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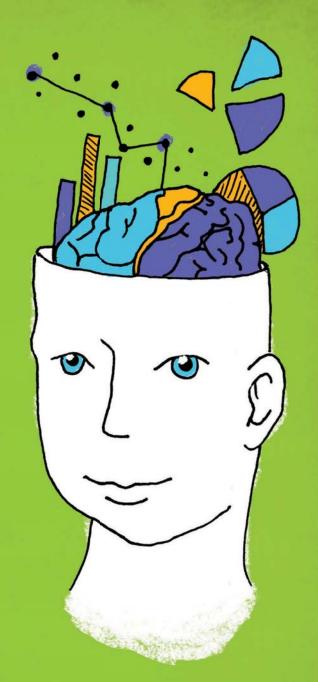
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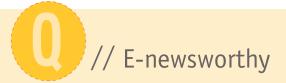
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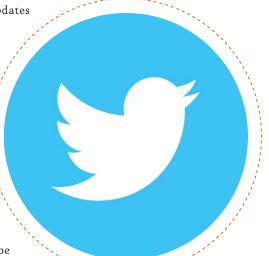
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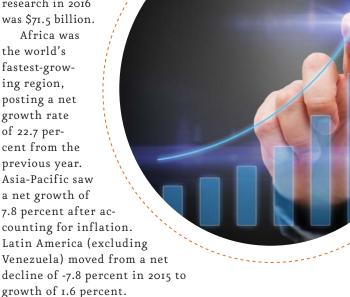
#### ••• the business of research

#### MR saw most growth since 2010

The 2016 Global Market Research Report, released in September 2017 by f L Amsterdam-based research organization ESOMAR, shows 2016 saw the most significant growth for the traditional global market research sector since 2010. The global turnover of the traditional research sector was \$44.5 billion in 2016, an increase of 2.3 percent

after inflation. When combined with "new" research methodologies, such as data analytics, the annual global turnover for research in 2016 was \$71.5 billion.

Africa was the world's fastest-growing region, posting a net growth rate of 22.7 percent from the previous year. Asia-Pacific saw a net growth of 7.8 percent after accounting for inflation.



In the North American continent, growth was just under 1 percent, down from a net growth of 3.1 percent the previous year. In Europe, the net growth was 1.6 percent, down from 2.8 percent the previous year.

In 2016, 18 percent of the global research industry's turnover was earned from international clients, up from 15 percent the previous year.



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Globally, the largest client segment of research overall continued to be consumer non-durables at 20 percent of the total research spending, slightly down from 23 percent in 2015.



#### • grocery research Whole Foods + Amazon = :)

study by GfK, New York, shows Athat 38 percent of current Whole Foods shoppers and 31 percent of Amazon shoppers feel positive about Amazon's acquisition of Whole Foods. Those who already shop at both Amazon and Whole Foods are the most positive, with 43 percent saying they are optimistic about the deal, compared to 23 percent of overall U.S. shoppers.

Three-in-four Whole Foods shoppers have made at least one Amazon purchase in the past month, compared to the average (50 percent) among non-Whole Foods shoppers.

The study also showed a higher incidence of Amazon Prime membership among Whole Foods shoppers than among U.S. consumers as a whole (50 percent versus 37 percent).

Among those who are positive about the alliance, 42 percent would like to see free grocery delivery for Amazon Prime members, while 34 percent are hoping that Amazon will bring technologies in-store that make shopping easier. Twenty-five percent feel reassured that they will be able to get highquality fresh foods online.

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# Wanted: Your words in our pages

In re-reading many of the articles we've published this year for a 2018 feature that will compile some of the best ideas and insights from our 2017 stories, it made me again appreciate the willingness of researchers to share their knowledge with their peers and colleagues.

That openness has always struck me as a commendable hallmark of the industry, especially since those trading tips and best practices could easily be competitors fighting for the same jobs.

So what about you? Have you ever thought about writing for us? It's easy. All you need are some good ideas and the ability to write!

I'm especially interested in having more client-side authors in our pages.

Many of our articles are written by those on the vendor side, as they are generally free to write more openly about topics (while still respecting confidentiality agreements, of course!) than those on the client side, and most have been understanding when I belabor the point during the writing process that their articles need to be as objective and non-salesy as possible.

But I would love to work those of you toiling away in the consumer-facing firms or B2B companies or non-profits, for example, to get your viewpoints in Quirk's – though I totally understand it can be difficult to get your material through the PR/commu-



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nications gatekeepers.

Still, you are our core audience, so please consider writing for us if you are in that camp!

In general, when it comes to article topics, the more hands-on and how-to, the better. Readers have told us they value content that gives them tips, insights and strategies for how to use (or use more effectively) any and all research techniques. Case studies of successful research projects (or unsuccessful ones, if you're brave enough!) are always welcome as well.

Put it this way: If there's a topic you'd like to read about, chances are there are other researchers who feel the same.

Here's a snapshot of our 2018 editorial calendar. (I've omitted January since it will already be in production when this issue comes out and also September since that issue is taken up by our annual Researcher SourceBook.)

February: brand/branding research; Millennials/youth research

March: advertising research; pharmaceutical/health care research

April: B2B research

May: qualitative research

June: Research Technology Report July: financial services; shopper

insights

August: new product research October: customer experience research; health care research

November: B2B research

December: qualitative research

Each issue has a particular editorial emphasis or two but we also include a range of articles that don't fall under those categories so don't worry if your idea doesn't neatly fit into any



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of the topics listed. If you do have an interest, I urge you to reach out right away as issues often fill many weeks in advance and final manuscript deadlines are typically about seven weeks prior to the month of publication.

In a nutshell, magazine articles are a minimum of 1,500 words, though our Qualitatively Speaking and By the Numbers columns (focused on qual and quant, respectively) are usually 1,000 words or under.

For other types of shorter-form pieces, items that are closer to blog length, for example, our digital offerings (the Research Industry Voices blog and our e-newsletter) are other options for interested authors who may not want to crank out a full-fledged article. Those outlets are also perfect for more timely or timesensitive articles, as items can be published at digital speed rather than having to go through the lengthy timelines of a printed magazine.

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How is speaking with physicians different from speaking with consumers?

Generally speaking, it's not. Both physicians and consumers want to be engaged and interested. However, when speaking with physicians, you have to do more homework so you can understand their shorthand and accurately assess their treatments and unmet needs. But in the end, it's still a conversation and the more you can help physicians escape from their clinical mind-set, the better the learning.



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How can I make my brand tracker strategic and more insightful wave-over-wave?

Brand tracking is strategic when it charts a clear direction for the future of your brand. Brand health tracking that simply monitors consumer awareness, usage and advocacy produces interesting data but may offer limited insight as to next steps. There is great value in also tracking brand perceptions and engagement. Together, these elements portray the dynamic nature of call-to-action marketing. Tracking changes in these interrelated facets of consumers' brand relationships over time provides meaningful insight to a strategic path forward.

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••• travel research

#### Passengers feel airlines are not listening to them

#### Heads in the clouds

bout two-thirds of all U.S. and About two-tnirus of all colors. The U.K. consumers surveyed by Clarabridge, a Reston, Va., customer experience management firm, report that when they deliver feedback on their air travel experience, complaints go unrecognized or unaddressed by airlines.

Clarabridge surveyed more than 1.200 consumers in both the United States and United Kingdom, respectively. In both surveys respondents



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were between the ages of 18 and 60. The survey asked airline consumers share their feedback on all aspects of their air travel experience including personal preferences, expectations and key complaints. Clarabridge also analyzed more than 750,000 online ratings/reviews and mentions shared on public forums from Facebook, Airline Quality and TripAdvisor to capture the voice of the customer.

The results illuminate customers' behaviors and expectations around air travel to enable airlines to improve overall satisfaction and increase loyalty. In today's digitallyconnected world, where a customer's

negative interaction has the potential to go viral, it is crucial for airlines to understand what their customers are saying and implement that feedback into positive change. Listening to the customer not only creates a more enjoyable experience for air travelers but ultimately saves airlines countless dollars in preventing customer experience crises before they arise.

