# Franklinton Center at Bricks STAR Presentation



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### **Executive Summary**

The **Franklinton Center at Bricks** offers a unique history and welcoming space to all visitors. To date, FCAB has grown its reach organically, but still faces capacity constraints for the staff and facilities. To grow earned income to \$788K, the STAR team has focused on **short term, impactful and implementable recommendations** for FCAB.









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# Primary and secondary research was used to identify and inform recommendations

		4 team staff interviews			
	Interviews	8 independent staff interviews; 25 system review calls			
Duinen		12 previous customers			
Primary Research		15 executive leadership of FCAB			
Research	Survey	49 previous and potential customers of FCAB			
	Customer Target List	80 potential customer leads from 3+ market experts			
	Site Visits	6 site visits and observations			
	Industry Reports	Orbis and ReferenceUSA Company Data			
		IBIS World Industry Reports			
	Competitive Benchmarking	10 local and national competitors			
	Financial Statement Analysis	FCAB Budgets and Events Calendar			
Secondary		FCAB Customer Lists			
Research	Booking System Research	40 initial screenings			
	Branding Analysis	2 advertising expert interviews; 1 designer interview			
	Staff Capacity Analysis	AIM & independent time estimate data			
	Previous Consulting Work	AIM consulting documents			





## We conducted a survey to develop proprietary customer insights



#### **Demographics**

**Customer Preferences** 

- Customer organization size
- Organization mission
- Location of organizations
- Annual budget of organization



- Customer willingness to pay
- Space and event pricing
- Overnight room rates
- New opportunity pricing



### **Customer Survey**



- Desired use of facilities
- Amenities necessary
- Communication preferences
- Marketing material

- Source of referral to FCAB
- Quality of service
- Areas for improvement
- Reason for choosing FCAB for services







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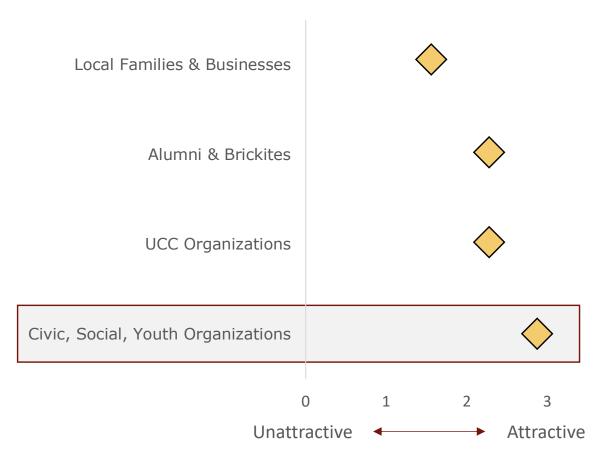
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### CSYs are the most attractive segment...



#### **Evaluation Criteria**

- Distinct focused and unique
- **2. Stable** value proposition does not change
- **3.** Large profitable enough to serve
- **4. Accessible** effectively reached with messaging
- **5. Identifiable** size and purchasing power can be measured

Source: Team Analysis





### ...and the market is large enough to sustain FCAB

#### **Market Size for CSY Segment**

	Number of CSY Organizations	<b>Potential Revenue</b>
Nationally	112,700	\$1B
<b>North Carolina</b>	2,778	\$25M
Tri-County (Nash, Halifax, Edgecombe)	28	\$667K

FCAB's market share with civic, social, and youth organizations is 1.5%

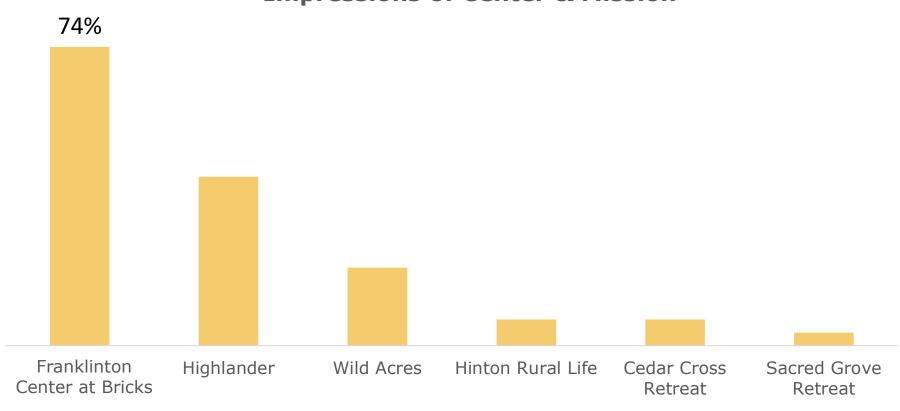
Source: Osiris Market Data; 2017 Events Calendar; 2018 Customer Survey; Team Analysis





## CSYs prioritize booking with FCAB due to mission-alignment

#### % of Respondents with Very Positive or Positive Impressions of Center & Mission



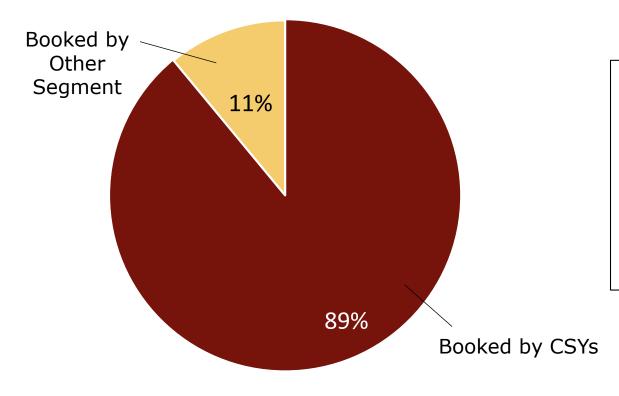
Source: 2018 Customer Survey





### CSYs book the most conferences and retreats

#### % of Retreats/Conferences - 2017



Retreats and conferences generate 10X the income of any other event

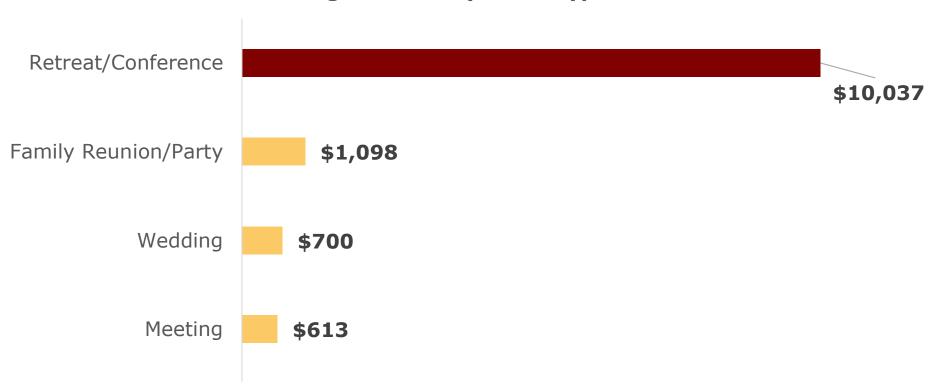
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### Retreats and conferences are the largest driver of event income

