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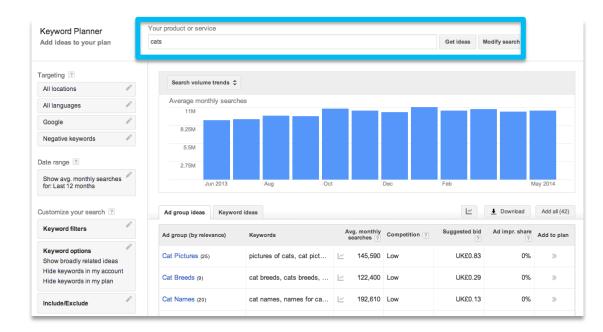


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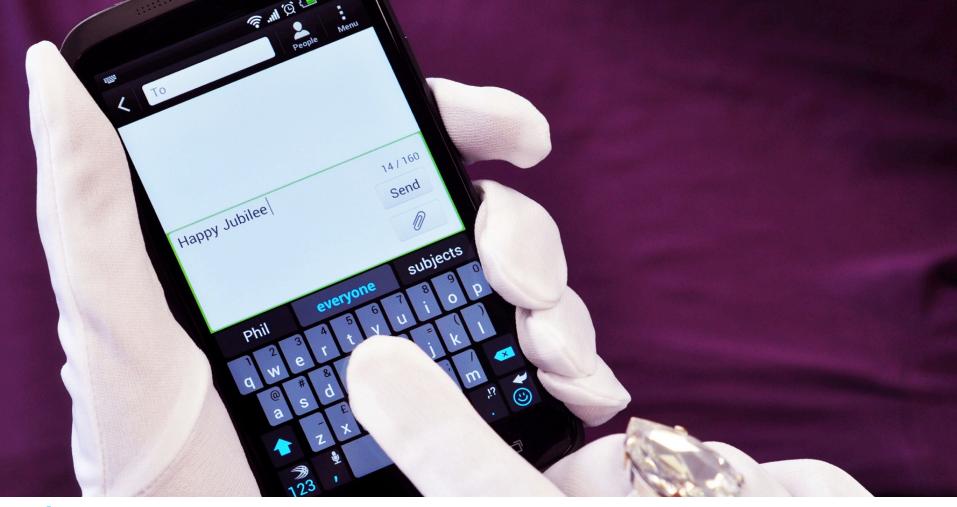
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Queen's speech: App lets you text like Her Majesty

A new mobile phone app helps Android users to write emails, texts and tweets in the style of the Queen.

The software has been developed by the British company Swiftkey and predicts words and phrases the Queen is statistically most likely to type.

The app is based on analysis of Queen Elizabeth's published speeches since coming to the throne in 1952.



The mobile phone app emulates the Queen's speec

According to the company's research, "My government will" is the most used word sequence in the Queen's language.

Swiftkey co-founder Ben Medlock told the BBC that all publicly available Queen's speeches and addresses were electronically analysed to develop the software.



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Growth in Freelance Journalists



Contract Freelancers

Contract Them To:

- Do interviews
- Do filming
- Write forwards to research documents and white papers
- Sell in stories
- Survey questions
- Craft press releases
- Bylines or guest posts
- Must have worked recently in the area you are targeting





The Bath Chronicle

Sian David is now Creative Editor at *The Bath Chronicle*. She was previously Creative Editor at *South Wales Evening Post*. Sian can now be reached at <u>sian.david@bathchron.co.uk</u> and can also be found tweeting at <u>www.twitter.com/sianldavid</u>

Freelance Update - Stuart Blakley

Freelance art and luxury travel Journalist **Stuart Blakley** writes and photographs on all design related topics. As well as being UK Correspondent for *Luxury Travel Magazine* and Senior Editor for *Design Exchange*, Stuart has just published his 82nd article on the relaunched Lavender's Blue blog which celebrates the finer things in life. Stuart's work has been published in a range of publications including *ELLE DECORATION*, *L'Uomo Vogue* and *Architectural Digest*. He is available for restaurant, hotel, house and art reviews. His work can be viewed at <u>www.lvbmag.wordpress.com</u>. Stuart can be reached at <u>stuart_blakley@hotmail.com</u> and can be found tweeting at www.twitter.com/stuartblakley

