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# HOW AVANADE'S VIDEO PERFORMANCE SKYROCKETS

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system. The company has 80 office locations in 20 countries, over \$1 billion annual revenues, and employs more than 30,000 people. It has delivered over 10,000 projects to approximately 4,000 clients, many of which are Fortune Global 500 companies.

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# PAGE VIEWS DOUBLE, VIEWERS ENGAGEMENT INCREASE FOURFOLD WITH MARTECH INTEGRATION

While Avanade was using video as a digital marketing tool, the company's digital strategy wasn't primarily focused on or tied to any sales objectives. Instead, Avanade focused on content. "Video was giving us bare-bones metrics, like how many people watched our videos," says Matt Stegen, Senior Director of Digital Marketing. Unfortunately, they couldn't show how videos were impacting sales goals, or how they might affect conversion and retention.

After recognizing how limited Avanade's content-centric marketing approach was, Stegen and his team reformulated the company's digital plan, creating a user-focused strategy capable of targeting all parts of the customer journey. They decided on a new way, focusing less on impressions and views, and more on how video impacted sales. The company also changed its approach to evaluating video content. Instead of measuring performance, Stegen and his team would now study which videos had the most engagement, which videos reach the most target clients, and which videos had the most impact on the sales life cycle.

With a new video strategy, martech data stack, and content evaluation process, the company is now able to keep an accurate measure of video's impact on sales. They've created personalized video experiences to viewers. Since implementing the new strategy, Avanade has seen its page views double, and viewers now engage with Avanade's content more than before. And as audiences remain on site to consume video content, Avanade's decreasing bounce rate.

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*With the help of Brightcove Audience talking to our marketing automation solution, we're able to see more, understand more, and deliver more power with data through the video we're providing to a client.*

**MATT STEGEN**

SENIOR DIRECTOR OF DIGITAL MARKETING

“They click, they’re downloading, they’re engaging with more content,” says Matt Stegen, Senior Director of Digital Marketing at Avande. “We’re seeing more engagement with us longer—four times longer, in fact. And they’re taking the next click.”

## BRIGHTCOVE INTEGRATION, AUDIENCE TALKING TO OUR MARKETING HELP PROPEL DIGITAL FRAMEWORK

To complement Avande’s newly refined video strategy, the company also built a comprehensive digital ecosystem to track and consolidate video-based data throughout the customer journey. Within this ecosystem, consolidated data provides Avande with a clear analysis of where prospects are within the sales cycle. By integrating Brightcove with Avande’s web delivery and asset management solution ([Sitecore](#)), marketing automation platform (Marketo), CRM (Microsoft Dynamics), and its company website, Stegen could now show the impact of video on conversion.

He then developed a strategic scorecard system to track video data capabilities across Avande’s new marketing tech stack. These scorecards identified which video resonated most among viewers, including style, length, format, page placement, and distribution channel. From this information, Stegen and his digital team were able to

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not a matter of how many KPIs populate your scorecard meaning they carry.”

Stegen attributes Brightcove’s Audience module as one of the driving forces behind Avanade’s new marketing tech ecosystem. By plugging the Audience module into the Brightcove platform, Stegen and his digital team are able to see detailed viewership data across all video distribution channels, which is then transferred and attributed to contacts within the company’s sales database. Avanade’s sales team can then craft tailored messages to qualified prospects and begin the lead nurturing phase of the customer journey.

“Having those three systems [Brightcove, Sitecore, and Marketo] speak to one another and having a vascular system in between them—specifically with the help of the Brightcove Audience module talking to our marketing automation solution—we’re able to better understand more, and be able to deliver more power with data through the insights we’re providing to a client,” he says.

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