#### **Average Income by Event Type - 2017**

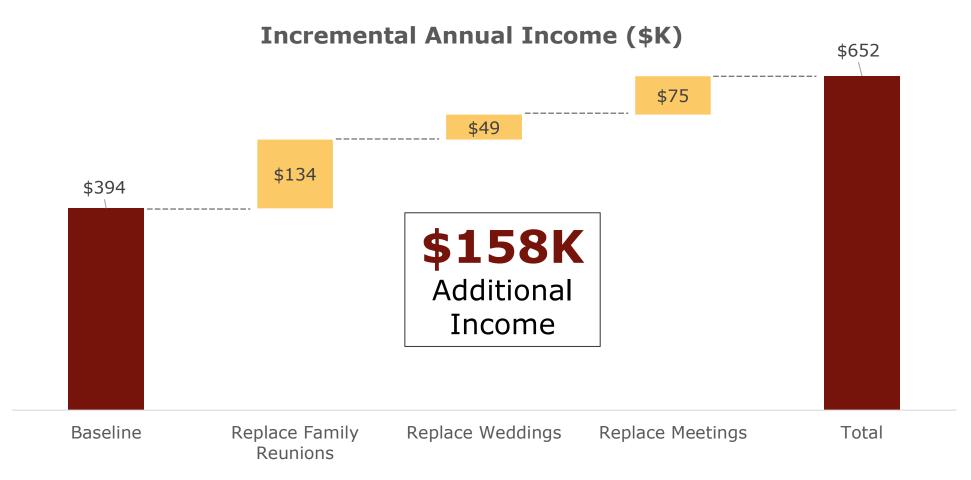


Source: 2017 Events Calendar





## Replacing other events with CSY conferences and retreats will grow earned income



Source: 2017 Events Calendar; Team Analysis







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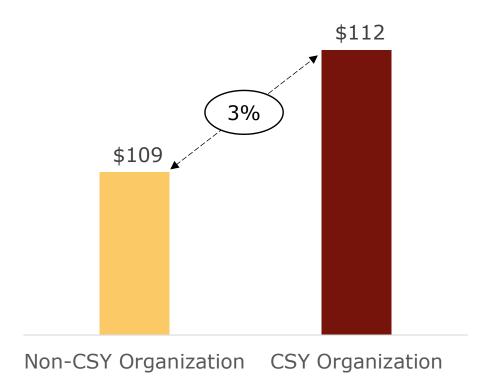


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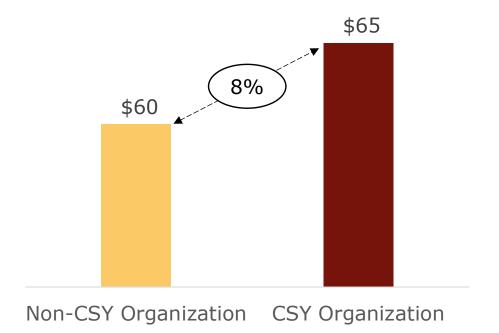
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### CSYs will pay a premium for lodging

#### **Hotel-style Room Price**



#### **Dorm-style Room Price**



Source: 2018 Customer Survey





## Survey data shows that FCAB should increase room prices



\$80 —— \$100

Hotel-style rooms



\$40 —— \$60

Dorm-style rooms

These changes would have earned FCAB \$89K in 2017





### A price change is the best strategy to maximize earned income

#### **Hotel-style Rooms**

Price per Room	Event Gain/Loss	Income
40	8%	\$ 195,3967
60	8%	\$ 293,095
80	0%	\$ 362,880
100	-12%*	\$ 401,2612
120	-50%	\$ 272,160

#### **Dorm-style rooms**

Price per Room	Event Gain/Loss	Income		
20	0%	\$	64,800	
40	0%	\$	129,600	
60	-8%*	\$	179,446	
80	-38%	\$	159,508	
100	-77%	\$	74,769	

\*Promotions will minimize this impact

+\$39K

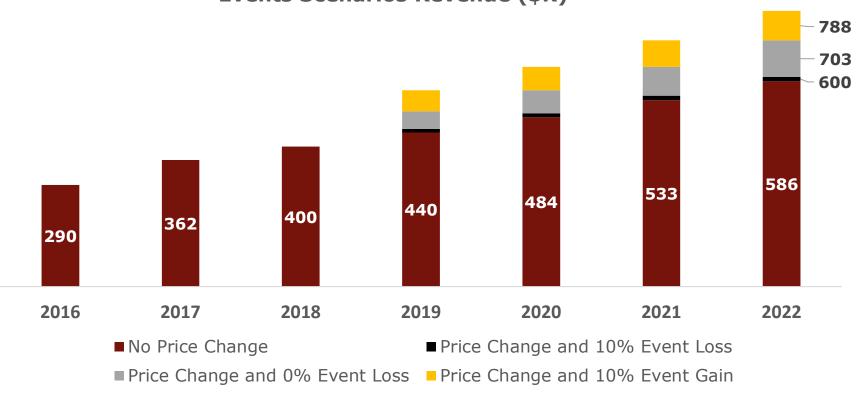
+\$50K





### Short-run implementation can unlock potential income and boost market share





Market	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022
Share	1 20/	1 EO/	1 70/	1 00/ 2 20/	1 00/ 3 50/	2 10/ 2 00/	2 2 2 20/
Range	1.2%	1.5%	1.7%	1.8%-2.2%	1.9%-2.5%	2.1%-2.8%	2.3-3.2%





### Three additional pricing strategies can counter customer reduction

	<b>Description</b>	<b>Examples</b>		
Product Bundles	value	<ul> <li>Access to mission- focused speakers</li> <li>Access to Brickites and historical tours</li> <li>Complimentary coffee</li> </ul>		
Sliding Scale Pricing	Offer lower rates to smaller mission-aligned	<ul><li>Scale if customer books in advance</li><li>Offer lower rates to long-lasting clients</li></ul>		
Seasonal Adjustments	Align pricing with seasonal demand	<ul> <li>Incentivize customer by offering lower prices in low rental months</li> </ul>		







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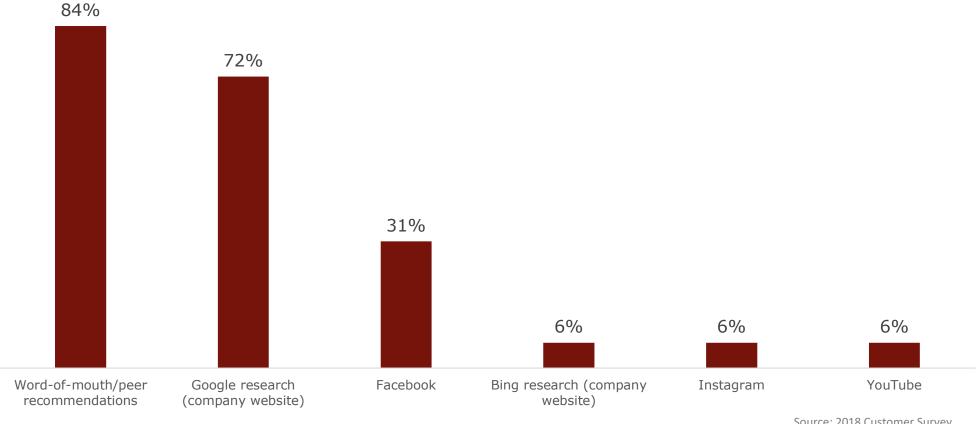


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### CSY groups are online and FCAB can reach them through popular channels

Which of the following sources do you use when researching and considering where to book a conference or retreat?

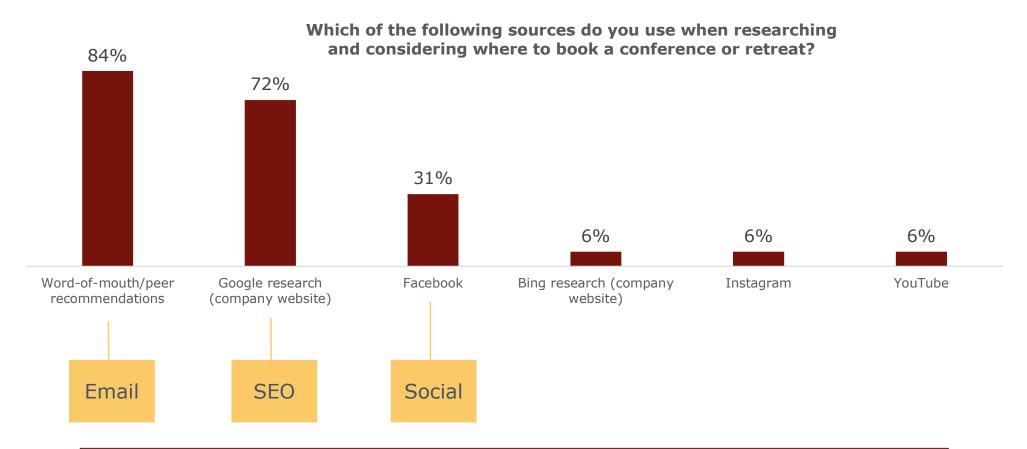








### Utilize email, search engine optimization (SEO), and social media to reach CSYs



Email, SEO, and social media marketing will allow FCAB to target their consumer base effectively while being cost efficient.





