

BUILDING YOUR DIGITAL BRAND

Through the power of storytelling

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HELLO!



I'm **Andreea Gavrilă** and today we are going to find out how to become a storyteller for your own self. **Ready?**

**WHAT DOES YOUR SOCIAL PROFILE
SAY ABOUT YOU?**



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**“USE SOCIAL MEDIA TO YOUR ADVANTAGE.
IT CAN HELP YOU DIFFERENTIATE YOURSELF FROM
SOMEONE WHO ISN'T DOING THAT. “**

Michael Erwin, senior career advisor and spokesman for CareerBuilder.

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WHEN DID YOU LAST CHECK WHAT YOUR SOCIAL PROFILES LOOK LIKE?

70%

of employers use social media to screen candidates during the hiring process.

43%

of employers use social media to check on current employees.

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THE SECRET? JUST COMMON SENSE.

HERE ARE SOME **BIG**
NO-NOs FOR EMPLOYERS

36% POSTED INFORMATION ABOUT THEM
DRINKING OR USING DRUGS

31% HAD DISCRIMINATORY COMMENTS
RELATED TO RAGE

27% LIED ABOUT QUALIFICATIONS & POOR
COMMUNICATION SKILLS

22% SCREEN NAME OR E-MAIL WAS
UNPROFESSIONAL

12% POSTED TOO FREQUENTLY

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**AND IF YOU'RE
SMART, YOU CAN
PROMOTE
YOURSELF AS AN
IDEAL CANDIDATE**

**EMPLOYERS REALLY
APPRECIATE THE
FOLLOWING:**

- 34%** CANDIDATE IS CREATIVE
- 33%** CANDIDATE PROFILE CONVEYED A PROFESSIONAL IMAGE
- 28%** GREAT COMMUNICATION SKILLS & RECEIVED AWARDS AND ACCOLADES
- 26%** HAD INTERACTED WITH COMPANY SOME ACCOUNTS



BUT WHY SHOULD YOU CARE?
DO YOU REALLY HAVE THE POWER OF GETTING YOURSELF NOTICED?

An illustration featuring a man on the left and a woman on the right, both shown in profile and facing each other. The man has dark purple hair and a beard, and the woman has red hair. They are both wearing black clothing. Between them is a large, light gray, cloud-like speech bubble. Inside this bubble, there is a small heart icon at the top right and a question mark at the bottom center. The background is a solid, muted brown color.

