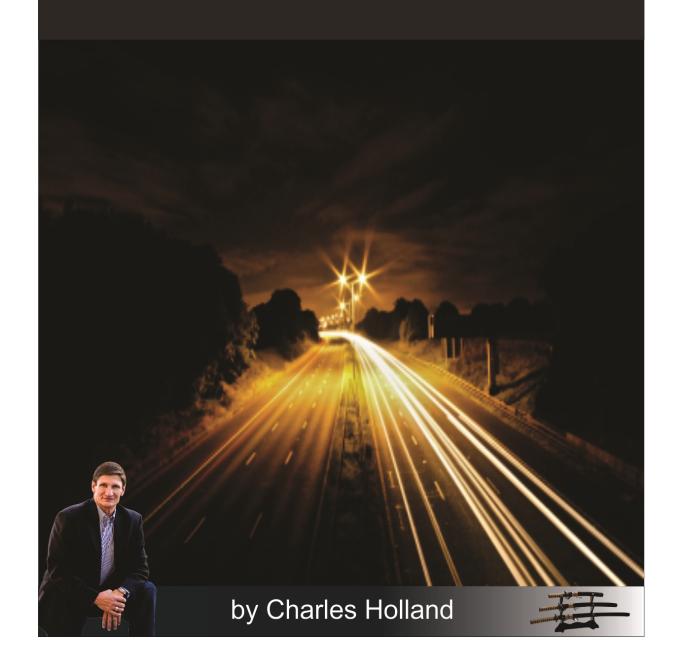
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Traffic Resources

A concise guide to the world's TOP traffic networks



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Where to find the best value premium traffic online

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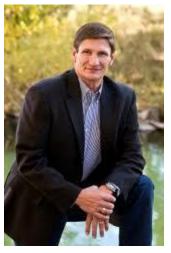
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"Everyone has incredible success potential, given the right attitude, tools and training. Success in business, marketing, relationships, and even happiness for that matter, are ALL "learned" skills. Owning your own small business(es) provides many benefits and comforts. Creating multiple cash streams and time freedom for busy professionals, parents, and entrepreneurs is rewarding beyond your wildest imagination." (C. Holland)

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Introduction

When you decide to aggressively scale your online business, it's inevitable that your attention will turn to traffic sources, i.e. places where you can <u>buy traffic</u>.

Your primary consideration, when buying traffic, must not only be cost but also the quality of that traffic. After all, if ALL you want is traffic – get a bot...! But you'll never make a single sale.

Traffic can cost anything from fractions of a cent per click up to many dollars. It's understood that traffic cost, as quoted by the traffic vendor, reflects what they insist is the quality of their visitors. So, if someone charges you 2 cents per click, chances are good that they don't think you'll be getting all that many "click-throughs" – but – surely you'll get "some." If, on the other hand they charge you \$1 per click (or more), this *may* indicate that they're sure your ads won't go unnoticed.

But that's all just theory. In practice, it's really down to two things: having a really well structured ad which attracts the eye and convinces the visitor to click, and secondly, being certain that the environment in which your ad is shown is "friendly" and "natural" as far as the visitors are concerned. And thus a contextual link which is strictly related to what the visitor is reading may be much more enticing to click than an intrusive pop-up ad which you can't even get rid of without being forced to close another half a dozen intrusive pop-ups as well.

For more information and in-depth instructions on this topic, visit <u>CoachTIP</u> and log into your <u>IM Competitive Edge</u> account there.

This special report is only meant as a quick-reference and a lookup guide, to speed up your research process. All listings are organized by Alexa ranks – which is NOT an indication of their quality, but only popularity. And that popularity isn't necessarily due to the traffic-related activities of the given site.