## To promote what makes FCAB different from competitors...

	FCAB	Highlander	Cedar Cross Retreat	Wild Acres	Sacred Grove Retreat	Hinton Rural Life	Chestnut Ridge	Mount Shepard
Catering								•
Lodging								
Event Space								
Auditorium								
Programming								
Mission Focus								
History/ Museum								





## ...FCAB must build on its strong, recognizable brand with consistent messaging

#### Mission

- Focus on racial equity
- Expound on the importance of the mission

### History

- Tie into the mission
- Showcase the strength of people of color

### **Facilities**

- Display meeting space, catering, accommodations
- Highlight the incredible service

FCAB offers affordable and welcoming accommodations, a passion for racial equity, and an inspiring heritage.





## Focus on four content buckets to showcase what makes FCAB uniquely great

#### Racial Equity

- Important mission
- Tap into national conversations
- Share content from partners

#### Why FCAB Matters

- Share customer testimonials
- Excellent service
- Beautiful grounds

### **Content Buckets**

#### **Brickite History**

- Share photos, anecdotes, heritage
- Establish legitimacy

#### Relevant NC History

 Bring current events top of mind by being a voice for what African-Americans are doing now





### Email marketing is the most cost effective method for word-of-mouth referrals and customer retention

#### Emails are...



#1 preferred source of business communication



**5X** more likely to be seen than a Facebook post



40X more effective at acquiring customers than Facebook or Twitter

Source: CampaignMonitor, eMarketer, Marketing Sherpa, McKinsey & Company





### MailChimp is the best email marketing service for non-profits



- Professional, scalable solution
- Free up to 2,000 subscribers
- Easy to use design solutions



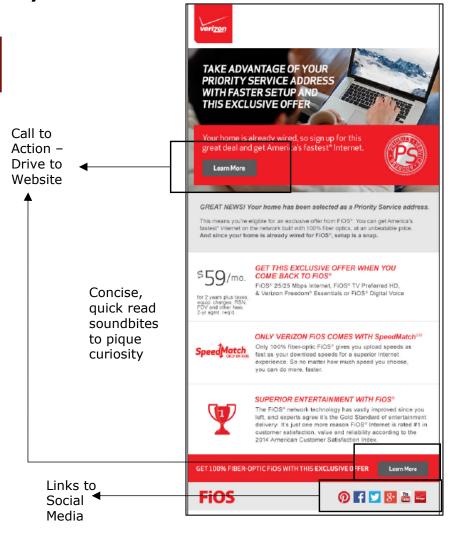




## Utilize email best practices to benchmark initial campaign and develop key metrics

#### **Email Best Practices**

- Aim to send two emails per month
- Design the email so that it is mobile friendly
- Be content focused, yet concise
- Have new material and news, don't overly sell them on FCAB
- Automate booking submission confirmation
- Measure the following metrics:
  - Open rate
  - Click-through rate
  - Conversion
- Change frequency and design of emails to improve metrics







## Improve social media presence through best practices...

#### **Social Media Best Practices**

- Use high quality pictures
- Ensure all posts have a message
  - Keep messaging to the point and easy to read
- Maintain a personality consistent across all posts
- Be topical and relevant to what FCAB stands for
- Use hashtags to be seen outside of your followers
- Metrics
  - Impression
  - Engagement
- Post frequently
  - Twitter post every few days
  - Facebook post every week





### ...while focusing on FCAB's values



**Celebrating individuals** 



**Promoting and showcasing Events** 



**Exemplifying what makes FCAB special** 



Sharing relevant posts/articles





## Focus on the most important aspect of social media posts – imagery







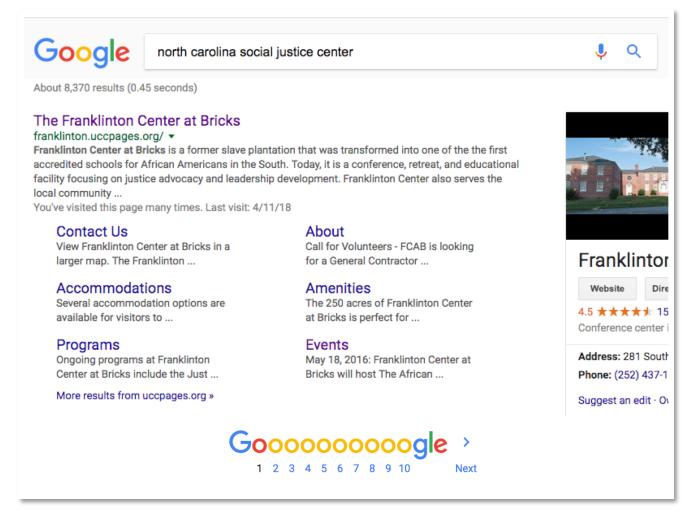








### Bring FCAB to page #1 in Google search

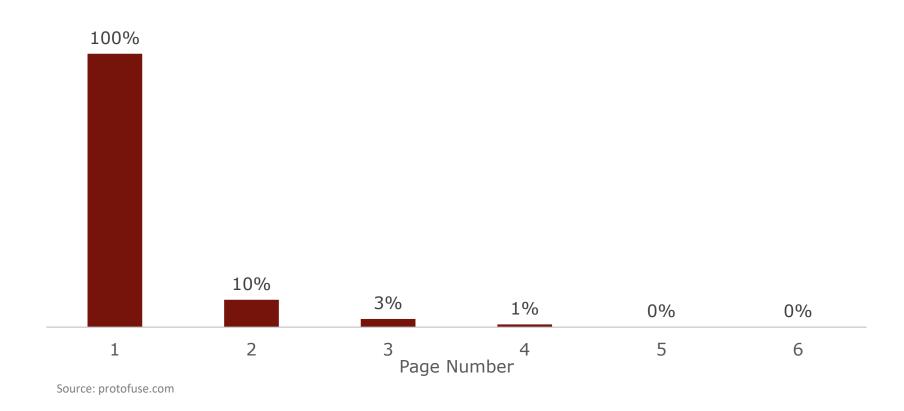






## The majority of browsers don't move past the first page

#### **Traffic per Page of Google Results**







## Content based SEO will help get FCAB onto page #1

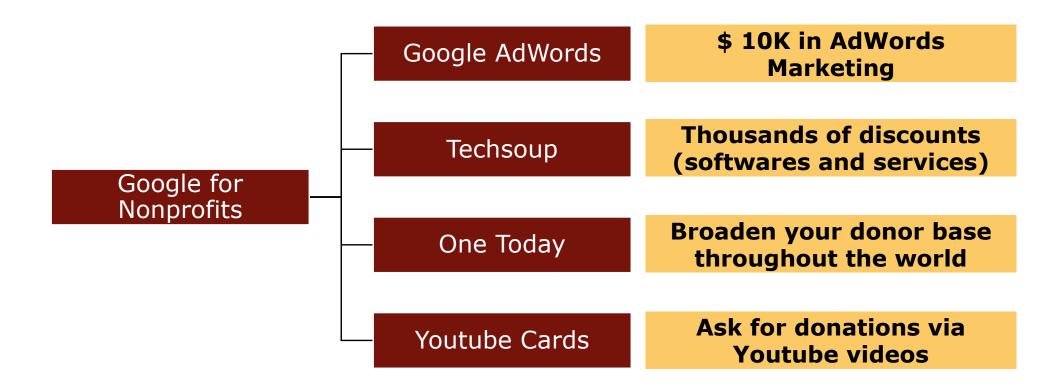
#### **SEO Best Practices**

- Utilize keywords based on what your consumers use to search
  - "Retreat"
  - "Conference"
  - "Justice"
  - "African American"
- Cross market with partners and blogs to link back to the FCAB site
- Create original content to draw people into the FCAB site
- Ensure the website has no broken links to lose viewers





