

Social Media for Organizations and High-Profile Individuals

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American Meteorological Society

- Member society that represents over 14,000 weather, ocean, climate and hydrologic scientists
- Founded in 1919
- Publishes 10 major peer-reviewed journals
- 501c3 non-profit
- Main office in Boston
- Satellite DC office: Education and Policy departments

Organizations: Social Media GOALS

Start with #1 and work your way down

- Connect with others in your field or others who share your views
- 2. Steady stream of ideas, content, resources focused on your interests
- 3. Monitor what's being said about your organization
- 4. Monitor what's being said about your partners
- 5. Extend the reach of your thought leadership
- 6. Promote your products and services directly to a target audience



AMS Education Program





- Audience
 - Educators
 - Scientists
 - Students
- Research News (f,t)
 - (f) longer description
- opportunities for educators and students (f,t)
- News about the organization (f,t)
- Photos (f,t)
- Ask questions (t)



AMS Climate Studies Diversity Program

- Currently Happening!
- Live-tweeting is a great way to generate interest; momentum
- #AMSDiversity13
- @-tweeting funders/partners
- Demonstrate to membership what AMS does to promote diversity in the Earth sciences
- Gratuitous use of #tags.







Case Study: Annual Meeting 2013

- Similar goals
 - Policy Program, Education Program, Membership Committee, eager members
- Created unique identifiers for the event
 - #Tags (t)
- Created a "business card" with relevant information (~\$100)
 - who to look for on f/t
 - How to use Social Media
 - Why to use social media
- Pulse of the event
- Form new relationships within AMS

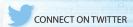


Connect with your community during the 2013 AMS @AMSEducation
Annual Meeting: Make your voice heard, share new
ideas, and converse with colleagues through AMS social
media and make this the best Annual Meeting yet.

Join other attendees sharing pictures, status updates, news releases, and links to resources on Twitter: follow and post to the hashtag #AMS2013. You can also contribute your comments to the AMS Facebook walls and participate in real-time conversations through the live-blogging on the AMS blog, The Front Page.

Take a movie to share your thoughts, interview friends, or even make a brief preview about your own poster or presentation and upload your videos to your YouTube account. Share them through the AMS YouTube Channel (just send a share message through YouTube to Ametsoc and AMS will "favorite" your video).

AMS Social Media will be your resource for breaking meeting news, networking opportunities and interviews with presenters and exhibitors. Even after the meeting is over, use them to help you stay connected with your AMS community!



Join the Conversation #AMS2013

Main AMS Account @AMETSOC

AMS Policy Program @AMSPolicy

AMS Education Program

@AMSEducation

Other Social Media

Resources

Meeting News and Stories

AMS Official Blog

THE FRONT PAGE

http://blog.ametsoc.org/

Videos & Interviews
You Tube

AMS YouTube Channel www.youtube.com/ametsoc



AMS Policy on Social Media

Twitter, Facebook, YouTube and LinkedIn







2013 AMS Washington Forum

Press plan included social media:

- Twitter
- LinkedIn
- Facebook
- Blogs

- The AMS Washington Forum: 120 attendees
- Comments not for attribution
- Twitter hashtag: #AMSWF
- LinkedIn group for attendees
- AMS blog posts
- No new accounts
- Both AMS staff and attendees were very active
 - Promoted social media plan
 - Got buy-in from heavy social media hitters



Marshall Shepherd: High-Profile Individual Case Study

Professor and Research Meteorologist, University of Georgia

Director, UGA Atmospheric Sciences Program
President, AMS

Frequently quoted in media Testifies before Congress





Follows the right sources

Networks online and offline

Shows his passion for science

Captures the "so what?" succinctly

Takes time to reflect and write thought-provoking content

Social Media Resources

- Social Media Examiner
 - www.socialmediaexaminer.com
- Influential Marketing Blog
 - http://www.rohitbhargava.com/integrated-marketing

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