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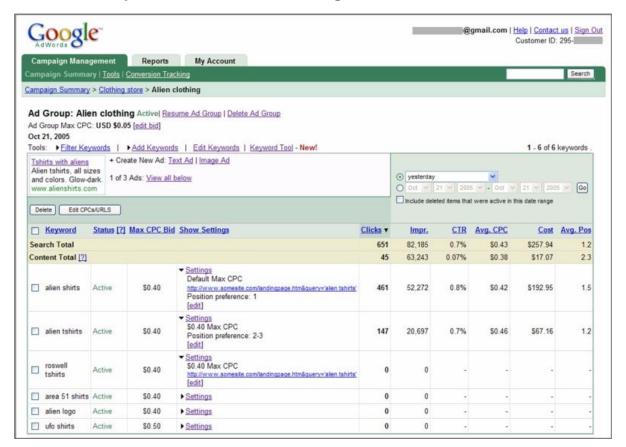
A quick explanation regarding some of the traffic types you'll encounter:

- CPC or PPC "cost per click" or "pay per click" these terms are used interchangeably, but some people insist that CPC is applied when you're BUYING traffic while PPC is used when you're profiting from it.
- **CPM** cost per 1000 impressions
- PPV or CPV "pay per view" or "cost per view" same thing.
- CPA "cost per action" the amount paid per registration (i.e. "action" or "acquisition") of the visitor
- Media Buys This primarily refers to banners and graphics, but can also be used for audio or video ads – and even full pages. Media buys may be paid for using any of the above-mentioned methods.
- Solo ads delivered by email, by list individual owners or newsletters/ezines. Most frequently these lists only target other internet marketers, but some are more general. Widely considered among the most effective forms of advertising.

The listings below are for the top 20 most powerful CPC/CPM networks in the world, but that's just the beginning. You'll find that there are hundreds more possibilities and it's some of those more obscure ones that are the real treasure troves for the budding online entrepreneurs. Much more information on the CoachTIP site, but here's a powerful list of networks for you to get started on (if not immediately using, then at least exploring and doing "dry runs" on).

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Google AdWords

Google provides advertisers with pay-per-click (PPC) advertising on relevant search terms (AdWords), and publishers with content-relevant ads in a variety of formats, including leaderboards, buttons, banners, skyscrapers and inline images. Advertise with Google AdWords ads in the Sponsored Links section next to search results to boost website traffic and sales. While it has a reputation for being expensive, it's also one of the highest quality networks out there.

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Resource Facebook 2 Self Serve Ads on Facebook hardly need any introduction. Facebook is best known for its hybrid text/graphic ads. It's possible to run very economical Facebook campaigns, though if you lack experience you'll spend a pretty penny before you finally nail it.

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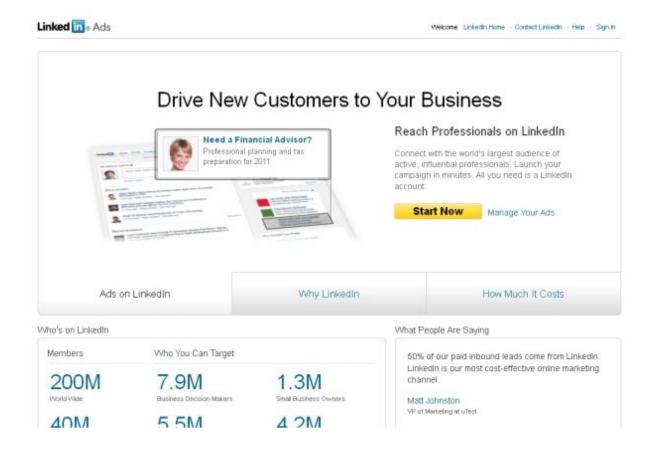


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Yahoo Advertising

Drive your business with what only Yahoo!
Advertising offers: the science to target an audience, the art to create engagement, and the scale to reach the right audience. The quality of targeting is second only to Adwords. Not cheap, but with experience, you can find extremely profitable traffic here.



Resource	Alexa	Descr
LinkedIn Ads	12	Social Media Networks. Particularly good for B2B
		and increasingly popular as very a highly targeted quality traffic resource.



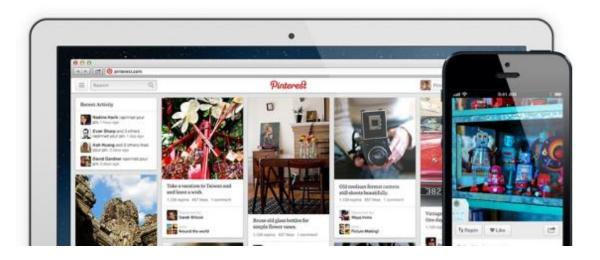
Resource	Alexa	Descr
Microsoft Ad Center	30	Search advertising - Show ads on Bing. Display your product or service to as many as 151 million potential customers search and content text/contextual ads. This is another of the "first tier" ad networks and its quality is awesome. But newbies should cut their teeth on some of the smaller networks first!

