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VICE PRESIDENT OF MARKETING

Take about 20 minutes and walk us through your resume. Start from the beginning and walk us through each company, why you were hired, your responsibilities and accomplishments. After each company tells us why you left.

- **1.** You have had some time to review our web site, what are your thoughts around our branding, navigation, look and feel?
- 2. Creating a digital strategy for a direct sales company is quite challenging with an independent sales organization. Tell us about how you have navigated this and your overall experience in digital strategy development.
- 3. What have been the biggest challenges in deploying your digital strategy?
- 4. How have you helped the field sales organization best utilize social media?
- 5. What compliance issues have you faced with social media and how have you delt with those?
- **6.** What trends are you seeing in direct sales and how have you addressed them from a marketing perspective?
- 7. What KPI's do you use to manage the success of the marketing department?
- 8. Recognition is a big part of any direct sales company. What type of recognition have you helped to implement, what communications around that has worked best for you?
- 9. What other department heads do you primarily work with in executing events and recognition?
- **10.** Walk us through the annual marketing budget process at your current company. What has been your involvement in this process and what other departments are normally involved in establishing your budget?

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