# TOP 15 SOCIAL MEDIA SUCCESS TIPS FOR HAIR SALONS & STYLISTS

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#### **Brand:**

1. Ensure your Unique BRAND Focus is clear on your social profiles. What is your specialty? What is your niche? Who are your ideal customers?

#### Content:

- 2. Create compelling CONTENT that speaks directly to your ideal customers. Publish daily (on one or more channels), if possible.
- 3. Focus on VISUAL content: create vibrant images and videos that express your brand beautifully.
- 4. Use simple yet powerful image and VIDEO apps, such as Adobe Spark and Animoto.
- 5. Remember to be in the business of EDUCATION: provide useful, highly shareable content.

#### Offers:

6. Intersperse your educational, value-add content with periodic OFFERS. Consider a 5:1 content to offer ratio.

## Community:

- 7. Create a friendly and fun environment for taking photos and video clips on site for social SHARING on the spot.
- 8. Enable REVIEWS on your Facebook Page and encourage happy customers to share their experience.
- Go above and beyond; offer stellar SOCIAL CUSTOMER CARE. Create Superfans!
- 10. On your Facebook Page and/or your website, invite prospects and customers to PRIVATE MESSAGE you using Messenger.

#### Ads:

- 11. Follow The Mari Method to AMPLIFY reach and engagement of select posts through the Boost button or Ads Manager.
- 12. Consider Facebook's Bluetooth Beacon with Local Awareness ADS and Offers.
- 13. Install the Facebook PIXEL on your website and use the basics in your ads.

### Growth:

- 14. Master ONE channel: Facebook or Instagram. Then add other channels: Snapchat, Twitter, YouTube.
- 15. Enlist additional HELP, if possible! Even 1-2 hours a week of someone helping with your social media can make all the difference.