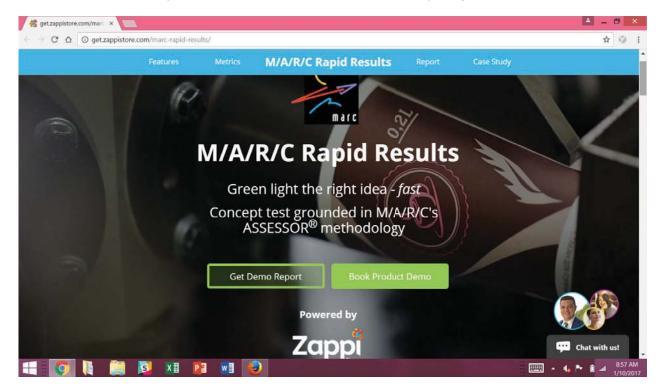
The survey unveiled three critical findings:

Consumers believe airlines are not listening. Sixty-nine percent and 73 percent of U.S. and U.K. consumers, respectively, have never submitted a complaint, nor delivered feedback to an airline company. Within both markets, about two-thirds of all consumers report that even when they do deliver feedback on their experience, complaints go unrecognized or unaddressed. This suggests that it is imperative for airlines to accurately collect and respond to feedback to ensure customers know they are being heard and that their feedback is being acted upon in order to provide the best possible travel experience.

Attitude matters. Flight staff and crew attitude drives loyalty even more than affordable flights. In the U.S., 38 percent of customers are loyal to a particular airline based on how they are treated, compared to 35 percent of customers who choose their airlines based on price. Friendly staff is more indicative of whether an individual recommends an airline to a future traveler, with 33 percent of all U.K. customers citing it as the primary reason for their recommendation. Therefore, airlines must use the customer voice to adjust their policies, procedures and training and encourage the entire organization from teams both in the sky and back

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at headquarters - to instill a culture of friendliness and positivity so that customers keep coming back.

It's time to improve digital feedback channels. In both the U.S. and the U.K., customers expressed a preference for digital feedback. Of the customers who do provide feedback, 46 percent and 42 percent in the U.K. and U.S. do so by e-mail and 13 percent and 11 percent, respectively, by social media. Across both markets, more than half of all customers utilize digital tools to comment on their experience. In the U.K. only one in 10 complaints actually involves a human interaction. In conjunction with an increase in digital feedback, the data suggests that airlines must improve and invest in the technical infrastructure necessary to support customer complaints via digital means, be it on social media or in-app. This will not only satisfy customers but also reduce the weight and cost of inperson channels.



••• employee research

#### Workers want workplaces that make a difference

Employers, increase your social involvement

survey reveals that more than A half (57 percent) of those working in America's largest companies

feel that their employers should play a more active role in addressing important societal issues. And there is even greater support when looking at specific issues like equal opportunity in the workplace, health care reform and renewable energy. Other key findings from the nationwide survey - Corporate America's POV - from St. Louis, Mo.-based opinion research and issues management consultancy Povaddo, include:

- 50 percent of workers feel their company and/or CEO is facing growing internal and/or external pressure to be more vocal on important societal issues.
- 45 percent say corporate America's role in addressing issues is more important than it was a year ago compared to just 11 percent who say less important.
- 44 percent foresee corporate America's role in addressing societal issues increasing over the next year; only 18 percent see it decreasing.

Despite these figures, only 35 percent of respondents feel assured that their CEO has a finger on the pulse of employee attitudes towards today's major societal issues. This is significant because roughly half of those surveyed (45 percent) indicate that the actions a company takes to help influence important societal issues impact their decision to maintain or pursue employment with a company. More specifically, 38 percent say they would be less likely to continue working for the company long-term if their company and/or CEO made zero effort to make a difference on an important societal issue.

Using a series of segmentation questions, Povaddo estimates that 15 percent of the workforce in corporate America can be categorized as "employee activists." The survey finds that Millennials are three times more likely than Boomers to fall into this category (26 percent versus 9 percent,

respectively); there is also a significant gap between those who are in management positions (20 percent) and those who are not (8 percent).

Povaddo defines employee activists as those who meet the following criteria: agree that it's important to work for a company that's not afraid to be vocal on important societal issues; would like to see their company and/or CEO be more vocal on important societal issues; strongly agree that it is important to work for a company that shares their values; and are very interested in news, politics and current events.

Povaddo conducted an online survey of n=1,236 individuals throughout the U.S. who work for companies with annual revenues of at least \$1 billion. The sample was drawn from Research Now's panel of over 11 million profiled individuals. The margin of error associated with a sample of this type is  $\pm$  2.8 percent. The survey was fielded April 3-10, 2017. The survey was funded by Povaddo and it was not conducted on behalf of any outside organization.



••• innovation research

#### What not to say to attract funding on **Kickstarter**

'Novel' and 'useful' may sap pledges

Kickstarter campaign creators should take note: The commu-

nity does not view claims of product novelty and product usefulness as congruent. While the total amount pledged is boosted when a product is said to be useful (or alternatively, novel), claiming that it is both reduces the total amount pledged by 26 percent.

That's according to a recent analysis of 50,310 Kickstarter projects, led by researchers from the Singapore Management University, HEC Paris, the University of Technology Sydney and INSEAD.

"Prior research has shown that products that are novel and useful typically succeed in the market-place," says study co-author Amitava Chattopadhyay, professor of marketing and the GlaxoSmithKline Chaired Professor of Corporate Innovation at INSEAD. "But when projects make both claims, backers either assume a product's benefits are inflated, that it carries a high risk of failure or that it divides the crowd between believers and sceptics, making it hard for backers to pick a side."

"The higher level of uncertainty in the crowdfunding context drives backers to choose modest innovations and shy away from more extreme innovations," says Cathy Yang, assistant professor of marketing at HEC Paris.

"This is deeply disappointing as the premise of crowdfunding is to support creativity and innovation," says Anirban Mukherjee, assistant professor of marketing at Singapore Management University. "Entrepreneurs therefore might be advised to frame a project as only novel or only useful, rather than both," Ping Xiao of the University of Technology Sydney (UTS) says.

Kickstarter is often seen as a haven for innovators as it allows them to circumvent hard-nosed bankers and other risk-averse traditional lenders. But innovation can be a hard sell with the crowd, as explained in the research paper titled "Does the crowd support innovation? Innovation claims and success on Kickstarter,"

co-authored by Mukherjee at SMU, Yang at HEC Paris, Xiao at UTS and Chattopadhyay at INSEAD.

Chattopadhyay and his study co-authors accessed a dataset comprising all the projects listed on Kickstarter since its launch in 2009. To focus on the crowd's appetite for innovation, they eliminated arts-related projects as these tend to be evaluated mostly on the basis of their artistic value. They then kept all the U.S.-based projects that fell in the nine largest remaining Kickstarter product categories.

The final dataset included a total



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of 50,310 projects. Machine-learning tools were used to extract a list of descriptors from the text, the lead image and video of each project. The number of occurrences of the word "novel" and its synonyms served as a proxy for novelty claims. Conversely, the sum of occurrences of the word "useful" and its synonyms became the measure for claimed usefulness. These numbers were then compared with the individual projects' funding results.

The data show that claims of novelty and usefulness, taken separately, do increase the total pledge amount. As a matter of fact, they have a very large initial effect. A single claim of novelty increases project funding by about 200 percent, while a single claim of usefulness leads to an increase of about 1,200 percent, as compared to projects devoid of any such claim.

"As opposed to the regular marketplace, where buyers feel protected by consumer laws, crowdfunding backers may face a very high level of uncertainty," says Chattopadhyay. After all, the developers may fail to come up with the final product or they may need to change specifications along the way. It's been shown that consumers prefer more traditional products when their perception of risk is high. Inventors that claim that their product is very innovative, i.e., both highly useful and novel, may find it more difficult to get funded because of a higher risk perception by the crowd.