Freelance Update - Becky Freeth

Freelance Journalist Becky Freeth is for permanent positions as well as shift and commission work, including holiday cover, interviews and reviews. Previously Digital Assistant for marie claire, LOOK and InStyle online, Becky has written for both print and digital publications. She can be reached on +44 (0)7773 042 426 and <u>beckyfreeth@gmail.com</u> and can be found tweeting at <u>www.twitter.com/bfreethtweets</u> available



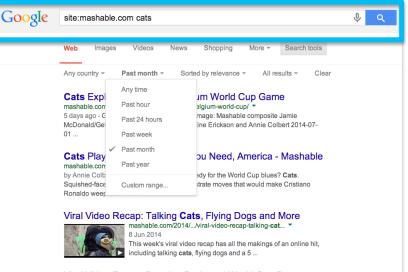
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Managing Media Movement





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Less Time and Fewer Resources To:

- Research
- Source Experts
- Locate Case Studies
- Create Video Content
- Find Images

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Content Assets Orbiting Your Campaign Reduce risk of failure and increase impact





Host on Website And

Dropbox



Q&A's, Interviews and Quotes

These don't have to be live interviews!

Questions

Especially useful to pre-write these if the client is nervous or has limited time.

Quotes

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Write "Quotes" on their • behalf and then you just need sign off.

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Case Studies



By Daniel Thomas Business reporter



According to owner Laura Pendlebury, students would forget to bring their money in before the start of term and she'd have to spend weeks chasing them up.

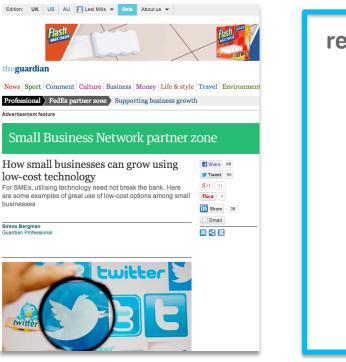
"When you've outgoings like premises and heating, late payments can be a real problem," she says.

"If I had a receptionist to help me out, it might have been different, but that kind of overhead isn't feasible for me."

Luckily help was at hand in the form of an app called Zapper Scan-to-Pay.

Through the system Laura attaches a specially created QR code to her involces that contains payment information.







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News • Weird News In pictures: Valentine's Day cards for pets

Feb 06, 2014 09:28 By Lindsey Archibald 1 Comments IT seems Brits are going barking mad this Valentine's Day with figures out showing many pet owners will actually send their moggies and pooches cards. Have a look at our pet card gallery.

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- Pitch at the latest 1st week of November
- 1-2 weeks before national holidays

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Crafting Media Worthy Content Ideas



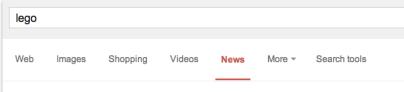




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The government denies it has patronised Scots after producing a press release using Lego figures to demonstrate all the ways voters could ...

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The ten greatest Lego replica cars Top Gear - 5 Jun 2014 Made of precisely 1,077 pieces – approximately a thousand more than the real-life classic Mini Cooper, we calculate – the Lego Cooper ... This Lego Mini Cooper is Possibly Cooler Than the Real Thing Gizmodo UK - 5 Jun 2014

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UK fights against Scottish independence with irony and Lego

Reuters UK - by Tom Heneghan - 5 Jun 2014 Each option is illustrated with the Danish children's toy **Lego**, ranging from a **Lego** woman sunning herself on a beach to a hair salon made out ...

Images fail to build a rapport with Lego

Herald Scotland - 15 hours ago The suggestions are accompanied by images of **Lego** figures illustrating the activities, which also include "sharing a meal of fish and chips with ...