### Google for Nonprofits will unlock additional free marketing features to increase customer attraction



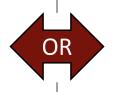




## A new logo will jumpstart the rebranding of FCAB...



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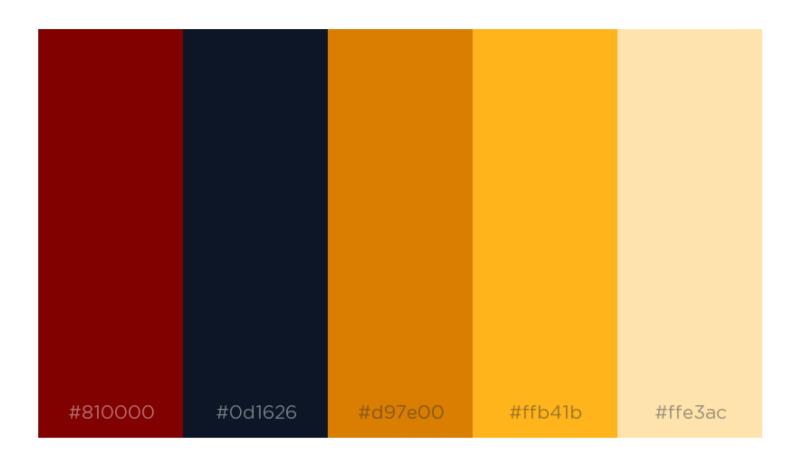


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### ...as will a revamped color palette



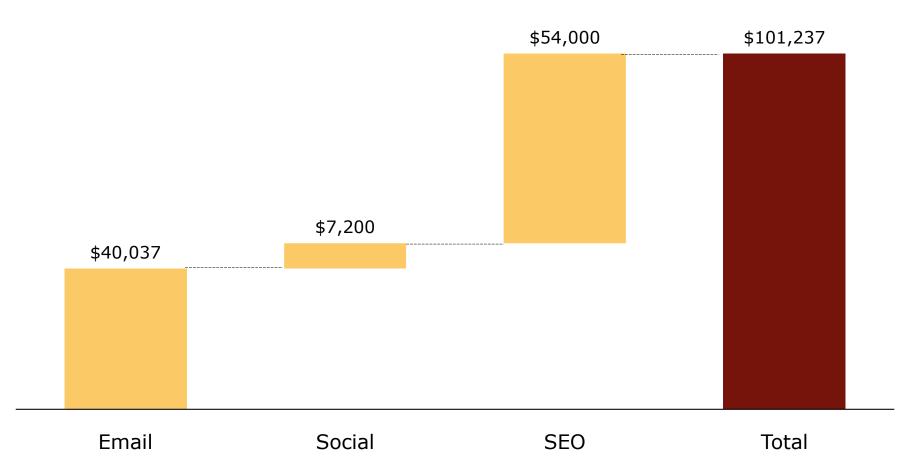
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## FCAB will see positive returns by ramping up free marketing initiatives to drive awareness

#### **Projected 2019 Incremental Income (\$)**









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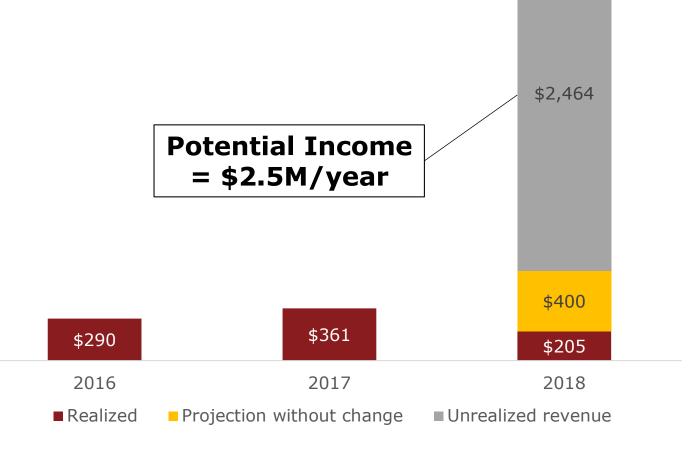
## FCAB's potential income is large, but limited capacity is an obstacle

#### Realized and Potential Income (\$K)



2016: 40%

2017: 46%







## New administrative systems can ensure better reservation and financial processes

100%

Staff Utilization

40%

Of staff time is spent on Finances, Accounting, Office Management and Logistics



Automation for booking systems represents a major opportunity to free ~20% staff capacity and allow staff to spend more time on income-generating activities

#### **Potential Capacity Improvements**



#### **Reservation System**

Streamline current reservation system which is highly manual and uses a large portion of staff capacity



#### **Credit Card Capability**

Offer the ability for customers to pay with credit card to reflect changing standards



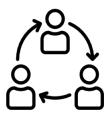
#### **Ordering Purchases**

Optimize buying patterns of food and laundry to more efficiently use capital





## A new booking system will free up capacity and manage operations more efficiently



### Capacity

 Opens up 20% staff time that can be used for handling additional events, better customer service, and networking



## Accounting Practices

- No manual errors
- Payments can be tracked and recorded in real time
- Digital records will be available with booking system



## Data Management

- Customer data records
- Used for promotions, marketing, etc.
- Analyze seasonality to allocate time for networking and marketing





## Three booking systems meet FCAB's requirements and should be demo'd promptly

FCAB's requirements

STAR team finalized 3 potential booking systems

FCAB to demo these 3 systems

- ✓ Payment facilities
- ✓ Integrated system
- ✓ Easy to use
- ✓ Low cost

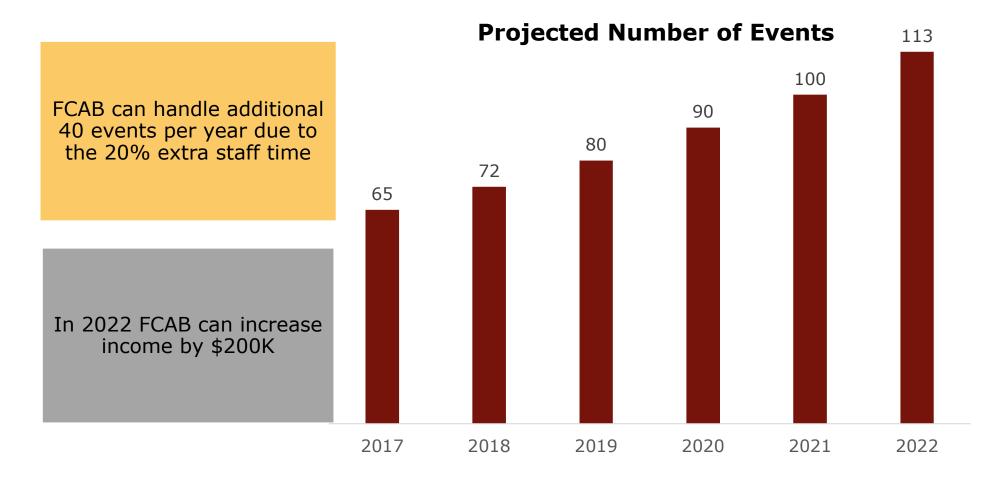
- ✓ FormBuilder
- ✓ FunctionTracker
- ✓ ReserveInteractive
- ✓ Finalize one reservation system and handover to FCAB

The 3 potential booking systems are priced in the range of \$70-\$100 per month





# FCAB can host 40 additional events and increase earned income by \$200K in 2022 through the new booking system







### **Key Question**

The **UNC STAR Team** has been brought into identify how FCAB can most effectively increase mission-aligned earned income from \$361K to \$788K annually by December 31, 2022.









