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IN-HOUSE CREATIVE TEAMS

Three secrets to doubling your output in half the time







4.3 million + creators

WELCOME TO THE ARMS RACE

WELCOME TO THE DESIGN ARMS RACE

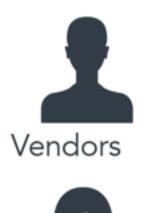




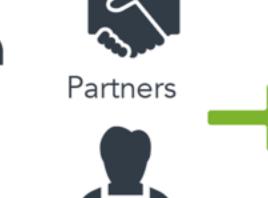




Mass Audience



Sales



Employee







Direct Mail



Social Media



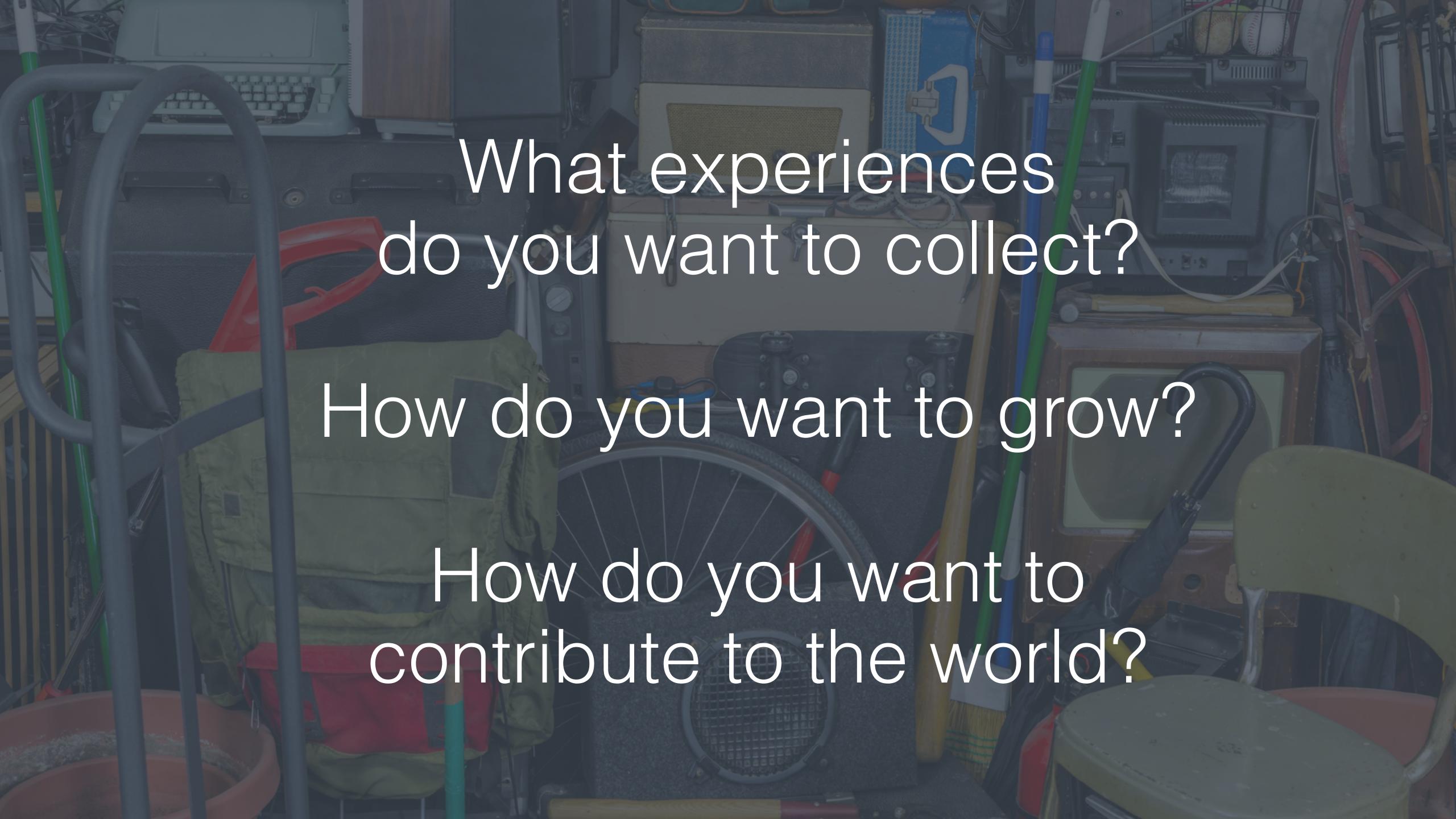
Fragmented Audience

How can we possibly keep up with the demand to both work quickly and put out quality content?