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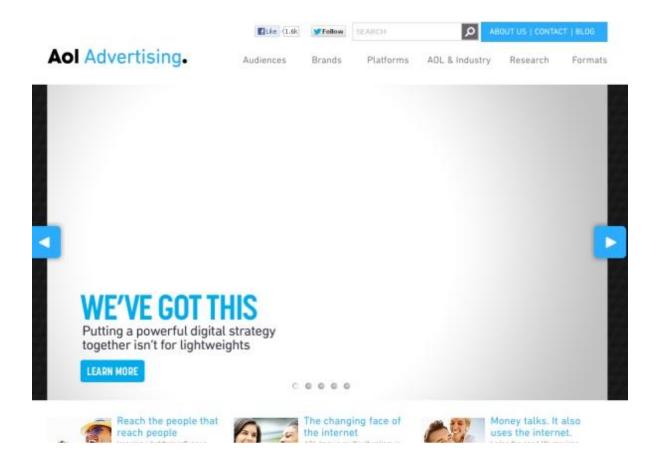
Resource	Alexa	Descr
<u>Pinterest</u>	38	Increasingly popular way to get your message out. Pinterest has grown like a rocket to become one of the top 50 most trafficked sites in the world. Their ad targeting is excellent but, again, you should practice on smaller networks first before you attempt this one – if you want to be sure!



Resource	Alexa	Descr
<u>ASK</u>	42	Organic search engine traffic. Ask has been around for years and unlike other wanna-be search engines, it just kept on growing. Its traffic quality is tops and with a little practice you can profit from it very handsomely.



Resource	Alexa	Descr
Pocket Cents	49	Pay-per-click Display Network with a low FLAT-RATE. \$0.25 CPC NO BIDDING! This is currently the largest of the so-called "second tier" ad networks. It's only called "second tier" because it's NOT Google, Yahoo, Facebook or Bing. In all other respects it's first rate! And it's even quite newbie-friendly.



Resource	Alexa	Descr
AOL Advertising	67	Connect with your audience through high-quality content, premium ad formats, video at scale and one of the most trusted ad networks online. Build your brand. Organic search engine traffic. Not the best for total newbies, but not to be missed by the more advanced marketers.

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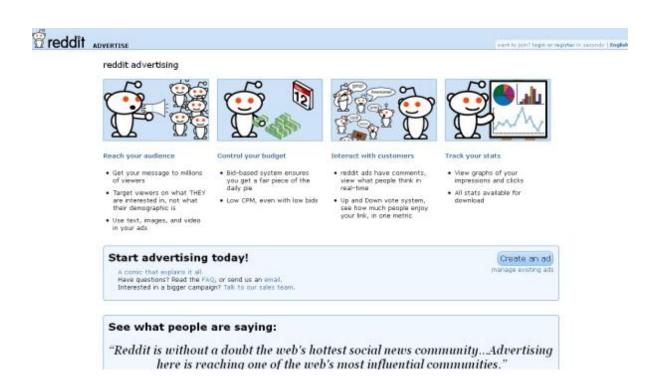
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Zedo Ad Network

ZEDO is a leading global online ad platform with one of the best ad servers, high-impact ad formats with viewable impressions, and private exchange solutions. Zedo does self-serve ads as well, of course. No targeting options unless you talk to them first. But for that, you need to spend a little with them first before their ears open up to you...

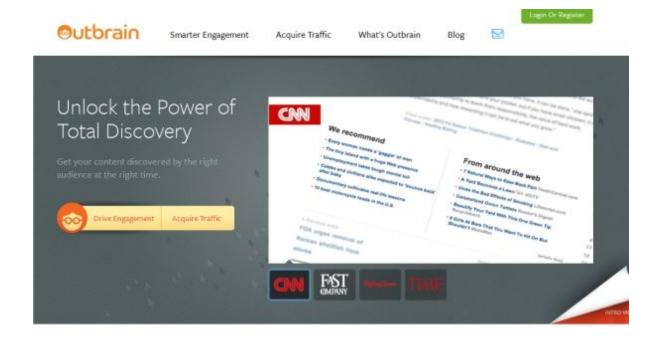


Resource	Alexa	Descr
Adf.ly	73	Generally low quality, but possible to get it to work
		for some types of projects. I generally don't
		recommend them, but I know marketers who claim
		they do very well with it.