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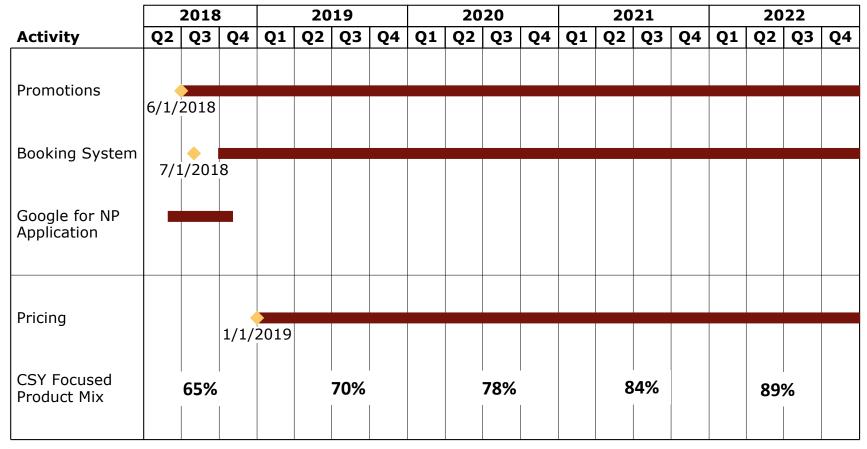
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## Recommendations should be implemented as soon as possible and continued moving forward









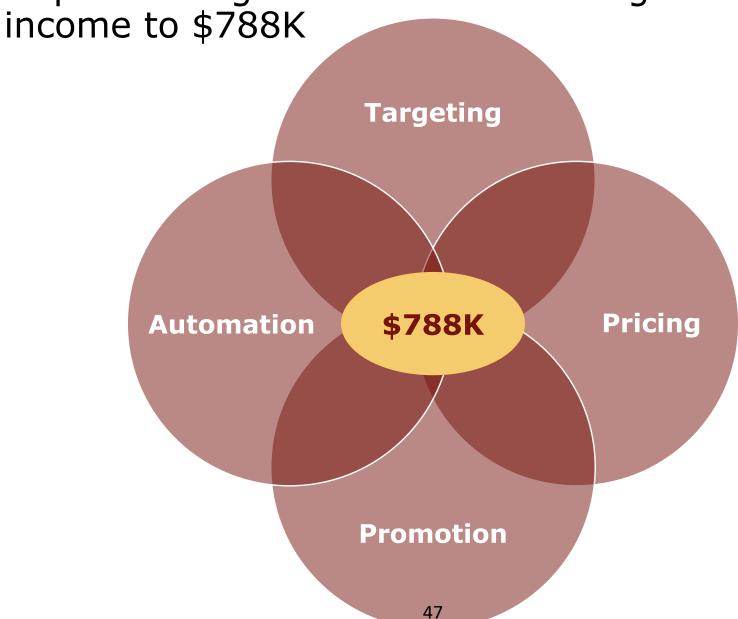
## There are some risks associated with this plan but they can be mitigated

	Risk	Mitigation
CSYs	Lose family reunions and weddings	Provide specific timelines for these bookings
Pricing	Market does not accept pricing	Use scaling, bundling and seasonality strategies
Promotions	Sustainability after marketing intern leaves	Consider part-time marketing intern
Automation	Training takes longer than anticipated	Negotiate with software company for training sessions





Implementing these initiatives will grow earned



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## Appendix

## Pro-forma – scenario with no price change

Conserv	ative	Pro-fo	rma				
Year	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022
Events Revenue	\$290	\$362	\$400	\$440	\$484	\$533	\$586
Events Cost	(\$331)	(\$338)	(\$280)	(\$308)	(\$339)	(\$373)	(\$410)
Gross Margin	(\$41)	\$24	\$120	\$132	\$145	\$160	\$176
Utilization (Hosp 2 only)	40%	46%	51%	56%	62%	68%	75%
Market Share	1.2%	1.4%	1.6%	1.8%	1.9%	2.1%	2.3%
	Event	S					
Conservative (lose 10%)	60	65	72	79	87	95	105
Growth			10%	10%	10%	10%	10%
Ov	erall Re	venue			<del> </del>		
SG&A	(\$60)	(\$312)	(\$328)	(\$344)	(\$361)	(\$379)	(\$398)
Operational Profit	(\$101)	(\$288)	(\$207)	(\$212)	(\$216)	(\$219)	(\$222)
Other Income (Grants and Fundraising)	\$92	\$227	\$342	\$308	\$277	\$249	\$224
Net Profit	(\$9)	(\$61)	\$135	\$96	\$61	\$30	\$2

Parameters							
			SG&A				
Price	\$ 80		Growth	5%			
			Cost				
Rooms Rented per event	28		Percentage	70%			
Duration of Events	2.5	days	Grants loss	10%	per year		





## Pro-forma – price change and -10% events

Conser	vative	Pro-for	ma				
Year	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022
Events Revenue	\$290	\$362	\$400	\$450	\$495	\$545	\$600
Events Cost	(\$331)	(\$338)	(\$240)	(\$270)	(\$297)	(\$327)	(\$360)
Gross Margin	(\$41)	\$24	\$160	\$180	\$198	\$218	\$240
Utilization (Hosp 2 only)	40%	46%	51%	46%	51%	56%	61%
Market Share	1.2%	1.4%	1.6%	1.8%	2.0%	2.2%	2.4%
	Event	S					
Conservative (lose 10%)	60	65	72	64	71	78	86
Growth			10%	-10%	10%	10%	10%
Ov	erall Re	venue					
SG&A	(\$60)	(\$312)	(\$328)	(\$344)	(\$361)	(\$379)	(\$398)
Operational Profit	(\$101)	(\$288)	(\$167)	(\$164)	(\$163)	(\$161)	(\$158)
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Net Profit	(\$9)	(\$61)	\$175	\$144	\$114	\$88	\$66

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			Cost				
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## Pro-forma – price change and no events loss

Conser	vative	Pro-for	ma				
Year	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022
Events Revenue	\$290	\$362	\$400	\$501	\$561	\$628	\$703
Events Cost	(\$331)	(\$338)	(\$240)	(\$300)	(\$336)	(\$377)	(\$422)
Gross Margin	(\$41)	\$24	\$160	\$200	\$224	\$251	\$281
Utilization (Hosp 2 only)	40%	46%	51%	51%	57%	64%	72%
Market Share	1.2%	1.4%	1.6%	2.0%	2.2%	2.5%	2.8%
	Event	S					
Conservative (lose 10%)	60	65	72	72	80	90	100
Growth			10%	0%	12%	12%	12%
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Year	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022
Events Revenue	\$290	\$362	\$400	\$561	\$628	\$703	\$788
Events Cost	(\$331)	(\$338)	(\$240)	(\$336)	(\$377)	(\$422)	(\$473)
Gross Margin	(\$41)	\$24	\$160	\$224	\$251	\$281	\$315
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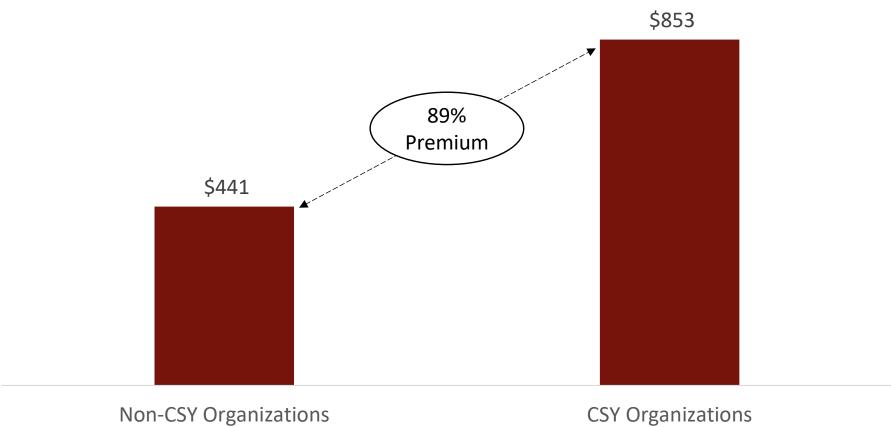
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## CSYs will pay an 89% premium for conference services

#### **Conference Room Rental Price**



Source: 2018 Customer Survey





## Survey data show that customers want to pay less for catering services

Meal	Insight
Breakfast	41% of customers would only pay up to \$8
Lunch	58% of customers would only pay up to \$12
Dinner	32% of customers would only pay up to \$12





## A new pricing and automated reservation system will help increase FCAB's income

A \$20 increase in event rental fee would have raised ~\$88K in income in the short-run, and also give FCAB bandwidth to serve additional customers acquired through marketing

Automated reservation system will reduce time spent on administrative tasks by 20%, put FCAB on the path to new accounting practices and better customer experience