Alignment = Strength

Tip 1: Connect your work to what matters most

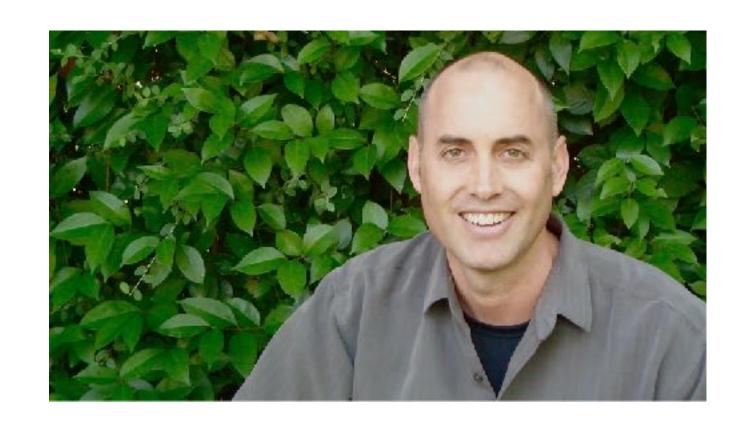




Get out of your rut.

Start with something small.

Tiny habits



- BJ Fogg, Behavior Scientist, Stanford

Change is hard.

Really, really, super hard.

Shoot for a small change.

Make it easy.

Tie it to your existing routine.

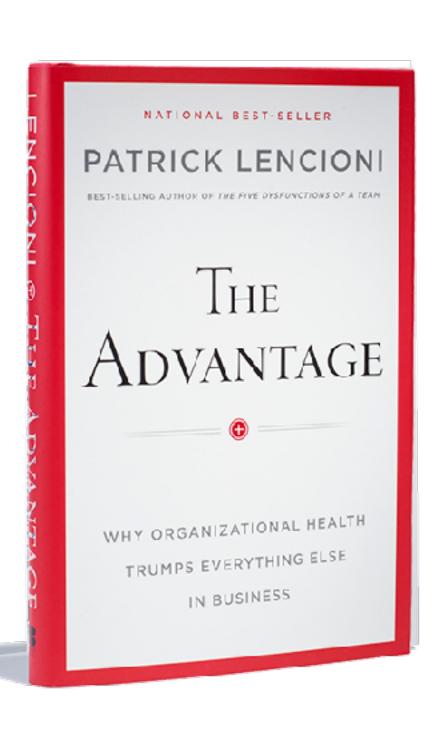
Success breeds confidence.

Build a virtuous cycle that can last.

Alignment = Strength

Tip 2: Become a leader by driving organizational health

Fight for a playbook



Why do we exist?

How do we behave?

What do we do?

How will we succeed?

What's most important right now?

Who must do what

Alignment = Strength

Tip 3: Perfect your craft

Where to start?



SKILLSHARE





"Craft is what we are expected to know, art is the unexpected use of our craft."

- Ed Catmull



Alignment = Strength

- 1. Connect to what matters most
- 2. Seek organizational health
- 3. Perfect your craft



Response Time to Requests for New/Customized Branded Material



48% of companies report that it takes one week or more to fulfill requests for new or customized material

Clarity = Control

Tip 1: Clear creative brief

The best creative brief is short, and functions as a sort of contract.

Clarity = Control

Tip 2: Clear goals





Lemon.

This Volkswagen missed the boot.

The chrome strip on the glove comportment Kurt Kroner did.

There are 3,389 men at our Wolfsburg factory with only one job: to inspect Volkswagens at each stage of production. (3000 Volkswagens

Every shock obsorber is tested (spot check- fifty. is blemished and must be replaced. Chances ing won't dol, every windshield is scanned. are you wouldn't have noticed it; Inspector VWs have been rejected for surface scratches VW lasts longer and requires less maintebarely visible to the eye.

Final inspection is really something! VW inspectors run each car off the line onto the Funktionsprüfstand (car test stand), tote up 189 are produced daily; there are more inspectors check points, gun ahead to the automatic

brake stand, and say "no" to one VW out of

This preoccupation with detail means the nonce, by and large, than other cars. It also

