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## Maximizing Your SEO with a True Media Partner

## **Google Changed Everything**

From a highly defined media outlet process, where print controlled access to the architects, designers, engineers and facility managers you wanted to reach, the Internet –subsequently Google and now AI – turned that access completely on its back.

## TODAY'S MARKETING LANDSCAPE

## Today, over 70% of people who look for stuff go to Google first.



So if you are not on page one of Google searches, you are completely overlooked.

#### Therefore, SEO is the most important consideration when you are selling ANYTHING today.

SEO is also the most important when you are trying to reach a **defined audience** among all those people who are cruising the Internet for your products and services.

<u>KB-Resource.com</u> not only recognized that; KB-Resource was created to capitalize on SEO and help <u>YOUR</u> SEO by the dissemination of your content and LINKING back to your website. And, linking is one of the things Google absolutely loves!

In our strategy, that's how we deliver you VALUE.

**KB-Resource is NOT about HITS (how idiots track success).** KB-Resource is about building relationships with your prospects and customers – reinforcing the most important marketing tactic in your arsenal: your website!

Because marketing isn't about you; it's about your customers.

And your customers are seeking information EVERYWHERE.

Our job is to broadcast your messages to our growing channel followers and website visitors and bring you together to make the deal.

# We are in the business of building relationships through ENGAGEMENT.

Unlike programmatic strategies, we believe human beings relate to human beings... not automation. So a question is:

## How do you navigate the dynamic construction industry?

188,000 electrical engineers

500,000 construction managers

300,000 civil engineers

120,000 architects

85,000 interior designers

30,000-50,000 structural engineers

> 22.5 million residential landlords



303,000 mechanical engineers

??? thousands of commercial real estate, large-scale owners and investors and developers\* 303,000 mechanical engineers

35,000-40,000 HVAC engineers

40,000 residential developers

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Sources: National Council of Architectural Registration Boards (NCARB), U.S. Bureau of Labor Statistics (BLS), U.S. Census Bureau, National Association of Home Builders (NAHB), Urban Land Institute.

While you want all of them or some of them to come to your website, you really don't. You want ONLY <u>those who will consider your specifying and using your</u> <u>products and services.</u> That takes a relationship. And that takes a media outlet that understands the first step is engagement as the key to building a relationship with the people who matter to you.

\* The U.S. REIT (real estate investment trusts) market consists of 225+ publicly traded REITs, with thousands of private firms and institutions also owning significant real estate portfolios. The number of commercial real estate owners, when including firms and individuals, is much larger but not as easily quantifiable.

How do you reach the architects, engineers, designers, contractors or distributors and showrooms that control this business



In other words, you need

KB-Resource

because our audiences USE

**KB-Resource** 

to find YOU.



Over 8,000 professionals follow us on X @KB\_Resource



## Our Mission

To become a content partner with companies seeking to solidify their role in the path to specification, purchase and installation.

Try This Experiment

Google: "Aging in Place Marketing" or "Marketing to the Aging in Place You will see **KB-Resource** is among the top organic results!

## It's not About You. It's About Them. And what we can tell you about them!

Even though many companies use public IP addresses when traveling the internet, it doesn't change the fact that **someone**, **somewhere** is looking for what you sell. **KB-resource.com** is all about the QUALITY of the visitor and telling as much as we can about the someone, somewhere. That means knowing WHERE they visit as well. Like the 66 visitors who read this story about *Turning Any French Door into a Fully Functional Dog Door*. Or the trend blog that visitors loved.

## Our website visitors come to gather INSPIRATION and INFORMATION



Turn Any French Door into a Fully Functional Dog Door When a French patio door is the ideal location for a dog door installation, the PlexiDor Glass Series French Door Insert is the solution. This innovative insert turns any French door into a fully functional dog door. The product is shipped fully assembled and ready for replacement of the existing glass. All door hardware, including hinges, handle and lock remain unchanged.

"We developed the French Door Dog Door Insert for millions of dog occupied households that utilize a French door that leads to the backyard," says Robert Wollet, Business Development Manager for PlexiDor, "The new PlexiDor Glass Series is now part of the PlexiDor family of products that includes dog doors for installation into exterior doors and exterior walls."



As our audience changes, we send these visitors back to your website completing the SEO circle.



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## Why does Amazon visit KB-Resource.com?

For ideas, of course! They looked at our website over 55 times in four months because obviously, what we post interests someone! Can other media outlets tell you that? You need to look into ours!



## Why does the State of Oregon visit KB-Resource.com?

Think about this: if you search "accessible faucet design," our SEO brings us to the top of the list – higher than many manufacturers of faucets. That's not an accident. So if you are in the faucet business, makes sense to be in the kbresource.com business, doesn't it? Call us today!

## Why does SpaceX visit KB-Resource.com?

Well, maybe someone within this company that designs, manufactures and launches advanced rockets and spacecraft is building a home, or remodeling a home. Or maybe it is their Starlink -- a satellite based Internet Service Provider. In any case, over the past four months, visitors from the IP showed up 12 times, and wouldn't you like to be there when they do show up? Remember: quality, not quantity! Check us out now!