**If YOU don't talk about
yourself, others will.**

**If you don't have a strong personal brand,
it will be difficult to get noticed.**

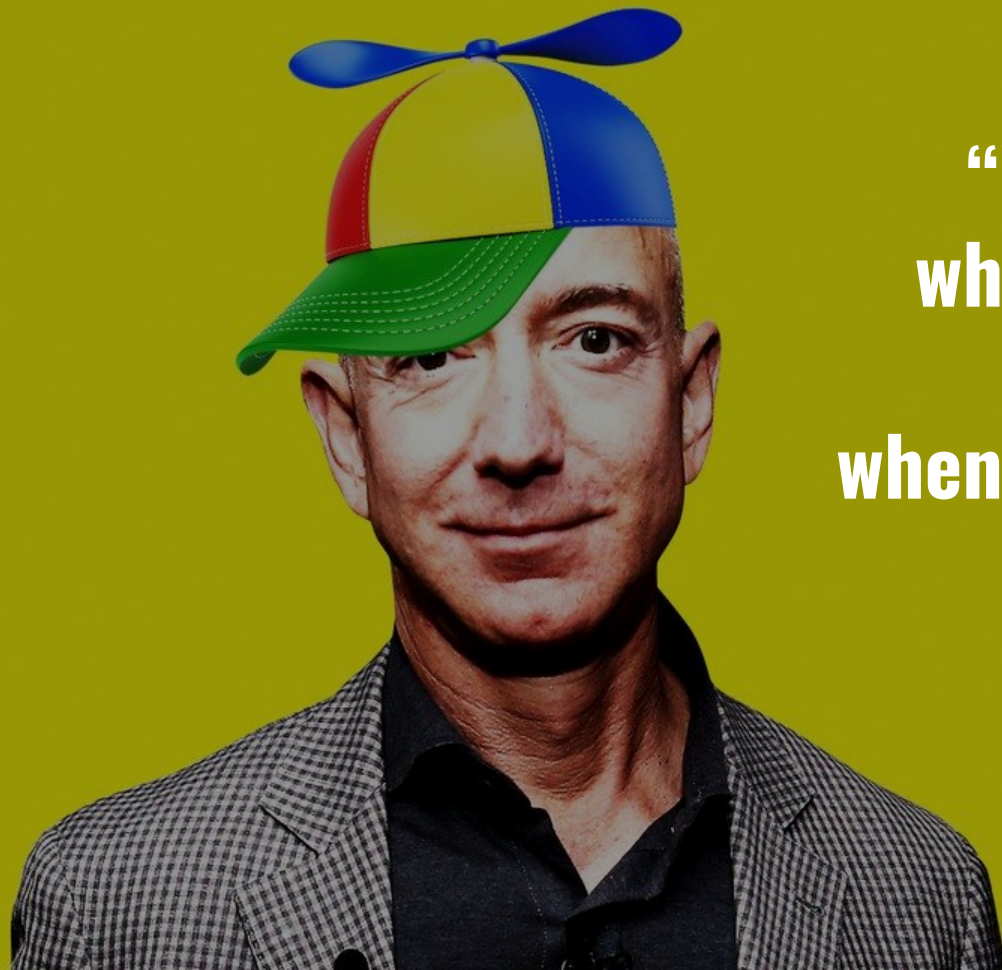


**If you choose the job
you love, you will
never have to work a
day in your life.**



Let's talk about your image, aka **YOUR PERSONAL BRAND**

What's all the fuss about it?



**“Your brand is
what people say
about you
when you’re not in
the room.”**

***Jeff Bezos,
founder of Amazon***



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**WHEN YOU GOOGLE
YOURSELF,
WHAT POPS OUT?**

A personal brand is the unique combination of skills and experiences that make you who you are. **It is how you present yourself to the world.**

WHAT DO
YOU KNOW
ABOUT
OPRAH
WINFREY?



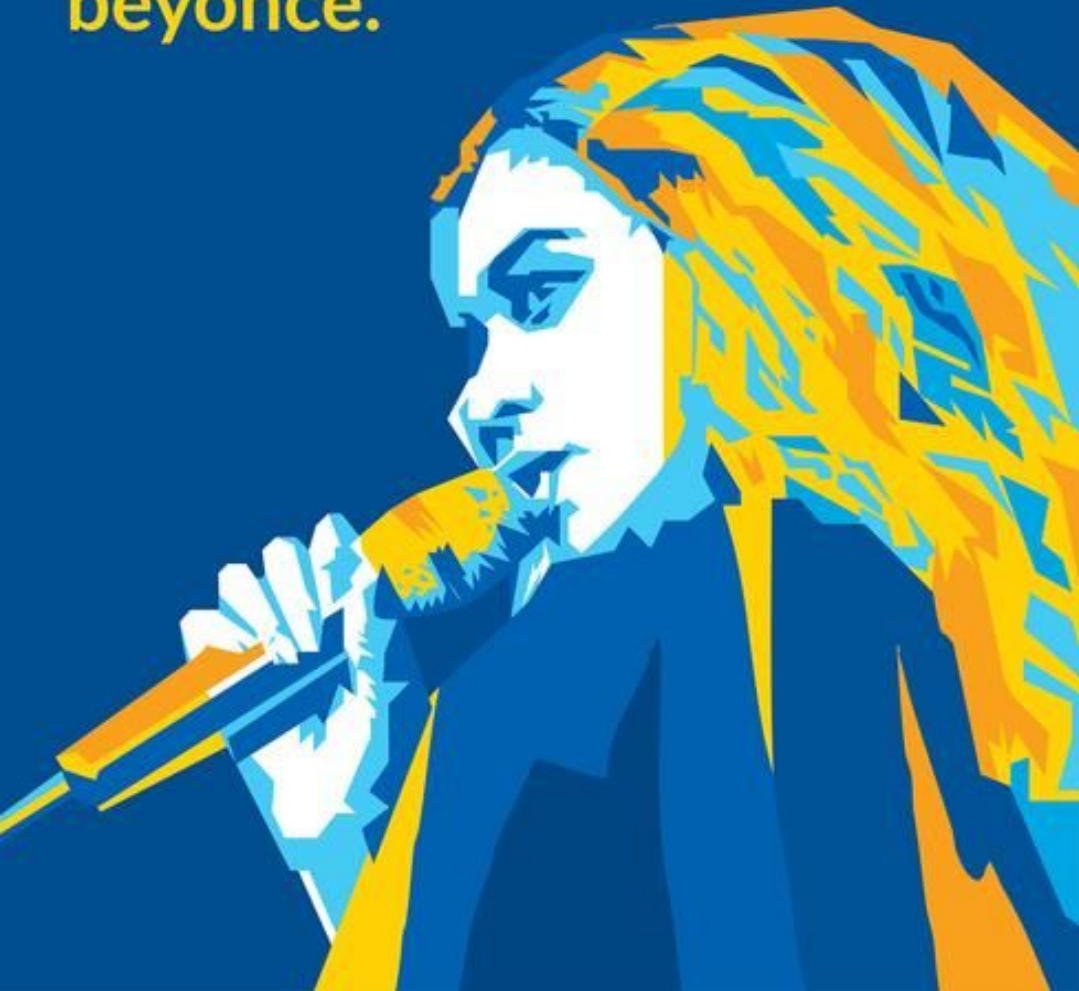


WHAT DO YOU
KNOW ABOUT
ELON MUSK?



