









The Value of Video in **Educating Prospects** and Customers

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How are videos like video games?



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And you end up back at the start



It's easy to get lost when you start with the wrong question







"can we make a video about that?"

Questions like...

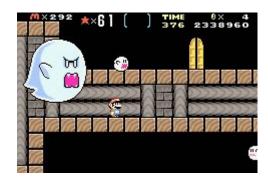




"what's the right length?"



"are talking heads effective?"



"do you think I need a ring light?"



You have to find the secret exit





(the undead remains of your prioritization efforts)



Why do video projects fail?

- Lack of technique
- Production expectations vs. reality
- Poor distribution
- Shouldn't have been a video
- No strategy for what video is supposed to do for your prospects or customers

The customer's journey





Where does the journey lead?

- For your users: job proficiency & career growth
- For your accounts: ROI (return on investment)
- For your **business**: revenue & margin

The customer's journey: consumer software





The customer's journey: enterprise software





The customer's journey: consumer goods







But how do customers advance?

- Motivation to get value or ROI
- Vivid examples of how to get value
- Clear demonstrations of product use cases
- Help removing friction as it occurs
- A feeling of connection with the product & community

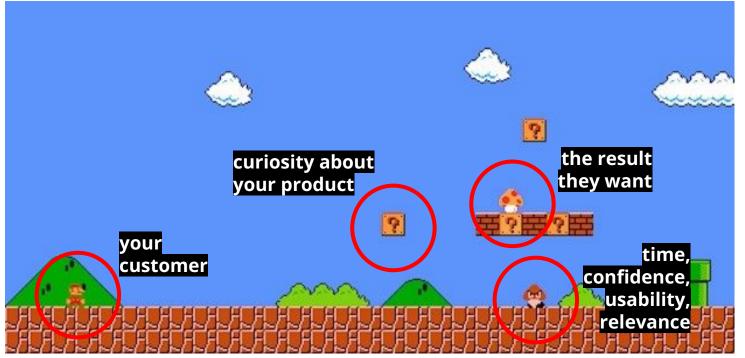
How video educates customers











The value of Customer Education



Customer Education is the discipline of **teaching customers how to use and find value from products**.

- CELab website (http://customer.education)

It's about accelerating **customer growth** by helping them see **value**, change **behaviors**, and **remove barriers** to a **new way** of working.





Measuring the customer journey

Your business probably measures (and prioritizes) goals like:



Acquisition

Qualified Leads



Decision

Win Rate,
Conversion Rate,
Avg. Contract
Value



Onboarding

Time to First Value, Activation Rate



Adoption

Adoption Rate,
Daily Active Users,
Session Duration



Proficiency

Maturity Score, Effort Score, Contact Rate



Advocacy

Net Promoter Score,
Net Retained Revenue,
Net Dollar Retention,
Expansion/Upsell



Leveling up to business goals

Ultimately, the goals you measure help your business:



Increase Revenue: Generate leads, increase win rate, increase deal size, increase upsell/expansion



Decrease Costs: Lower customer contact rate, improve headcount ratios, lower customer acquisition costs

Customer Education makes a difference



Investments in Customer Education Lead to Growth

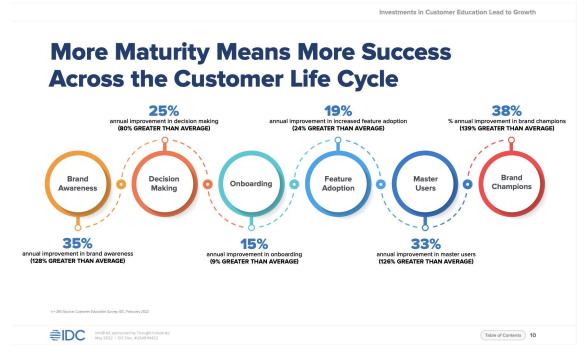
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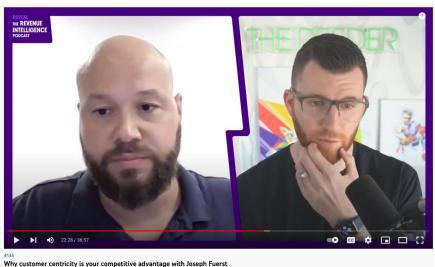


