

## SAMSUNG

McCombs Marketing Case Challenge

PRESENTED BY: TEAM STAND WITH THE BRAND



## MEET THE TEAM









## Agenda

- MISSION
- LANDSCAPE
- SEGMENTATION
- SOLUTION
- COMMUNICATION
- CHANNELS
- NEXT STEPS



### **SAMSUNG MISSION:**

# TO DEVOTE ITS TALENT AND TECHNOLOGY TO CREATING SUPERIOR PRODUCTS AND SERVICES THAT CONTRIBUTE TO A BETTER GLOBAL SOCIETY

WHAT DOES A BETTER GLOBAL SOCIETY LOOK LIKE TO GEN-Z WOMEN?



## What does a better global society look like to Gen-Z women?

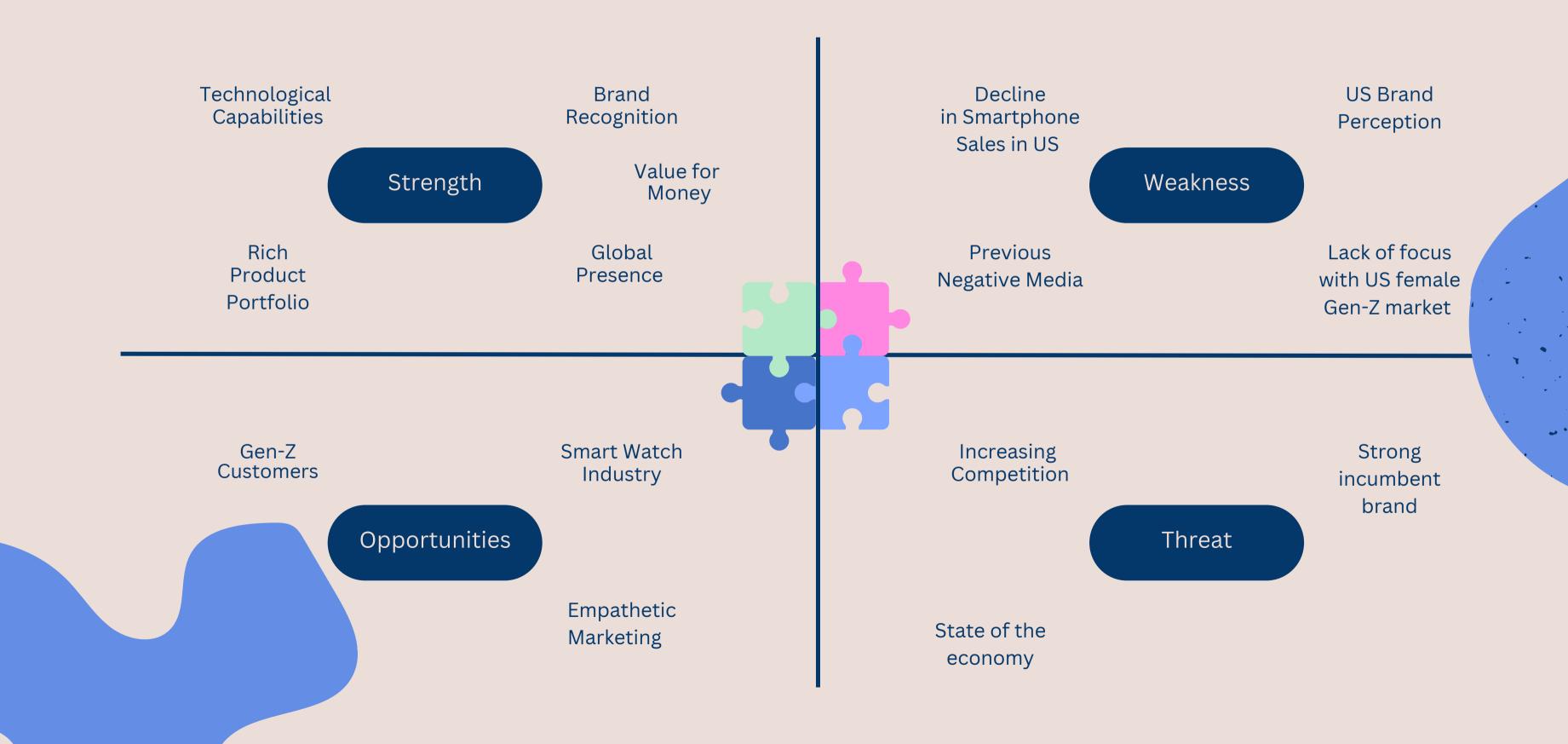
- Kinder
- Less Harsh
- Sustainable
- Accepting
- Safer
- Respectful