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Exclusive: Lord and Miller on Marvel Super Heroes in the LEGO ...

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Now, DC's competition Marvel Comics also has a relationship with LEGO, both from their playsets and figures but also from the Marvel LEGO ...

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Leveraging Cult Fans



Lego re-creates 'Star Wars' cast photo with minifigs



Lego's version of the "Star Wars" cast.



The cast photo the Lego image is based on.





Championing Causes







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News Jacking Current Events



Glastonbury 2014: What if the Pyramid Stage was made of Lego?







Media Alert vs Press Release





Planning for Topical Events







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Link Product Spoofs to Topical Events



The Royal couple will be the proud owners of the bespoke bath, which \underline{costs} £399 and will be engraved with the child's name.

Bathrooms.com will deliever the present from Watford to Clarence House, and are positive that the Royal heir will enjoy splashing around in the old fashioned tub which features a classic golden ball claw-foot and a smooth roll top design.

"Like all first time parents, Kate and William will be keen to spend as much time with their baby as possible," said Susannah Wheeler Midwife from One to One Midwives.



The Victorian-style bath will be engraved with the Royal baby's name

"Moments away from the public eye will be treasured by a high profile family like this, so the more attachment they can form with the baby early on, the better.

"New borns can typically see from an adult's chest to face where they can respond and recognize your face, so bathing is an ideal experience to build memories and bond," she added.

Kate, 31, is rumoured to be planning a modest nursery for the new baby, so she will no doubt love the miniature version of the classic Victorian bath which is fit for a prince or princess.

Other mothers-to-be can also bathe their babies in style as a limited number of the Windsor Collection baby baths will be available for the public to purchase.

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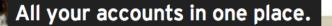












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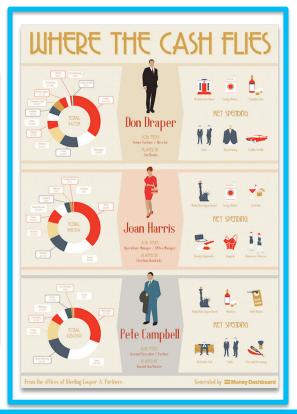
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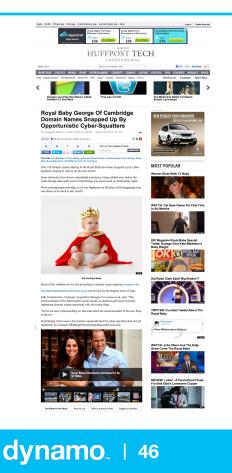


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Figures That Grow





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Sorry, Prince George! Cyber-squatters are snatching up all your domains

Rosa Golijan, NBC News

July 29, 2013 at 10:36 AM ET

If you head to www.princehenryofwales.org, you'll see the official website of Prince Harry. But if you check out www.princegeorgeofcambridge.org, you'll see large letters proclaim "domain for sale." Hundreds of domains have already been registered under variations of the new prince's name - in hopes of a profit.

PrinceGeorgeofCambridge.org you would like to purchase this domain, phone conte-

Cyber-squatting — or domain-squatting — is the practice of registering domains which could be of particular interest to an individual or organization. This often includes variations of trademarked names and can sometimes even involve negative

content related to the user who might be interested in the the squatted domain in order to pressure him or her into purchasing it.

"I'd never done anything like this before but I'd read about someone registering the previous Pope's name and selling it on for a profit so I thought I'd see what was available," website designer David Henderson, the current owner of www.princegeorgeofcambridge.org, told the Telegraph.

As Henderson notes, domain-squatting is not really a new practice. In the past we've seen someone register peta.org in order to create a website called "People Eating Tasty Animals," much to the dismay of People for the Ethical Treatment of Animals (PETA). A man named Mike Rowe got into hot water with software giant Microsoft after registering MikeRoweSoft.com, Whitehouse.org and georgewbush.org house parody websites. The list goes on.

"I'm a big fan of the Royal family so I certainly don't intend to hold them to ransom, I just thought it might be an address I could sell to someone in the future," Henderson clarifies.