WHAT DO YOU
KNOW ABOUT
EMMA WATSON?

beyonce.



WHAT DO YOU
KNOW ABOUT
BEYONCE?

__SO WHAT DO THEY ALL HAVE IN COMMON?

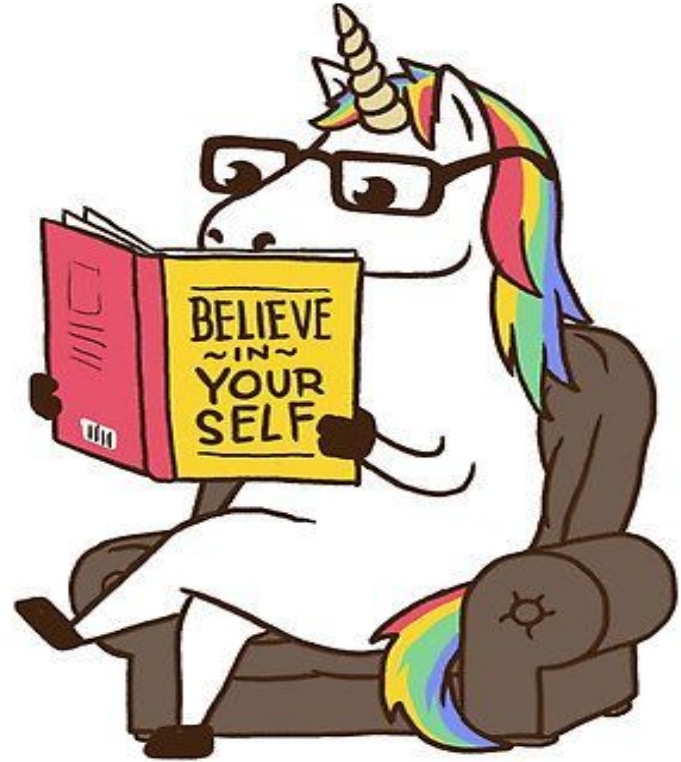
**A STRONG, SUCCESSFUL
PERSONAL BRAND.
SOMETHING THEY STAND FOR.**

**PERSONAL BRANDING
CAN ALSO APPLY TO
FICTIONAL CHARACTERS.
AND MEMES.**



**YOUR PERSONAL
BRAND =**

**BEING YOU +
BEING AWESOME**





**WORK SO HARD, UNTIL YOU NO LONGER
HAVE TO INTRODUCE YOURSELF**

START BY DEFINING YOUR BRAND MANTRA

EMOTIONAL

DESCRIPTIVE

FUNCTIONAL



EMOTIONAL

DESCRIPTIVE

FUNCTIONAL

AUTHENTIC

ATHLETIC

PERFORMANCE



EMOTIONAL

DESCRIPTIVE

FUNCTIONAL

FUN

FAMILY

ENTERTAINMENT



EMOTIONAL

DESCRIPTIVE

FUNCTIONAL

FUN

FOLKS

FOOD

The background features a deep blue color with a pattern of concentric white circles, resembling ripples in water. Five stylized blue hills are scattered across the scene. Each hill has a small white smokestack on top. A bright blue beam of light emanates from one of the smokestacks, pointing towards the top left corner of the image.

TIME TO EXERCISE!

