

### October 5-6, 2006 Omni San Francisco San Francisco, CA

#### SCHEDULE AT-A-GLANCE

DAY 1

7:30am – 8:30am Continental Breakfast 8:30am – 9:00am Introductions & Networking

by Sherry Chiger, Editorial Director, Multichannel Merchant

9:00am – 12:30pm Shaping the New Multichannel Business Model for Optimal Performance

by Debra Ellis, Founder/President, Wilson & Ellis Consulting

12:30pm – 1:30pm Luncheon & Networking

1:30pm – 5:30pm Maximizing Lifetime Value: The Promise of Multichannel Marketing

by Bill Nicolai, Senior Partner, LENSER, and

Michelle Farabaugh, Partner, LENSER

4:30pm – 5:30pm Cocktail Party

DAY 2

7:30am – 8:30am Continental Breakfast

8:30am – 9:00am Day 1 Review and Q&A with the Speakers

9:00am – 12:30pm "Fulfilling" the Customer Experience

byJoseph "Tocky" Lawrence, Vice President, F. Curtis Barry & Company

12:30pm – 1:00pm Closing Summation

by Sherry Chiger, Editorial Director, Multichannel Merchant

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#### YOUR MCM LIVE SPEAKERS

#### IN CHICAGO & NYC:

#### Curt Barry, Founder/President, F. Curtis Barry & Company

F. Curtis Barry & Company is a multichannel operations and fulfillment consulting firm specializing in operations and customer service improvement, and order inventory management. In the past 20 years, Curt has worked with multichannel companies including Metropolitan Museum of Art, Cabela's, Anthropologie, West Marine, Colonial Williamsburg, Art Institute of Chicago and Sur La Table.

#### IN ALL MCM LIVE CITIES:

#### Debra Ellis, Founder/President, Wilson & Ellis Consulting

Wilson & Ellis Consulting specialize in multichannel growth strategies and logistics. Debra is a management consultant and coach for companies seeking improved business models that match their corporate culture. Debra began, as a consultant specializing in operational excellence, and later became COO for home décor merchant Ballard Designs, Inc.

#### IN NEW YORK & SAN FRANCISCO:

#### Michelle Farabaugh, Partner, LENSER

Michelle Farabaugh is as an executive specializing in multichannel retailing and strategic planning within the direct marketing industry. Michelle has worked in every aspect of catalog, e-commerce, retail, wholesale marketing and strategic planning for both national and international companies, including: Smith & Hawken, West Marine, and PETsMART Direct.

#### IN SAN FRANCISCO:

#### Joseph "Tocky" Lawrence, Vice President, F. Curtis Barry & Company

Tocky Lawrence has over 25 years' experience managing customer contact centers and fulfillment operations. Tocky served as senior director of fulfillment at the National Wildlife Federation, and as director of IS developing mainframe catalog management systems.

#### IN CHICAGO & SAN FRANCISCO:

#### Bill Nicolai, Senior Partner, LENSER

Bill Nicolai is as an entrepreneur and innovator in direct marketing. He co-founded Good Catalog Co. in 1992, growing the company to more than \$25 million in sales before its sale to Reader's Digest in 1999. Bill also founded the highly innovative outdoor equipment and apparel catalog, Early Winters, now owned by Norm Thompson.

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### **INTENSIVE PROGRAM**

DAY 1 9am-12:30pm

## SHAPING THE NEW MULTICHANNEL BUSINESS MODEL FOR OPTIMAL PERFORMANCE

#### SPEAKER:

Debra Ellis, Founder/President, Wilson & Ellis Consulting

## **Shaping the New Multichannel Model of Optimal Performance**

Presented by:

Debra Ellis

### Part I: The Success Model

### What Makes a Good Multichannel Model?

- Unique Value
- Innovative Combinations
- Hard to Duplicate
- Flexible Infrastructure
- Connectivity

### Part I: The Success Model

### **Evolution:**

- Retail
- Catalog
- Internet
- Cell Phones
- Television
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### Part I: The Success Model

### Retail Growth Strategies

- More Stores
- Catalog
- Internet
- New Channels
- Acquisitions

### Part II: Creating Custom Models

What do customers want?