#### ••• shopper insights Managers detail order-fulfillment challenges

#### Of BORIS and BOPIS

As the lines between online and in-store continue to blur, order fulfillment (29 percent) and limited staffing (29 percent) are evenly split as the biggest challenge for retailers at the store level, followed by inventory visibility (24 percent) and scheduling/workforce management (18 percent), according to results from Scottsdale, Ariz.-based JDA Software Group Inc.'s second annual Voice of the Store Manager survey.

The secret to retailer success lies in evolving the store into a place to solve customer problems, relying on the speed and convenience of fulfillment to compete in today's unified commerce environment. On the store-execution level, store managers are trying to master the combination of order fulfillment, inventory visibility and staffing needs to keep up with customer demands.

When it comes to challenges with store inventory, survey respondents find that inaccurate data (31 percent) and limited stock and slow replenishment (31 percent) are the biggest challenges for operations. However, the majority of store managers (64 percent) are using technology in some capacity to check store inventory availability, whether it be real-time

inventory visibility via mobile or wearable devices (33 percent) or a central computer system (31 percent).

"Based on the results of our survey, it's clear that retailers are making progress to better handle operations in today's retail environment but inventory and staffing needs are often a bottleneck," says Jim Prewitt, vice president, retail industry strategy, JDA. "It's not a question of whether stores will evolve but rather a question of 'to what?' Successful retailers are looking at how quickly their supply chain and store operations need to react and adapt."

While there has been a lot of speculation around a retail apocalypse, new fulfillment options are offering ways for stores to provide ease and convenience to busy customers while driving traffic back into stores. Fortyfour percent of respondents said their stores offer buy online ship from store services; additionally, 41 percent offer buy online pickup in-store (BOPIS), 40 percent offer buy in-store ship to home and 38 percent offer buy online return in-store (BORIS).

According to store managers, BOPIS services (41 percent) and buy online ship from store services (40 percent) have seen the largest increase in customer usage. All fulfillment options rely heavily on inventory visibility and staffing for pick, pack and ship in order to meet customer fulfillment timelines and respondents have staff allocated to support BOPIS (65 percent), BORIS (64 percent), buy in-store ship to home (61 percent), buy online ship to store (59 percent) and buy in-store ship to home/ store from another store (49 percent).

Forty-one percent of store managers believe lack of visibility across inventory is the biggest difficulty when it comes to BOPIS services and 36 percent say their stores currently offer a discount to customers who utilize BOPIS services. Another 14 percent are currently testing/researching options.

"As customer expectations continue to rise, it will be crucial for brick-andmortar stores to streamline how they

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fulfill customer orders and work to draw in shoppers with incentives for in-store fulfillment options like BOPIS, as verified by our recent JDA Consumer Survey," says Prewitt. "In the future, we foresee some stores evolving into distribution centers, fulfilling 100 percent of customer demand, while others will morph into showrooms with centralized fulfillment."

The other area for improvement for stores is the influx of inventory due to BORIS offerings, with two in three store managers reporting some difficulty with the service. Thirty percent of respondents are unsure of what to do with the additional inventory received through BORIS services and lack direction as to whether to keep it at the store or return to a distribution center or even another store. Additionally, nearly 30 percent of store managers reported a staff-

related concern with regard to BORIS.

With the rising popularity of the gig economy, more than 40 percent of store managers are already reporting that a small number of their store staff (less than 25 percent) are part of the gig economy. One in four store managers are exploring the possibility of leveraging additional labor – such as short-term contractors or freelance workers – outside of the traditional workforce.

According to respondents, 60 percent of store managers planned to hire the same amount of temporary labor for the 2017 holiday season as they did last year; while 24 percent planned to hire more this year. However, the focus of the seasonal staff may be changing to meet customer demand; over 40 percent of seasonal holiday hires will be for fulfillment at stores/warehouses and

not customer-facing. This was even higher among respondents in rural areas, who were far more likely (61 percent) to hire fulfillment staff rather than customer-facing staff. The other fulfillment area that store managers are planning to increase hiring for is BOPIS, with one in three respondents hiring temporary staff specifically for the service this year.

"As store operations change with increasingly complex order fulfillment capabilities, the demands for staffing will change as well," says Prewitt. "Based on our survey results, we predict there will be an uptick in tailored staffing hires for both BOPIS and ship-from-store services."

JDA collected responses from 252 U.S.based retail store managers in August 2017 via a third-party provider to determine the findings of its 2017 Voice of the Store Manager survey.



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 ${f S}$  an Francisco-based research platform CoolTool has released its Emotions in Browser tool, which integrates into surveys to conduct emotion measurement tests. The tool is compatible with Chrome, Opera, Microsoft Edge and Firefox and allows respondents to complete tests from a mobile device or laptop as long as they are equipped with a camera. The premises where the test is conducted should be well-lit but no direct sunshine should penetrate the test area and the face of the participant should be in the center of the frame. Respondents can be accessed by e-mailing potential participants/customers (users can upload their own contact list to the system), contacting members of participant panels or reached via social media. The technology is currently free of charge for current CoolTool clients. No Neurolab credits (conventional units of accounting for the number of projects implemented with the application of neuromarketing technologies) will be charged from a user's CoolTool account. Emotion measurement with the application of Neurolab app will be also available and relevant fees will be charged in accordance with the user's subscription plan.

cooltool.com

# ••• product research Test claims, logos with DUEL

Uses gamified approach

 $\mathbf{I}$  psos Marketing, New York, has launched DUEL, a new screening

approach that leverages learnings from behavioral science and cognitive psychology to capture consumer reactions. Using a gamified approach, DUEL can be used to test claims, logos and package images. The approach is mobile capable and device-agnostic. Options for a clickable phrase exercise to understand word impact and openends with text analytics can be added. Clients receive diagnostics, including recommendations about which items to pursue, rework or eliminate as well as which items have broad appeal vs. niche potential.

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# ••• data analysisAnzo Smart DataLake 4.0

#### Builds semantic layers

 $B^{\hbox{\scriptsize oston-based data analytics firm}}_{\hbox{\scriptsize Cambridge Semantics has released}}$ Anzo Smart Data Lake 4.0, its flagship platform product that builds a semantic layer at-scale on all enterprise data, allowing users to extract insights. ASDL 4.0 features include automated rapid ingestion, which supports connectivity to both internal and external sources, including cloud environments and existing data lakes. It ingests both structured and unstructured data through horizontallyscaled, automated ETL processes. Most structured sources may be ingested without manual mapping, while unstructured data is processed, indexed and on-boarded through configurable text analytics and NLP pipelines. As a result, the analyst or data steward's time can be refocused on higher-value tasks. The data catalog function leverages graph models to describe the data in business contexts and capture all the different types of data required, spanning all enterprise data sources and all data sets stored in ASDL. Users can browse and discover data sets of interest and understand their context

in a secure and governed environment. The full data provenance and lineage of all data in the catalog is explorable in a user-friendly visual interface. Graphmarts connect Cambridge Semantics' Anzo Graph Query Engine (AGQE) to data in ASDL, bringing together subsets of data on-demand for preparation, analysis and access. Graphmarts are collections of data sets that can be shared, discovered and enhanced collaboratively. ASDL automatically brings Graphmarts online into existing AGQE clusters or can provision new clusters on-demand as business needs peak for agile deployment and cost-effective cloud resource utilization. Users can add data layers to their Graphmarts for data cleansing, transformation, linking and access control - dynamically enhancing the in-memory graph in an iterative manner. Graphmarts apply data layers in stacked fashion for the flexibility to turn layers on or off and remove, copy

and create layers as needed. By storing data preparation tasks as individual layers, users enjoy improvements in data preparation productivity similar to modern digital tools for editing images, video and sound.