Create your brand mantra in 3 words:
EMOTIONAL - DESCRIPTIVE - FUNCTIONAL

Visit: <http://bit.ly/brandmantras>



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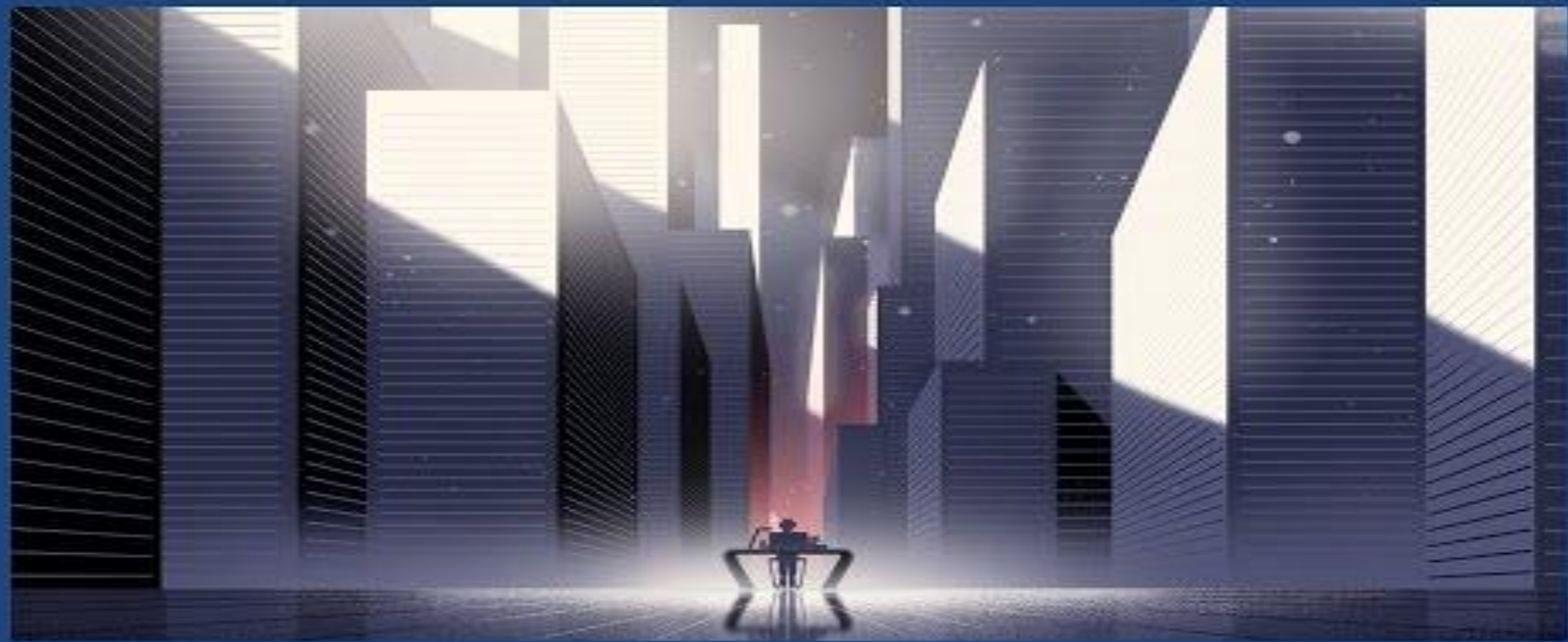
WRITING THE STORY FOR YOUR FUTURE

Become the best version of yourself

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WHAT DO YOU WANT TO BECOME WHEN YOU GROW UP?

**IN THE YEAR OF 2050, 70% OF EMPLOYEES
WILL HAVE JOBS THAT DO NOT EXIST YET.**



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BETTER KEEP AN EYE ON THE
FOLLOWING INDUSTRIES:

Artificial intelligence
Internet of Things
Self-driving vehicles
Nanotechnology
Renewable technology
Quantum computing
Biotechnology

**TODAY, A GROWING
NUMBER OF PEOPLE FEEL
THEIR JOB IS USELESS.**

**IT'S TIME TO RETHINK THE
MEANING OF WORK!**

TOP SKILLS YOU WILL NEED TO THRIVE IN THE FUTURE:

**Complex problem
solving**

See relationships
between industries

Collaborate,
communicate, lead
and inspire.

**People management and
team coordination**

Critical thinking

Turn data into
insightful
interpretations

Put yourself in one's
shoes through
empathy & curiosity.

Emotional intelligence

Creativity

Try new perspectives
and build something.

Come up with
win-win solutions.

Negotiation

16personalities.com

“It’s so incredible to finally be understood.”

Take our Personality Test and get a “freakishly accurate” description of who you are and why you do things the way you do.

