

CULINARY COMMUNICATION STRATEGY

Practical food-entrepreneur's notebook



Co-funded by the
Erasmus+ Programme
of the European Union

"The support provided by the European Commission for the production of this publication does not constitute an endorsement of its contents, which reflects the views only of the authors; the Commission cannot be held responsible for any use which may be made of the information contained therein.





PRACTICAL SHEET 1...

Defining your communication strategy

1-The product/consumer

- What is your kitchen segment?
- What rhythm for my menus?

2. cost/time

- The cost of communication for the company
- The time allocated to communication

3. promotion/communication

- The media: press, radio, television, internet, billboards, etc...;
- Frequency: continuous, event-driven, etc.

4. Dissemination

-Web

- social networks, website, blog...

-Print

- Business card, menus, stop-stops, flyers...

NOTES

IT'S UP TO YOU ...

Your internal analysis

RESSOURCES

COMPETENCES







PRACTICAL SHEET...

Your culinary identity

1- What values do you defend

2- What has been your journey so far?

3- What is the story of your kitchen?

4- What are your signature dishes?





Social networks

To remain in control of its e-reputation, the challenge for all food-entrepreneurs is to build and maintain its online showcase. To do this, the main social networks will be your allies. But which one to choose?

Note that a good social network for your business is the one on which your targets are located.

	TYPE OF CONCEPT FOOD	OBJECTIVES	TYPES OF CONTENT
FACEBOOK	ALL	Federating a community	Photo gallery, polls, opinions, statutes, stories, sponsored campaign, events, addresses, reservations, videos, articles
INSTAGRAM	AESTHETICS	Promoting a culinary identity	Photo gallery, front page albums, reels, hastags,stories,igtv, filters, teasing
LINKEDIN	LARGE PRODUCTION CAPACITY	Monitoring, prospecting, recruiting	Statutes, events, stories, photo gallery, articles
TWITTER	ENGAGE	Taking part, doing the watch	Statutes, hastags, surveys
YOUTUBE	INVESTI	Create a channel. video	Recipes, Tips and Tricks
PINTEREST	CONNECT	Promote your website	Photo and website links

Site editors

WIX



Good product,
but very
intrusive logos
are present.

SITE GOOGLE



Good interface,
easy to use

WORDPRESS



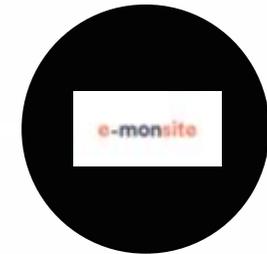
Complex use
for beginners

JIMDO



Serious
product. Offers
assistance.

MY E-SITE



The only
publisher that
displays
banner ads

IT'S UP TO YOU...

Print communication materials

NOTES





IT'S UP TO YOU...

My website

NOTES

.....





IT'S UP TO YOU...

[My website](#)

NOTES

.....





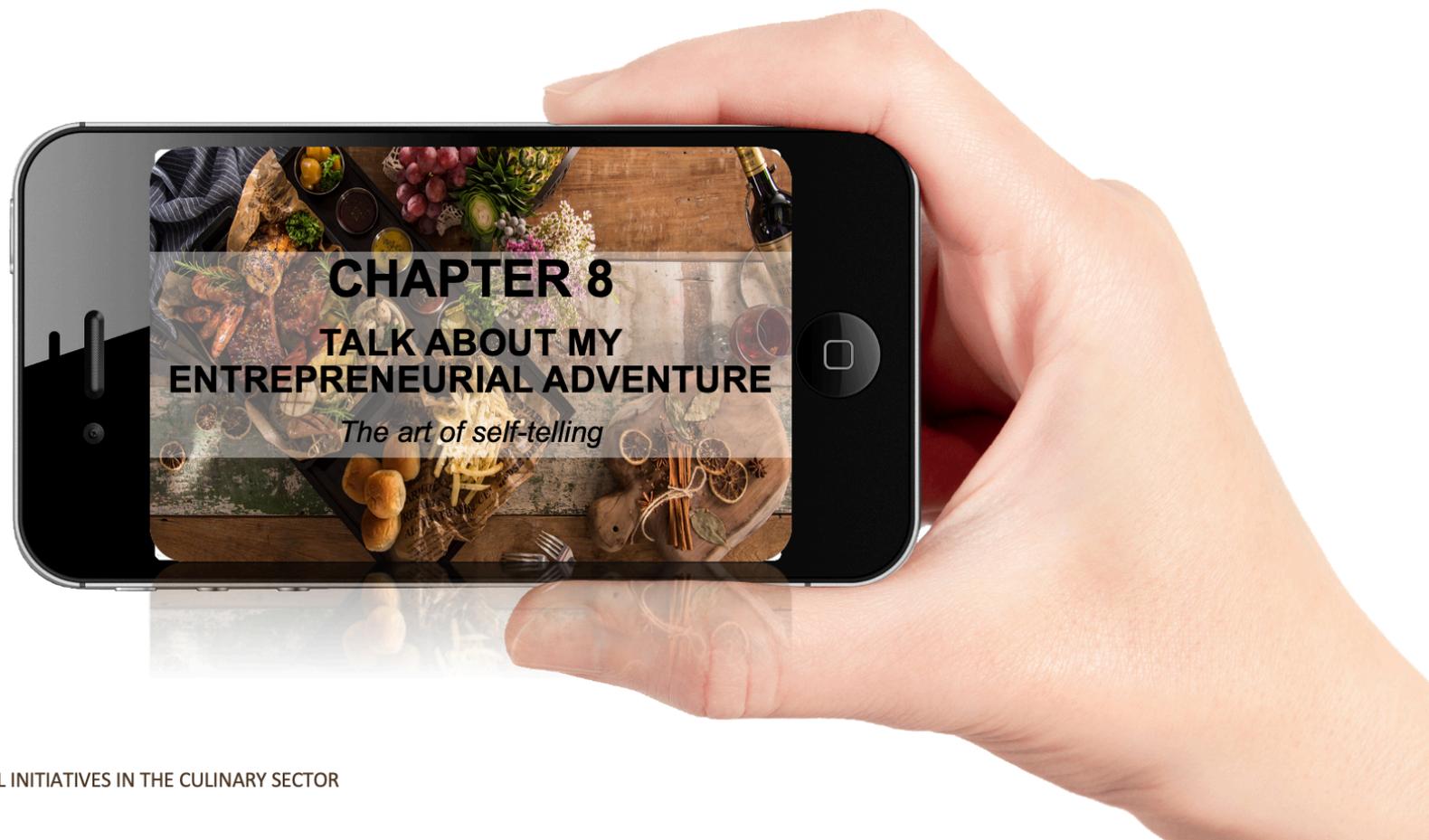
IT'S UP TO YOU....