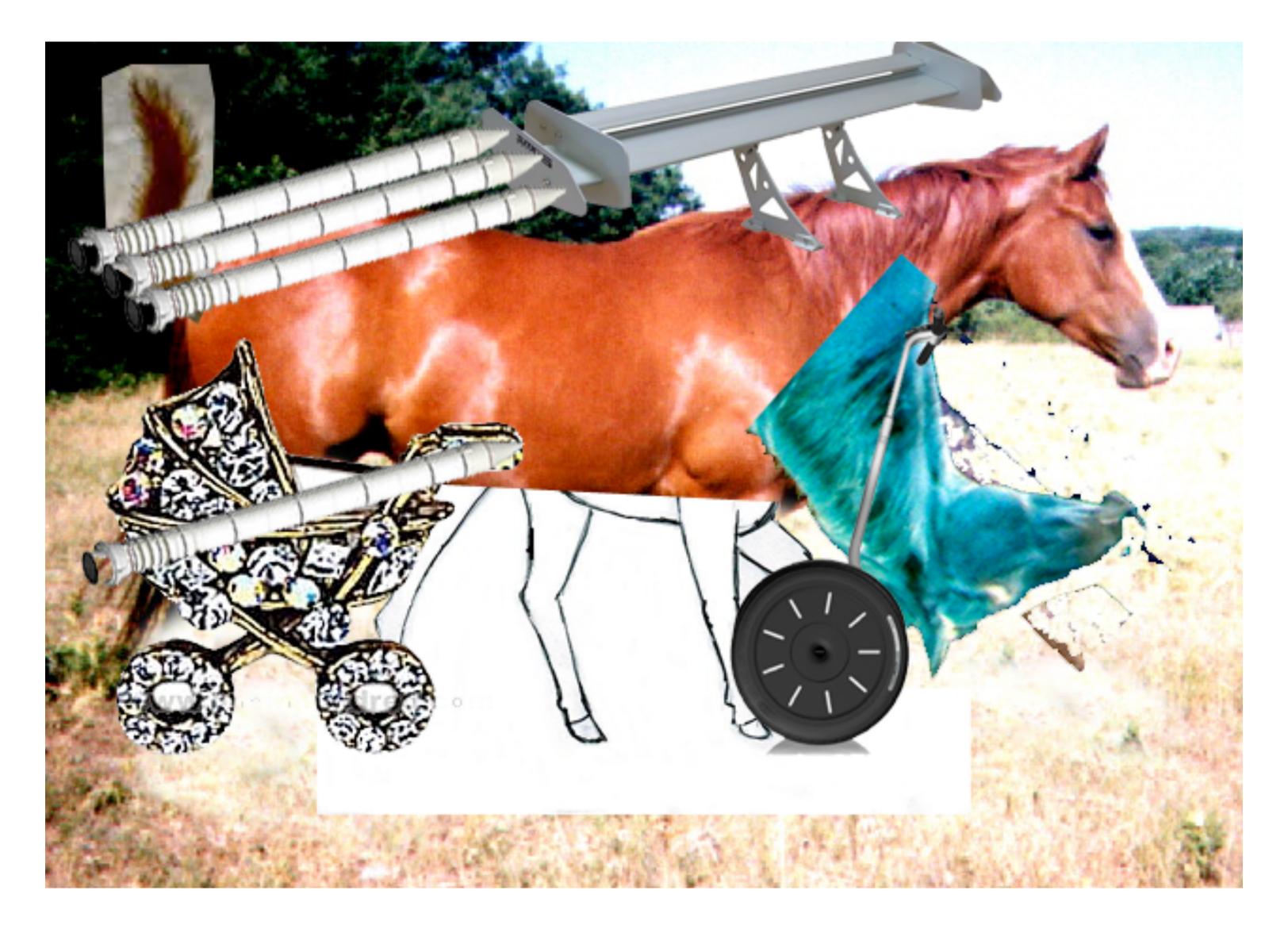
> less than any other car.) We pluck the lemons; you get the plums.

means a used VW depreciates

Ask yourself first: do all key stakeholders agree on what success looks like?

Clarity = Control

Tip 3: Clear approvals



- Erik Flowers





Clarity = Control

- 1. Clear creative brief
- 2. Clear goals
- 3. Clear approvals



Demand for new content is accelerating...