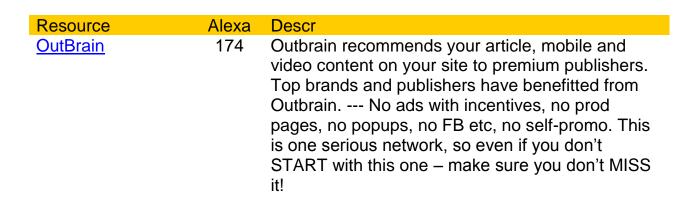


Resource	Alexa	Descr
Reddit Ads	135	Self-serve direct ads on reddit.com. This is the king of the so-called "social bookmarking" sites and has an ability to target ads very well, in my experience. Probably not ideal for the total newbie, but definitely not to be missed after you've finetuned your act on some of the smaller networks first.

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Outbrain recommends your article, mobile and video content on your site and on premium publisher



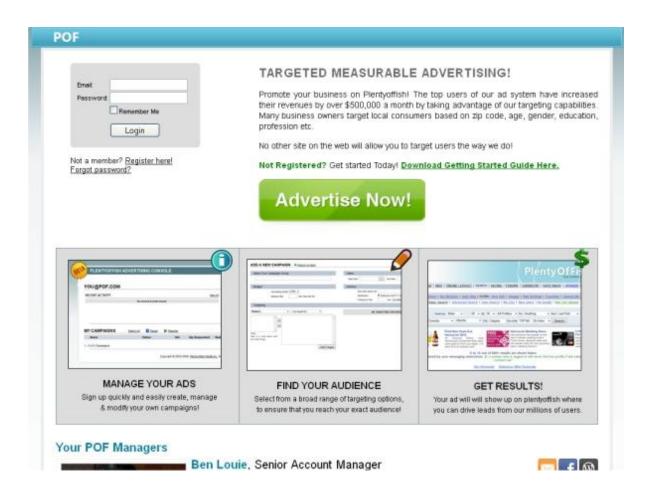
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Clicksor 207

Clicksor is another leader in the field providing CPC and CPM advertising solutions that are similar to Adwords but cheaper and very effective for small businesses. Clicksor offers a wide range of ad formats including all of the standard Adwords formats plus some very effective alternatives such as pop-unders and interstitial ads. Multiple formats available including text, image and animated ads, text links image ads, flash ads, animation ads, banners, pop-unders, interstitial ads, dynamic (DHTML) highlighting, etc. Great for newbies!



Resource	Alexa	Descr
Plenty of Fish	274	Minimum buy is \$25, average per-1000 cost is around 30cents - 110x80px, but 300x250px, 160x600px and 120x600 available if you spend over \$1000. Can target: Country, State/Province, Zipcode, Age, Gender, Education, Profession, Has Children, Games and Puzzles, Body Type, Drinking Habits, Looking to Marry Soon, Ethnicity, Height, Income, Login Count, Marital Status, Religion, Search Type, Smoking Habits, Session Depth, Hair Color, Has Car, etc - 0.15% CTR is average here. Great – even for relative newbies!



Resource	Alexa	Descr
PopAds	282	Good CPC/CPM network. Relatively good for
		newbies, very good targeting quality all around.
		Definitely worth checking out.



Resource	Alexa	Descr
EroAdvertising	286	Web & mobile display/banners on adult inventory



Resource	Alexa	Descr
ExoClick	350	Text/display on various types of inventory. Not to
		be missed by any professional marketer.

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Resource Banners Broker

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Another good CPC/CPM network and reasonably easy to get into, even for the newbies. Small entry level is a big plus. But note that this is also marketed as an MLM scam behind the scenes which I'm sure they will pitch you asap once you sign up.

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We are a small team based in New York City, and we've been working on and thinking about news applications for awhile now. Before we acquired Digg, we launched products for email, IPad, and IPhone out of a startup called News.me. Digg was originally founded in 2004, but in the summer of 2012, we rebuilt it from scratch in six weeks. You can read more about that

















Resource **Digg Ads**

Alexa Descr

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Sponsored ads on digg.com. Another excellent resource, although probably not for the total newbie. Just don't forget about it further down the road!