Considering that domain registrar names.co.uk tells the Telegraph that over 400 domains based on Prince George's name have already been registered, it's possible that not everyone



Somali pirates Angry Twitter spat leads 'Fez' creator to leave game



Grand Theft Auto 4' modified to be more like 'GTV 5'



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Royal baby: Cybersquatters descend on **Prince George domains**

Cybersquatters have leapt at the chance to register domain names referring to the new royal baby, Prince George.

Within moments of the baby's name being announced, domains such as GeorgeAlexanderLouis.com and princegeorgecambridge.co.uk were taken.

Purchases of domain names mentioning the name "George" rose by 106.9%, reseller Names.co.uk said.

One buyer of a royal baby-related domain has put it up for sale at £10,000.

The owner, Matt James, snapped up hrhprincegeorgecambridge.co.uk on 24th July the day of the naming announcement.

He told the BBC: "Like most British people, I was glued to the TV, excited Related Stories about the birth and thought a baby Prince domain name had potential.



Domains were snapped up almost from the moment

Prince George was born

Public sector strikes held across UK Tyre blaze sends cloud over Glasgow Head of Fifa partner 'flees arrest' Egyptian statue sells for £16m



Sitting targets How ancient treasures in Syria are being bombed to pieces

on Royal Mail



Neighbourly rivalry Why many Brazilians will be

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3D printing pen you can hold in your hand

launches on Kickstarter

Serial inventors WobbleWorks raising \$30,000 funding for the 3Doodler printer pen project. First shipments planned September 2013

The 3Doodler, the world's first 3D printing pen, launches today on Kickstarter (http://kck.st/V92Fjb). Created by the co-founders of WobbleWorks, with over 20 years collective experience developing gadgets and toys, the patent-pending 3Doodler pen is a brand new way of creating 3D objects and will be the most affordable 3D printing device on the market.

Priced from \$50 for early backers on Kickstarter, the 3Doodler has been designed to be compact and easy to use, you just plug it into a power socket and can start drawing anything within minutes.

"We wanted to design a 3D printing device that could be used within minutes, without needing any technical knowledge, software or computers. We also wanted it to be affordable as well as fun, so that anyone could 3Docidie" said Petro Dilworth. Co-Founder & CED of WebbleWorks.

The 3Doodler has been in development for a year, with early prototypes in production for the first time this month. When WebbleWorks reaches its modest funding goal of \$30,000, the team will start an initial commercial run, with the first 3Doodlers delivered to backers before Fall 2013.

"Everyone knows how to use a pen, so we designed a 3D printing penI ff you can scribble, trace or wave a finger in the air you can use a 3Doodler. As you draw, plastic comes out of the pen, is cooled by an integrated fan, and solidifies right in front of you. You can draw on any surface and

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own 3D objects," said Maxwell Bogue, Co-Founder & CTO of

aise, WobbleWorks has also teamed up with leading Etsy for early backers.

tic Etsy artists to provide limited edition '3Doodles' as well as here create amazing objects. We're also creating a 3Doodle are their ideas, designs, and 3Doodles," said Peter Dilworth, orks.

pping by September 2013. You can pre-order your 3Doodler p://kck.st/V9zFjX.

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en. While the plastic extruded from 3Doodler is safe to touch tself has a metal tip that can get as hot as 270C. There is no tip while in use, but safety comes first, and we are creating a to use the 3Doodler, covering off the different techniques and

slastic as its "ink" - just like any of the more expensive 3D odler backed on Kickstarter comes with at least one bag of ommon plastics around. It's used in most of the plastic objects a "bioplastic". It's made from corn, is biodegradable and has a USS. We are offering both choices as each has its own

n ABS and PLA, and you can also buy ABS and PLA plastic in

spools from a variety of sources.