- Flexible
- Strong Communities
- Tolerating
- Adaptable
- Inclusive
- Open-Minded

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## **SWOT Analysis**

#### ANALYZING THE GALAXY SUITE IN THE MARKET





## Opportunity:

3/4

Customers are new to the Apple Watch

52%

Smartwatch owners are women

\$58.21 BN

Projected size of the smartwatch industry in 2028 by revenue

3.57x

Customer preference for Apple over

Samsung



## How the Competition is Marketing:





#### Competitions

Go head to head with a friend in a seven-day competition in which you earn points based on the percentage of your Activity rings that you close. Personalized coaching will tell you how much you need to move to bring home bragging rights.

# Get the motivation you need to close your rings every day.



# Three rings. One goal.

See how to close your Activity rings on Apple Watch >

#### Race Route Repeat it and beat it.

If it's an Outdoor Run or Outdoor Cycle workout you do often, you can choose to race against your last or best result and receive in-the-moment updates to help you get there.

Move. Exercise. Stand. Track all the ways you're active.

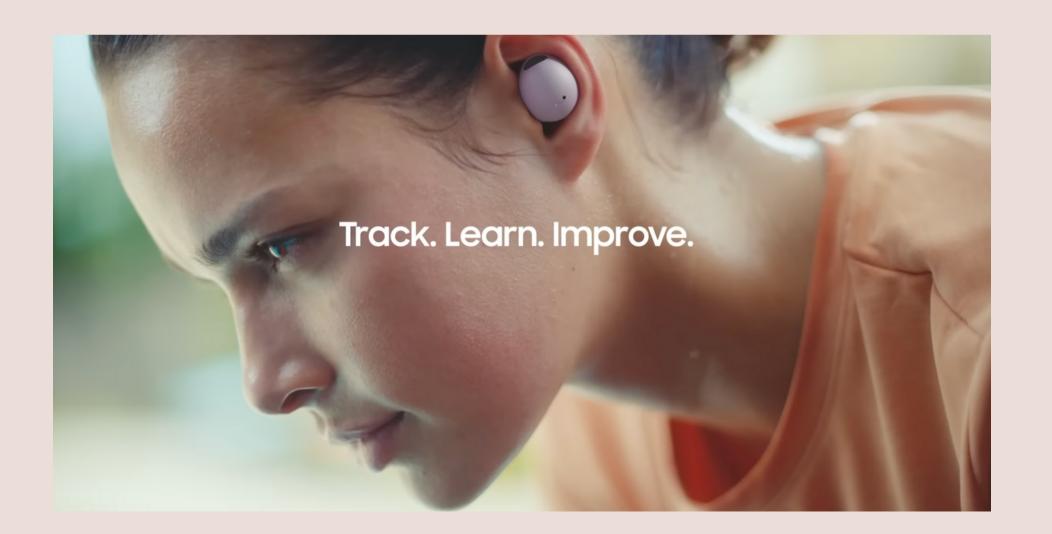
Activity rings show your daily activity. Make it your goal to close them every day. To keep you motivated there are awards, personalized coaching, and Activity competitions.