www.cambridgesemantics.com

### ••• shopper insights Measure retail lift

Joint PlaceIQ, comScore offering

Reston, Va., firm comScore and data and technology firm PlaceIQ have launched PlaceIQ PVR powered by comScore, a joint solution that measures lift in retail visits resulting from TV, mobile and desktop advertising. The solution allows marketers and agencies to understand the holistic impact of their advertising on

driving visitation to physical locations like retailers, automotive dealerships, dining establishments and more. In addition to measuring lift, PlaceIQ PVR also provides clients with a picture of campaign-exposed consumers. This feature extends beyond demographics alone to include audience descriptors such as likelihood to engage with other brands across different shopping categories. With this information. clients can understand the broader interests and affinities of a target audience and tailor future messaging strategies across channels. comscore.com

#### ••• Briefly

■ Shelton, Conn., researcher SSI has become a licensed Net Promoter Score service provider, allowing companies to survey panelists to measure customer loyalty and gather insights to improve long-term customer relationships. Net

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- Denver-based insights agency iModerate has added new video capabilities to its online chat approach. The firm's individually moderated one-on-one digital conversations will include the ability to collect video responses from participants, in addition to the current open-ended text responses.

  www.imoderate.com
- Westport, Conn., data and insights company Critical Mix has released CMIX, a tool that gives users access to survey programming and management, global target audiences and data visualization. CMIX allows users to collaborate throughout the project lifecycle and lets users program and manage surveys on their own, share tasks with team members or use Critical Mix's team of programmers.

  www.criticalmix.com
- Location-based citizen engagement platform PlaceSpeak has integrated with Boulder, Colo., survey and data insights platform SurveyGizmo, providing an additional survey option for organizations conducting online consultations on the PlaceSpeak platform. As part of a suite of feedback collection tools, organizations can select between PlaceSpeak's in-house survey tool or SurveyGizmo. They will also have access to SurveyGizmo's reporting and analytics tools. www.surveygizmo.com www.placespeak.com
- U.K. survey solutions firm OnePoint Global has launched the latest version of its My Surveys research app. The app allows research agencies and customer experience specialists to set up and launch surveys within the app and collect data while participants are offline or online. www.onepointglobal.com
- U.K. video research firm Voxpopme has launched Moments, an app-based qualitative solution specifically for diary studies. The app enables researchers to run video diary studies by inviting consumers to respond to questions and tasks via

recorded videos. The app is available for iOS and Android.

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- Lincoln, Neb., patient and consumer insights firm NRC Health has launched the NRC Health Loyalty Index, a metric that allows hospitals and health care systems to develop marketing strategies, drive patient acquisition and enhance consumer loyalty. The NRC Health Loyalty Index is powered by the NRC Health Market Insights solution. Market Insights provides marketers and strategists a syndicated health care consumer database, capturing insights from 300,000+ consumers annually in more than 300 markets across the U.S. nrchealth.com
- RTi Research, Norwalk, Conn., has released a new e-book, Beyond Data, Beyond Information: Powerful Storytelling for Insights Professionals, available as a free download on the firm's Web site.
- Wilton, Conn., researcher Toluna has launched the latest version of SafeView, its media security technology. SafeView is used within Toluna survey projects to ensure that images, concepts and video are secure and confidential while remaining broadly accessible by survey respondents. corporate.toluna.com
- A group of market researchers have joined forces as founding contributors of Perspectives, a new vlog facilitated by video insights firm Voxpopme. The vlog asks one question per episode and all contributors are asked to individually respond. Voxpopme then compiles a show reel of the perspectives into a new episode. The video responses are supported by episode notes and analysis. Some founding contributors include Finn Raben, director general of ESOMAR; Dave Carruthers, founder and CEO of Voxpopme; Annie Pettit, market research trainer and advisor; and others.

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■ Greenwich, Conn., firm Civicom Marketing Research Services has integrated automated video transcription

- into Civicom Chatterbox, its online bulletin board solution, allowing respondents and project moderators to view speech-to-text conversion upon upload of a video for an activity. www.civicommrs.com
- Systemi Research, London, has launched its Next Generation Predictive Markets concept testing tool, which draws on learnings from over 40,000 tests and includes new fluency measures that capture how quickly and easily people process new ideas.

  www.systemiresearch.com
- Oslo, Norway-based data solutions firm Norstat and dp2research have introduced the Destination Satisfaction Index (DSI), a tool for the tourism industry. The DSI provides an analysis of 20 factors to assess traveler satisfaction of a given travel destination. www.norstatgroup.com
- Wilton, Conn., research firm

  Toluna has integrated digital tracking within its consumer insights platform.

  Toluna's digital tracking offering is a single-source permission-based solution that collects individual traffic and online behaviors like digital activities, media consumption, ad exposure and e-commerce activity at the SKU level. Digital tracking can be used alone or in combination with other research methodologies.

#### corporate.toluna.com

■ Clifton, N.J., research firm
SurveyUSA is celebrating its 25th anniversary by launching SurveyUSA 2.0, which will provide media clients with viewer reaction to video of existing and prospective talent, video of station promos, jingles and all other still, audio and video creative. It also allows local TV stations and local newspapers to simultaneously ask public poll questions for publication and private market research questions for internal-management use.

#### www.surveyusa.com

■ V12 Data, Tampa, Fla., has launched its holiday audience segments, powered by its purchase intender solution V12 Signals. Retail brands can use the firm's holiday purchase intender audiences to target consumers who indicate high purchase intent based on offline shopping indicators integrated with online (mobile and desktop) content consumption, Web visits and keyword searches.

#### www.vi2data.com

■ Minneapolis-based promotional marketing firm YA has launched new guided analytics dashboards, which provide insights into marketing promotions programs.

#### www.yaengage.com

■ Foster City, Calif., firm EdgiLife has launched Rapid Test and Learn, a consumer test and insights platform that provides CPG companies with customer data.

#### www.edgilife.com

■ Austin, Texas, firm Userlytics Corporation has launched a multilingual remote-user testing service, allowing for native-language online usability testing in any country and language.

#### www.userlytics.com

- Provo, Utah, research software firm Qualtrics has added its predictive intelligence and machine learning engine Qualtrics iQ to its employee experience product, Qualtrics Employee Experience.
- www.qualtrics.com
- New Orleans-based audience platform Lucid has launched Reach, a tool that uses machine learning to allow users of its Fulcrum sample platform to gain feasibility and pricing on their next study. Users define their audience, survey length and targeted number of completes and Reach will determine the feasibility and cost based on the past 45 million survey completes on Fulcrum. Reach is available to Fulcrum users for sampling projects in the U.S., with more markets launching soon.

■ Nielsen, New York, has released Nielsen Subscription Video On Demand Content Ratings, a syndicated solution that independently measures subscription-based streaming content.

www.nielsen.com

■ Boston-based research firm
Chadwick Martin Bailey has
launched AffinID to help brands
develop a customer image. AffinID
provides insight into consumers'
current image of the brand customer,
how compelling that image is and
how to optimize that image. The
AffinID Score measures how strongly
consumers identify with their image
of the brand customer and is benchmarked against competitors' scores
to better predict brand performance.
www.cmbinfo.com

■ Consumer insights firm Maru/ Matchbox, Chicago, has released Global Connect, a community-based intelligence platform designed for multinational clients. The platform uses a centralized, hierarchical technology platform and quantitative, qualitative, mobile and behavioral data collection techniques, supported by research and community management services.

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# Using consumer data to optimize product assortments

By Mark Travers



Mark Travers uses
a juice company
example to offer
considerations
and best practices
in researching
product
assortments.

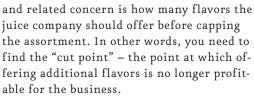
t's no secret that offering the right mix of products to consumers can make or break a business. Whether it's PepsiCo trying to decide which soda flavors to put in vending machines, Apple grappling with which laptop models to put on its display tables or U.S. Bank determining which credit card plans to offer customers, product assortment is a critical component of business success.