### CSY market is large enough to be sustainable

**Market Size (NC)** 

\$25M

**FCAB Market Share** 

1.5%

**CSY Demographics** 

**109** average attendees per event

**2.4** average days per event

\$605K average annual budget

Source: Osiris Market Data; 2017 Events Calendar; 2018 Customer Survey





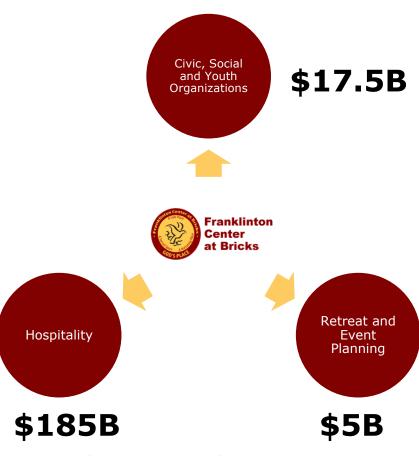
## FCAB has the potential to offer more than just its core business of retreats and conferences

#### **FCAB Core Competencies**



Source: Customer Surveys & Employee Interviews

#### **FCAB National Market**









## Meetings, events, and incentive travel also represents strong market potential



#### **\$751M Annual Revenue**

 North Carolina Meetings, Events, and Incentive Travelers Source: IBIS Industry Reports, Orbis company data, 2017 Events Calendar, FCAB internal financial data

Capacity constraints and profitability represent obstacles in going after this entire potential market





## Customer segments can be broken down into four categories to identify revenue opportunities

#### **Mission-Aligned CSYs**

Aligned with mission and inspired by story

- Social Justice Mission
- POC-Led
- GrassrootsOrganizations



- Businesses >20 Employees
- Trainings & Events
- Family Reunions & Weddings
- Located in Tri-County Area or Wake County



#### **Local Businesses & Families**

Nearby and in need of affordable space



Partnered with UCC and FCAB



- United Church of Christ
- Southern Conference
- Affiliated Ministries



- Historic Ties to FCAB
- Board Members
- Friends/Family

**Alumni & Brickites** 

Part of the FCAB "family"





## Sample of customers surveyed















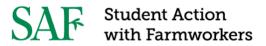




















### Survey demographics

- 67% identified as Civic, Social or Youth organizations
- 78% have traveled out of state for a conference/retreat
- 63% had been to FCAB
- 50% were not eligible for discounted hospitality rates; 18% were; 32% did not know;
- 76% of respondents were based in NC, 24% from out-of-state
- 109 = average number of attendees
- 2.4 = average # of days/conference
- Average annual budget \$605,111
- States covered: California, Georgia, Illinois, Maryland, North Carolina,
   Virginia





## **Pricing Analysis**

What is the maximum you would be willing to pay for each of these?

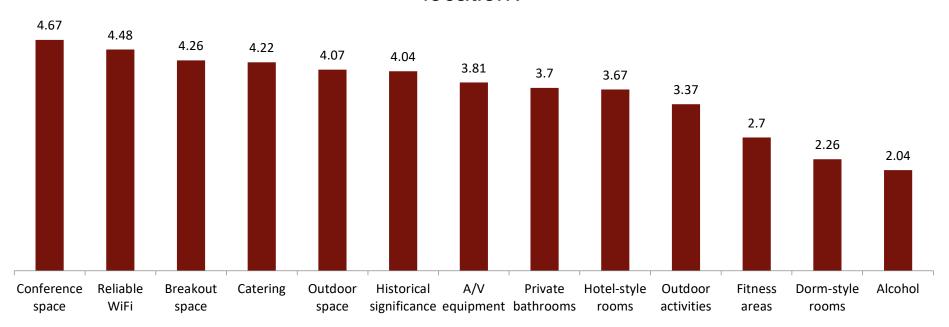
Item	Average	Min	Max
Annual Budget	650,111	2,000	2,200,000
One-day Conference Room Rental	880	0	5,000
Hotel-style Room (per night)	112	45	150
Dorm-style Room (per night)	68	38	200
Breakfast	11	6	30
Lunch	14	9	30
Dinner	18	10	40
Dinner w/ Alcohol	25	10	40





### Capability rankings

When making a retreat or conference booking decision, how important are the following attributes of a potential center or location?

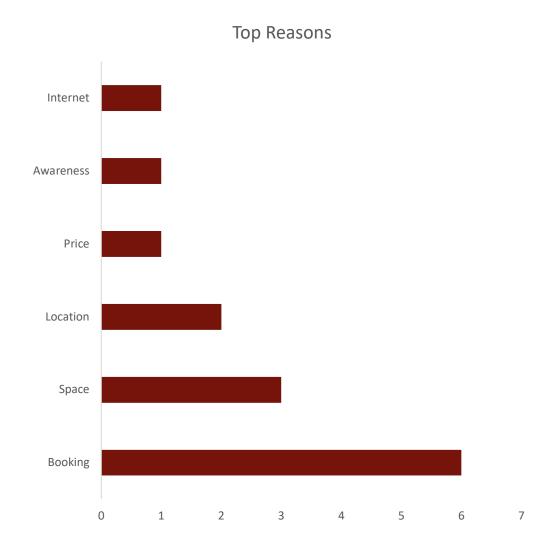


- Reliable WiFi is "extremely important"
- Historical significance is "very important"
- Alcohol & Dorm-style rooms are "not so important"





### Reasons for not using FCAB



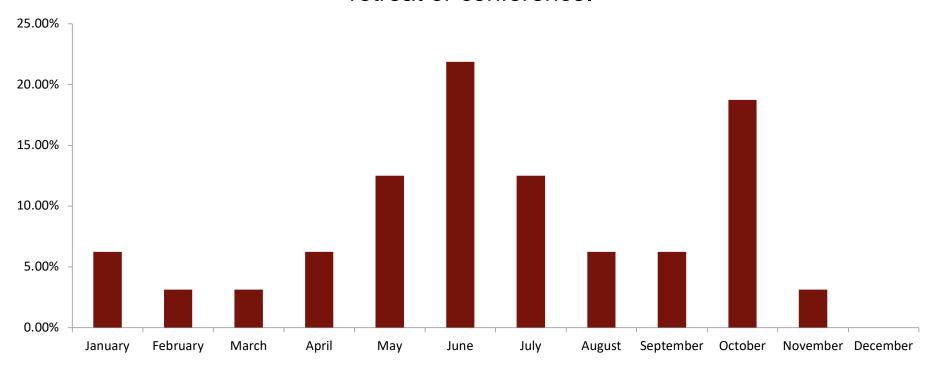
- "Space" consists of total available space and break out spaces being too small
- "Booking" consists of not having availability on a certain date, not following back up with customers, and requests not being accepted





### Seasonality

Please select the month that you would most likely schedule a retreat or conference.

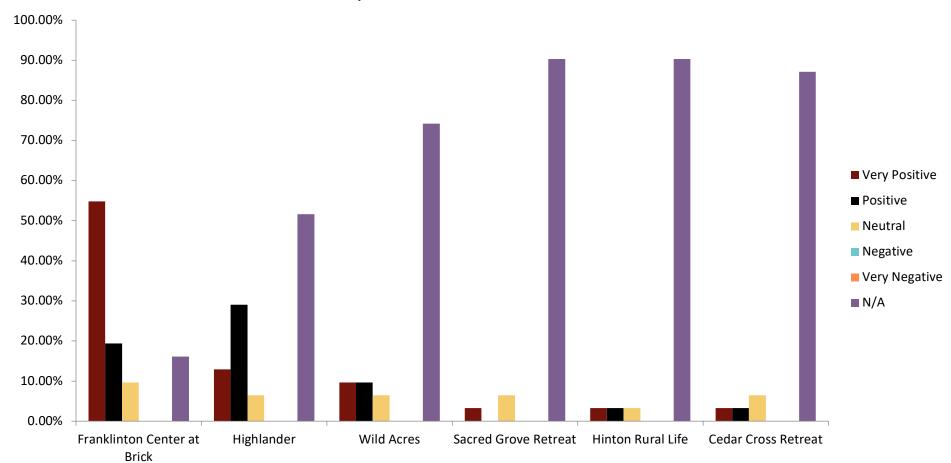






### **Impressions**

What is your impression of the following retreat or conference centers? Select N/A if you have not heard of the center.







