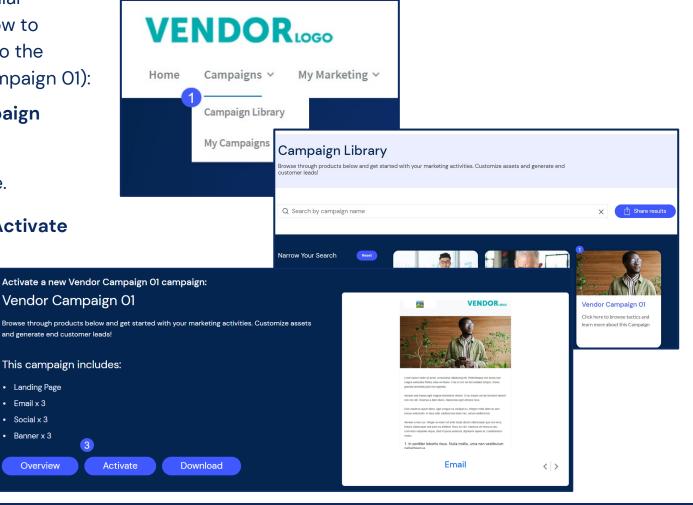
Reporting is available.

### **Examples:**

- Landing pages
- Email campaigns
- Banner ads
- Social campaigns

A campaign is a collection of assets on a particular product or service, along with instructions on how to execute the campaign. To access a campaign, do the following (This example displays the Vendor Campaign 01):

- From the toolbar, select Campaigns > Campaign Library.
- Select the Campaign Topic you want to use.
- Scroll to the Campaign Banner. Then click Activate



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 Landing Page Email x 3 Social x 3 Banner x 3

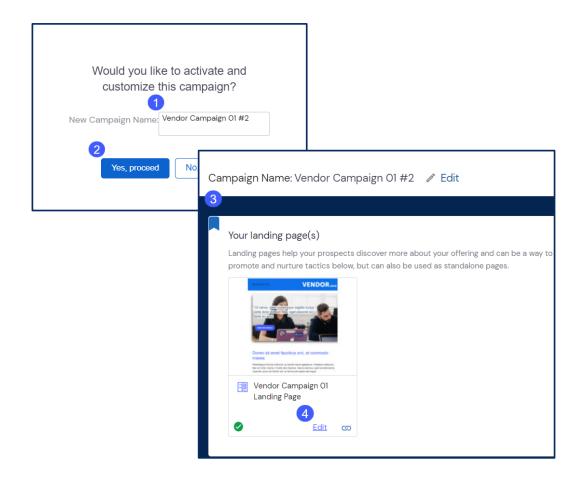
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# How do I select a campaign (2)?

Here, you have the option to **cobrand** and **deploy** the different **assets** available within the campaign, with instructions, to help you every step of the way.

- 1. From the **box**, type a **name** for your campaign,
- 2. Click Yes, proceed.
- 3. From the campaign page, scroll to review **the available** assets.
- 4. For the asset you choose, click **Edit**.

In the next section, you will learn how to customize and deploy a variety of asset types.



The landing page is the heart of each campaign. It's where contacts enter their information and eventually become leads and opportunities. Landing pages often include forms and are linked directly to campaign assets, such as emails, banner ads, and social campaigns through buttons and links.

### When setting up a landing page, complete the following steps:

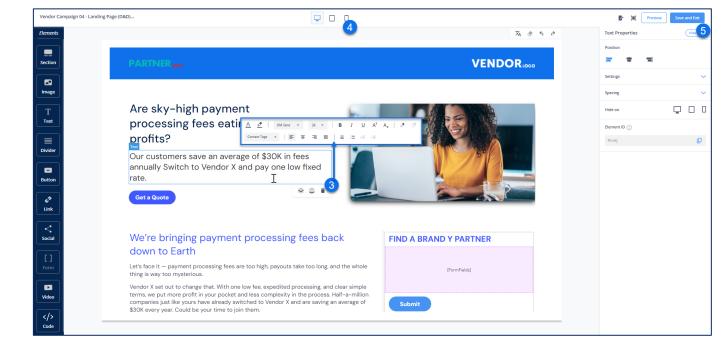
- Edit content
- 2. Edit form fields
- 3. <u>Update Marketing Assets</u>
- 4. <u>Set-up Confirmation page</u>
- 5. <u>Set-up Confirmation email (Optional)</u>
- 6. Edit Distribution assignment (Optional)

### 1. Edit Content

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- From the Campaign page, in the Landing Page box you want to deploy, click Edit. (Review How do I select a campaign?)
- 2. From the **Content** tab, click **Edit Form**. The Drag & Drop Editor opens.
- If desired, click inside a text box to edit content.
   Type add text or use the toolbar to edit text. (Note: text boxes may be locked by your vendor).
- Click the Mobile Response icons to preview on different devices.
- 5. Click Save & Exit.



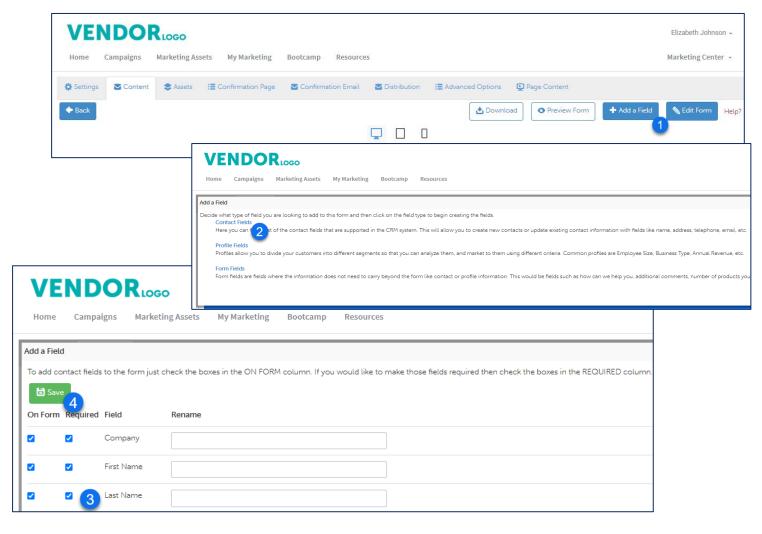


### 2. Edit Form Fields

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- 1. From the **Content** tab, click **Add a Field**.
- From Add a Field, click Contact fields.
- 3. Select the **form fields** you want to add.
- 4. Click Save.

