



08/04/2015

2:00 pm - 4:00 pm

Workshops

Westside Ballroom

Darin Carter, CEO, Darin Carter

Sal Conca, Founder, Streamline Marketing

Michelle Held, Owner, Metrony, LLC

Rae Hoffman, CEO, PushFire, Inc.

Chuck Mullins, President, Cash For Your Site

Eric Nagel, CTO, FMTC

Courtney Pearson, Senior Affiliate Manager, Ovative/group

Nathan Smith, President, Zynali Incorporated

Shannon K. Steffen, President, Shannon K. Steffen International, LLC

Lisa Tufts, International Marketplace Manager, SHOP.COM

These are a series of 15 minute interactive, tailored conversations, where attendees can interact one on one with experts on various topics at a pre-arranged, scheduled time. Workshops covered will include affiliate relationships, buying and selling businesses, network APIs. SEO, social media,

8:00 am - 3:00 pm

Check-In

3rd Floor Foyer

	Pick up your conference badge and attendee bag, and get started with Affiliate Summit.		
8:00 am - 4:00 pm	Refuel, Rendezvous & Refresh Room Empire Complex All attendees are welcome to take advantage of the tables and WiFi to have meetings, catch up on work, or simply take a break. Coffee and Tea available to those with Refresh Drink Tickets.		
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9:00 am - 2:00 pm	Speaker Ready Room Duffy This is a space where speakers can find some quiet, and run through their presentations one last time to ensure that it goes smoothly during their sessions.		
10:00 am - 11:00 am	Session 11a - The Path to Becoming a Mobile Performance Jedi Master Astor Ballroom Konstantin Dieterle, Managing Director, AppLift Florian Lehwald, Founder & President, KissMyAds GmbH Cameron Stewart, General Manager, TUNE Our mobile performance Jedi Council will share the latest tips and tricks to conquer the galaxy. Leading networks will discuss how they've used the Force to successfully build their mobile empires.	Session 11b - Tips for Building Relationships and Sales with Bloggers SoHo Complex Ciaran Blumenfeld, CMO, Hashtracking Debbie Bookstaber, Owner, Element Associates Kelby Carr, CEO, Type-A Parent Anne Parris, Managing Partner, Midlife Boulevard This session will go beyond standard blogger recruitment tactics and focus on how to increase blogger sales by focusing on coaching, understanding blogger concerns, and resolving attribution issues.	Session 11c - Trials and Triumphs From Affiliate Marketing Front Lines Lyceum Complex Sylvia Cintron, Director Digital Marketing, Check Into Cash Jackie Eldridge, Director of Marketing, DollarDays Helen Fang, Director, Marketing, Coupons.com Tara McCommons, VP Sales and Marketing, LinkConnector Corporation Carrie Rocha, Owner, Pocket Your Dollars Extension of a top 10 session; 4 industry leaders compare further insights & lessons learned from unexpected changes in AM trends; a continued discussion on proven strategies, effective resets & more.
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12:30 pm - 1:45 pm	<p>Tim Ash, CEO, SiteTuners</p> <p>Luncheon Buffet Westside Ballroom Lunch is open to VIP and All Access pass holders with lunch tickets only.</p>
2:00 pm - 4:00 pm	<p>Networking Pub Crawl Broadway Ballroom Refer to your Pub Crawl map of participating sponsors and visit each one for great networking opportunities and, of course, free beer. All attendees welcome.</p>
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12:00 pm - 8:00 pm	<p>Early Check-In 3rd Floor Foyer Come by Saturday to pick up your badge and attendee bag so you can enter immediately on Sunday when the show opens!</p>
08/02/2015	
6:30 pm - 7:30 pm	<p>Newcomer Program Meetup Duffy The Affiliate Summit Newcomer Program helps connect first-time attendees with Affiliate Summit veterans. Conference veterans volunteer their time to share their past experience ideas and information to help newcomers optimize their time at the conference. This is an opportunity for those first-time attendees and conference veterans to meet. (You must be enrolled in the Affiliate Summit Newcomer Program to participate in this event.)</p>
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10:00 am - 10:30 am	<p>First Timer Orientation Astor Ballroom Shawn Collins, Co-Founder, Affiliate Summit All first-time attendees are welcome to join Affiliate Summit Co-Founder Shawn Collins for tips and advice for getting the most out of your time at Affiliate Summit.</p>
10:00 am - 12:00 pm	<p>Affiliate Program Showcase Broadway Ballroom Foyer</p>

This is a chance for affiliates to discover the affiliate programs available to them. Attendees with a badge type of Advertiser, Affiliate Management, OPM/Agency or Network will have a chance to claim one roundtable and camp out at it. There will be limited tables, so it's first come, first serve. After claiming a table, Advertiser, Affiliate Management, OPM/Agency or Network attendees can put out business cards, pamphlets, etc.