Protect your time like a momma bear protects her cub



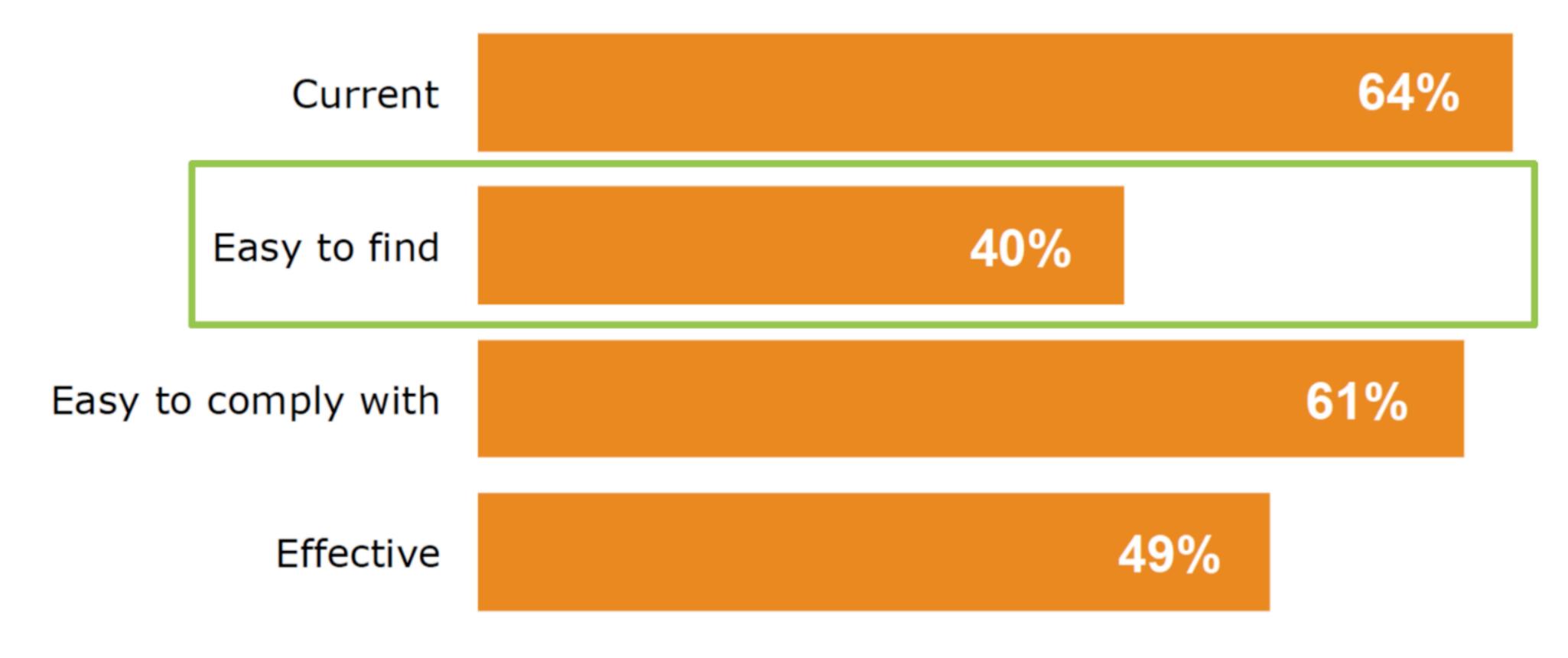
Democratize the Design Process

Many Hands = Meaningful Work

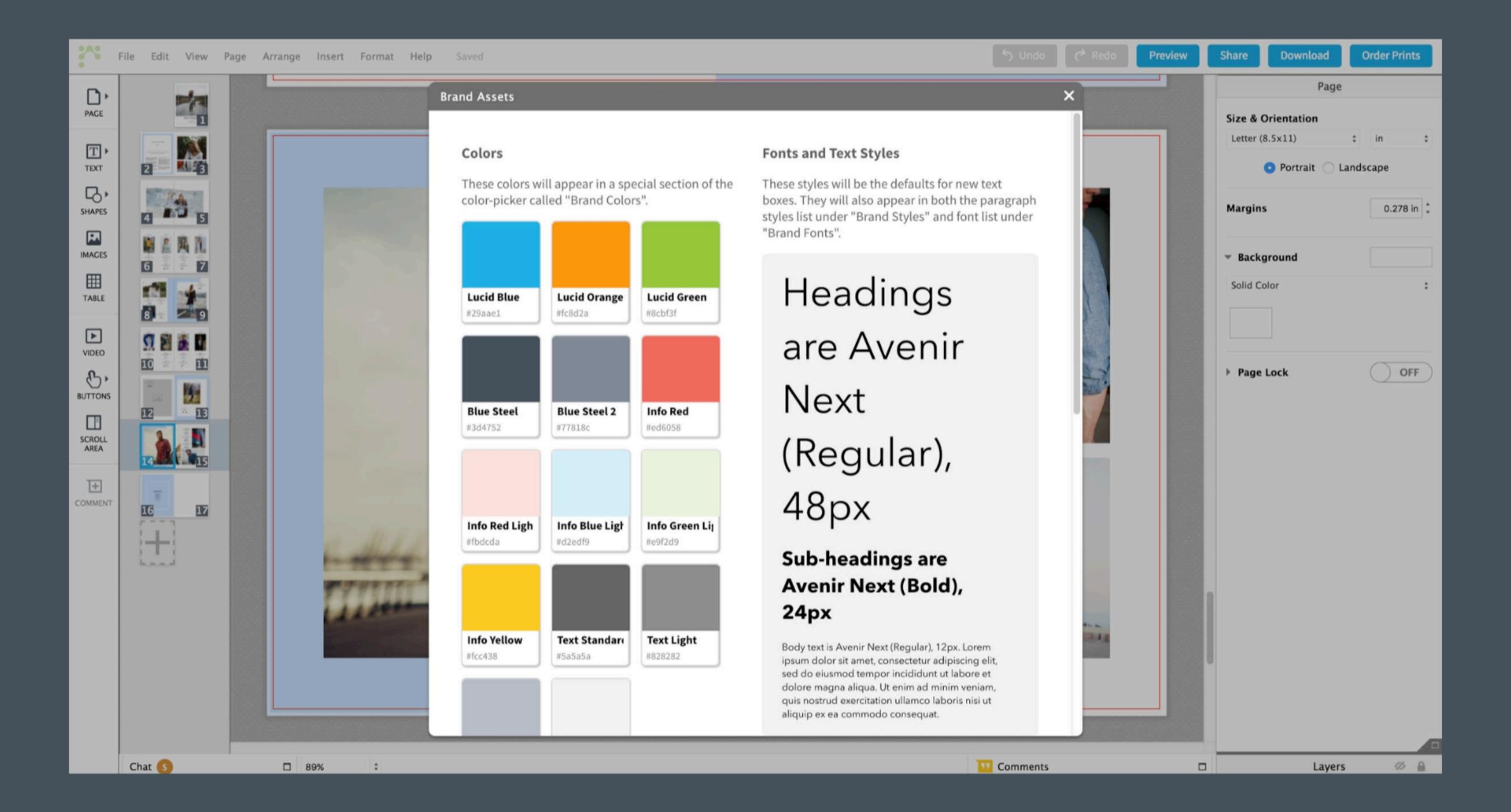
Tip 1: Get Strong Brand Guidelines



Branding Guidelines Rating



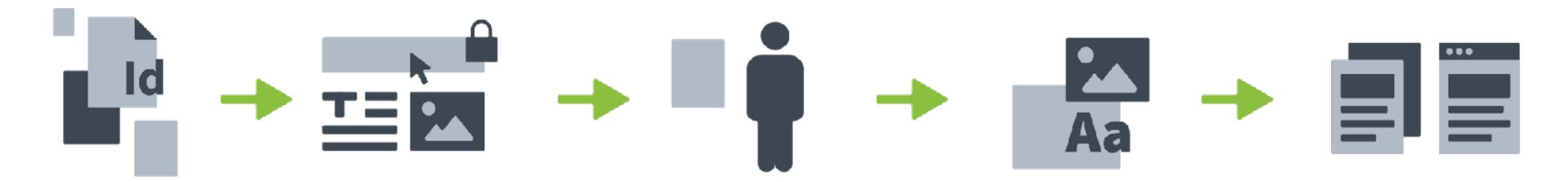