Take the Test →



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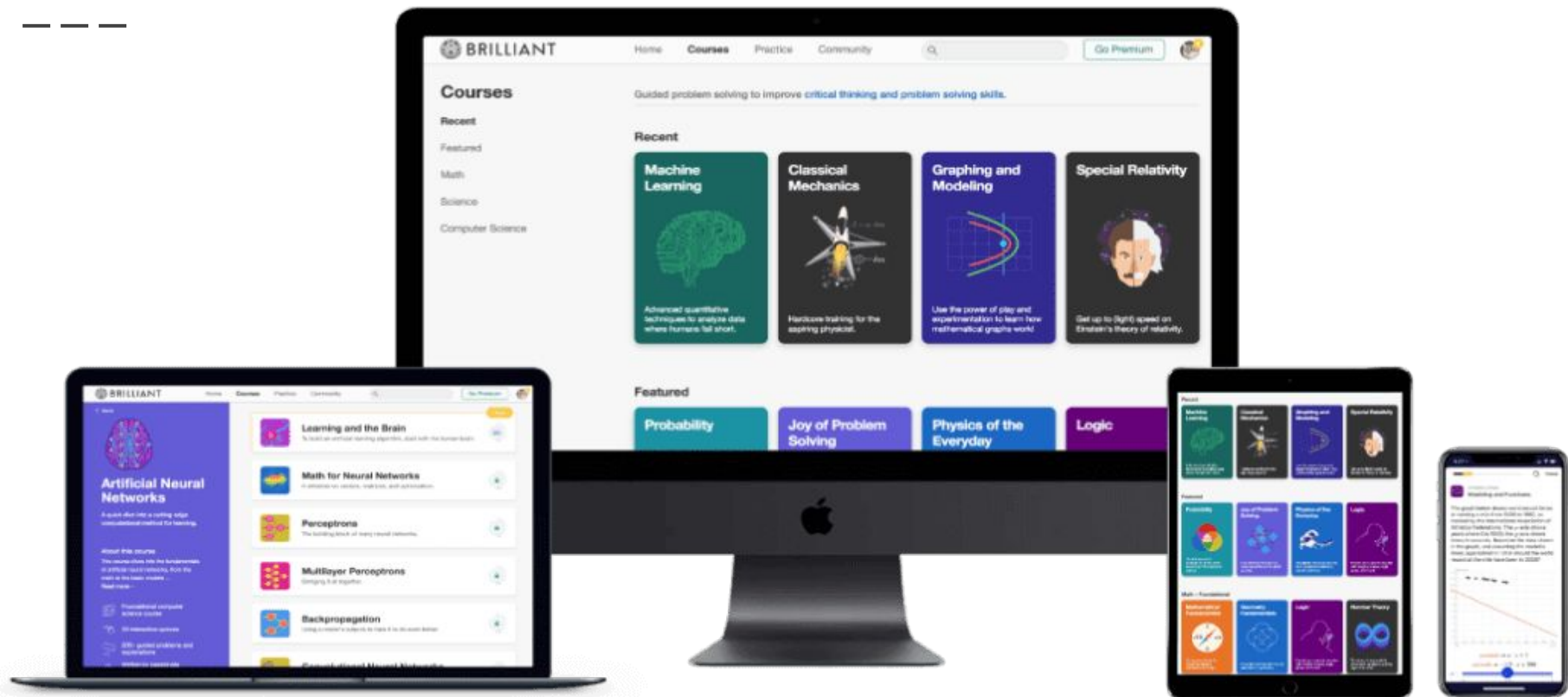


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**SO WHAT'S YOUR
DREAM JOB?
DO YOU HAVE THE
SKILLS FOR IT?**



IF YOU'RE INTO MATH & PHYSICS, CHECK OUT BRILLIANT.ORG



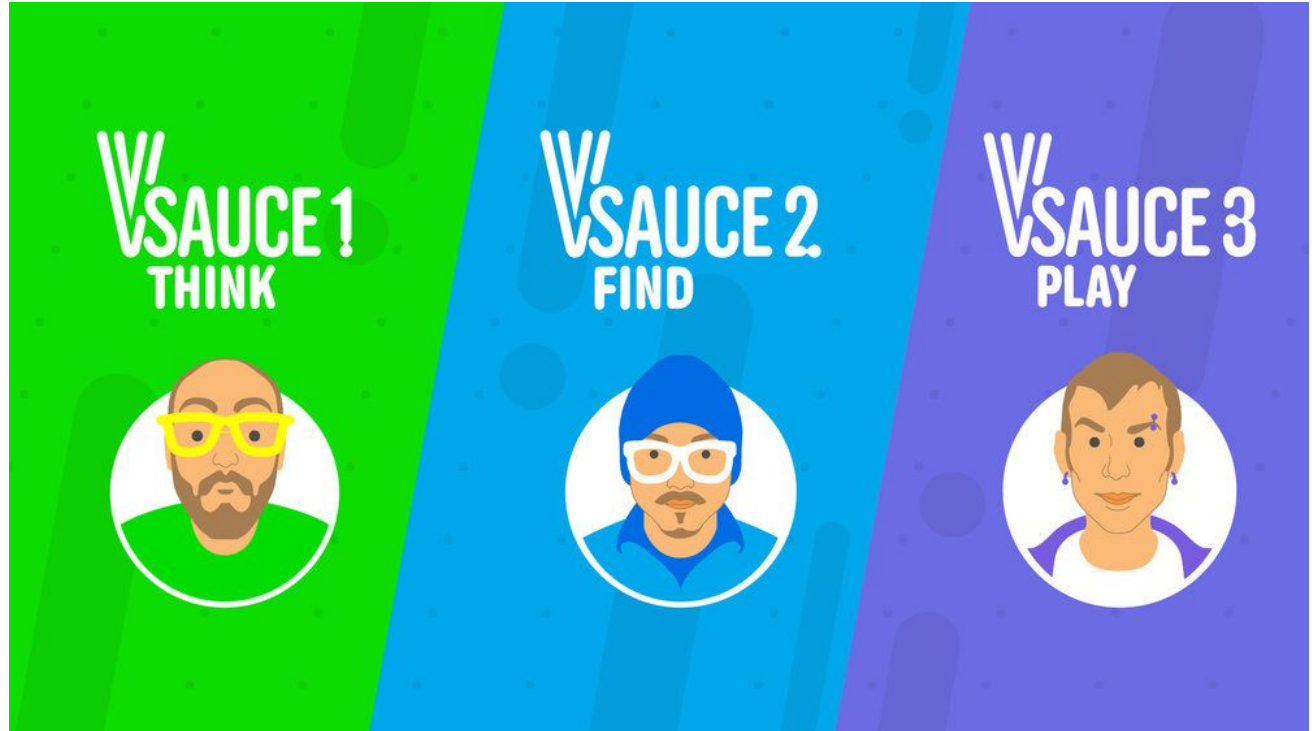
**IF YOU'RE INTO SPACE SCIENCE & THEORIES OF THE FUTURE,
CHECK OUT KURZGESAGT - IN A NUTSHELL YOUTUBE CHANNEL**