But how should businesses go about solving this critical question?

Although getting to the right answer may seem like a daunting task, it shouldn't be. The goal is straightforward enough: select the product assortment that maximizes profit. And the variables to get us there are straightforward, too. We need to decide which products, and how many, to offer our customers.

To put this in more concrete terms, imagine you're an insights manager at a national juice manufacturer and you've been asked to review the company's product assortment. The company's goal is simple: put together the best line of juices that maximizes gross profit. Gross profit, here, is defined as total sales minus the cost of goods sold.

The good news is that there are really only two moving parts to this equation. First, you need to determine which flavors your company should put on shelves. Naturally, you start with the most profitable flavor and move down the line from there. A second



Now that you've clearly defined the problem (i.e., maximizing gross profit) and the variables at play (i.e., which products, and how many, to include in the product assortment), how do you solve this problem? Simple. You experiment. As Amazon's founder Jeff Bezos famously said, "If you double the number of experiments you do per year, you're going to double your inventiveness."

In this case, you'll want to find a representative sample of juice consumers and ask them to evaluate, in one form or another, the different juice flavors the company is considering for its juice lineup.

Before going merrily down the path of experimentation, however, there are a few important points to keep in mind. First and foremost, make sure your sample is representative of the population you are trying to understand. My philosophy here is simple: always get the best sample money can buy (within budget, of course). The business decisions that will be guided by this research are too important to roll the dice on sketchy convenience sampling. If budget is a limiter to your research program, I would advocate scaling back your analysis dollars before cutting cost on sample.

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principles. For instance, you always want to randomize the evaluation of products to guard against order effects and other confounding variables.

In terms of the experimental design to leverage, there are many that would be appropriate. One of the more common designs for this type of research is a product-by-product purchase intent evaluation. This is where consumers are asked to evaluate how likely they would be to purchase each product, one at a time. Another design often used in these situations is a choice exercise. Typically, a choice exercise would ask consumers to select their preferred product from a set of products, and would ask them to repeat this process a number of times.

As mentioned, both of these approaches would work (and debates over which is superior are largely academic in nature). Ultimately, what you want to get from your experiment are quantified measures of product appeal. Once you are able to quantify, you can compare products relative to one another to determine which sets of products are most appealing to which consumers and, in turn, most profitable for the company.

Now that you've designed a fundamentally sound experiment, go and collect the data needed to optimize your juice portfolio. Before doing so, however, there are three additional factors to account for in your portfolio optimization research: variety-seeking behavior, product profit margins and subgroup preferences. These are the components that separate good-enough research from excellent research - and can easily mean the difference between stealing market share from key competitors or simply treading water. Considerations and best practices on how to handle these important factors are addressed below.

#### Variety-seeking behavior

At a high level, there are two ways to think about the task of optimizing a product assortment. On one hand, you want to offer products that appeal to a wide swath of potential consumers. Returning to our juice example, this might mean offering orange juice to appeal to adults seeking a morning drink to pair with cold cereal, apple juice to appeal to moms with young children and, finally, lemon iced tea to appeal to adults looking for a tea beverage. As you can see, this juice lineup appeals to a wide range of non-overlapping consumer groups. This is beneficial as it increases your brand's reach – the raw number of consumers interested in buying one of your products.

On the other hand, you want to offer flavors that stimulate repeat purchasing. For example, maybe you still offer orange juice and apple juice, but instead of offering lemon iced tea, you include grape juice in the product lineup. Sure, you lose the tea-seeking consumer group but you gain purchases from moms who cycle back and forth between buying apple and grape juices for their children.

Ultimately, the answer to whether you should offer the lemon iced tea (bringing in the tea-seeking consumer group) or the grape juice (fortifying offerings for moms with young children) is mathematical in nature. Recall that the objective, as always, is to offer the product lineup that maximizes gross profit. If the lemon iced tea sells at a higher velocity than the grape juice, you're likely better off offering the iced tea; if not, it's probably best to go with the grape juice.

As a general rule, it is the degree of variety-seeking behavior and repeat purchasing in the category that tips the scale in favor of brand reach (appealing to a wider net of potential consumers) versus product duplication (offering multiple products that appeal to the same consumers). For example, imagine you're in the business of selling lawnmowers. Because consumers buy lawnmowers so infrequently, it's probably best to offer a product lineup that maximizes brand reach. Offering multiple lawnmowers that appeal to the same consumer isn't all that important as this tends

to be a one-and-done type of purchase. Rather, offering a suite of lawnmowers that includes something for everyone would be better.

However, decisions on whether to maximize brand reach versus product duplication aren't as cut and dried in categories where there is a high degree of variety-seeking behavior and repeat purchasing - as is the case in the consumer packaged juice market. Fortunately, you can identify the correct answer by adding a few additional questions to your survey that measure variety-seeking and repeat purchase behavior (see "Using TURF to find something for everyone" in the June 2017 Quirk's for details on a technique specifically designed for this type of analysis).

From there, you have the ammunition needed to optimize your product portfolio to match the purchasing behavior that underpins your category.

#### **Product profit margins**

One of the main responsibilities of the insights manager is to keep a finger on the pulse of all issues related to consumer demand – and to share important findings and learnings with colleagues in other functional areas of the company. In the case of our fictitious juice manufacturer, this might mean providing other business units with a detailed understanding of consumer preference for different juice flavors.

There's no reason, however, the insights manager can't offer a deeper layer business intelligence.

In the case of our juice lineup optimization, one aspect of this problem is figuring out which flavors are most appealing to consumers. This analysis typically falls squarely in the purview of the insights department. However, another equally important aspect is incorporating flavor-specific profit and cost margins into the optimization equation. Here, insights managers often defer to the finance minds to round out the analysis.

But they need not. In fact, the optimization functions generally work better when consumer preference data and product profit margin data are addressed simultaneously.

To see why this is the case, imagine that as the insights manager, you collect the data needed to determine which juice flavors have the most consumer appeal. The results of your experiment reveal that orange juice is the most appealing product, followed by apple juice, lemon iced tea and grape juice, respectively.

You then send this information to the finance team for further analysis. They decide that, even though the orange juice is the product with the strongest consumer appeal, its distribution costs are simply too high given that it requires refrigerated transportation while the other flavors don't. The finance team also worries about the company's capacity to produce three flavors of juice. So, in the end, the decision is made to offer a two-product lineup of apple juice and lemon iced tea.

The problem with defaulting to the "next-best" option(s) when one or more products are deemed problematic from a business standpoint is that products are optimized relative to all other potential products in the choice set. So, taking a product out of the running due to a sourcing or distribution concern can change the entire complexion of the optimization function. In our example above, it is entirely possible that removing orange juice from the choice set would cause grape juice to jump ahead of lemon iced tea in an optimized portfolio set.

This is why it makes sense for the insights department to own both facets of the optimization equation. Had the finance minds simply taken over the analysis, they might not have realized that product rankings can change as products are included/ excluded from the analysis set.

Granted, it's possible that there's more to the profit/cost margin equation that you have available to fold into your analysis. But being able to offer a point of view on the matter to your finance or revenue management team will only add value and

strengthen your department's position as a critical hub of information in your company.

#### Subgroup preferences

A carefully thought-out plan for subgroup analyses is another facet of portfolio optimization that can mean the difference between stealing market share from competitors or simply treading water.

By subgroup analyses, I refer to any analysis that is conducted on a subset of your data – for instance, figuring out which product assortment is optimal for Millennials, females or Walmart shoppers in your sample. Although this may seem like more of a curiosity-satisfier than an action point, there are many cases where effective subgroup analyses are absolutely critical to a company's success.

Let's return to the case of our juice manufacturer. Recall that you identified the optimal product lineup of orange juice, apple juice, lemon iced tea and grape juice, respectively. The finance minds then nixed orange juice due to its high distribution costs and also capped the assortment at two flavors due to capacity concerns. Re-running your portfolio optimization removing orange juice and with the two-flavor constraint, you identify apple juice and grape juice as the optimal product assortment.