(Note: To rearrange form fields, on the form, click and drag the field to the appropriate location.)

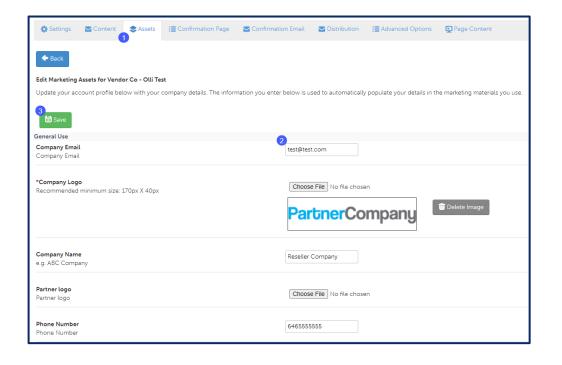


## 2. Update Marketing Assets

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If you haven't updated your profile or would like to make a change to your information, update your marketing assets directly from the Landing Page setup area.

- From the toolbar, click Assets.
- 2. For each **Marketing Asset** type, in the text box, type the **correct content.** Or, click the button, and select the **correct image**. (Note: your logo must be 170px by 40px)
- Click Save.



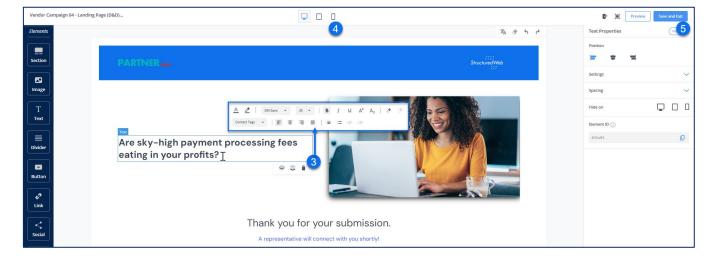
## 3. Setup Confirmation Page

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The confirmation page appears after your contact completes the form.

- 1. From the toolbar, click **Confirmation Page.**
- 2. Select **Edit Confirmation Page.** The Drag & Drop Editor opens.
- If desired, click inside a text box to edit content. Type add text or use the toolbar to edit text. (Note: text boxes may be locked by your vendor).
- 4. Click the **mobile response** icons to preview on different devices.
- Click Save & Exit.



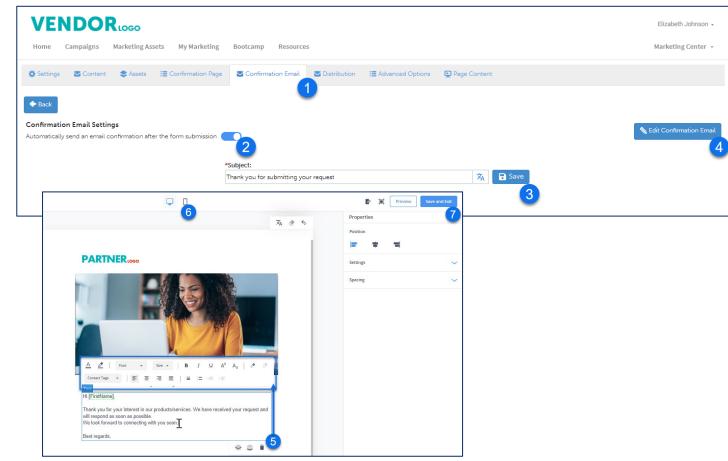


## 4. Setup Confirmation Email

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Like the confirmation page, the confirmation email is delivered after contacts fill out the form. (Note: This step is optional)

- 1. From the toolbar, click Confirmation Email.
- 2. In **Confirmation Email Settlings**, click **the switch** to activate.
- 3. In the **Email Subject** text box, type a **subject**. Then click Save.
- 4. Click Edit Confirmation Email.
- If desired, click inside a text box to edit content. Type add text or use the toolbar to edit text. (Note: text boxes may be locked by your vendor).
- 6. Click the **mobile response** icons to preview on different devices.
- 7. Click Save & Exit.



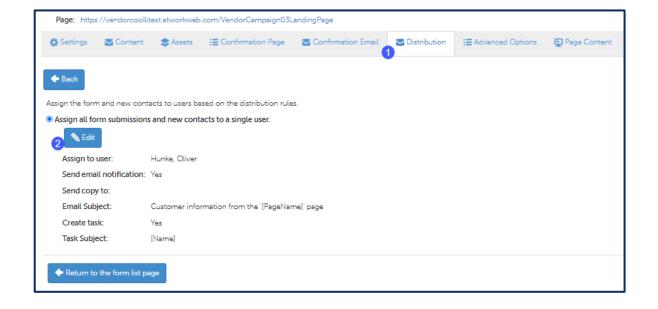
## 5. Edit Distribution Assignment (1)

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Once a contact fills out the form, a notification email generates. By default, this notification is distributed to the PMC assigned user.

To change or add additional emails (users), do the following:

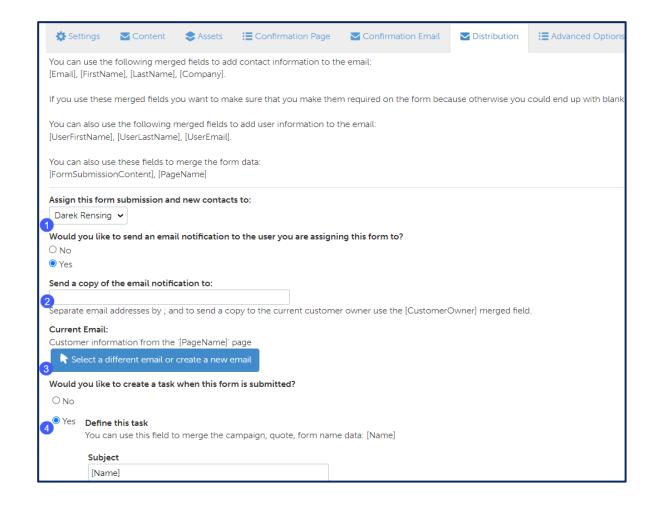
- 1. From the toolbar, select **Distribution**.
- 2. Click Edit.



## 5. Edit Distribution Assignment (2)

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- In the Assign this form submission and new contacts to drop-down menu, select the appropriate user.
- In the Would you like to send an email to the user you are assigning the form to, click Yes. Then, in the Send a copy of the email notification to text box, type additional emails.
- 3. To add a new email, click **Select a different email or create a new email**. A box opens.
- In the Would like to create a task when this form is submitted area, click Yes. Then, in the fields below, define the task. (Optional)
- 5. Click **Save**. (Not pictured)



Within each campaign, you find one or more emails related to a particular product or service. Emails are provided by your vendor and ensure consistent messaging and design across email campaigns. Most emails include a call-to-action link or button, which directs your contact to a landing page where they fill out a contact form.