Same Story Different Release

3Doodler raises \$1 Million in just 2 days on Kickstarter

3D printing pen draws \$1 Million from Kickstarter community as it attracts over 12,000 backers in 44 hours

2013, February 21 - 3Doodler, the world's first 3D printing pen, has smashed its Kickstarter (http://kck.st/V92FJX) goal by over 3,685% as of 9:00am on Thursday 21st February, raising over \$1 Million in funding from the internet community in less than 2 days (44 hours). The team set an original target of \$30,000 and reached its goal within hours of launching on Tuesday this week at 3am EST.

3Doodler is the world's first 3D printing pen that allows you to draw in mid-air and create physical versions of your Doodles and ideas. Proving to be a big hit with the design community, the popular Kickstarter project is on course to become 2013's biggest Kickstarter enterprise and is following in the footsteps of Pebble which went onto raise \$10,266,845 in May 2012.

"We initially debated whether we should shoot for \$20,000 or \$30,000 so we're completely overwhelmed by the response from the Internet, hitting a million dollars in just two days. We were prepared though, just in case, and had arranged all the pieces in place to scale rapidly, even this rapidly. We're hearing the message loud and clear - people all around the world love Doodling and want to back our invention," said Peter Dilworth, Co-Founder & CEO of WobbleWorks.



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Get the Right Images

- Familiar subject matter
- High quality
- Landscape and portrait
- Composition
- 300dpi and 72 dpi

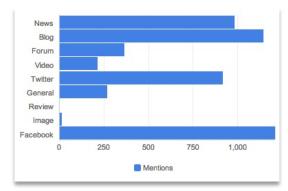






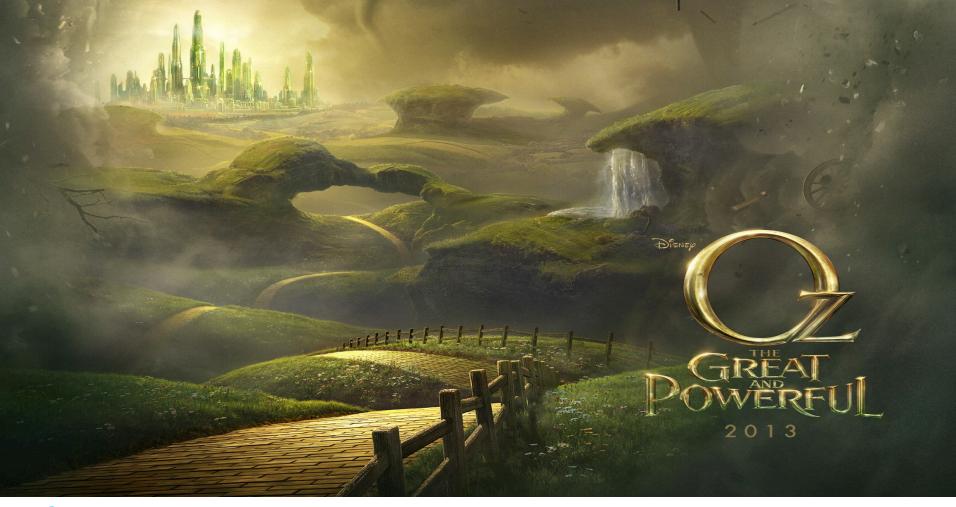
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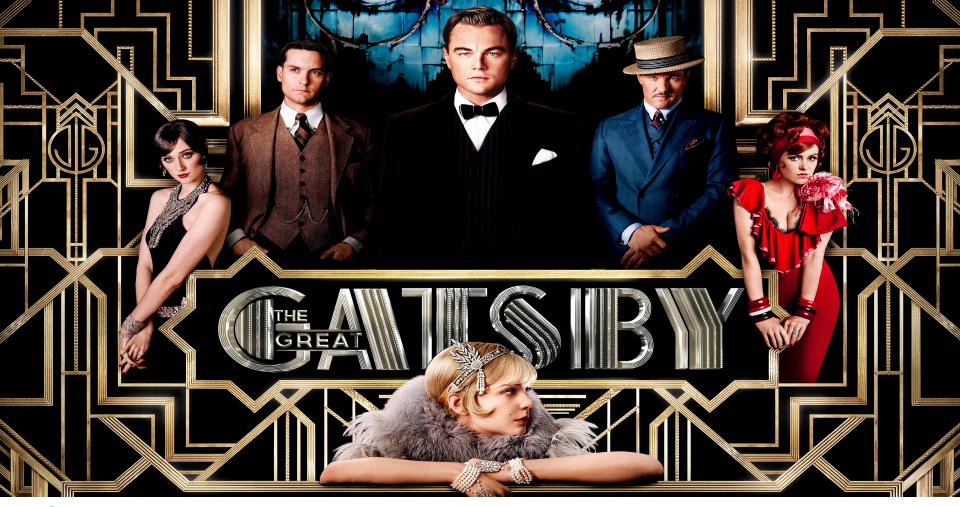
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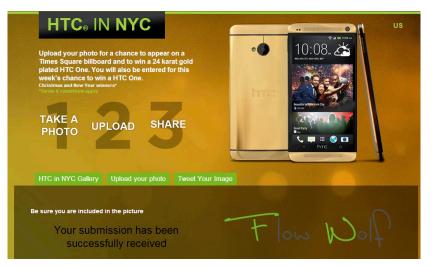


