Cruising for the Mature

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Our Company



NORWEGIAN CRUISE LINE[®]



Current Marketing Mix

• Currently NCL really pushes their freestyle cruising. Their advertisements show families having fun in any way they choose. It shows that the travelers are free to choose how they want to spend their vacation and that there are endless possibilities. Their tag line is "Cruise like a Norwegian".

> CRUISE LIKE A NORWEGIAN

Competitors





Our Target Market

- Primary: Active seniors, ages 65+. Includes couples or singles. These seniors have extra money to spend on vacations.
- Secondary: Young adults with active parents who are 65+. The secondary market has a household income of \$75,000 to \$150,000.

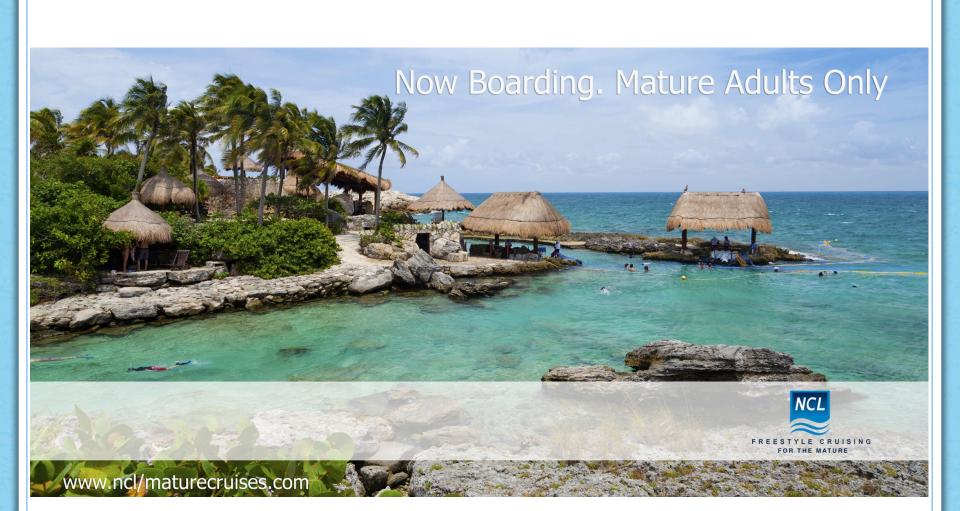
Campaign Proposal

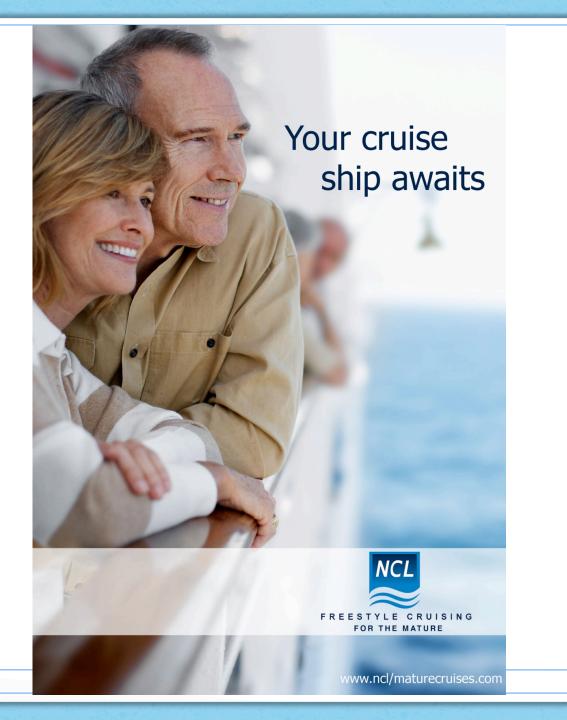
 Focusing in on a cruise designed for "mature adults". The ads will look appealing to anyone who needs a vacation or getaway. We will focus on imagery with minimal text with the goal to drive seniors to our website. The campaign is focused around Norwegian Cruise Line's freestyle cruising for mature adults.