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Resource	Alexa	Descr
infolinks	707	Premium PPC Contextual Ads. Get the highest revenue share from In-Text Ads. 70% share, intext advertising. Great resource, although I wouldn't recommend that newbies start here. Great to come back to though, once you've tested your first couple of campaigns on less demanding networks.

This is just the tip of the iceberg! These are just top top 20 CPC/CPM networks. You'll find hundreds more analyzed within the MCCOMPETITION OF THE IMPORTANT OF THE

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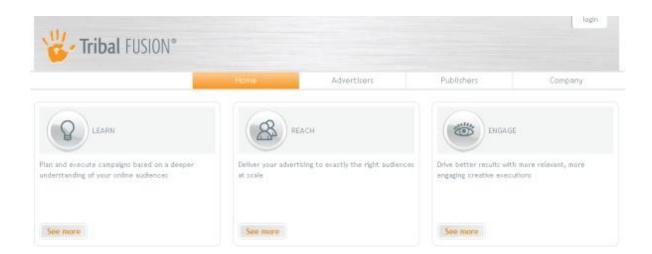
Top 5 CPV Advertising Networks & Resources



Resource	Alexa	Descr
Amazon.com	10	Although Amazon offers a smaller percentage per
		sale, their reporting system far surpasses other big
		networks. CPV advertising options exist too.



Resource	Alexa	Descr
ClixSense	527	Good CPV network & more. ClixSense is one of the oldest and most trusted Paid-to-Click (PTC Advertising) websites online. Members get paid to click on PTC adverts to view websites, complete offers, surveys and tasks. Advertisers have several advertising options at very affordable rates. CPV options are also available.

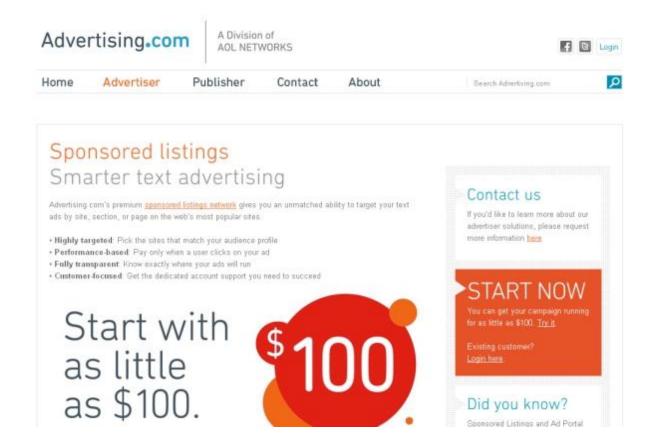


Resource	Alexa	Descr
Tribal Fusion	902	Media buy banner network Pop-ups and Pop-
		unders Plan and execute campaigns based on a
		deeper understanding of your online audiences.
		Great reach. Deliver your advertising to exactly the
		right audiences. Good for newbies too!



Resource	Alexa	Descr
<u>CPV interactive</u>	4,994	Built upon the Right Media/Yahoo RMX platform CPX - progressive online ad network and global marketing company. Banners/display, media buys banners/display, media buys. Good for newbies too with a low entry point for testing.

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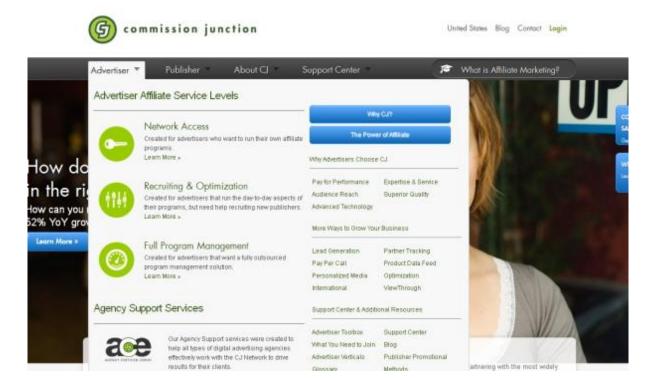
Resource	Alexa	Descr
Advertising.com	5,059	AOL content + Advertising.com ad network + TACODA targeting analytics. Demographic, channel, Standard Industry Classification (SIC) IP address matching, psychographic, dayparting, zip code and geographic targeting. Advertising.com combines the industry's most advanced technology, precise targeting and a quality network to deliver results for advertisers & publishers.