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**IF YOU'RE INTO GETTING SMARTER,
CHECK OUT THE VSAUCE YOUTUBE CHANNEL**

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IF YOU'RE INTO WINNING AT LIFE & PHILOSOPHY, CHECK OUT THE SCHOOL OF LIFE YOUTUBE CHANNEL & WEBSITE

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IF YOU'RE INTO INTERESTING STUFF, CHECK OUT VOX YOUTUBE CHANNEL

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**IF YOU'RE INTO POP CULTURE,
CHECK OUT WISECRACK YOUTUBE CHANNEL**

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IF YOU'RE INTO INSPIRATION AND POWERFUL PRESENTATIONS,
CHECK OUT THE **TED** AND **TEDed** PLATFORM

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**BUT WHY
SHOULD YOU
BOTHER,
WHEN IT
SEEMS SO
EASY TO
BECOME AN
INFLUENCER?**



NETFLIX

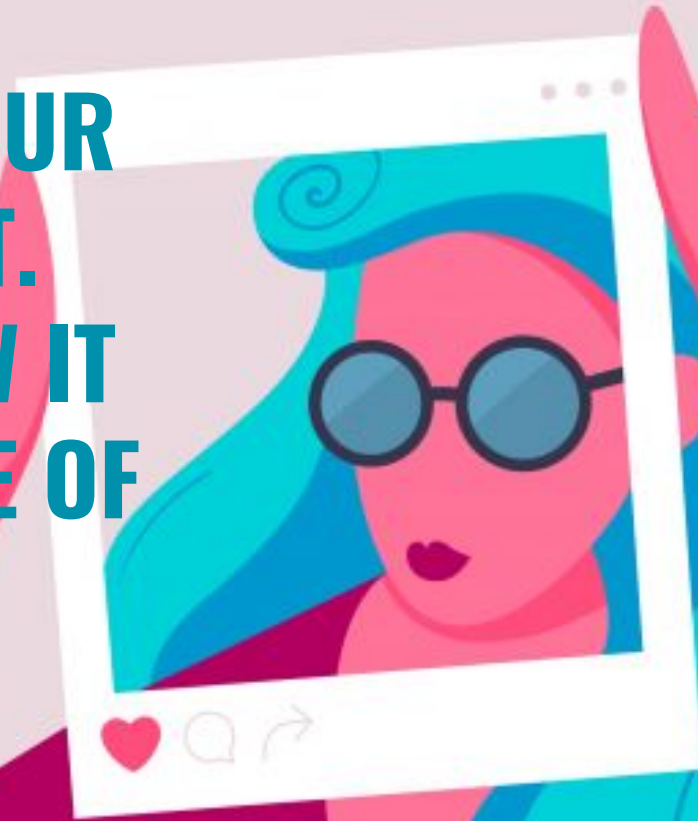
OFFICIAL
TRAILER



OFFICIAL TRAILER



**USE SOCIAL
MEDIA TO YOUR
OWN BENEFIT.
DON'T ALLOW IT
TO MAKE USE OF
YOU.**





**INFLUENCERS
HAVE
A HARD TIME
EATING**





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DEFINING YOUR PERSONAL BRAND

Make. Work. Play.

