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#### **Today's Presenters**







#### **Owen Landon III** President, Echo-Interactive LLC

Dee Boling Director of Communications, Tulane University School of Public Health and Tropical Medicine Christopher Aldrich Marketing Manager, Northeastern University



Echo-targeting: an online recruitment solution for ASPPH members

> Echo-Interactive LLC Owen Landon III

#### You've already experienced it

#### What is echo-targeting?

Without knowing it, you've very likely already experienced it. Online retailers commonly employ the tool to reach their customers with offers / promotions as those customers are surfing the internet and visiting other websites. If you've ever abandoned your online shopping cart and subsequently saw those same items being promoted by that same retailer on various websites you happened to visit...it wasn't a coincidence.

#### Why is it important?

Echo-targeting will allow ASPPH member schools to market themselves to prospective students in an extremely targeted, affordable, and completely turnkey way.

With echo-targeting ASPPH members can...

- Reach only the public health prospects who have visited the ASPPH and / or the SOPHAS website.
- Affordably reach prospects in the medium they prefer...online.
- Reach these prospective public health students on their favorite websites, such as Facebook, Yahoo, magazine sties, social media sites, etc.



#### **Echo-targeting diagram:**

Bob is thinking of pursuing a degree in Public Health, so he visits the ASPPH or SOPHAS website. Utilizing code on those pages, ASPPH builds its audience of prospective Public Health students.





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Bob sees your School of Public Health banner, clicks it, and is directed to your SoPH homepage or whatever page you choose as your landing page.



Later, Bob is online and visits the NY Times website. If the page Bob is visiting has ad availability, instantly, our program finds "Your University's ad" and runs it on the page downloading on Bob's screen.

#### NY Times.com



### Presenter



Dee Boling Director of Communications, Tulane University School of Public Health and Tropical Medicine



# Bending the Laws of Attraction

Tulane University School of Public Health and Tropical Medicine



# **Tulane SPHTM**

- Over 100 years of global public health education
- Excellent reputation
- Ideal location







# A More Competitive Landscape











# **Old Ways**









## A New Approach





# Echo Marketing





## First Ad Set



Become a GLOBAL HEALTH LEADER





Tulane University

School of Public Health and Tropical Medicine

Tulane University School of Public Health and Tropical Medicine





### Second Ad Set





7 Doctoral

Degrees

1 GREAT PUBLIC HEALTH EDUCATION

Tulane University School of Public Health and Tropical Medicine GET EXACTLY WHAT YOU WANT Tulane University School of Public Health and Tropical Medicine

#### 6 Departments 15 Master's Degrees 7 Doctoral Degrees

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# **Custom Landing Pages**

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#### Let New Orleans be your classroom

There's no better location to earn a degree in public health. Tulane's School of Public Health and Tropical Medicine offers:

- · World-renown faculty actively involved in research that cuts to the heart of the world's public health issues.
- Extensive ties both locally and world-wide. Students participate in local research, summer travel courses, and practicum opportunities on nearly every continent.
- A globally focused curriculum that doesn't just offer a course in global health. All of our programs consider public health from a global perspective.
- · A supportive and engaging learning environment.
- A strong alumni network. The school has a 95% career outcomes rate and our graduates go on to become the leaders in global health initiatives in organizations that make a lasting difference.
- · A vibrant, affordable city with excellent opportunities for hands-on learning.

#### Learn more:



Start in August, January, or June. Learn about our rolling admissions.



Curious about which program is right for you? Our webinars let you virtually meet faculty and staff while hearing about the programs.



There's no substitute for being here. Regular Open Houses introduce you to the school, scheduled around popular New Orleans events.

#### SUBMIT

When you click submit, you'll receive the SPHTM Fact Sheet with information on all of our programs plus other facts about the school.







# **Tracking Page Visits**

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## **New Contacts**

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#### Data

#### First Ad Set

- Duration: 177 days
- Visits: 2,005 visits to page
- Clicks: 1,797
- Leads: 175 new contacts





#### Data

#### Second Ad Set

- Duration: 121 days
- Visits: 714 visits to page
- Clicks: 676
- Leads: 46 new contacts





#### Data

#### Overall:

- ▶ 1,004,553 Ads Fed
- 2,196 clicks to page
- 0.22% click through rate



# Challenges

- Developing ads that appeal to our entire audience.
- Determining why one ad gets better response over another.
- Unbalanced demographic response.



#### Benefits

 ASPPH/SOPHAS - our market, interested audience
 New qualified leads

Cost effective



# Thank you!





# **Questions or Comments?**

Join the Conversation...