If you weren't interested in exploring subgroup differences, this would be as far as you would need to go. However, might there be more profit to be found if you took the time to explore subgroups?

It's entirely possible that, while at the national level apple juice and grape juice are the strongest juice lineup, other combinations perform better at the regional level. For instance, it may be the case that U.S. consumers in the south drink more iced tea than in other parts of the country. If this were true, more profit would be found by offering the apple juice and lemon iced tea lineup to southern U.S. consumers and the apple and grape juice

lineup to everyone else.

One consideration to keep in mind when planning out subgroup analyses is to make sure you have a sufficient sample size to draw reliable conclusions from you data. Recall that subgroups represent a subset of your data. You need to make sure you're not cutting your data down to a size that's too small to draw reliable conclusions. This will be based on the incidence level of your subgroups of interest: the lower the incidence for your subgroups of interest, the larger your overall sample needs to be.

#### A complicated problem

Optimizing a product lineup is a complicated problem with big implications. Putting the optimal product mix on the shelves can easily mean the difference in millions of dollars of lost, or gained, sales.

My preferred approach to solve these problems is a modified TURF analysis (as described in previously referenced June 2017 Quirk's article). This procedure, called TURF-War, allows for the seamless integration of variety-seeking behavior, product profit margins and subgroup preferences into the optimization equation. As such, it tends to outperform traditional purchase intent evaluations or choice-based analyses.

However, this is not to say that other techniques aren't reliable.

Most importantly, having a well-designed experiment, a sound sampling strategy and an analysis plan that accounts for variety-seeking behavior, profit margins and subgroup preferences is the surest way to guarantee that you'll arrive at the profit-maximizing solution.

Then, it's just a matter of sitting back, sipping some of your favorite juice and watching the profits roll in. 0

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# Deliver insights with impact

The power of storytelling in research

| By Nik Werk



#### snapshot

Nik Werk explores the differences between storytelling and other types of data analysis and argues that learning to present data in memorable ways is an essential skill for today's researchers.

After years of navigating long PowerPoint decks full of bar charts, decision makers who rely on market research are increasingly putting analysts under pressure to deliver a higher standard of analysis – and rightly so.

The most coherent, memorable and effective medium that analysts have at their disposal is storytelling. In this article I will explain what storytelling is, how it is done and why our brains are hardwired to prefer this level of analysis.

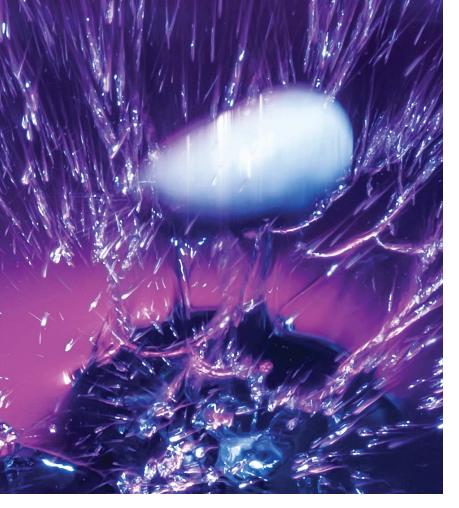
One of the most ingenious observations about the Internet was made in the early 1990s by Gary Kremen. Having spent a significant sum of money on dating hotlines, he saw the potential for online dating when the Internet was still making its way into people's lives. In 1995, he took a \$2,500 advance on his credit card to register the domain, Match. com. In the company's early phase, it struggled to get off the ground. People were only just starting to go online and were not yet used to online dating. To grow the number of users on the site, he urged all his employees and the people he knew to sign up, including himself and his girlfriend. Things got moving and Match.com reached a large number of users, which made the site the leading online paid dating service, a position it still holds today. In one respect, however, Kremen became the victim of his own success. His girlfriend ended up leaving him – for a guy she met on Match.com.¹

Whether you already knew this story or not, there is a significant chance that you will remember the punchline: that his girlfriend left him for a guy she met on his own Web site. You may not remember his name, the advance on his credit card or even the name of the dating site but it is highly probable that you will remember the overall storyline for a long time to come.

The reason for this is neurological. As neuroscientists have discovered, the brain responds with more focus and engagement when we hear stories than facts. At the most basic level, the brain is trained to



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find the easiest connection between cause and effect, which is what stories enable us to do.<sup>2</sup>

"The easiest connection" is a key phrase here, because unless facts are tied together as a coherent story, we often struggle to recall different facts, even if they are about the same topic and from the same data set. We better understand and remember information when we can relate it to what we've heard or experienced. And we are more likely to remember stories if they are personal or emotional than statements of facts.<sup>3</sup> This is why stories are more memorable and why you are likely to remember the overall storyline about Match.com but less likely to remember the details like the year and name of the founder.

Figure 1: The Five Levels of Data Analysis



So, what does that mean for researchers, who are in the business of collecting and presenting facts? Analysts can and should learn from this and recognize the importance of storytelling over and above a series of charts, figures and facts, which are hard to engage with and almost impossible to remember. To understand what storytelling means in the context of data analysis and research, it is important to understand how it is different from other levels of analysis.

#### Five levels of data analysis

The different ways analysis can add value to a data set can be broken into five levels, each level adding more value to the underlying data set by creating greater clarity or interpretation (Figure 1).

#### Level 1: Data cleaning

The most basic level of value-adding data analysis is the collation, ordering and/or cleaning of the data. This does not change or interpret the underlying data but makes it more accessible, ordered and easier to work with. It can be as simple as putting various data points into the same list, removing incomplete or faulty data points and sorting it alphabetically.

#### Level 2: Categorization

The second level of analysis is the categorization of data through coding, grouping or allocation into categories or types. For instance, a set of data points listing U.S. cities could be allocated into groups of states or census regions. Basic thematic analysis could then be conducted based on this categorization only – such as listing the cities in each state.

#### Level 3: Bivariate analysis

Most research consists of third-level analysis. This is bivariate or pivot analysis conducted by crosstabulation of two data variables within a data set. One variable is analyzed by using another variable as a filter. For instance, a table of population census data could be presented with demographic data such as age bands along one axis (20-29, 30-39, etc.) and U.S. state on the

other (Alabama, Alaska, etc.). Then, statistically-significant differences between filtered data points could be calculated and presented, along with analysis to draw attention to noteworthy differences in the demographic makeup of populations in different states. This type of crosstabulation has long been the bread and butter of the research industry, whose deliverables still tend to focus highly on crosstabulated charts or tables. While it remains a useful analytical tool, it is limited to two variables at a time. As a consequence, separate data points and findings are presented independently, often through the medium of an extensive PowerPoint or Excel file.

#### Level 4: Multivariate analysis

The second-highest level of analysis is multivariate analysis, which is usually used to investigate and explain the relationship between two or more variables. This is different from bivariate analysis because the relationships between the variables themselves are studied, rather than being used simply as filters against each other. This analysis is used to assess and predict relationships between variables, such as customer satisfaction and annual spend in a store. Types of multivariate analysis often conducted in research are: driver analysis (e.g., regression), factor analysis, cluster analysis and correspondence analysis.

#### Level 5: Storytelling

The highest level of data analysis requires the highest level of skill and also produces the most coherent, memorable and engaging insights about a data set. This level of analysis is called storytelling or story-based analysis. In research and data analysis, it will usually take place after initial analysis is conducted. Initial analysis will usually consist of data cleaning, categorization, bivariate analysis and sometimes also multivariate (referred to as Level 1-4 analysis earlier). Storytelling usually involves the following four steps (Figure 2).