**YOU ONLY HAVE 7 SECONDS
TO MAKE A FIRST IMPRESSION**



IMPRESSION

what people experience when
they first meet you

IMPRINT

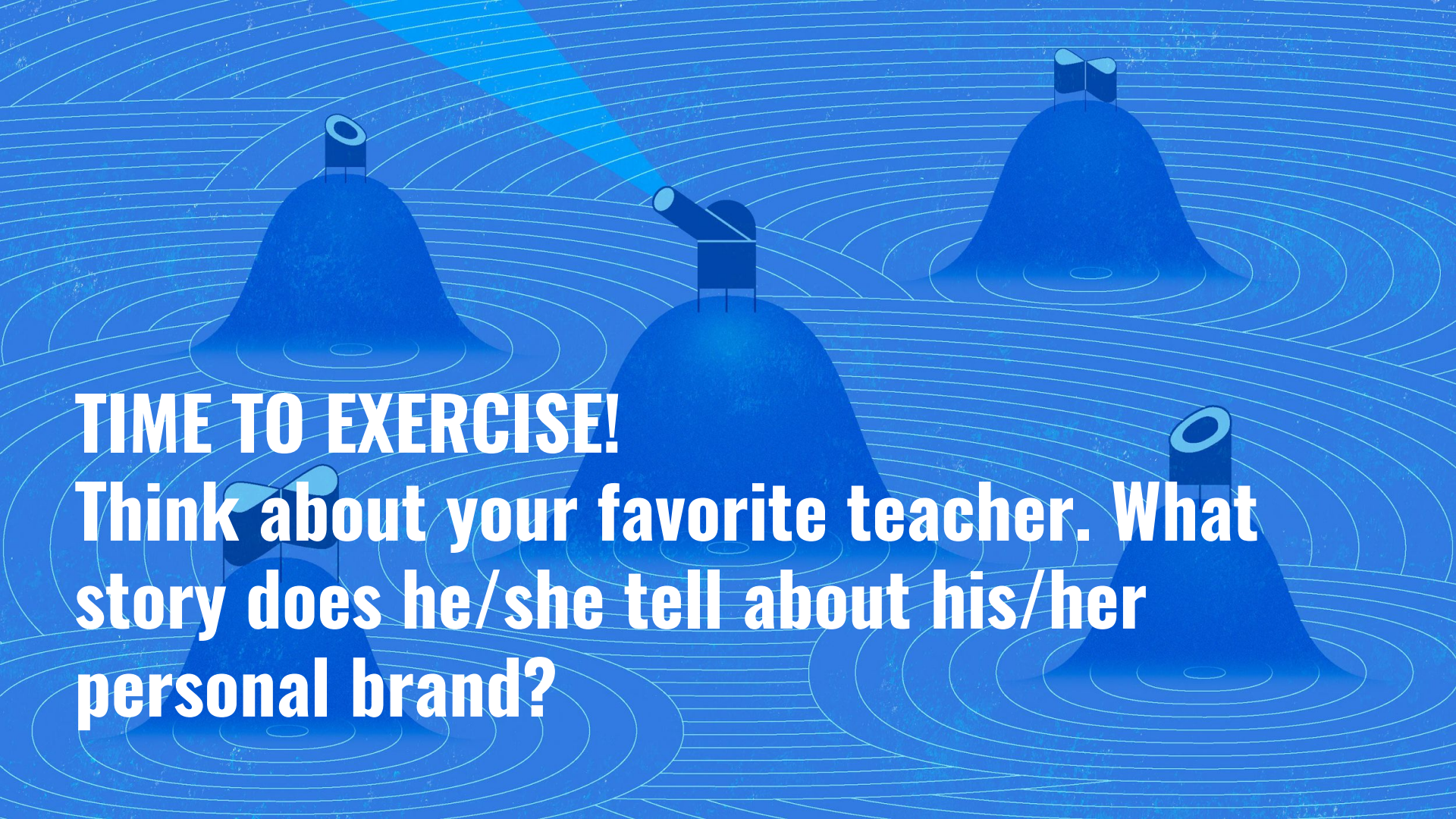
what you leave behind after
ending a conversation

EXPRESSION

What everybody says about you
and how others perceive you



BEST
FRIENDS
FOREVER



TIME TO EXERCISE!

Think about your favorite teacher. What story does he/she tell about his/her personal brand?