## Why did Boise State University visit KB-Resource.com?

Our blog on ADA showerheads is one reason. Was it a student? Or was the university retrofitting a bathroom or two? Well, we know there is one \$5Mseeking to provide temporary toilets, wash facilities, safety shower and eyewash facilities. In both cases, we're the resource that they used! What are you waiting for? Be there when they are there.

We use reverse IP lookup technology to monitor visitor engagement. We don't have millions each month; what we have is over 1,000 QUALIFIED companies who don't have time to waste but are looking for innovative solutions like you offer. So why waste time on hits and clicks, or quantity over quality? <u>KB-Resource.com</u> was built for ENGAGEMENT. Start Now!





There's a reason over 8,000 pros follow KB-Resource on "X."

Actually, all 8,000+ have their own reasons!!!

We can't put them all here, but here's a taste...

## KBIS @KBIS Follows you

North America's premier event for kitchen and bath design

## Derek Leavitt, AIA 🤣

@architectderek Follows you

Housing Architect + Advocate Recovering Developer + General Contractor Director of Housing at EYRC Architects

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@LeichtUSA Follows you

Premium German Kitchens – we will design your dream kitchen

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Online source for cabinet doors, drawer fronts, drawer boxes, and other cabinetry components. Serving woodworkers, carpenters, and DIYers.

### Deziner Tonie - Luvs2Dezin 🤣 @dezinertonie Follows you

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An award-winning Design Firm in the Palm Beaches

## CCIDC Inc

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The California Council for Interior Design Certification (CCIDC),

## Nelson Construction 🤣

@NelsonConstReno Follows you

Award-winning Tampa Bay design-build company

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Search over 105,000 building products.

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## The National Association of Home Builders



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# Editorial and Advertising

## Our website is organized into the following areas:

#### • About

This is the best place to learn about our Mission and our Value Proposition and how we view Content. It will be worth your time to spend a few minutes to understand how different we are from other media outlets.

News

In this section, your press releases on products and services are housed. We might adjust a headline for SEO, but that's about it. News items are conveniently categorized into subsections like INTERIOR PRODUCTS or EXTERIOR PRODUCTS and others. And ON THE MOVE carries personnel announcements.

#### Case Studies

These stories display the solutions provided by your product and service in applications. Our audiences love these types of stories because it gives them new ideas in their own work!

#### • Opinions

Who doesn't have an opinion? We would like to hear and publish yours! Professional, thought-provoking are the key words to keep in mind.

#### • Blog

We often blog about topics, and our blogs are some of the best SEO we have available. Over time, it only gets better like fine wine!

#### • KB-tivity

In this designer section, designers are featured with their work. Each designer receives a link back to their website and the area to showcase a couple of their projects and statements.

A wonderful opportunity to build SEO.

#### Learning Center

Our redesigned hub houses CEUs, Podcasts and our latest offering called Showcases, where we feature companies in comprehensive overview introduction into their products and services. All CEUs are AIA and NKBA approved, many are IDCEC certified. They focus on helping your businesses grow.

#### • Contact

We are always interested in hearing from you!

- There is no difference anymore; Google has seen to that.
- The operative word now is "content" because everything is content.
- And that means everything is advertising. Everything is editorial.
- When you supply your content to our website, we will post it and link it back to your website, giving you the benefit of SEO.
- We want to publish all of the content we can for a simple reason: Google doesn't filter.
- Google reads everything, and because it reads everything, it indexes everything.

# Start Your Relationship with Us Today!

# Everything begins with sending your content to:

editor@kb-resource.com

## Call or e-mail now and let's begin the engagement!

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## ENGAGEMENT OPPORTUNITIES

## <u>News</u>

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NEWS

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## Case Studies

Perfect for showcasing your company's work. No limit on graphics or content. Owners, developers, love this section. **\$1,200** for the year. Contact <u>editor@kb-resource.com</u>. Want us to write it? \$500.

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Extend your blog reach! Re-post your blogs to new audiences. Up to 2,000 words with or without graphics**. \$500** for the year. Contact <u>editor@kb-resource.com</u>.

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## Learning Center

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KB-Resource Newsletter

**KB-itz Newsletters** – Our newsletter reaches key individuals who influence, recommend and specify your products and services. Each month distributed to 3,000+ key individuals. Our auditing tool lets you "see" the domains;

just go to <u>https://a-i-m.com/audit/email-kbr/</u> and type in the domain of your companies you are targeting (i.e., cmbaarchitects.com, dahlingroup.com, etc.). Many professionals use their gmail accounts etc. so these domains will naturally be higher in counts. Only KB-Resource lets you "see" the people on our list! Your product or service featured with others for **\$1750**. Want to buy the entire issue and make it your event? \$5,000. Contact <u>editor@kb-resource.com</u> for details.

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