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√ Fast
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√ Friendly

√ Free



### **INTENSIVE PROGRAM**

DAY 1 1:30pm-5:30pm

### MAXIMIZING LIFETIME VALUE: THE PROMISE OF MULTICHANNEL MARKETING

#### **SPEAKERS:**

Bill Nicolai, Senior Partner, LENSER Michelle Farabaugh, Partner, LENSER



### Capturing Live Time Value:

# The Promise of Multichannel Marketing



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### Agenda

- Emergence of multi-channel companies
- Cross channel marketing strategies
- Integrated customer database
- Mailing strategies
- Results analysis
- Multi-channel branding
- Dos & Don'ts multi-channel marketing



### **Multi-Channel Expansion**

- From Retail
  - Walmart
    - to Walmart.com
  - Home Depot
    - to Home Depot Direct
  - Barnes & Noble
    - to barnesandnoble.com



### **Multi-Channel Expansion**

- Pure Play Internet
  - eBags.com
    - to catalog
  - Amazon
    - to Tool Crib catalog & others
  - Art.com
    - to catalog

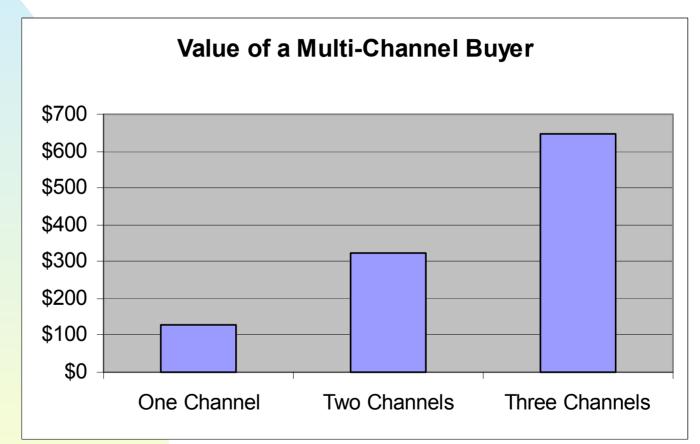


### **Multi-Channel Expansion**

- From Catalog to Internet & Stores
  - Williams-Sonoma
    - to stores
    - to internet
  - Victoria's Secret
    - to stores
    - to internet
  - Dover Saddlery
    - to internet
    - to stores



### Value of a Multi-Channel Buyer







### **INTENSIVE PROGRAM**

DAY 2 9am-12:30pm

### "FULFILLING" THE CUSTOMER EXPERIENCE

#### **SPEAKERS:**

IN SAN FRANCISCO:

Joseph "Tocky" Lawrence, Vice President,
F. Curtis Barry & Company

# "Fulfilling" the Customer Experience

Curt Barry, President

F. Curtis Barry & Company

Direct Marketing Operations & Fulfillment Consultants

### Summary Points of Presentation

- Customers have multiple touchpoints
- Must have ability to place, receive, and if necessary, return orders seamlessly
- This session:
  - Operational business systems,
  - Fulfillment processes
  - Inventory management systems
  - Efficient flow of product across channels ultimately affecting the customer experience.

### Topics will also include:

- Building efficient back-end processes that integrate all your different channels is critical.
- Role operations plays as a competitive marketing advantage in partnership with marketing and merchandising.
- Creating a unified platform is vital to the success of any multichannel merchant.
- How much integration is realistic?

### Multichannel

 Multichannel: Wide array of selling and customer communication methods

• Broader definition of multichannel: Retail, Internet, Catalog, Wholesale, direct selling (parties), kiosks, continuity, outbound telemarketing, infomercials, home shopping networks, Internet auctions, between retailer and manufacturer, etc.



### **CLOSING SUMMATION**

DAY 2 12:30pm-1pm

### **SPEAKER:**

Sherry Chiger, Editorial Director, MULTICHANNEL MERCHANT



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