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SO WHAT EXACTLY SHOULD YOU DO?



bear with me

#1.FIND WHAT MAKES YOU UNIQUE



BE REAL
BE AUTHENTIC
WHAT YOU TALK ABOUT
WHO DO YOU WANT TO BE



#2.DEFINE YOUR POWERS & GOALS



OBJECTIVES
RESOURCES
PEOPLE YOU KNOW
CHANNELS TO APPROACH



SOCIAL MEDIA

#3.FIND YOUR AUDIENCE



TONE OF VOICE
MANAGE YOUR PROFILE
KNOW YOUR MEDIUM

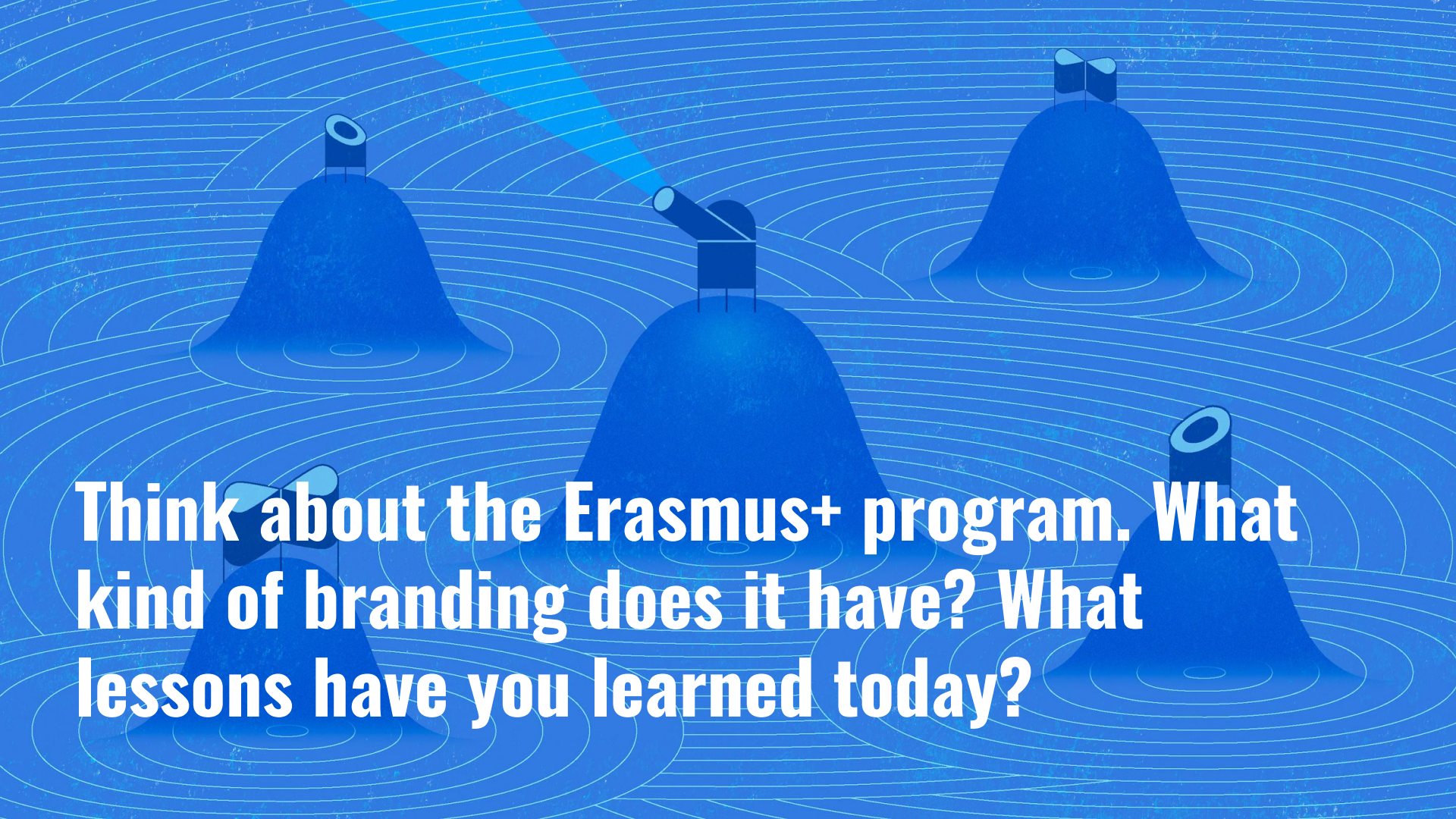


#4.STAND OUT. TALK. NETWORK.



MAKE NEW FRIENDS
JOIN COMMUNITIES
GO HAVE FUN





Think about the Erasmus+ program. What kind of branding does it have? What lessons have you learned today?

SUNSCREEN



BAZ LUHRMANN

OVERSTUDIOS, PARIS

TV AD FOR SUNSCREEN

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**NOW GO WRITE
THE STORY OF
YOURSELF THE
WAY YOU
WANT IT TO BE
TOLD!**



THANK YOU!



If you have questions or complaints, give me your best feedback at andreea@rubrika.ro