Dozens more CPV resources at the <u>IM Competitive Edge</u> site, so be sure to check them out!

Now have a look at this:

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Top 5 CPA Advertising Networks & Resources

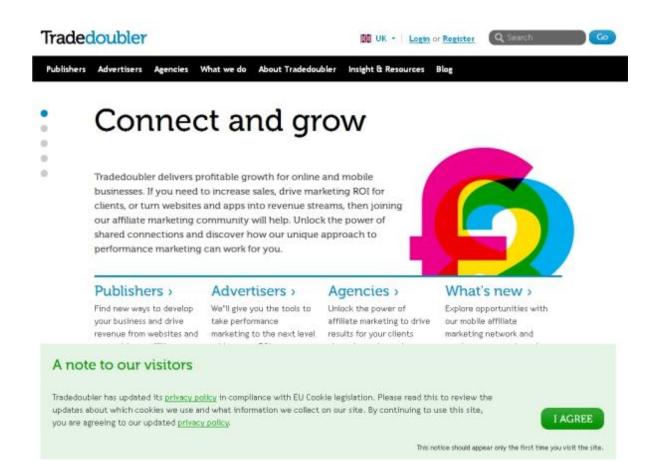


Resource
Commission
Junction

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CJ is the best at balancing the relationship between the merchants, the network, and the affiliates. Advertisers and publishers rely on Commission Junction to create opportunities, align incentives, provide accountability and drive innovation in the performance. Great for newbies and experienced marketers alike.



Resource	Alexa	Descr
Trade Doubler	735	Performance-based digital marketing. Founded in Sweden and now covering 18 different markets in Europe. Tradedoubler delivers powerful performance marketing solutions for advertisers, agencies and publishers seeking profitable growth.

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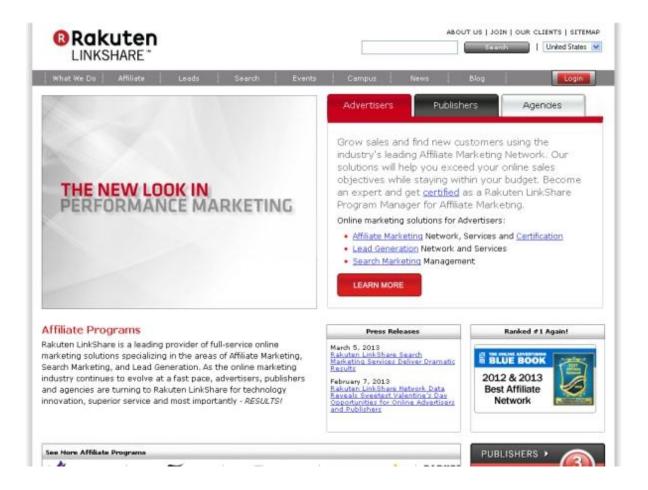


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<u>Share a Sale</u>

Absolutely the overall best performance marketing network in the world today is ShareASale. Affiliate network providing pay-per-sale, pay-per-lead, and pay-per-click programs for webmasters.



Resource	Alexa	Descr
<u>LinkShare</u>	767	LinkShare is a TOP network, based on the
		strength of its platform, quality of support and
		international capabilities. LinkShare is the leader
		for Affiliate Marketing Services and Lead
		Generation.

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Resource PeerFly Alexa Descr

2,860 Highly rated CPA net. PeerFly is one of my favorite networks. They are courteous, helpful, and point you in the right direction. Internet marketing just got easier.

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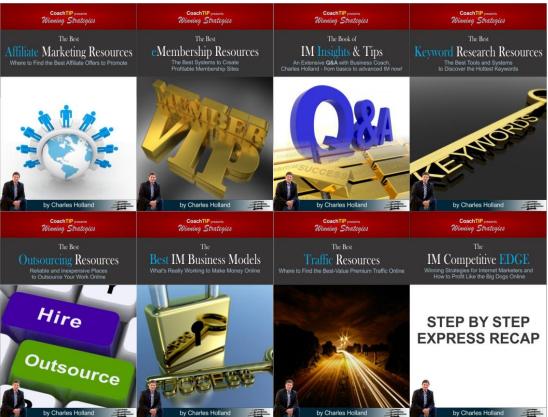
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The course includes many fabulous resources, among them:



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