Percent Good or Very Good



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Tip 2: Lock down templates





Create a new template or import one from InDesign.

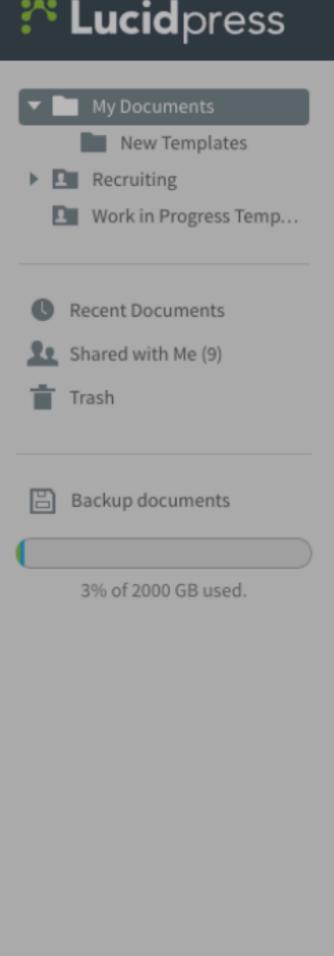
Lock down important brand elements.

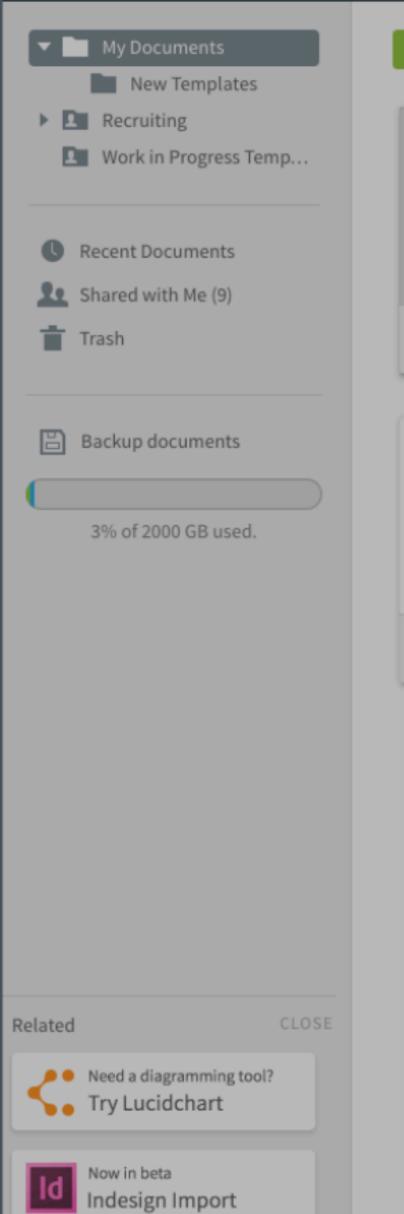
Share approved templates & assets with employees.