The launch of my business

NOTES

.....







IT'S UP TO YOU....

The balance of my image

PERSONNALITY

VALUES

STRENGTHS



SUMMARY ...

My inspiration sources

IT'S UP TO YOU...

the important stages of your professional career

NOTES

.....



IT'S UP TO YOU...

I tell my story





TIPS

A top-down view of a food business setup. In the foreground, there's a tray with several round bread rolls. To the right, a bag of fries is visible, with a paper liner that says 'STABLE' and 'NODDLE'. In the background, there's a bouquet of flowers, including white and pink blossoms, and a small bowl of yellow sauce. The overall scene is set on a wooden surface.

10 IDEAS TO PROMOTE YOUR FOOD BUSINESS

- Get listed on online food platforms
- Create a Facebook page
- Share your achievements on Instagram
- Get listed in directories and guides
- Make a virtual showcase via Google My Business
- Make a Google site
- Establishing partnerships at local level
- Create a blog
- Approach companies
- Set up a loyalty programme



7 IDEAS TO PUT IN MOUTH ON SOCIAL NETWORKS

1. Share your photos on Instagram
2. Make surveys of your recipes on Facebook
3. Make stories and real ones
4. Create videos to show your achievements
5. Stage your products, your materials, your dishes
6. Favour natural light for your photos
7. Do not use filters



4 IDEAS FOR EXPLOITING YOUR OPINIONS CUSTOMERS

1. Write them on your packaging
2. When publishing on your social networks
3. In a dedicated section on your website
4. On the walls of your social networks

A collage of various food and drink items. In the foreground, there are golden-brown french fries, a stack of soft bread rolls, and a glass of beer with a label that says 'THE STABLE HANDS WOODLEIGH CREAM BEER'. In the background, there are fresh flowers, including white and pink blossoms, and various other food items like a bowl of green sauce, a bowl of yellow sauce, and some bread. The overall theme is food and drink.

7 IDEAS FOR LAUNCHING EVENTS ITS ACTIVITY

1. Organizing cooking demonstrations
2. Making a video to share on social networks
3. Creating classic or creative culinary animations
4. Propose a thematic tasting
5. Co-creating food pairing
6. Propose ephemeral evenings
7. offer a foodtrip or foodtour



9 TIPS TO STAY INSPIRED

1. Setting objectives
2. Making projects
3. Identifying inspiring entrepreneurs
4. Talking with peers
5. Monitoring progress
6. Taking breaks
7. Talking about your successes
8. Having a hobby
9. Staying on guard

Customer notification and rating platforms

TRIPADVISOR



Allows the consumer to leave a note and an opinion on the service provided by the establishment

GOOGLE
NOTICE



provides contact details for restaurants, reviews and ratings

THE FORK



Only those who have booked and honoured their reservation can post a notice.

FORSQUARE



opinions of internet users

YELP



long notices and photos taken by customers)

INSTAGRAM



Recommendations from Internet users in photos, stories or videos.