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What does it mean to brand yourself?



- What makes you different?
- What are your strengths? Passions? Goals?
- How do others view you?

What about Social Media?







3 C's Of Branding

- Clarity
- Consistency
- Constancy

Clarity

- Be clear about who you are, who you're not, and your target audience
- Know your competitors
- Distinguish your brand from competitors and peers

Consistency

- Same brand message across all communication channels
- If your personal brand varies, your audience will be confused

Constancy

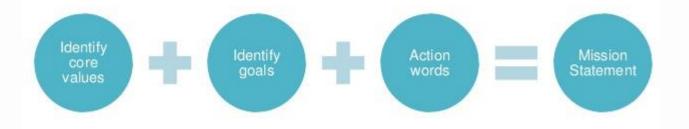
- Strong brands are always visible to target audience
- Monitor your brand through social media and networking
- Use the following tools to reinforce your brand online and offline

What is Your Brand?

- 1. Identify Core Values
- 2. Identify Your Goals
- 3. Use Action Words
- 4. Write Your Mission Statement

Let's Practice

Personal Mission Statement



Logo Design

- Formal Elements of Design: Color, Line, Shape, Texture
- Principles of Design: format, balance, visual weight, symmetry, asymmetry, balance, visual hierarchy, focal point, and rhythm
- Other CRAP: Contrast, Repetition, Alignment, Proximity



Identify the foundations, principles, CRAP

How Does this Relate to Leadership?

- How does your personal brand aid in your personal leadership skills and development?
- Does your personal brand influence the way you lead?

Recap

- 3 C's of Branding
 - Clarity
 - Consistency
 - Constancy
- Identifying your core values, identifying your goals, incorporating action words will help you write your personal mission statement
- Logo Design: Foundations, Principles, & other: CRAP
- Your personal brand can help aid in your leadership development