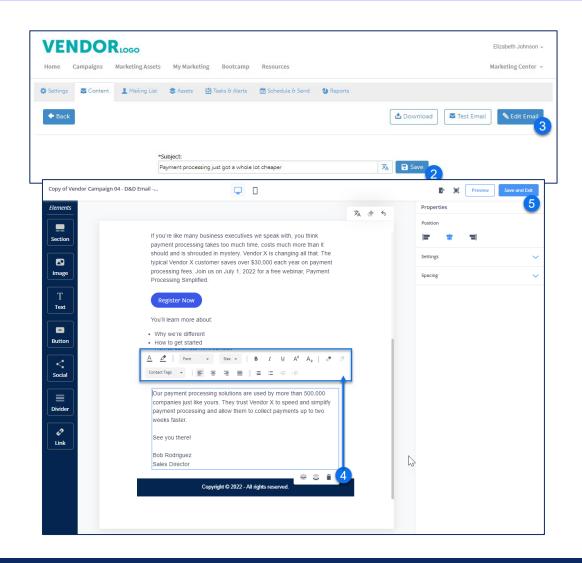
### When setting up an email campaign, complete the following steps:

- 1. <u>Customize content</u>
- 2. <u>Send a test message</u>
- 3. Add a mailing list
- 4. <u>Update marketing assets</u>
- 5. Schedule and Send

### 1. Customize Content

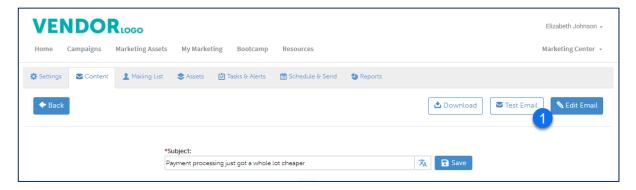
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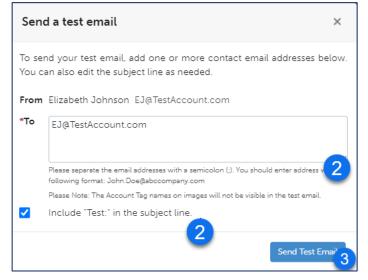
- From the Campaign page, in the Email box you want to deploy, click Setup. (Review How do I select a campaign?)
- 2. From the Content tab, In the **Subject** text box, enter a **subject line** for your email.
- From the Content tab, click Edit Email. The Drag & Drop Editor opens..
- If desired, click inside a text box to edit content. Type add text or use the toolbar to edit text. (Note: text boxes may be locked by your vendor).
- 5. Click the **mobile response** icons to preview on different devices.
- Click Save & Exit.



Send a test message to verify that the email content and links are working as expected. Do the following:

- 1. From the Content tab, select **Test Email**.
- 2. In the **To** field, enter your email address,
- If desired, check the box next to Include "TEST:" in the subject line. (Note: this step is optional. If you do not receive your test email, contact customer support.)
- 4. Click Send Test Email.



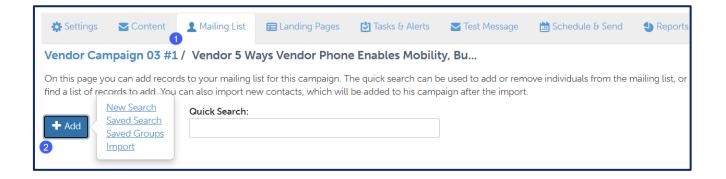


Before deploying an email, you must add a list of contacts to whom you want to send the email. Add a contact list in one of the following ways:

- Search for contacts by a set of criteria (click <u>here</u> for instructions)
- Select a saved search or group.
- Import new contacts. (Click <u>here</u> for instructions)

To access the mailing list area, do the following:

- 1. From the toolbar, select **Mailing List.**
- 2. Click the **Add** button. Then select **Import**. A box opens.

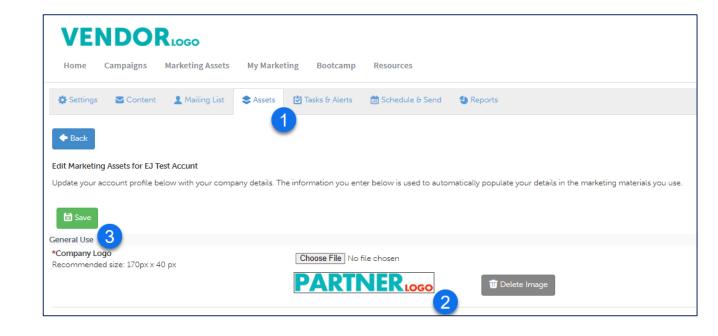


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If you haven't updated your profile or would like to make a change to your information, update your marketing assets directly from the Landing Page setup area.

- From the toolbar, click Assets.
- 2. For each **Marketing Asset** type, in the text box, type the **correct content.** Or, click the button, and select the **correct image**. (Note: your logo must be 170px by 40px)
- Click Save.



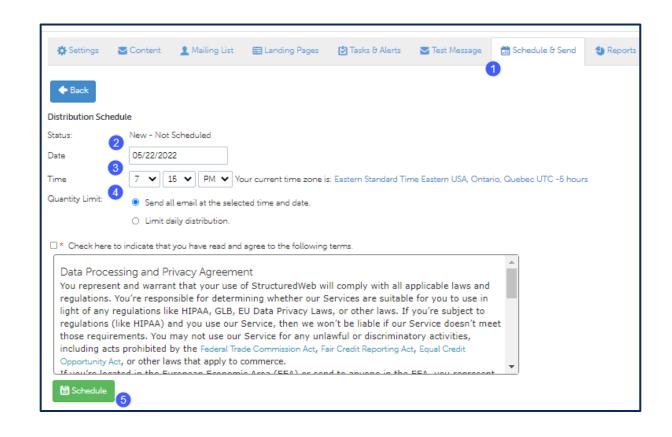
The final step is to send and schedule your email.

After you choose a date and time, your email is automatically generated from Partner Marketing Center.

Do the following:

- 1. From the toolbar, select **Schedule & Send**.
- 2. In the **Distribution Schedule** area, in the **Date** field, type the **Date** you want to send the email.
- In the **Time** area, select the **time** you want to send the email.
- 4. In the Quantity Limit area, select the **correct option**.
- Click Schedule.