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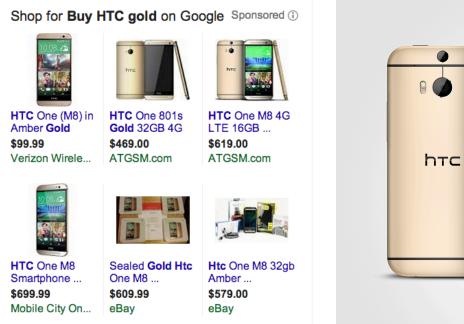




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Change in Product Strategy





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HTC One: Big screen... check. Front-facing stereo... check. MADE OF GOLD. Er, check Another blingmobe 'chings into play as part of limited edition set



HTC joins gold rush with \$4,400 special edition One



HTC to offer five genuine gold One smartphones for £2,750 apiece



Limited edition Gold HTC One trumps iPhone 5S and Galaxy S4



£2,750 gold HTC One is a priceless prize for MOBO talent

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Forget the gold iPhone, here's the 18ct gold HTC One valued at \$4,400 – but you can't buy one



HTC strike Goid: Priceless Tool Goid Edition HTC One launched



Sure, you can get the iPhone 5S or the Samsung Galaxy S4 in gold colors, but HTC UK has one-upped them all with an HTC One made of real gold.



Gold HTC One official: Limited edition model goes to MOBO winners



Gold HTC One? That'll Cost You £2,750, Good Sir



Forget the gold coloured iPhone and try the HTC made of real gold

The Cost of Gold?



£2.750 / \$4.400

Summary Slide

- 1. Link building is getting harder
- 2. Think beyond campaigns for a sustainable strategy
- 3. Panda was a pivot point in the publishing industry
- 4. Media share your struggles with Google, your content can help them
- 5. Analyse social media metrics and top pages for publishers before pitching them
- 6. They are targeted on Google Plus profiles
- 7. Search volume can be a pitching tool
- 8. Hire Freelance journalists
- 9. A team of more than 2 need management system for media relationships
- 10. Site search is often more effective in current day than your 'little black book'
- 11. Hook your content onto popular culture, trends and events

- 12. Get the right content assets in place before launch, host on website and drop box
- Don't just go for news articles, look for other opportunities like Q&A, image stories and case studies
- 14. Learn from analysing the gaming industry
- 15. When doing product spoofs list products as on back order
- Find someone or firm to be the third voice in your story
- 17. Use a media alert instead of a press release to get quicker sign off
- 18. Structure campaigns with several launch stages
- Offline activity is one of the strongest linkbuilding tactics
- 20. Lego are a good source to reference for creating content ideas

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- Make the medias job easier
- Pick ideas that can grow
- Setup partnerships





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