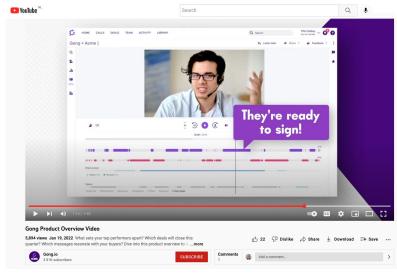


Let's see video-based education across the customer lifecycle



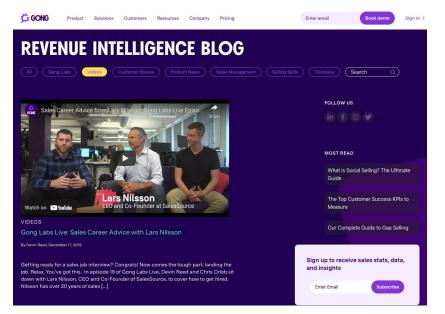


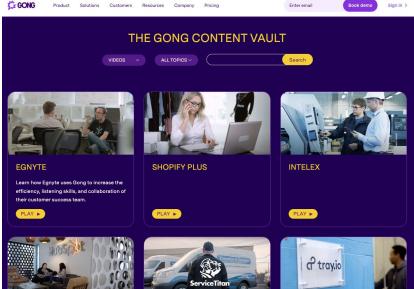






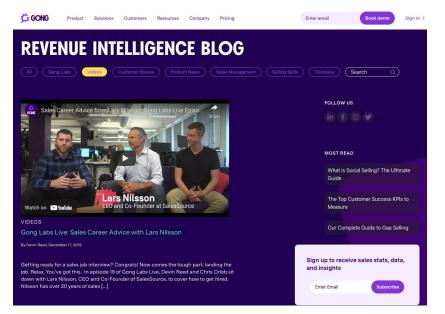


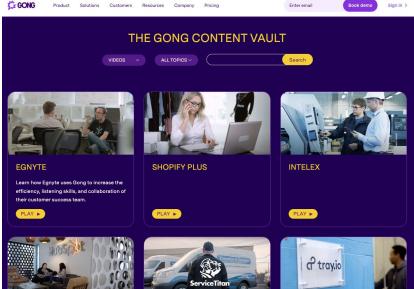






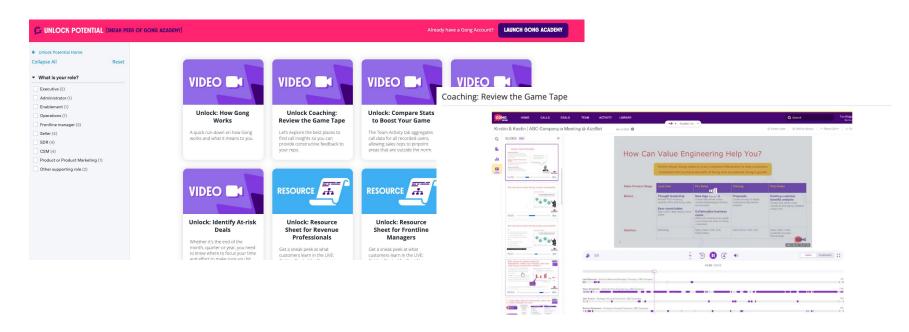






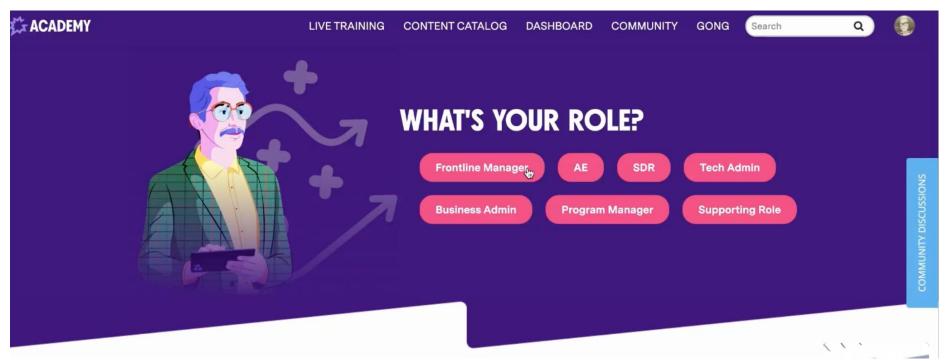


Examples in the wild: Gong



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JUST GETTING STARTED?