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Session 1a - Optimize WordPress Like a Super Affiliate

Times Square

David Vogelpohl, Vice President of Web Strategy, WP Engine

Are you an affiliate using WordPress? Watch WordPress personality David Vogelpohl share great growth tips for promoting and optimizing affiliate offers using WordPress. Don't miss this session!

Session 1b - Buying and Selling Websites

SoHo Complex

Mark Daoust, President, Quiet Light Brokerage

Chuck Mullins, President, Cash For Your Site

Expanding your affiliate business through website acquisitions and sales? Our experts will provide detailed strategies for buying and selling websites guaranteed to maximize your revenue potential.

Session 1c - Partial vs Buyer Data, Best Way to Monetize Leads

Astor Ballroom

JJ Alan, Owner/CEO, Creative Ventures Media

Ian Fernando, Boss, Jersey Consolidated

Bryant Hussey, Director of Online Marketing, Atlantic Coast Media Group

How to properly monetize the leads before and after the sale.

12:00 pm - 6:00 pm

Meet Market

Westside Ballroom Salons 1-4 & Foyer

The Meet Market at Affiliate Summit is an extended session of structured, face to face networking. Affiliate programs and networks have tables set to meet with affiliates to discuss their offers and cut deals. Vendors that cater to affiliates and merchants will also have tables to share information about their products and services. Each table is a meeting spot for teaching, learning, closing deals, creating partnerships and finding new opportunities.

5:00 pm - 6:00 pm

Opening Cocktail Reception in the Meet Market

Westside Ballroom Salons 1-4 & Foyer

Wrap up the end of Day 1 with a cocktail inside the Meet Market while you network with fellow attendees.

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Press Room

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Session 2a - Live SEO & Monetization Site Reviews

Times Square

Kenny Hyder, Founder, Hyder Media

Roger Montti, Owner, MartiniBuster.com

Scott Polk, Founder / CEO, Marketing Nomads

Adam Riemer, President, Adam Riemer Marketing

Want to know why your site doesn't rank or

Session 2b - 10 Proven Ways to Make Money as an Internet Marketer

SoHo Complex

Evan Weber, CEO, Experience Advertising

I will be discuss different business models and careers to make money on the Internet.

Complete with numerous strategies and examples.

Session 2c - Six Figure Blogging: The Myth, Dream & Reality

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Syed Balkhi, Founder, WPBeginner

John Chow, Titles Are For Wimps, John Chow dot Com

Zac Johnson, President, ZacJohnson.com

John Rampton, President, Adogy

This super panel of six figure bloggers and online marketers will discuss exactly what it

<p>how you can make more money? This session will help Affiliates & ecommerce sites increase their traffic, user experience and generate more revenue!</p>		<p>takes to grow your blog and brand to six figure business using affiliate marketing and more.</p>
<p>VIP & All Access Snack Break Broadway Ballroom Foyer Take a break from the networking and education for some snacks and drinks in a relaxed networking environment. (Snack Tickets are also required.)</p>		
<p>Session 3a - Testing Is Not CRO But It's Still Darn Important Times Square Justin Rondeau, Conversion Optimization Manager, Digital Marketer Testing has hit the mainstream, but when something is popular - bad habits form. In this session you'll learn when you should test, what to test, and how to construct a winning optimization campaign.</p>	<p>Session 3b - 5 Musts For Mobile Ad Campaign Success SoHo Complex Dale Carr, CEO, Leadbolt These tips from the front-lines are proven strategies that marketers can practice to ensure their mobile ad campaigns are set up for success.</p>	<p>Session 3c - How to Attract Quality Web Traffic & Leads with Instagram Astor Ballroom Sarah Davidson, Founder, Palm Valley Media LLC Instagram is a powerful platform for marketing today. Businesses are using it right now to get quality web traffic, leads, and sales. This session will teach you the insider secrets of how to do it.</p>
<p>Session 4a - Mobile Optimization Mastery: 5 Reasons Why Your ROI Sucks Times Square Rohail Rizvi, CEO, Rohail Rizvi Discover the top strategies I use to develop highly profitable and scalable mobile campaigns. You'll discover exactly what's holding back your mobile campaigns and how to finally achieve optimal ROI.</p>	<p>Session 4b - Avoiding Legal Risk in the Ever-Evolving World of Mobile SoHo Complex Slade Cutter, Member, Wittliff Cutter Mobile has become one of the strongest marketing channels for brands, affiliates, and agencies. But this channel comes with a unique set of legal risks, which will be discussed in this session.</p>	<p>Session 4c - Things You Don't Know About Human SEO, But Should Astor Ballroom Shannon K. Steffen, President, Shannon K. Steffen International, LLC We live a search-happy world. 93% of all buyers use a search engine prior to purchase. People want what they want now. Learn how humans search and 3 proven tactics to increase search engine rankings.</p>
<p>Session 5a - Social Marketing Friend to Friend Times Square Tara Siegel, Manager Paid Search & Social, eBay Enterprise Learn how experts from the eBay Enterprise affiliate network have embraced user behavior to crack the code to performance based social commerce marketing and build brand advocacy.</p>	<p>Session 5b - The Next Affiliate Battleground: Inbound Call Marketing SoHo Complex Daryl Colwell, SVP, Matomy Media Group Getting consumers to call you directly is the Holy Grail of marketing. Learn how to use direct response call marketing for enhanced customer acquisition and mobile monetization opportunities.</p>	<p>Session 5c - TBD Astor Ballroom</p>
<p>Ask the Experts Roundtables Broadway Ballroom Foyer Ashley Coombe, Owner, Tides Rising Thomas Cohn, Deputy General Counsel, NBTY, Inc.</p>		