## Presenter



#### Christopher Aldrich Marketing Manager, Northeastern University



#### NORTHEASTERN UNIVERSITY'S MASTER OF PUBLIC HEALTH IN URBAN HEALTH

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Retargeting as a Digital Marketing Tool Chris Aldrich, Marketing Manager

#### **ABOUT NORTHEASTERN'S MPH IN URBAN HEALTH**

- Founded in 2008, a member of Northeastern's Bouve College of Health Sciences
- > Unique focus on urban health and diversifying the public health work force
- > Pedagogy rooted in social justice and urban health equity
- > Course modalities include 100% online, on-campus, and hybrid.
- > 37 inter-disciplinary faculty members: ranging from fields such as medicine and law to business and engineering



# WHY DO WE UTILIZE RETARGETING AS A MARKETING TACTIC?

Retargeting allows us to engage an audience of prospective students who have indicated interest in a graduate public health program, but may (or may not) have been aware of Northeastern's MPH in Urban Health.

- Northeastern introduced a 100% online modality for its MPH in Urban Health program in March 2015, so we launched marketing for the program that targeted a national audience for the first time.
- > We identified retargeting or "remarketing" as a cost-effective tactic that could have an immediate impact on our efforts to reach this audience.
- > Our goal is to capture contact (or "lead") information for as many of these interested students as possible in order to get them into our lead nurturing pipeline.

#### NORTHEASTERN'S RETARGETING MARKETING FUNNEL



# **CREATIVE EXAMPLES**



#### Banner Ads

- Attention grabbing headline, but not too much text
- Calls to Action: Learn More, Request Info, etc.
- > Our best practice is to introduce new creative every 4-6 months

# **CREATIVE EXAMPLES**

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#### Master of Public Health in Urban Health

Entry Terms

Fall 2016, Spring 2017 (Domestic Only)

Available 100% Online: Yes

Application Deadlines: Domestic Students: Fall 2016; July 1, 2016, Spring 2017: November 1, 2016

International Students: Fall 2016: July 1, 2016, Spring 2017: November 1, 2016

Credits Required for Graduation 42 Credits

- Learn what it takes to protect urban health The Master of Public Health in Urban Health at Northeastern University has been developed specifically to meet the growing demand for public health professionals who have the ability to navigate the complex issues inherent to the urban context.
- Course formats that meet your needs Our students can complete the program 100% online, on-ground, or in a hybrid format (combination of online and on-ground courses).
- Become networked for life Join our network of alumni who work at organizations that include: Institute for Community Health's Boston Public Health's Commission; Massachusetts Department of Public Health; US Department of Health and Human Services; Centers for Disease Control and Prevention; and Blue Cross Blue Shield.
- A tradition of experiential learning— The MPH in Urban Health program is grounded in Northeastern's long tradition of experiential learning, integrading classroom learning with real-world experience. Our students have the opportunity to complete a 200-hour, community-based internship or practicum in the public health sector, in addition to conducting research alongside faculty members at our insitute on Urban Health Research and Practice.

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#### **Program Landing Page**

- Prominent lead form to capture student's information
- > Succinct, high-level program information
- > Application and other program deadlines are key pieces of info
- Includes digital assets (videos and downloadable PDF) to help improve conversion rates

# **HOW WE MEASURE SUCCESS**

Below are a few of the key metrics that we look at when determining success of our digital campaigns.



CLICKS /CTR

How many people who saw our ad clicked and visited our landing page? LEAD VOLUME

How many total leads did we generate for the program?



Average Cost Per Lead

# APPS

Total applications generated and the cost per application.

OUR RESULTS

Implemented our first retargeting campaign with Echo Interactive and ASPPH in Spring 2015. This data spans two enrollment intakes for our program.



# THANK YOU



#### Chris Aldrich

Marketing Manager Northeastern University (617) 373-7643 c.aldrich@northeastern.edu

# **Benefits to ASPPH members**

- Targeted: only reach prospects who have taken the trouble to visit the ASPPH or SOPHAS websites. Past research shows that nearly 100% of future Public Health students will visit the SOPHAS website.
- Affordably Raise Awareness: members can promote themselves to prospects in a very targeted fashion and do so very affordably:
  - \$250 per month buys about 40,000 banner ads to prospects
  - \$500 per month buys about 90,000 banner ads to prospects
  - \$1,000 per month buys about 200,000 banners to prospects
- Relevant: as the banner ads are only seen by future SoPH students on their favorite sites, the university ads are relevant and of interest.

# **Turnkey solution**

- The ASPPH has created a nearly turnkey recruitment solution for its members. All a member institution needs to provide is:
  - URL of the desired landing page
  - the monthly budget
  - 1 banner ad creative in 5 different ad sizes
    - 300x250 728x90 468x60 160x600 320x50
    - 150k max file size for any single ad size
    - Ad files can be accepted in jpg, gif, png, or swf file formats

# **ASPPH / Echo-Interactive LLC**

- ASPPH has partnered with Echo-Interactive to make this program possible to its members.
- Echo-Interactive is handling all of the day to day customer support, program administration, and billing activities on behalf of ASPPH.
- Please be in touch with Owen Landon at Echo-Interactive to learn more about this exciting recruitment program:
  - <u>owen@echo-interactivellc.com</u>
  - phone: 617–877-6327

#### Thank you to today's Presenters







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# **Questions or Comments?**

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#### Now taking questions.







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