### List of Comps Provided by Respondents

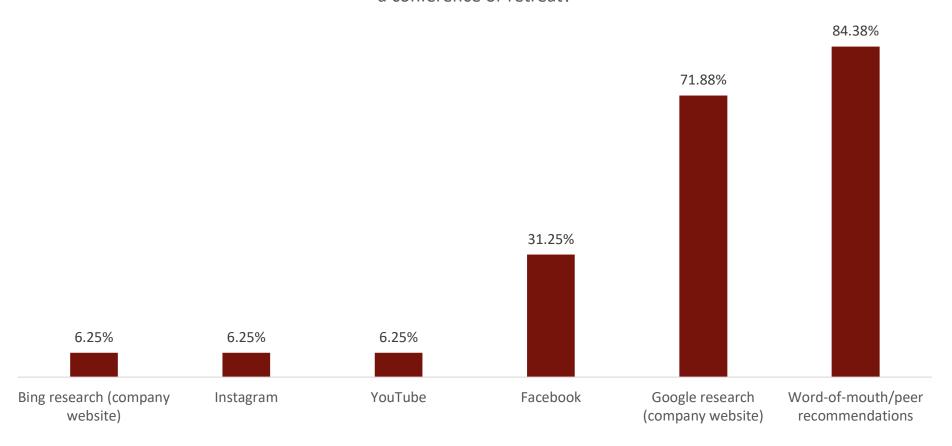
- Camp Caraway
- New Bern Convention Center
- Bennett College
- Durham Tech
- Meredith College
- Chestnut Ridge
- Jarvis United Methodist Church
- Howell Woods
- Peace College
- Camp New Hope
- Durham Convention Center
- Blue Ridge Assembly
- North Carolina Rural Center
- Winston Salem Foundation
- Avila Retreat Center
- Down East Partnership for Children
- American Tobacco Campus





### Promotion sources

Which of the following sources do you use when researching and considering where to book a conference or retreat?

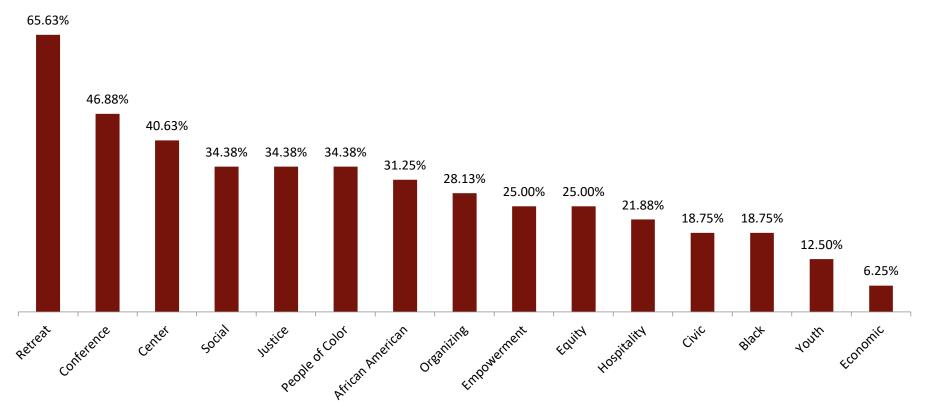






### Promotion key words

Which of the following key words/phrases do you use when researching and considering where to book a conference or retreat? Check all that apply.

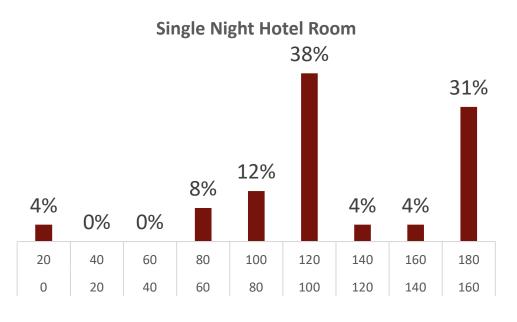






## Price changes will lead to higher earned income but fewer customers

Price per Room	Event Gain/Loss	Income
40	8%	\$ 195,3967
60	8%	\$ 293,095
80	0%	\$ 362,880
100	-12%	\$ 401,2612
120	-50%	\$ 272,160



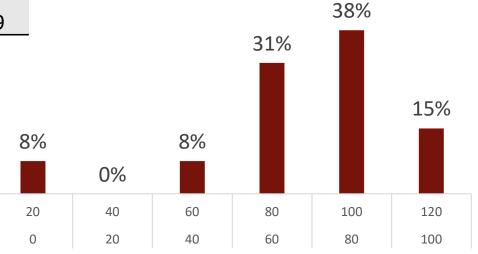




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Price per Room	Event Gain/Loss	Facilities Utilization	Income	
20	0%	46%	\$	64,800
40	0%	46%	\$	129,600
60	-8%	43%	\$	179,446
80	-38%	28%	\$	159,508
100	-77%	11%	\$	74,769

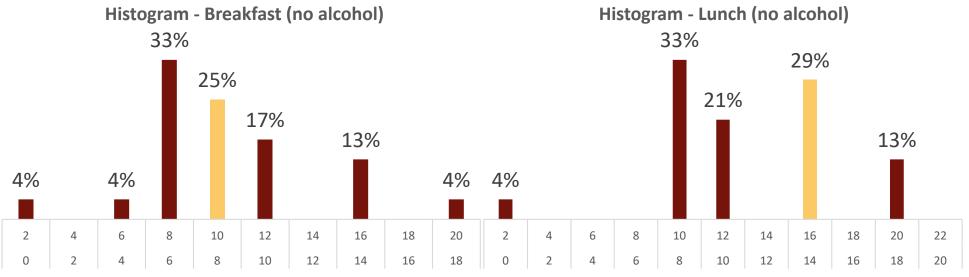
#### **Single Night Dorm Room**



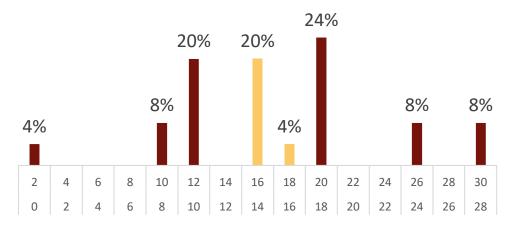




# Survey data shows a higher customer sensitivity regarding Catering Services



Histogram - Dinner (no alcohol)







# Survey data shows that customers want to pay less for catering services

Meal	Insight
Breakfast	41% of customers would only pay up to \$8
Lunch	58% of customers would only pay up to \$12
Dinner	32% of customers would only pay up to \$12





### Value of Outreach Calculations

	Open Rate	Click-Through Rate	Conversion	Consumer	Value per customer	ROI	(excludes lal	bor costs)
Email Marketing	0.3444	0.0775	0.81	2000	3000	\$129,718		
	Weight of Impression	Impression	Weight of Engagement	Engagement	# of Posts	Conversion	Consumers	ROI
Social Media	0.005	15000	0.55	300	150	0.01	2.4	\$7,200
		Average Monthly Visits	Conversion	Months	Value per customer	ROI		
SEO		10	0.15	12	3000	\$54,000		





### Google for Nonprofits

#### **Google AdWords Requirements**

- Commercial activity must not be the main purpose of your website. This includes sales of products and <u>services</u>, consultations, lead generation, and providing referrals.
- Any limited commercial activities must support your non-monetary mission.
- If your organization charges for products or services, your website must describe how your organization uses funds, for example, <u>by disclosing an annual report</u>.

#### **TechSoup**

A portal that receives huge discounts for nonprofits. We have <u>cloud migration</u> (when FCaB needs to do it) with accessible prices, <u>salesforce data management</u> for 15 USD admin fee, <u>Oracle Social Impact</u> to manage finance, grants and other things for 300 USD per year.

The portal offers webinars and other services and hardware (refurbished computers for example).





### Google for Nonprofits

#### **One Today**

Broader your donation base throughout the world U.S. based nonprofits — Validated by the IRS and Google for Nonprofits

- No transaction fees 100% of the donation goes to the nonprofit
- Tax-deductible Get a convenient, year-end tax receipt for all your donations
- Discreet Private contact info is not given to the nonprofits

#### **YouTube Cards**

Post videos and ask for donations.