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Joe Sousa, Affiliate Coordinator, Fanatics.com
Heather Petersen, CEO, National Merchants Association
Todd Boullion, GM, UnsubCentral
Bill Rothbard, Attorney, Law Offices of William I. Rothbard
Christopher Park, Affiliate/Partnerships Manager, Blair.com
Tony Fiorillo, President, Asset Management Strategies, Inc.
Jace Vernon, Owner, Ydraw

Compliant Affiliate Marketing for High-Risk Verticals - Tom Cohn

Creepy Video Marketing Tips and Tricks. It's Amazing - Jace Vernon

Hands On With Affiliate Tools - Joe Sousa

High Risk Processing & Operation Choke Point - Heather Petersen

Is Your Affiliate Strategy Hurting or Helping your Brand? - Todd Boullion

Tips from an FTC Pro: How to Stay on the Agency's Right Side - Bill Rothbard

Using Search Partners to Boost Affiliate/PPC Search Programs - Christopher Park

You've Made a Boatload of Money... Now What? - Tony Fiorillo

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3:15 pm - 3:45 pm	Session 8a - Strategies and Tools for Managing a Virtual Staff	Session 8b - The Future of Pay Per Call: Technology Improving Conversion	Session 8c - Affiliate Fraud Trends & the Policies Needed in the Industry

	<p>Astor Ballroom Rachel Honoway, CEO, FMTC Home-based employees may mean top talent and lower overhead. But, they present challenges in HR, productivity and executing company vision. Learn strategies and tools to face these challenges head on.</p>	<p>SoHo Complex Bryan George, CEO, Ring Router, Inc. The current landscape of pay per call, transition from leads to calls including Google mobile focus. The future of click to call, in-browser phone calls, conversion, and affiliates source tracking.</p>	<p>Lyceum Complex Monica Eaton-Cardone, COO/Co-Founder, Chargebacks911 The industry needs established policies for monitoring affiliate fraud or identity theft: review online traffic, survey consumers, & implement fraud detection software or affiliate scrubbing service.</p>
4:00 pm - 4:30 pm	<p>Session 9a - Affiliate Program Management in the ShareASale Network Astor Ballroom Greg Hoffman, President, Greg Hoffman Consulting An in-depth, live peak inside an active ShareASale program. As an Outsourced Program Manager (OPM), I live inside the network every day. I will give managers tips and tricks to maximize programs.</p>	<p>Session 9b - Biting the Hand that Feeds You: How Agencies View Affiliates SoHo Complex Tony Wright, CEO, WrightIMC Traditional and digital agencies have long viewed Affiliates with both skepticism and optimism - with many agencies being overly cautious when recommending an affiliate program.</p>	<p>Session 9c - Exclusive Insight Into the Mobile App Marketing Movement Lyceum Complex Brian Fox, CEO, AdAction Interactive Mobile is on the rise. Now is the time to focus on user acquisition and discuss the importance of mobile app marketing, effective means to app discovery, and App Store ranking (Apple vs. Google).</p>
4:45 pm - 5:15 pm	<p>Session 10a - Back to the Basics: Affiliate Management 101 Astor Ballroom Marty Marion, Affiliate Program Manager, Deluxe Corp Session details will include terminology, recruitment, commission, fraud, technology, and more. Affiliate managers new to the industry can use this information and apply to their programs immediately.</p>	<p>Session 10b - TBD SoHo Complex</p>	<p>Session 10c - How to Measure the ROI of Social Media: Is it Even Possible? Lyceum Complex Michelle Held, Owner, Metrony, LLC Social media can make you money! Learn to measure social media return on investment. Today's online buying process is complex. Measuring social media ROI may not be perfect, but it's not impossible!</p>