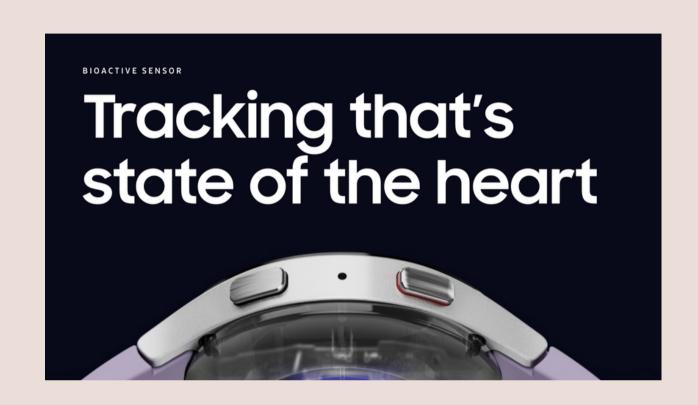


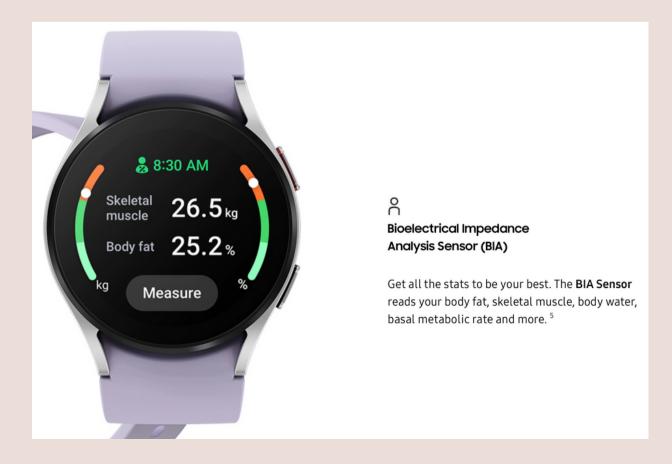
### HOW SAMSUNG IS MARKETING:

## Galaxy Watch5

Full of insights and motivation to fuel your fitness glow up.









# Using one adjective, what comes to mind when you think of the brand Samsung?

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sharp Slow Different Regular Glitchy Reliable Irrelevant Green techyengineer Non-compatible
Old Lame Media/technology Thick Function is good unmemorable Not-apple Android Forgettable
GalaxyUnpopularOutdated
UniqueTv
Shiny RobustAverage
Clunky
mid
                                                                    modern
                                                                     boring
```



# Using one adjective, what comes to mind when you think of community based exercise?

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Satisfied
SexySweatyEmpowered relaxed Confident
Good Refresh Happy freedom Healthy
Refreshed Accomplished Lazy Energized Strong
   unmotivated liberated Alive revived Fit
        Awake Energy
```