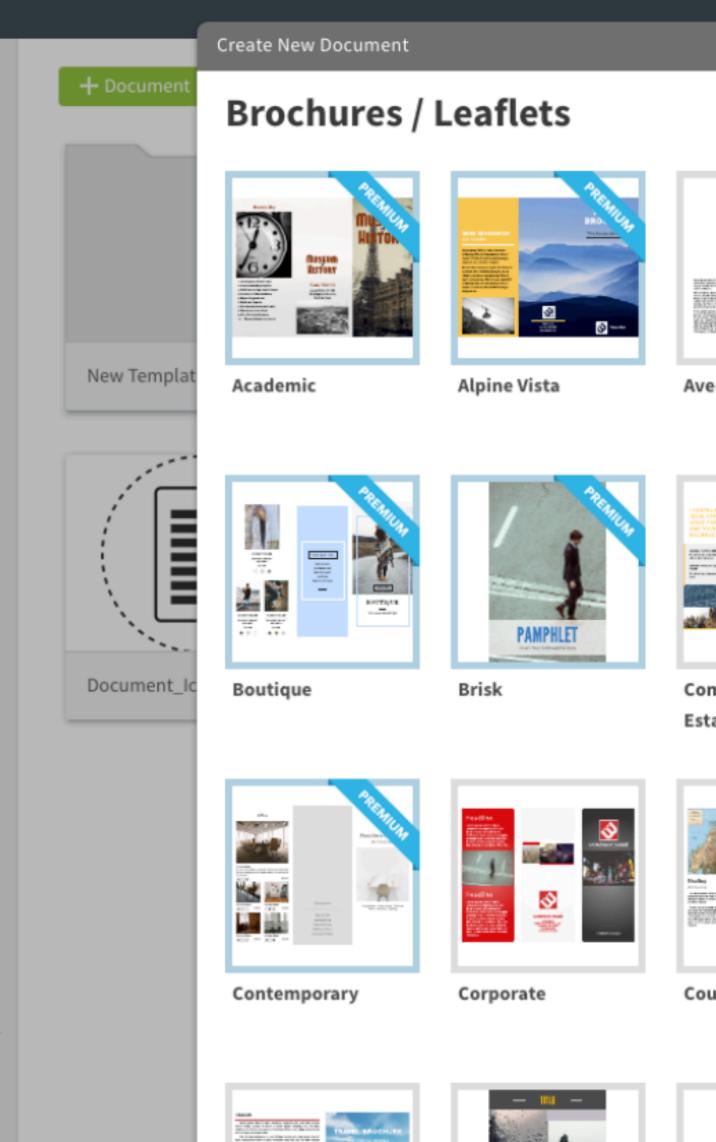
Allow employees to customize approved templates.

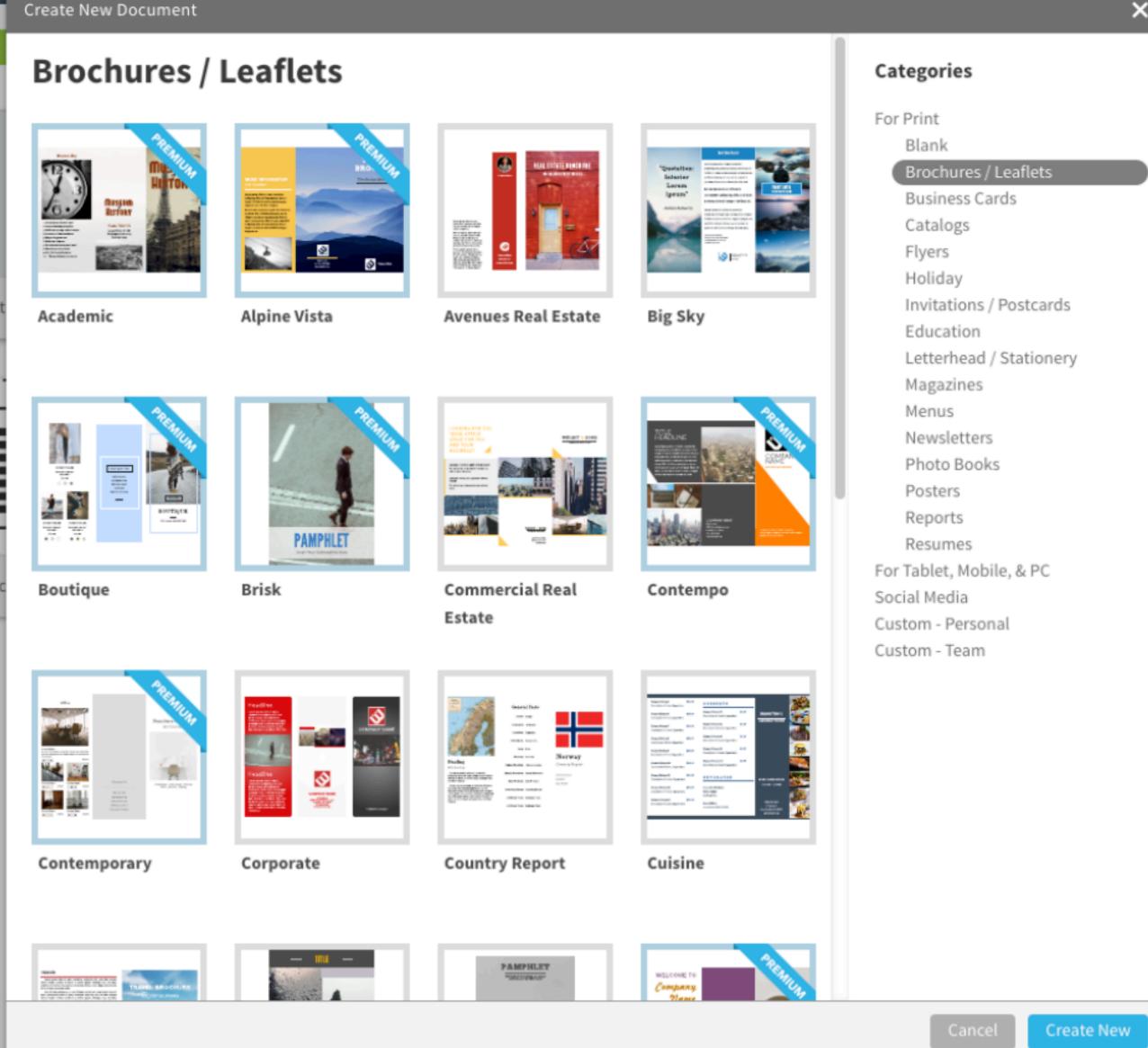
Distribute via print, web, or social media.