- I. Firstly, storytelling analysis requires an evaluation of the relative importance of all variables, drivers and inputs in a data set. It is necessary to conduct prior levels of analysis beforehand, so that all interpretation of the data set and the relationship between variables within it is known.
- 2. Then follows prioritization of the most important data points and findings across the data set and the analysis. Here, the analyst will prioritize all the important findings from the review of the full data set. The analyst might take note of all the most important insights, judging each on their own merit. Taking the example of a customer satisfaction survey, the overall satisfaction, differences by variables (e.g., gender, age) and drivers of satisfaction might be noted.
  - 3. After the first two steps, story-

telling departs from the work usually associated with formulating ordinary conclusions. The third step is the linking of the prioritized key data points and findings into one or more coherent orders and themes that can be communicated as a story.

The analyst will start to focus the prioritization effort on insights that can be linked or related to each other. In this stage, the insights prioritized are judged not just on their own merit but by how well they link together with other important insights. In the example of a customer satisfaction survey, it may be that a series of connections are apparent. There could be a link between older participants who spend more but are less satisfied and value personal service higher. It may also be that the company conducting the survey sees that its digital offering is being noticed and used to a higher extent but mostly by younger participants.

4. The final step is narration, which is the formulation of the story of the linked prioritized findings and data points. This involves finding a common theme, relation and means of transforming the coherent findings into one or more stories.

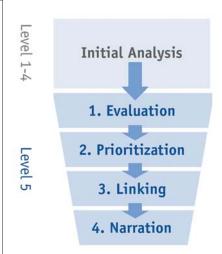
Figure 2: The Four Steps of Storytelling



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Using the linked examples from before, the story might be about how this company focused too much on digital offerings, which were not

Table 1: The five levels of data analysis: output and insights

	Sample Output	Insight Generated
Level 1: Data Cleaning	List of the data ordered by satisfaction score	None
Level 2: Categorization	Coded verbatim categories presented quantitatively, i.e., by sentiment (45% positive, 55% negative) and by topic (food quality 15%, service 25%) or other grouping of variables (party size 1-2, 3-4, 5+).	Overall, 55% leave negative reviews; 25% mention service.
Level 3: Crosstabulation	Tables/graphs with coded categories tabulated against other variable (i.e., % of negative comments by coded verbatim).	The satisfaction score and tips are related, smaller parties are more satisfied and negative reviews are significantly more likely to mention service as an issue.
Level 4: Statistics	Calculation of drivers of negative reviews, statistically derived through a correlation analysis/regression.	Confirmation that tips and satisfaction are related. Realization that the most satisfied group is small parties who arrive before 5 p.m. or after 8 p.m.
Level 5: Storytelling	Text or visualization of key finding, aided with very few numbers, letting the message take precedence.	Observation that negative feedback is high due to concerns about service, which has led to a lower satisfaction score and a reduction in tips. This is driven largely by large parties or peak-time visitors – suggesting that service suffers during peak hours or with larger parties.

picked up by the older customers who provide significant revenue but have not noticed or benefited from the new digital changes implemented. This story could then be backed up with key data points like statistics and quotes.

#### Case study: restaurant reviews

This short case study will use a practical example to explain the five levels of analysis. Imagine a data set is available with 2,000 recent verbatim reviews from the Web site of a restaurant. Appended to the data is a score from 1 to 10 on how satisfied people were, their bill total, tip, party size and time/date of visit.

As Table 1 illustrates, the data becomes more meaningful and memorable the higher the level of analysis conducted on the underlying data set. For example, categorization adds a lot of value to the data set but without multivariate analysis, it isn't able to provide insight about the causes of the negative reviews. Crosstabulation sheds lights on differences and draws out important correlations like lower satisfaction

and lower tips; smaller parties link to better reviews and service is related to more negative reviews. Statistical analysis is used in this example to calculate the driver of negative reviews, which makes the findings actionable and establishes the root cause. However, the most useful level of analysis is the story-based analysis, which combines insights about concerns about service from the verbatim comments with input from crosstabulations and the statistical analysis.

#### Make sense of it

The most important reason to conduct analysis on a data set is to make sense of it. Without clear, evidence-backed analysis, research cannot be used to drive action or change. Yet, an often-cited complaint about research and analysis is that it does not lead to action. A large part of this problem has to do with how the findings are communicated in the first place.

The problem with large research reports filled with charts, tables and bullet points is that very little of the



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information sticks. Immediately after reading a long report or sitting through a research presentation, people often differ on the interpretation or meaning of the data presented. This makes it harder to prioritize key findings or agree on how to drive action from those findings in the short term. In the long term, the majority of the points made are then forgotten.

Over the last decade, the research sector has increasingly focused on initiatives such as automation and outsourcing of charting and analysis, leading to commoditization of the processes and techniques used to generate market outputs. Storytelling goes against this, because it requires a level of research skill and immersion in the data that makes such outsourcing initiatives unfeasible. Storytelling instead brings back the importance of the skilled researcher as an integral driver of any analysis project. The research sector recognizes this issue and more emphasis is being placed on training and skills to be able to find the story in the data.

Storytelling is also our best method for overcoming the "stickiness" issue. Our brains prefer stories; it's difficult to recall a series of different facts, even about the same topic, if they are not strongly connected through the medium of a story. By condensing and highlighting key findings from a data set and structuring these in the form of a story the interpretations by the audience will differ less and the findings are more likely to stick in the long term.

#### Leads with the story

Storytelling is different because the analyst leads with the story itself and then might use insights derived from the data set to back up the story. While the story should always be grounded in the data set from which it is derived, it may be told without direct reference to the underlying data itself. The story itself is the main value-added analysis and its deliverable. By contrast, an analyst who is not using storytelling will usually lead with the data itself and might then verbalize the conclusion that can be drawn from it.

Successful storytelling requires

an effective way of succinctly communicating the most important observations and interpretations of the data set. For instance, a data set about sources of air pollution in the U.S. might highlight a wide range of contributors and varying causes. From a closer prioritization of the most important contributors to air pollution and their relationship with each other, it may be that a short story emerges, whereby three sources contribute the most to the issue - vehicles, farmland and coal, accounting for 89 percent. The story of the data set could then be presented with the conclusion that the focus should be on "The three Cs - cars, coal and cattle."

As the fictional 89 percent illustrates, storytelling requires sacrificing detail for simplicity, while not excluding anything significant. The analyst must therefore understand not just the full data set and the analysis conducted on it but also its context and the subject matter of the data.

Unlike lower levels of analysis, storytelling is complicated because each story is unique to its underlying data set. Bivariate (Level 3) and multivariate analysis (Level 4), for instance, can be sense-checked with statistical significance testing and have outcomes that will be comparable against other data sets and past experience. When we do storytelling, however, we do not know what we will find before we begin the analysis.

Five qualities, in particular, are important in a storytelling analyst:

#### 1. Broad research skills.

Storytelling is difficult because it demands a more diverse range of skills than other levels of analysis. It requires a good understanding of research techniques to enable the evaluation and prioritization of the data and the ability to spot patterns across a large set of data and the analysis of that data to help with the linking.

2. Understanding the context. In order to know how to prioritize key findings before linking them together, it is necessary to have a strong understanding of the context of the data set and the market or issue it is derived from. This is particularly the case for technical data sets like those produced in businessto-business research.

3. Time and effort. Storytelling requires the time and effort to review all the initial analysis conducted prior to formulating a story. It is therefore not something that can be automated or done without a skilled and informed researcher.

#### 4. Trust and knowledge.

Storytelling is inherently different from Level 1-4 analysis because it is the only method where the analyst does not initially know which data inputs the final story will come from or the format in which it will be expressed. It requires trust and knowledge because the reader has to trust that the analyst has built a robust and insightful story which has not ignored any important insights. It is the researcher's responsibility to ensure that the story addresses the underlying research need. If the story does not fully address the objectives of the research then it serves no purpose as a means of analysis.