### THE GOAL

**GET:** GEN-Z WOMEN

WHO: WANT TO FEEL SUPPORTED IN AN AGE OF COMPARISON

TO: CONSIDER PURCHASING THE GALAXY WATCH 5

BY: BUILDING COMMUNITIES THAT UNITE USERS

## SEGMENTATION



Teen Angst 12-18

- Fitting in
- Popularity
- Limited Freedom



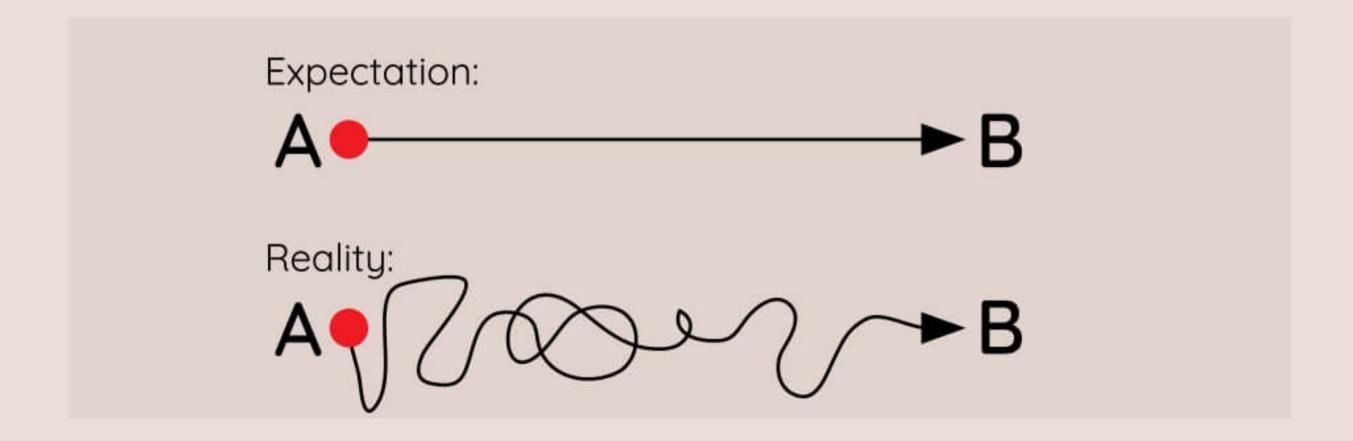
Troublesome 20s 19-25

- Life transition
- Self-doubt
- Independence



## Why Troublesome 20s?

Our 20s are a MISMARKETED decade





## Let's match the marketing to the MARKET:

PROVIDING THEM WITH A SENSE OF IDENTITY THROUGH COMMUNITY, INCLUSIVITY, AND ENOURAGEMENT



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### **Target Persona**



#### **ANNA MILLER, 22**

Anna is is a recent UT graduate who is trying to navigate post grad life. She is trying to make connections, focus on living in the present and avoid succumbing to societal pressures. She likes to have fun but is also trying to balance that with growing up.

## Anna and her troublesome 20s

#### **ASPIRATIONS:**

- To find and make connections
- To avoid succumbing to societal pressures
- To be happy with where she is in life
- To be confident with who she is
- To be focused on living in the present
- To keep moving forward

#### **MESSAGING CONSIDERATIONS**

- Anna is looking for communities she can relate to
- She feels pressure from outside voices on who she should be, what she should do and how her future should look
- She uses movement to elevate her wellbeing rather than to look a certain way

#### **VALUES**

- Female friendships
- Women supporting
- women
  - Community
  - Work life balance
- Mental health
  - Healthy relationship with her body
  - Authenticity
  - Acceptance

#### **INTERESTS**

- Health
- Fitness
- Dogs
- Social Drinking
- Music
- Movies
- Pop-Culture



## Positioning Statement:

TO CREATE THE BETTER GLOBAL SOCIETY GEN-Z
WOMEN WANT, LET'S BUILD
COMMUNITIES THAT UNITE
SAMSUNG WATCH 5 USERS

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## Our Solution:

1

**COMMUNITY ACTIVATION** 

2

EMPATHETIC MESSAGING



## Community Activation Timeline

**Create Account** 

Take an Interest Quiz

Find your Samsung Community

**Purchase** the Watch

**Input location** 

View Samsung
Ambassador
led activities
near you







## SAMSUNG AMBASSADORS:

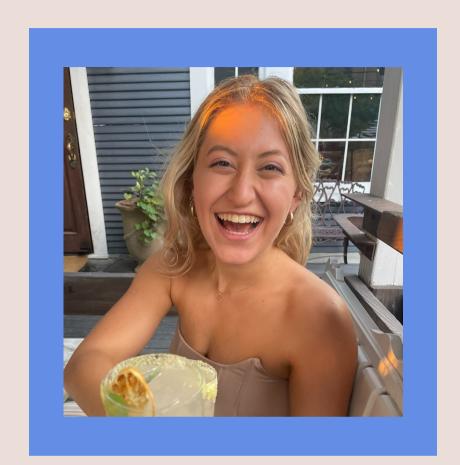


#### Who are Samsung Ambassadors?

- Personas like Anna
- Relatable Voice
- Enjoy connecting with new people
- Value well-being over competition

#### **Incentives to Apply:**

 Incentives for ambassadors: free watch, discounted Samsung devices, leadership opportunity