**How to Create Donation Card** 





## Marketing Intern Plan

Create brand value to FCAB by implementing social media best practices

Create monthly newsletter to send to past and potential customers highlighting important racial equity information

Research search engine optimization to allow FCAB higher visibility to potential customers

Highlight Brickite history to expose FCAB's strong heritage and historical importance

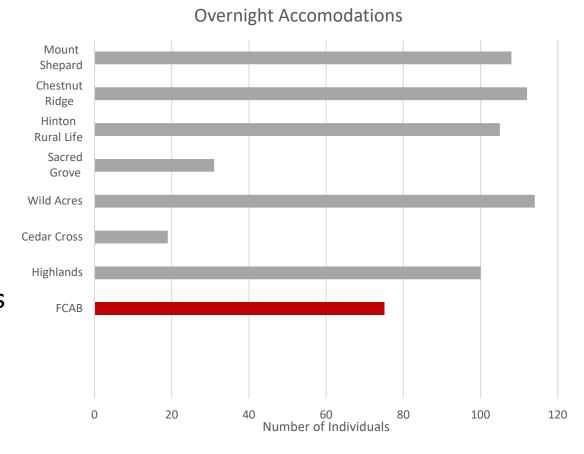
Manage Google for nonprofits and use valuable marketing tools to broaden FCAB's reach





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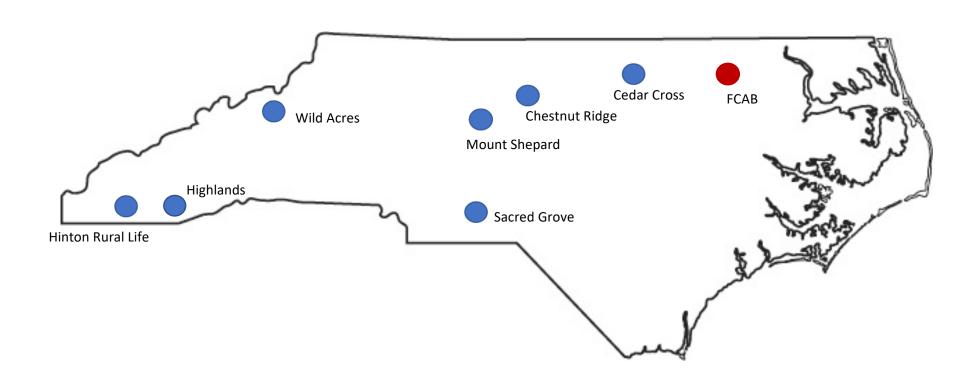
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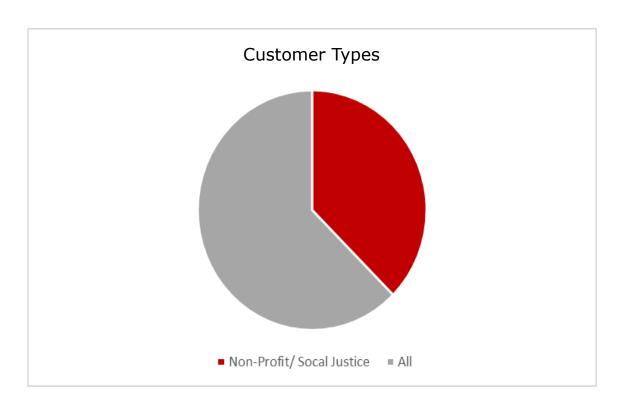
## Location of prominent retreat comps







### Customer segment types among comps

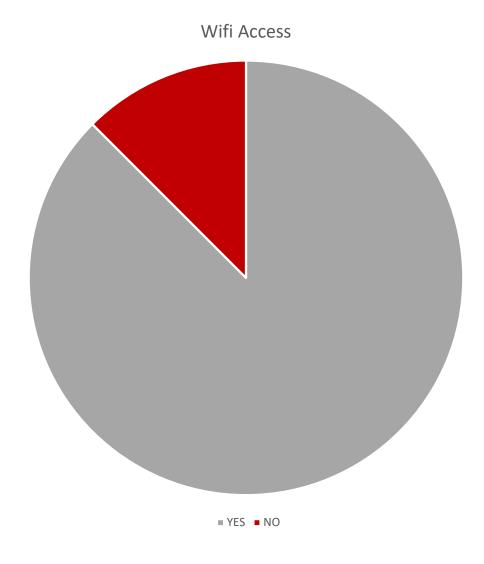


- Majority of comps offer rentals to all customer segments
- Wild Acres is only site that has non-profit restriction





# FCAB is only retreat center without Wi-Fi access to guests

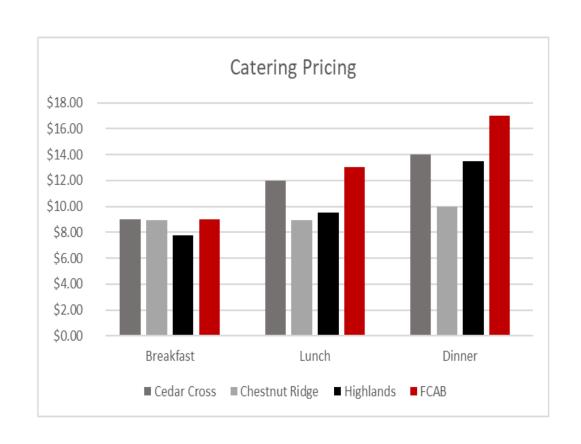






## FCAB's meal pricing is higher than comps

- FCAB's breakfast pricing is on par with comps
- FCAB has higher pricing in both lunch and dinner
- Hoping new booking system will allow more advanced food ordering to cut costs and increase profit



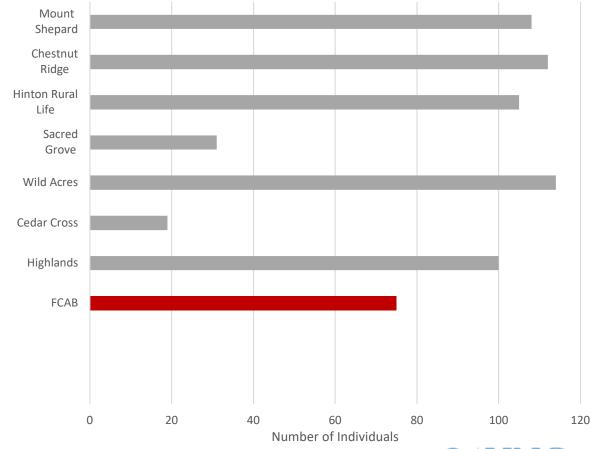




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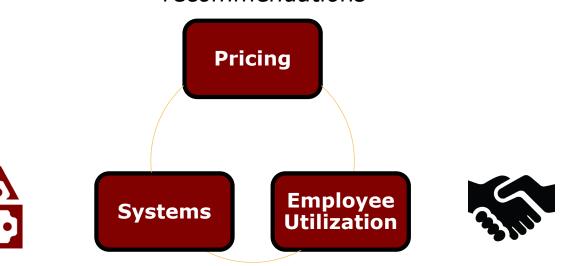






Internal capacity must be addressed to increase earned income

Data from customer interviews and surveys informs our pricing recommendations



Automated information sharing with accounting department will make more accurate budgets

Automated systems need to be implemented to allow a rapid growth strategy





### Booking system: Options under consideration

#### FormBuilder

- Can form customized forms and publish to website
- Price \$80/month
- 24 hour chat support
- Need some prior form making experience

#### *FunctionTracker*

- Very interactive UI
- Price is \$70/month
- No payment integration

#### Reserve Interactive

- Hospitality management software
- Price is \$100/month
- Very intuitive





# The automated booking system can add income of \$200K

Avg. income from conference room per day	\$1,000
Avg. event duration (days)	2.5
Avg. Income from rental	\$2,500
Avg. Income from catering	\$2,500
Avg. Total income from an event	\$5,000

Avg. Total income from an event	\$5,000
Additional events that FCAB host due to new booking system	40
Additional income due to booking system	\$200,000