Note: Click <u>here</u> for guidance on how to whitelist structured web servers and improve email deliverability.



Unlike an email, which is limited to a single use, banner ads are a flexible asset type that allows you to expand your reach across multiple mediums. Banner ads can be added to your website and used in digital advertising; and they are adaptable to mobile devices. Banner ads can attach a landing page, so it's another great method to gather leads.

When setting up a banner ad, complete the following steps:

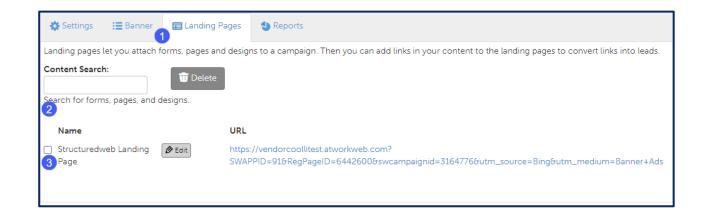
- 1. Edit a Banner Ad
- 2. <u>Update a landing page (optional)</u>

- From the Campaign Page, select the banner ad you want to set up. Then click Edit. (Review How do I select a campaign?)
- 2. In the **Banner Content** area, next to the **field** you want to edit, click the **Edit.** (Or, on the banner, click directly on the red boxes to edit).
- 3. Click **Download**. (Or, select a Landing page, then return to the Banner tab to click Download).



By default, a landing page is often attached to the banner ad. However, if you would like to change the landing page, do the following:

- 1. From the toolbar, select **Landing Pages**.
- In the Content Search text box, type any letter for all forms and pages to appear. Then select the Landing Page you want to use.
- 3. In the **Name** area, check the **box** next to the Landing page you want to use. (Note: to edit the landing page, click **Edit**).



Increase your visibility and reach by executing social campaigns directly from Partner Marketing Center. Social posts create name recognition that builds trust with potential contacts.

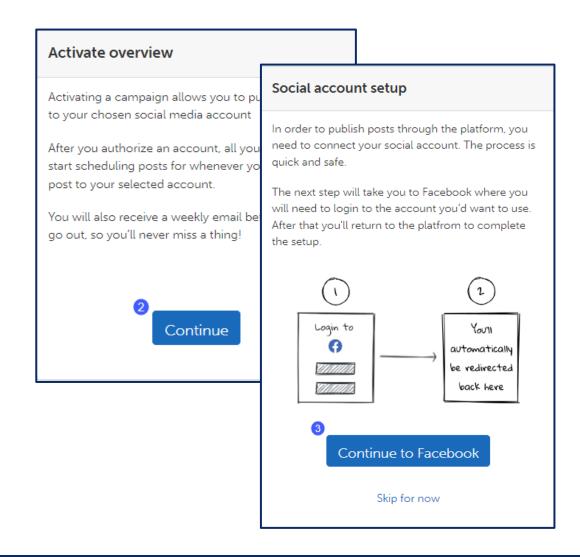
When setting up a social campaign, complete the following steps:

1. Activate social media account

# 1. Activate Social Media campaign (1)

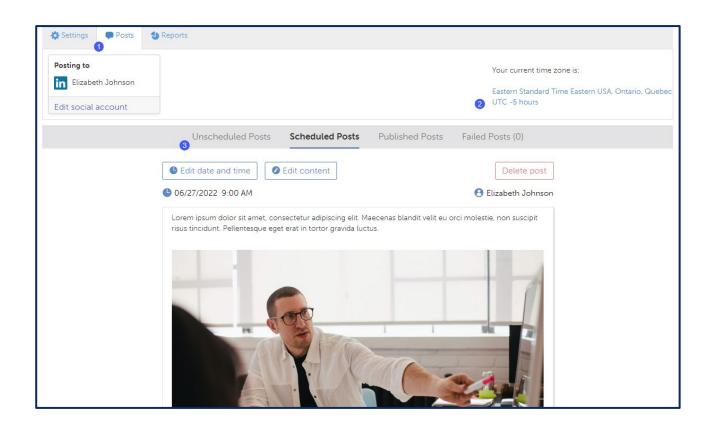
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- From the Campaign Page, select the social campaign you want to activate. Then click Edit. (Review <u>How do I select a campaign?</u>)
- Click Continue to activate the social media account.
   The Social Account Setup box opens.
- Click Continue to Facebook (Or the social media platform you selected). The social media platform opens. Follow the instructions within the platform.



- 1. From the toolbar, remain on the **Posts** tab.
- 2. In the **Your current time zone is** area, verify that the **time zone** is accurate.
- Notice you can monitor your posts within the bar underneath your post.

In some cases, your initial subscription may expire, and you may need to resubscribe to the social network. (This will be indicated by a red box appearing around the connect account tab)

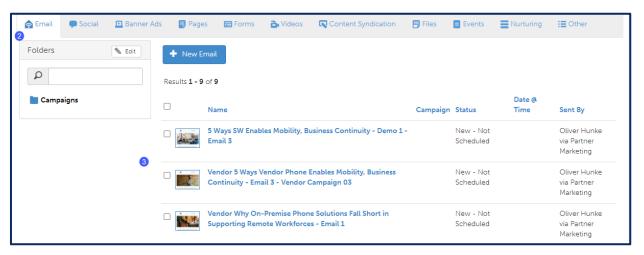


After you deploy campaign assets, review your campaign activity at any time. To access your campaign activity, do the following:

- From the toolbar, select My Marketing > Activities.
- Select the **Asset Type** you want to review, then select the **activity**.

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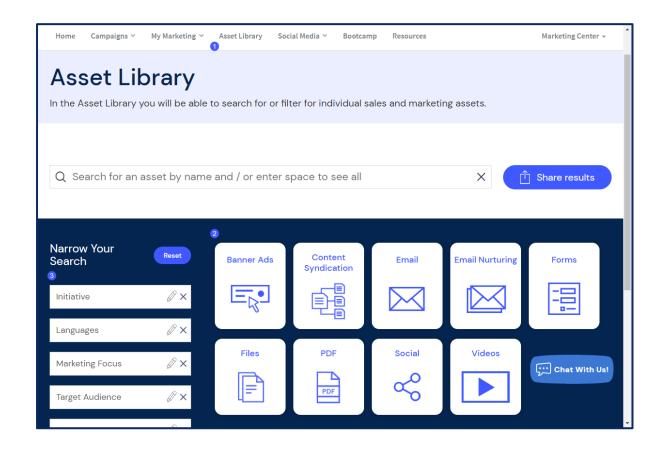


## How do I access other asset types?

In addition to campaigns, you can access standalone asset types from the Asset Library.