## Empathetic Messaging:

#### Supportive

- You are enough
- Acceptance
- Connected

#### **Less Metric Focused**

- Low-Pressure
- Just Show Up
- Set Your Own Pace



## Examples:





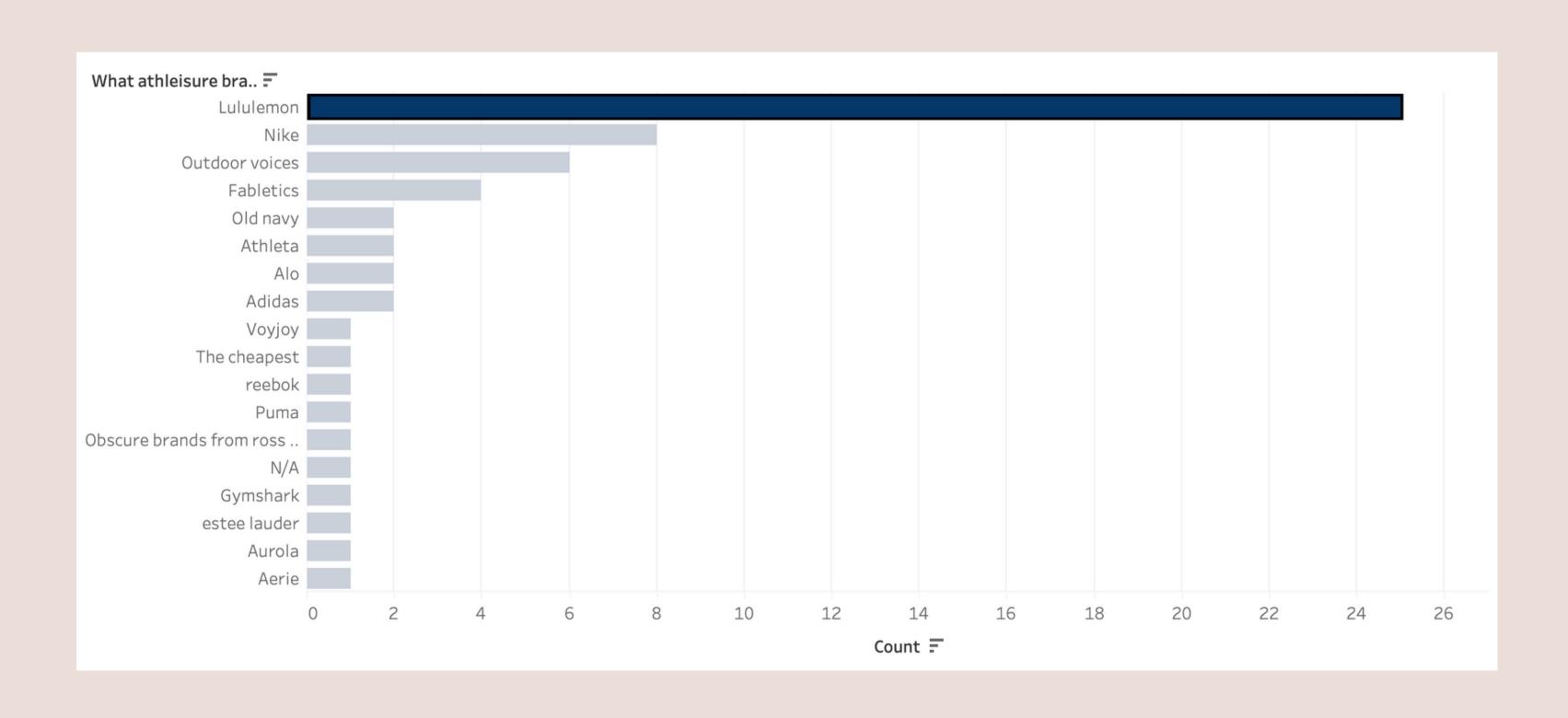
## Community is everything

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# What Athleisure brand makes you feel the most comfortable in your own skin?



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## **Communication Strategy**

1

SOCIAL MEDIA 2

WORD OF MOUTH

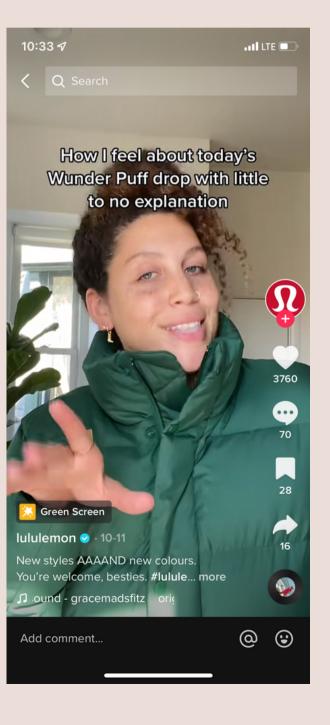


## Social Media

- Partner with Lululemon for an empathetic angle
- Lulu ambassadors wear the watches while jumping on Tik Tok trends