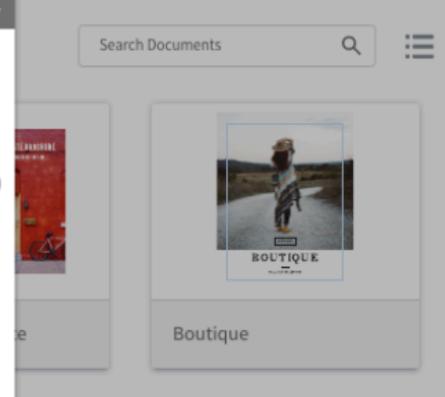














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Strong Brand Guidelines
 Lock Templates Down

Double your output in half the time

- 1. Alignment & Strength
- 2. Clarity & Control
- 3. Many hands & meaningful work

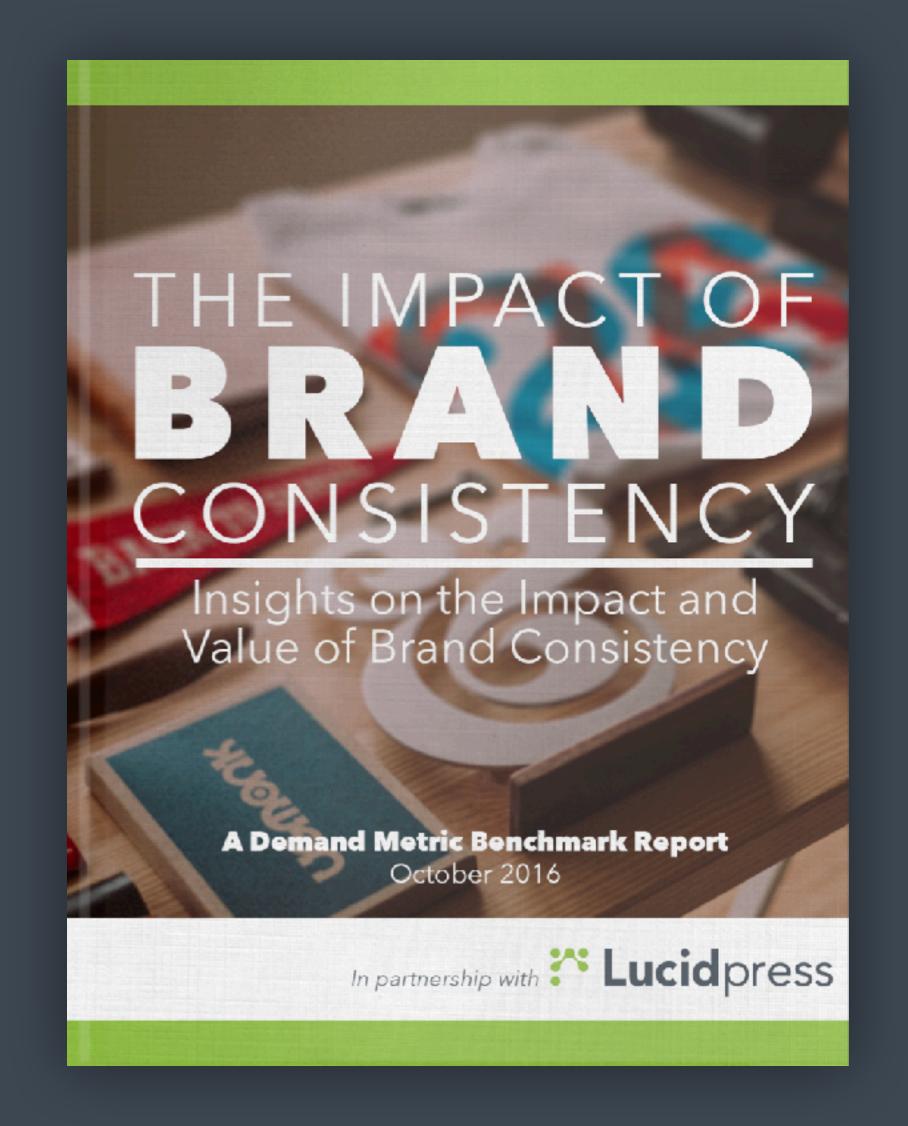
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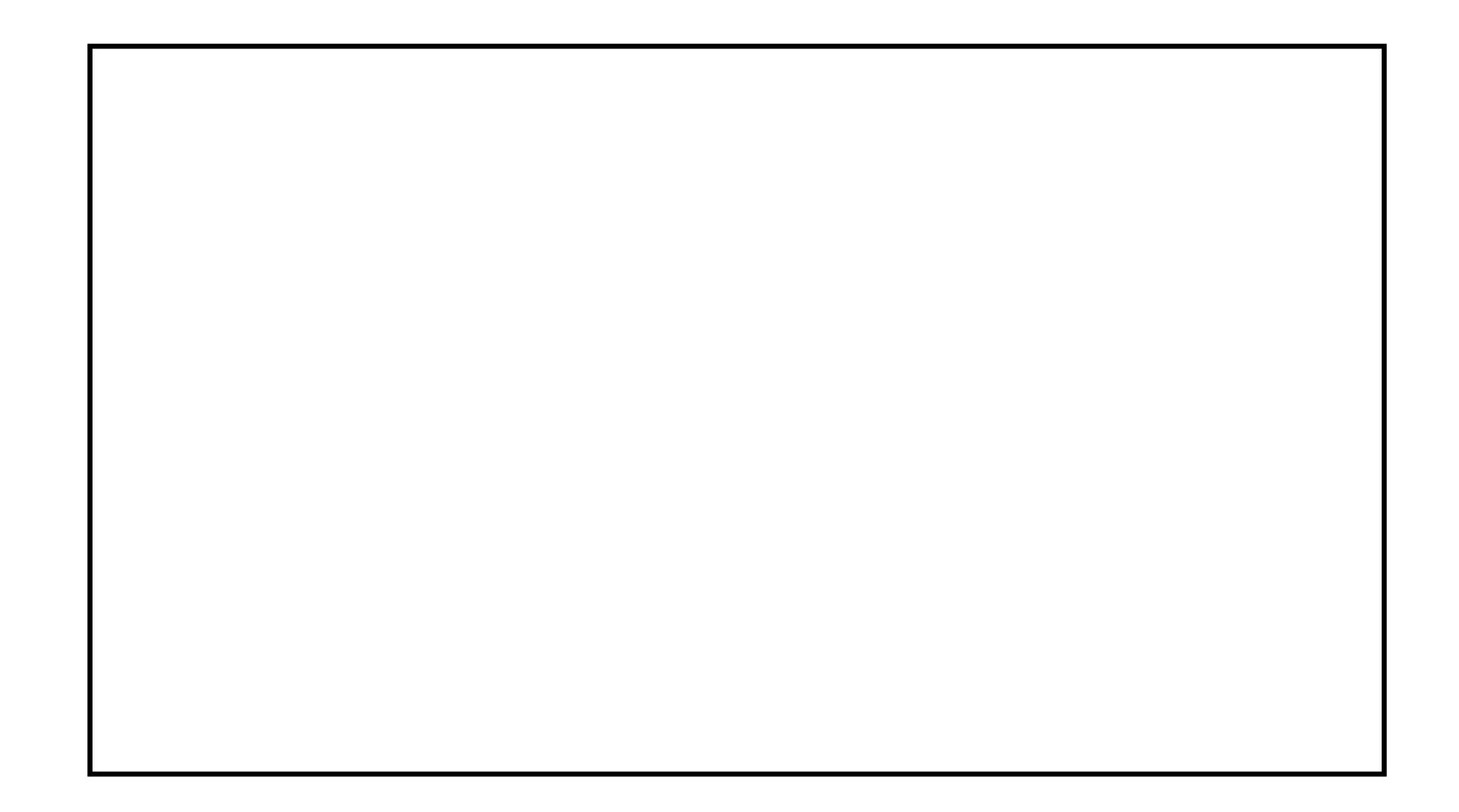


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