- 1. From the toolbar, select **Asset Library**.
- 2. To access assets by type, click on the **appropriate** asset type drop-down menu.
- To narrow your search, use the Filters on the left side of the page.

From there, select the asset, then customize and download or customize and activate depending on the asset type chosen.

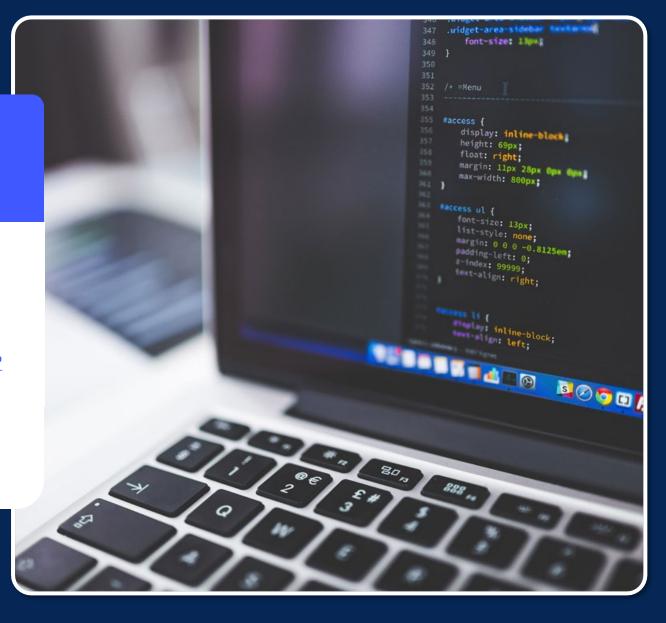


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## Lesson 4: Reporting

#### We will cover these skills:

- 1. What is the difference between individual reports & aggregate reports?
- 2. How do I access individual campaign reports?
- 3. How do I access aggregate reports?



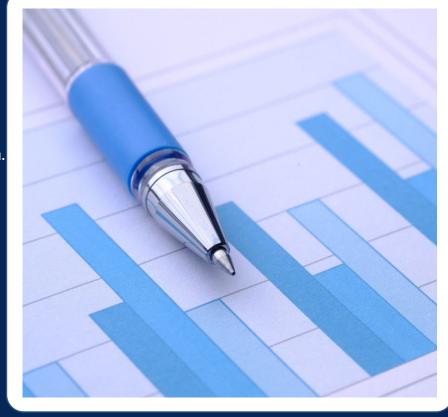


### **Individual Reports**

Review and monitor marketing activity for individual campaigns. Individual reports are interactive. Click on data points to view more detailed information.

The data displayed varies across campaign types, however each report details the following:

- Campaign interaction
- Leads generated
- Potential opportunities



### **Aggregate Reports**

Review and monitor activity for all your marketing efforts in single report.

Aggregate reports are static.

Use aggregate reports to review

- Marketing trends and costs
- Lead and opportunities generated by campaigns
- Email and Social Media engagements
- And much more ...

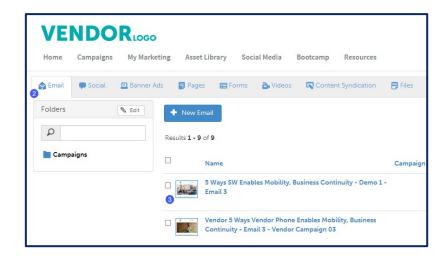
To ensure you get the best results from your campaign efforts, Partner Marketing Center provides a variety of reports to review success metrics.

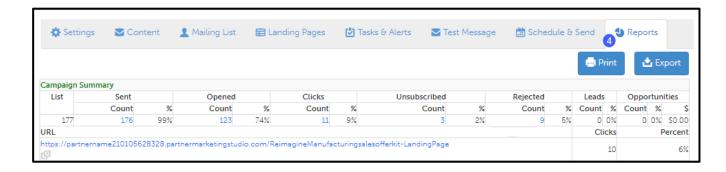
Reports can be generated for a variety of campaign activities. This lesson describes how to access reports for the following campaign types:

- 1. <u>Email Campaign Report</u>
- 2. <u>Social Campaign Report</u>
- 3. Aggregate Reports

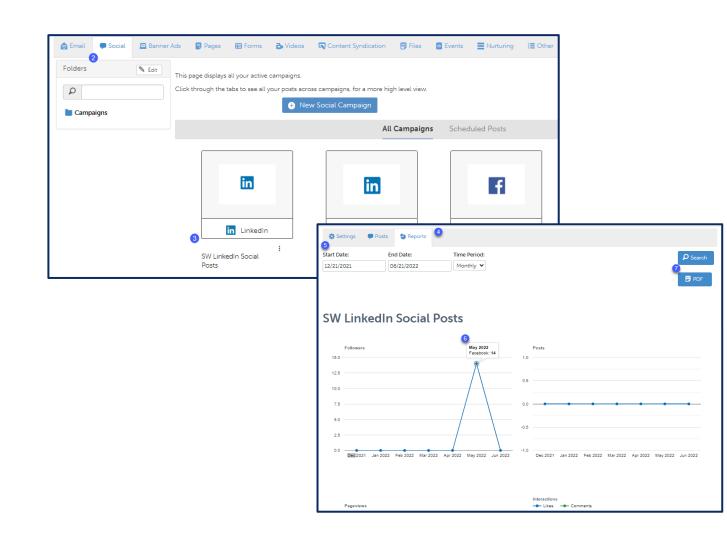
- From the header, select My Marketing > My Assets (Review How do I view my asset activity?).
- From the toolbar, select Email.
- In the Name column, click the name of the email campaign you want to access a report for. The email setup page opens.
- 4. From the email toolbar, select Reports.

To export the reports for further analysis, click **Export**. (Note: to export a specific data point, click on the value. Then click export.