Timeline

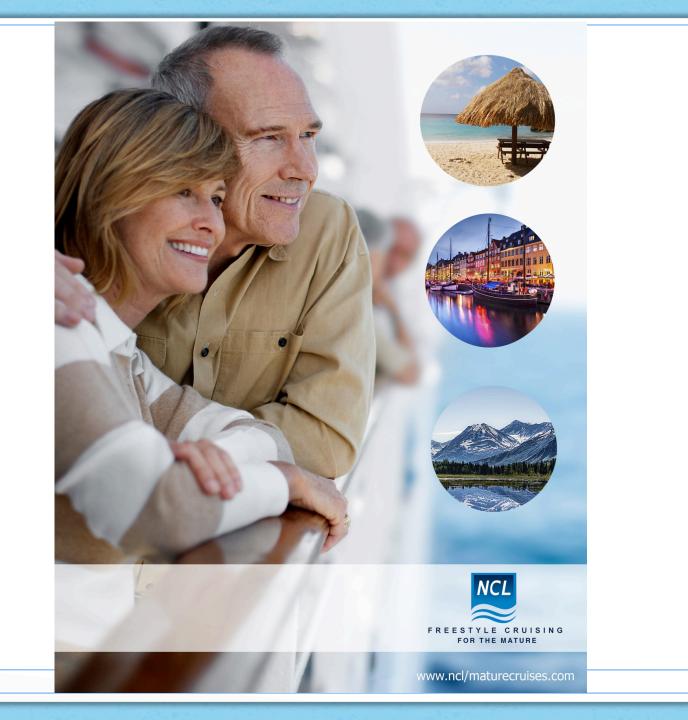
- 3 month campaign
- January, February, March
- Studies show that most people book cruises during January and March