VIEW GETTING STARTED GUIDE

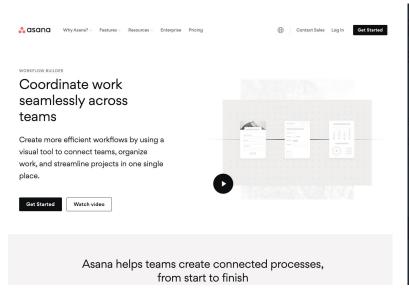


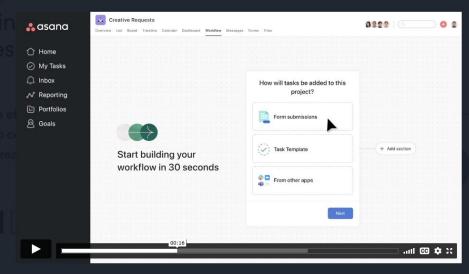


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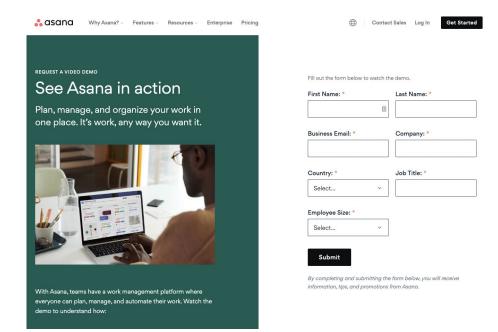






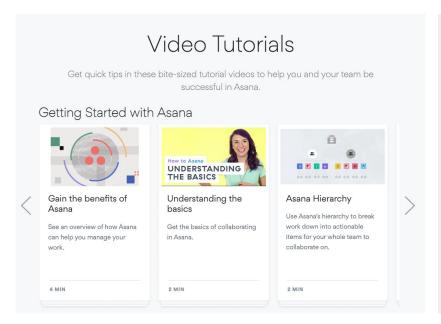


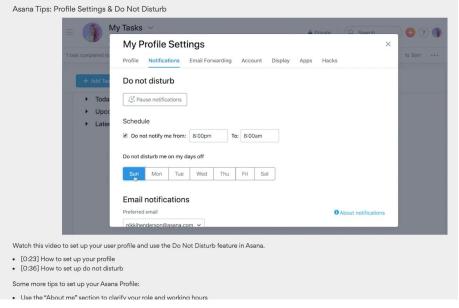






Examples in the wild: Asana







Form your own video strategy



The next time you hear (or think)...





"can we make a video about that?"



- Where is my business focused?
- Where can I create the most meaningful results?
- Which metrics can I best influence?









- What's most important for your business?
 - OKRs (objectives & key results) or key initiatives?
 - What do your executives talk to the company about most often?
- Which results do you prioritize now at the expense of others?
- Which programs would you build *long-term* to drive sustainable results?



Tie your video to strategy

- I want to [decrease customer contacts] for [feature X]
- So I will create a [tutorial video] on [how to set up feature
 X]
- And distribute it via my [help center] and [in-app]
- Which will result in [decreased customer contacts for feature X] as measured by [ticketing system]



Tie your video to strategy

- I want to [increase qualified leads] among [industry Y]
- So I will create a [demo video] on [how feature X benefits industry Y when configured correctly]
- And distribute it via my [marketing site] and [YouTube]
- Which will result in [qualified leads from industry Y] as measured by [CRM - customer relationship management system]



Tie your video to strategy

- I want to [decrease time-to-first-value] for [managed customers]
- So I will create a [learning path including text, video, and quizzes] on [the steps to implementation]
- And distribute it via my [learning center]
- Which will result in [lower time-to-first-value during implementation] as measured by [cust. success platform]



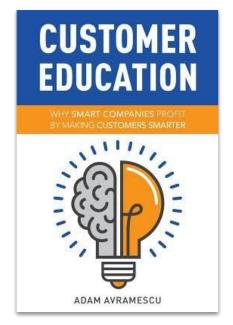






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