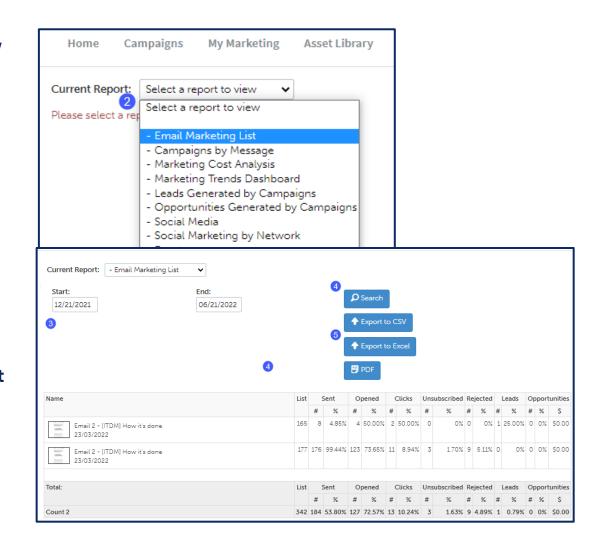


- From the header, select My Activities > My Assets
   (Review How do I view my asset activity?).
- 2. From the toolbar, select Social.
- 3. In the **All Campaigns** tab, click the **social campaign** you want to view a report for.
- 4. In the **Social** toolbar, select **Reports**.
- In the Date fields, enter a Start Date and End Date.
   Then, in the Time Period drop-down, select the correct option.
- 6. Hover over **any point** to view details.
- 7. To export the reports for further analysis, click **PDF**.



- From the header, select My Marketing > Reports (Review How do I navigate the Partner Marketing Center?)
- From the Current Report drop-down menu, select the report you want to run (In this example, Email Marketing List is selected).
- In the date range area, in the Start text field, type the start date. Then, in the End text field, type the end date.
- 4. Click Search.
- To export the reports for further analysis, click the export options.

Note: Unlike the individual reports, aggregate reports display static values only.

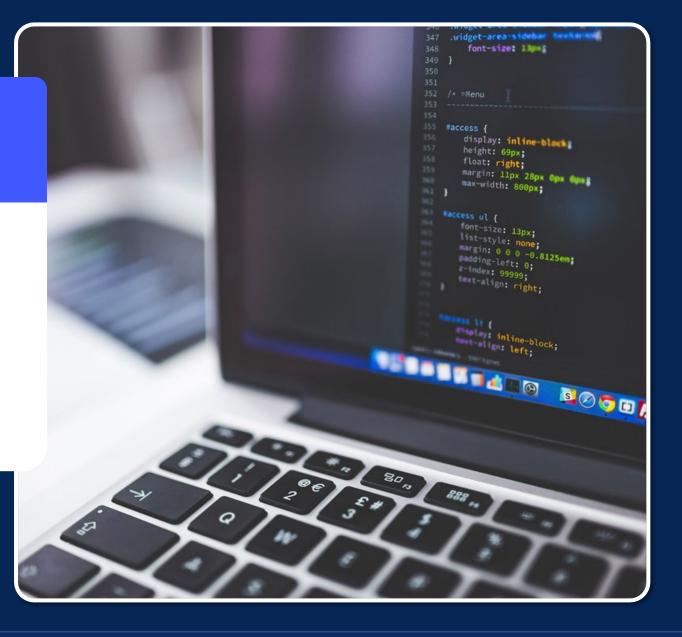


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# Lesson 5: Contact Management

#### We will cover these skills:

- How do I manage my contacts?
- How do I set up my CSV file?
- How do I import contacts?
- How do I search for & save contact lists?





The contacts area allows you to import and manage your contacts in one convenient location. Once imported, search for and save your contacts by a series of criteria to create targeted campaigns, faster.

In addition, use lead scoring to track the interest level of your contacts when executing campaigns directly from Partner Marketing Center. (Note: lead scoring will be introduced in the next lesson).

When managing your contacts, complete the following steps:

- 1. <u>Set up CSV file</u>
- 2. <u>Import contacts</u>
- 3. Search for & save contacts in a list
- 4. <u>Viewing Contact Information</u>

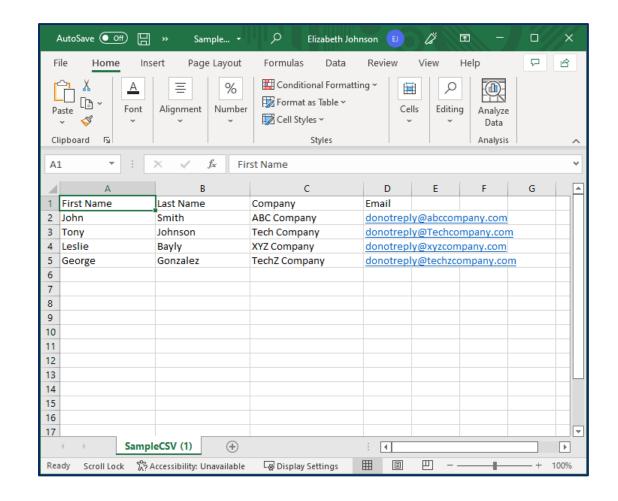
Before importing your contacts list, be sure to prepare your spreadsheet. Partner Marketing Center requires a commaseparated file (or .csv) and requires, at a minimum, the following fields:

- First name
- Last Name
- Company
- Email Address

(Note: Each field must reside in a separate column header, i.e., First Name and Last Name must be separated. See the example to the right.)

Once imported, map your column header to the appropriate field name.

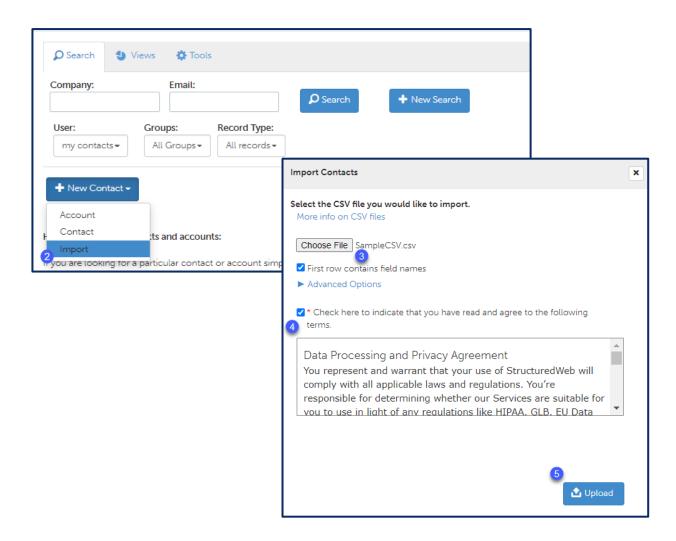
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## 2. Importing Contacts(1)

- From the toolbar, select My Marketing >
   Contacts. Then select Contacts (Review How do
   I navigate Partner Marketing Center?)
- 2. From the **Search** tab, select **New > Import**.
- From the Import Contacts box, click Choose File, then select the prepared CSV file from your local drive. (See <u>Setting up CSV files</u>.)
- Above the Data Processing and Privacy
   Agreement box, click the check box.
- Click Upload.