## Social Media

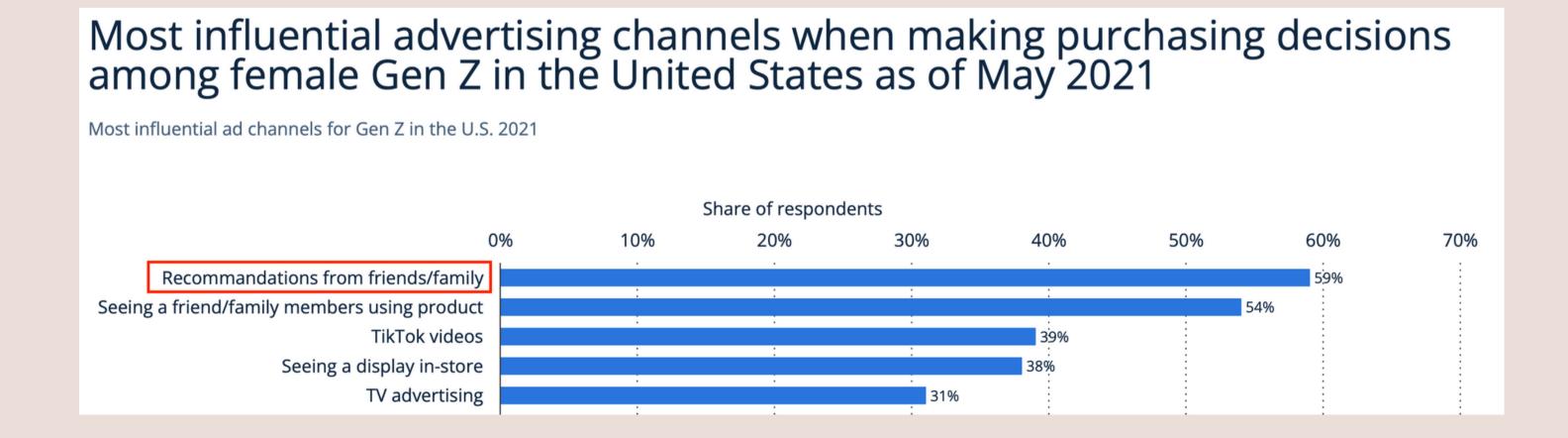
- #Don't be a square campaign:
  - Post a video on Tik Tok doing an activity that makes you feel connected with this hashtag to enter the giveaway
  - Giveaway one Smart Watch 5 per month to continue stamina





## Bottom-Up: Word of Mouth

- 59% of Gen-Z women are influenced by recommendations from friends/family when making purchasing decisions
- Use Samsung ambassador led events and a referral program to drive word - of - mouth endorsement



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## Channels

1

Online focus

2

Co-Brands

## CO-BRAND

- Stronger than just a partnership
- History of successful execution:
  - Samsung launched their Galaxy
     S20 phone with a special BTS edition
  - Sold out in less than one hour

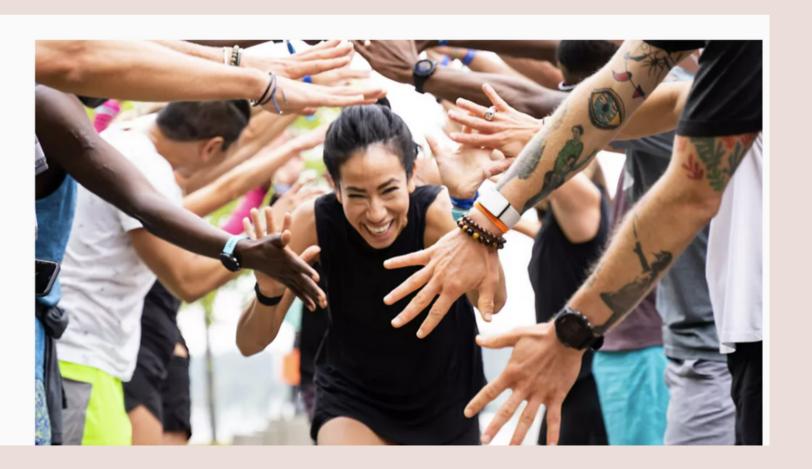


## Co-Brand with Lulu

- Use Lululemon as a distribution channel:
  - They have established trust and communication with the women Gen-Z audience
  - Inclusive and community driven mission
  - Potential for a limited edition workout set with the Samsung Watch 5