Original Ads









Budget & Mock Ups

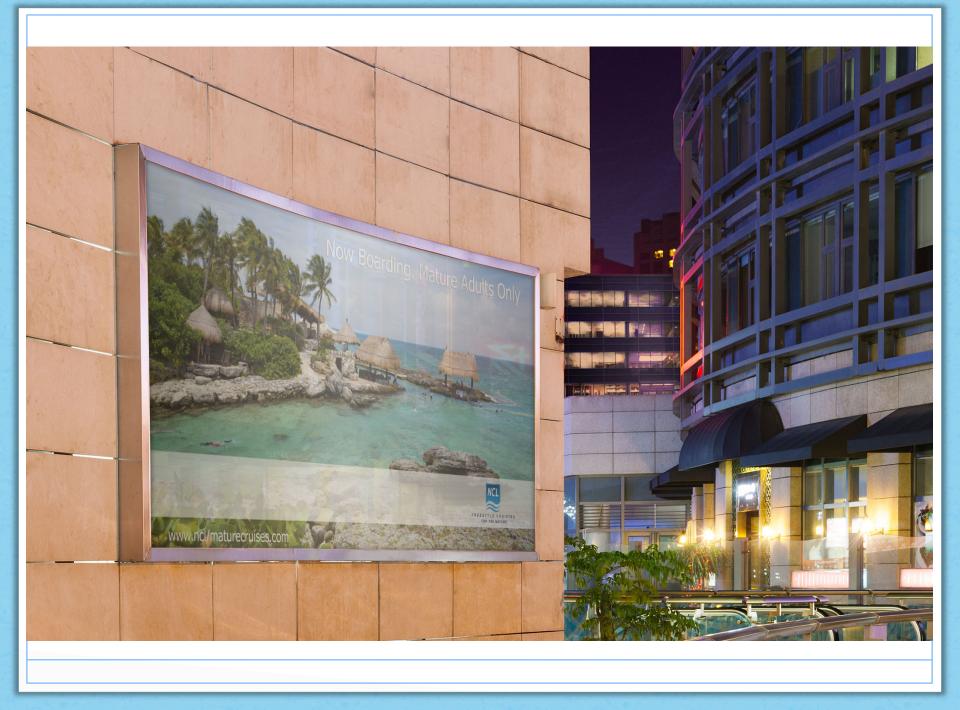
Magazine Ad

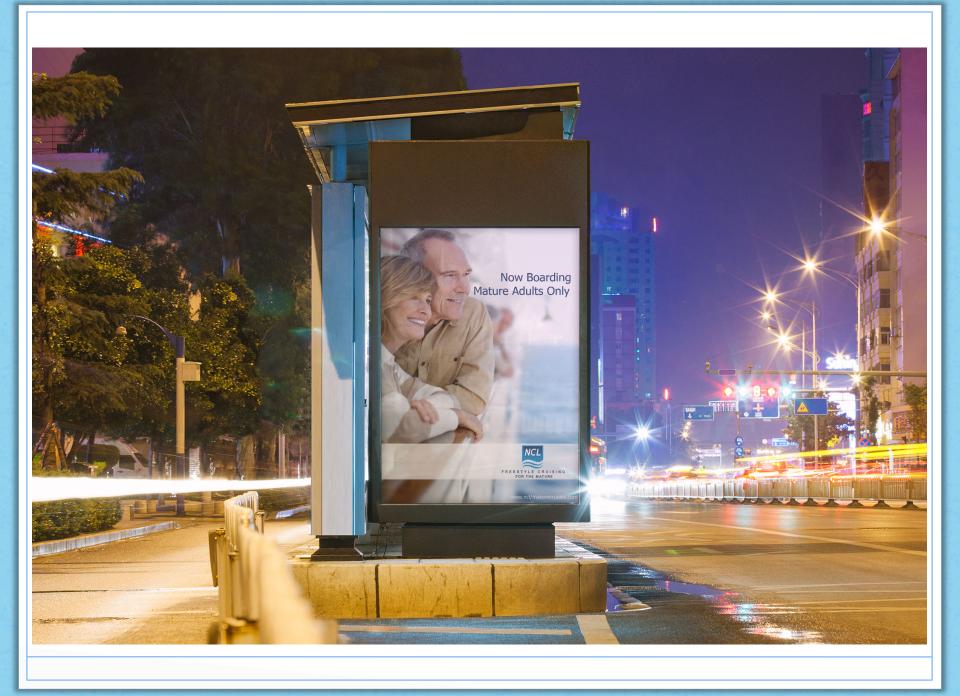
- Readers Digest : \$180,000 x 3 months =\$540,000
- People: \$345,900 x 3 months = \$1,037,700
- National Geographic Traveler: \$119,070 x 3 months= \$357,210
- TOTAL= \$1,934,910



Bus Stop/Billboard Ad

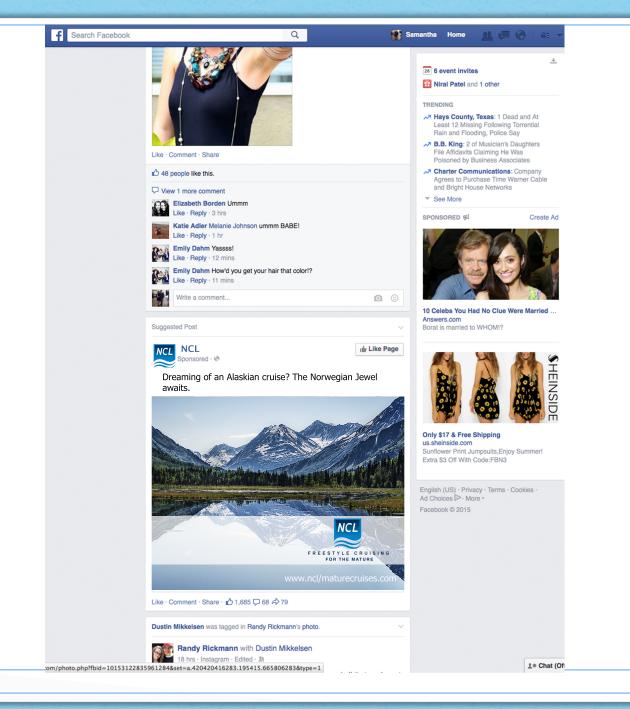
- \$3,000 per ad x 12 weeks = \$36,000
- Run in Minneapolis, Boston, Pittsburg, Denver, Milwaukee, San Francisco, Portland, Kansas City, Chicago. All cities with high active senior population and rated best places for seniors to live.
- TOTAL for the 9 cities = \$324,000





Social Media

- "For the first time, more than half of all online adults 65 and older(56%) use Facebook, this represents 31% of all seniors"
- Facebook: \$0.50 per impression
- You can select your target audience
- Set a daily budget for impressions
- 1,000 impressions per day = \$500 daily limit
- \$500 daily limit for 3 months
- TOTAL = \$42,000



TV Commercial

ABC

- 20/20 = \$70,000
- World News = \$60,000
- GMA = \$40,000

CBS

• 60 Minutes \$100,000

NBC

- Dateline = \$35,000
- DWTS = \$104,000

• Once every other week for 12 weeks. 6 total times for each

TOTAL= \$2,454,000



Budget

- Magazine: \$1,934,910
- Billboard: \$324,000
- Social Media: \$42,000
- TV Commercial: \$2,454,000
- TOTAL Cost for Campaign: \$4,754,910

Website

http://davidkranz.net/NCL/index.html