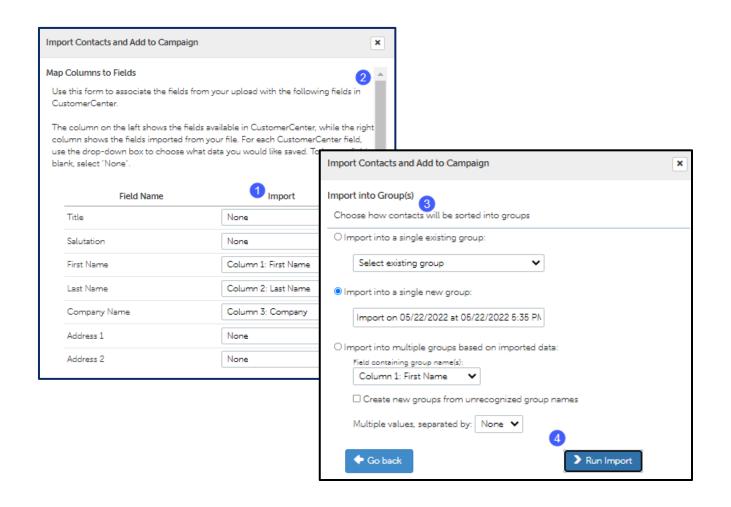
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## 2. Importing Contacts(2)

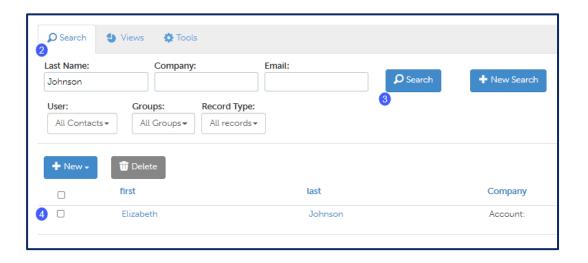
- In the Import row, select the appropriate column header.
- Scroll to the bottom of the box. Then, clickContinue. A box opens
- From the Import into Group(s) area, select the option that best suits your needs. (Note: when creating a new group, in the text box, rename the group to easily identify contacts.)
- 4. Click Run Import.

Once contacts have been uploaded you find a confirmation page alerting you that all contacts have been uploaded successfully.



To search for a specific contact record, use the quick search tool. Do the following:

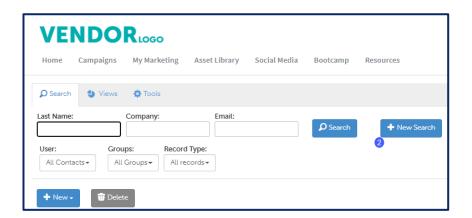
- From the toolbar, select Reports & Contacts >
   Contacts. (Review How do I navigate the Partner Marketing Center?)
- 2. In the **Search** tab, enter one of the following fields:
  - Last Name
  - Company
  - Email
- 3. Click **Search**. (Note: to view all contacts at once, click Search)
- 4. At the **bottom** of the page, find your **contact**.



Partner Marketing Center includes a robust search engine that allows you to search and save your contact by a variety of criteria. Searching allows you to create contact lists targeted by region, lead score, and more.

To create a search, do the following:

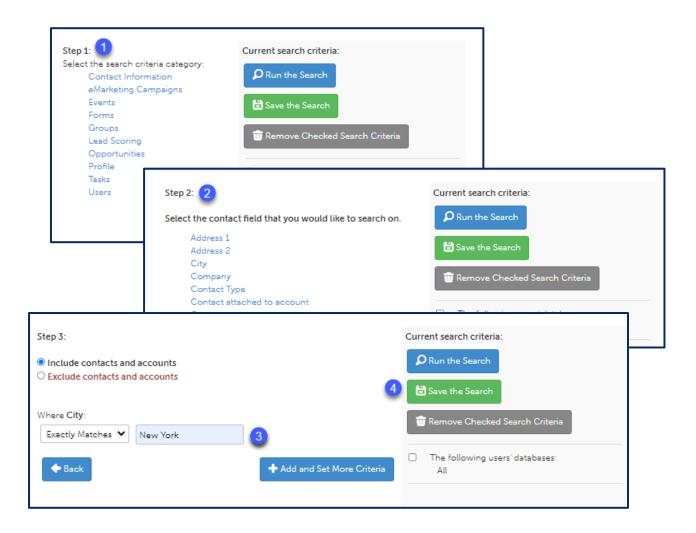
- From the toolbar, select Reports & Contacts >
   Contacts. (Review How do I navigate the Partner Marketing Center?)
- 2. In the **Search** tab, click **New Search**. A new page opens.
- In Step 1, select All Users. (Note: when selecting All Users, all contacts will appear across all users of the platform.)
- 4. Click Add and Set More Criteria.



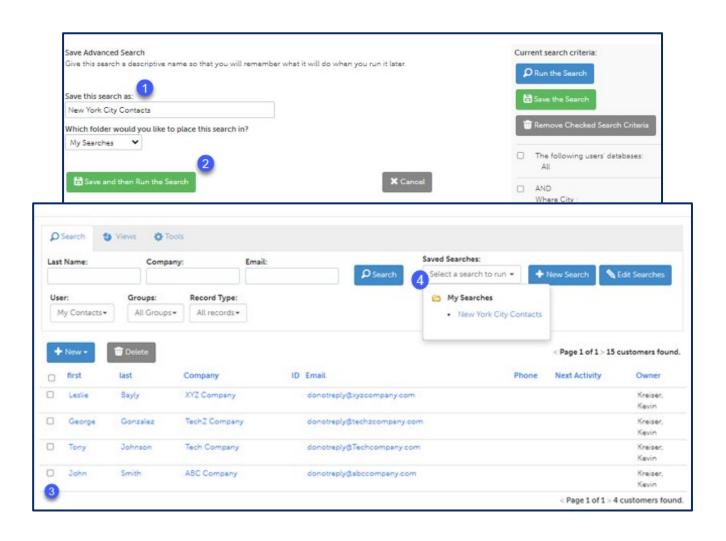


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- From the Select the search category area, select the appropriate search criteria. (In this example, Contact Information is selected).
- From the Select the contact field that you would like to search on area, select the appropriate contact field. (In this example, City is selected)
- 3. Within Step 3, enter the **appropriate criteria** (In this example, New York is entered)
- 4. Click Save the Search.