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## KPIs to Measure

#### **SOCIAL MEDIA**

Metrics that track engagement and virality

#### **COMMUNITY**

Number of community sign-ups

#### **WOM**

Number of watches purchased under a referral code

#### **COBRAND**

Watches sold at a Lululemon retail location



\$9.5 MM

BUDGET FOR OUR CAMPAIGNS 4.42 MM

TIK-TOK ENGAGEMENT RATES 5.13 MM

RETAIL EXPOSURE

### LOOKING FORWARD:

- With improved perceptions, Gen-Z women will consider the Samsung brand in future purchases
- Gateway to the Galaxy portfolio





# Thank you!

**QUESTIONS?** 

# Appendix



## Survey Questions

#### Market Research

I am conducting this survey for a class in grad school. I would love any responses from people who identify as a Gen Z woman. Thank you for your support, women supporting women!

| Using one adjective, what comes to mind when you think of the brand Samsung?  Short answer text |
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| Using one adjective, what comes to mind when you think of community based exercise?             |
| Short answer text   |
| What athleisure brand makes you feel the most comfortable in your own skin?  Short answer text  |
| In 5-10 words, what does a better global society look like to GEN Z women?                      |
| Short answer text   |
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## Sample Group Activities

- Walking
- Yoga
- Meditation
- Biking
- Swimming
- Tennis
- Pickleball
- Volleyball

- Hiking
- Paddle Boarding
- Pilates
- Spikeball
- Frisbee golf
- Kickball
- Soccer
- Journaling



## Sample Interest Quiz Questions

- 1.) What are some of the activities that interest you (ex. walking, yoga, meditation)?
- 2.) How far are you willing to commute to join community activities?
- 3.) What are you looking for in the Samsung community (Safe group, women to exercise with, friends, etc.)?



#### Marketing Budget Calculation

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|--|-------------|
| Size of the smartwatch industry, 2013  | 700000000   |
| Size of the smartwatch industry, 2014  | 150000000   |
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|  |             |
| Marketing spend by Samsung on Smartwatches in 2014   | 11500000    |
| Size of the smartwatch industry, 2022  | 11520000000 |
| Growth Multiplication of the industry (from 2014 to 2022)  | 7.68        |
| Marketing budget (based on assuming that marketing grows proportionately with the industry size) | 88320000    |
|  |             |
| Fraction spent on Social media   | 15720960    |
| AAA  | 0.400570    |
| Amount spent on TikTok   | 9432576     |
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#### Engagement Rate Calculation

| Source (for number of GenZ users, percentage of women, |  |
|--|--|
| number of GenZ women)                                  | https://blog.hootsuite.com/tiktok-stats/ |
| Number of GenZ users on TikTok                         | 41400000                                 |
| Percentage of women users on TikTok                    | 0.61                                     |
| Number of GenZ women on TikTok                         | 25254000                                 |
| https://www.tiktok.com/business/en-US/blog/branded-    |  |
| hashtag-challenge-harness-the-power-of-participation   |  |
| Median engagement rate of users with Branded Hashtag   |  |
| Challenges (Likes, comments and shares)                | 0.175                                    |
| Impressions (through Likes, comments and shares)       | 4419450                                  |
|  |  |
| Number of women who make a purchase                    | 44194.5                                  |
|  |  |



#### Retail Exposure Calculation

| % of female purchases at Lululemon                  | 0.7        |
|---|------------|
| % of male purchases at Lululemon                    | 0.21       |
|   |            |
| Average spending amount at Lululemon                | 100        |
|   |            |
| Revenue from brick and mortar                       | 2821000000 |
| Number of customers                                 | 28210000   |
| Number of GenZ customers                            | 7334600    |
| Number of women GenZ customers exposed at Lululemon | 5134220    |
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