- From the Save Advanced Search page, in the Save this search as text box, type the name of your search.
- 2. Click **Save and then Run the Search**. Your search opens in the Contacts window.
- 3. At the **bottom** of the page, find your **contacts**.
- 4. To access your saved search, click the **Select a** search to run box. Then select your saved search.



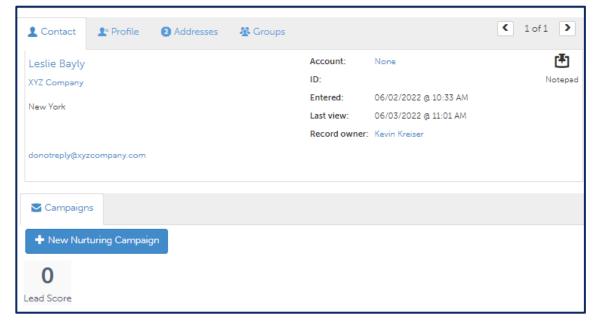
Once your contact is imported, click directly on the contact record to view, update, and add contact information. Contact information is broken into the following tabs:

- Contact
- Profile
- Addresses
- Groups

To make changes to records in mass, re-import your contact list. The system will override any existing contact record.

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# Lesson 6: Introduce lead management

### We will cover these skills:

- What defines a lead?
- What is lead scoring?
- Where do you find the lead score of a contact?
- How do I access lead management?





So far, you've learned about the different capabilities available within Partner Marketing Center.

However, at its core, the platform is designed for one single purpose ... generating and managing your leads.

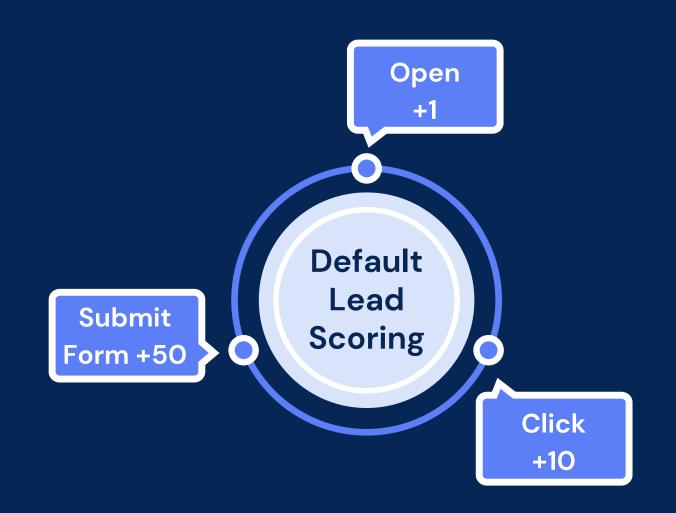
Leads are contacts who have interacted with a campaign by either opening an email, clicking on a link, or filling out a form.



## What is lead scoring?

Lead scoring allows you to track the interest level or behavior of your contacts. Lead scores measure specific actions, such as opening an email or filling out a form by assigning a score value to that activity. The higher the lead score the more interest the contact has shown.

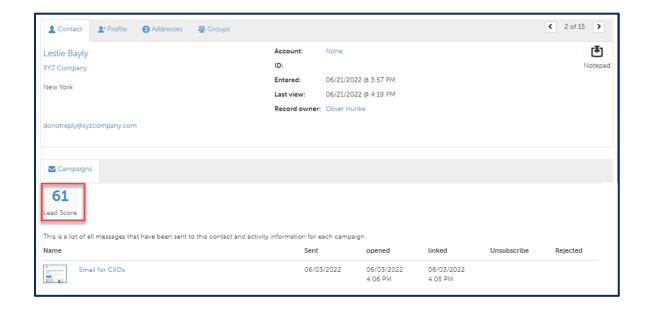
Partner Marketing Center provides a default lead scoring system; however, you do have the option to create your own lead score values.



Lead scores are generated automatically based on the activity that the contact has completed.

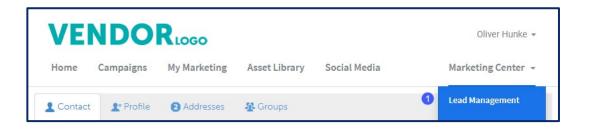
Lead scores are located within your contact's record. (see <u>How do I view a contact record</u>?) In this example, the contact's lead score is 61 based on the activities they've completed.

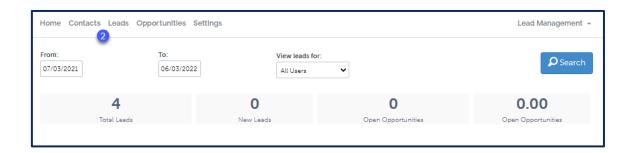
By reviewing their lead score, you can target the appropriate content to bring them from a lead to a customer.



Lead management is a separate area of Partner
Marketing Center to identify and manage your leads.
To view all your leads from inside Lead
Management, do the following:

- On the right-hand side of the page, from the drop-down menu, select Lead Management.
- 2. On the toolbar, click Leads.
- To view all leads, In the Stage drop-down menu, select All stages. Then remove all other data fields. (i.e., Source, Date, etc.)
- 4. Click Search.

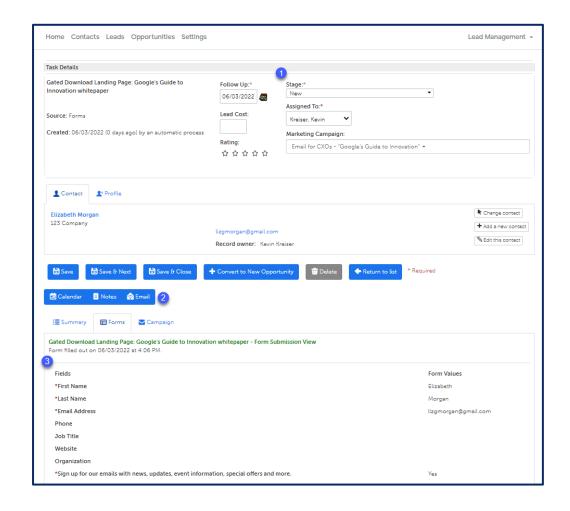






Once your leads list generates, click inside any lead record to manage your leads, including the following:

- 1. Adjust the stage of the lead
- 2. Create Notes or send an email
- Review the information entered into the form





Thank You!