5. A good storyteller. Finally, good storytelling requires a good story-teller.4 One of the world's best storytellers is the entertainer Penn Jillette. In an interview about his presentation skills with the Harvard Business Review, Jillette recalls blunt advice from a former teacher: "No one cares about what you write or say. They're looking for any excuse to not read or listen. You have to make sure they don't have one."5 The same goes for research presentations whether in person or in writing.

While not every analyst has Jillette's presentation skills, there are things any analyst can do to improve their storytelling. Neuroscientists have demonstrated how proper use of adjectives and descriptive terms makes for better comprehension and memory of a story,6 rather than stating plain facts. Evidence suggests that stories are most engaging when listeners can draw personal or emotional parallels to the content. Market researchers, who are often rooted in data, need to be more comfortable including analogies, context and anecdotes to bring the story to life.

#### Hardwired into your brain

What was the name of the founder of the dating site I mentioned at the outset, the amount of his credit card advance and the year the site was launched? If you remember now, you will likely not remember a week from now. However, you will probably still be able to share the story of how a dating site founder's girlfriend left him for a guy she met on his site.

The reason why you will remember this is hardwired into your brain: storytelling. This is the best medium in the analyst's toolkit for driving comprehension and action from research findings. By tapping into our natural ability to digest and remember stories where links are easy to spot between cause and effect, storytelling is far more effective than lengthy PowerPoint decks and presentation methods used in research.

As storytelling continues to grow in prominence within the research sector, decision makers of tomorrow will increasingly start to demand a storytelling aspect to their research deliverables. However, storytelling requires a different skill set and follows a different process from the types of analysis which dominate the research profession. It requires more time, as initial levels of research have to be conducted prior to storytelling. It is also a time-consuming process to evaluate, prioritize, link and then add narrative to a large data set with extensive analysis.

Yet when mastered, storytelling offers researchers an opportunity to break through the commoditization of automated chart-heavy reports and deliver insights with far more impact and greater value. 0

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Adrian Tennant talks to practitioners about how they are using qualitative methods to complement quantbased approaches.

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# Seeking the what and the why

Qualitative's role in an increasingly quantitative world

| By Adrian Tennant

I recently had the pleasure of chatting with Wendy Gordon, the doyenne of qualitative research in the United Kingdom. A market research agency veteran and author of two best-selling textbooks, Gordon shared with me that throughout her career she had observed a consistent client bias toward quantitative data and a corresponding mistrust of qualitative insights.

She and I pondered a question of the zeitgeist that inspired this article: in a technology-enabled environment increasingly focused on big data, artificial intelligence tools, chatbots and machine learning, is the traditional role of qualitative research relevant? Do we need a makeover?

Tricia Wang is an ethnographic researcher, co-founder of Constellate Data and editor of the Ethnography Matters blog. Wang's 2016 TED talk, "The human insights missing from big data" is a cri de coeur for qualitative research and has received over 1.1 million views. As Wang explains, although big data is a \$122 billion industry, it's best suited

to quantifying environments such as electricity power grids or delivery logistics; in other words, contained systems. "When you're quantifying, and systems are more dynamic, especially systems that involve human beings, forces are complex and unpredictable, and these are things that we don't know how to model so well . . . relying on big data alone increases the chance that we'll miss something, while giving us this illusion that we already know everything," she says.

#### A more integrative approach

Wang's TED talk proposes a more integrative approach to research to uncover the meanings behind big data, using what she calls "thick data" in a nod to cultural anthropologist Clifford Geertz, who frequently used the term "thick description" to explain his method of ethnography: a description that explains not just the behavior but its context as well. Big data delivers numbers; thick data delivers stories. Or put another way: big data relies on machine learning; thick data relies on human learning.

John Gambles is chairman and founder of Quadrangle Research Group in London. Writing in the Market Research Society's Market Research and Insight Yearbook, published in 2016, Gambles describes what he sees as the symbiotic relationship between research and data: "Data give us the hard numbers to put against a research-derived understanding of people and their behaviors. Data are brilliant in answering the who, what and how-much questions relating to behavior; but only research can get to the why. Research – and, particularly, qualitative research – enables us to explore and explain the motivations, expectations, attitudes, value sets and beliefs that sit behind and drive people's behaviors; and from this, to work out how we can best impact their future behavior."<sup>2</sup>

Where do we find an example of this integrative approach being applied? The answer might surprise you.

Online streaming entertainment service Netflix is a stereotypically quantitative, big data-driven company. In April this year, the company reported it has 104 million subscribers worldwide, 52 million of whom are in the United States.<sup>3</sup> Netflix is known to mine its millions of subscribers' viewing histories to predict what types of TV shows and movies people will want to watch. In an open competition, Netflix offered a prize for the best collaborative filtering algorithm to predict user ratings for content.

Netflix is not the type of company I associate with qualitative research. Yet, in a press release on its Web site, Netflix outlines how the company worked with Canadian cultural anthropologist Grant McCracken to trace the evolution of a phenomenon that streaming services like Netflix made possible: binge watching.<sup>4</sup> Conducting ethnographic research, McCracken went into the living rooms of several TV viewers across the United States and Canada to explore their changing TV behaviors. Netflix combined the results of a quantitative survey conducted by Harris Interactive with McCracken's qualitative insights.

Increasingly, clients' businesses make use of big data for decision-making in the form of real-time business information and analytics, often visualized as dashboards.

As previous contributors to this magazine have noted, today's always-on, 24/7 connected culture has accelerated the speed with which studies are designed and conducted, shortening the time available for analysis and the preparation and presentation of results.

This need for speed, combined with a pervasive technology- and data-induced attention deficit disorder, also impacts the length of client reports and the level of detail they contain. For example, at Blue Kite Insight, we typically present one- to two-page report summaries that are designed for busy executives to digest key findings in 60 seconds or less. As you would expect from researchers that measure people's visual attention, we make extensive use of graphics and icons to communicate the most important themes, using dashboard-like layouts when it makes sense to do so. More traditional visualizations such as tables and charts are consigned to the appendices.

Are we dumbing-down because of the effects of big data? I don't think so. The act of simplifying and summarizing has positive consequences; it forces us to consider what matters most: findings that can, in that well-worn phrase, "move the needle" for the client. Our value is in being able to surface insights that inspire clients to exploit untapped opportunities.

#### **Deep reflection**

What is under threat is the time for deep reflection; an often non-conscious process of finding the previously hidden connections between data points or the apparent incongruities that lead to unexpected insights.

A lot of our agency's work is evaluative, pre-testing research for clients that are creating marketing communications for a significantly more fragmented media landscape than existed just a decade ago.

In the mid-1990s, I led the design and development of Web sites for international clients. Web designers routinely had to create at least two different versions of every site, each optimized for one the two dominant Web browsers of the day: Netscape and Internet Explorer. It was a royal pain for the developers but over time, the browser wars led to greater compliance with Web standards.

Fast-forward 20 years and I see parallels with digital ads and user experience testing today. Clients are being challenged to understand how people respond to commercial messages delivered through a much broader range of digital channels than ever before. While the Internet Advertising Bureau has developed standards for digital display advertisements, consumers' expectations and behaviors differ depending on the type of online information being accessed. Think about your own use of social media compared to other types of content.

In addition to the explosion of channels, we are living in a multiscreen world. And it's not just our domestic televisions, desktop and laptop computers, tablets, phablets and smartphones that we're exposed to: add refrigerators and videoenabled voice-controlled devices. Digital out-of-home boards further multiply the number of messages to which we're exposed, while quick-service restaurant (QSR) chains too are making greater use of digital screens to display animated menus and offers at the counter.

Many QSR chains now provide tabletop tablets loaded with apps for diners to browse the food and drinks menu; order; play games while they wait for their food; pay and leave feedback – experiences, it should be noted, which require only minimal interaction with a human server.

Responding to the need for faster, increasingly screen-based and geographically dispersed study requirements, our firm's research services have evolved. For example, our online digital creative testing solution combines a survey platform with eye-tracking and facial expression analysis via respondents' Webcams. Our mobile, quali-quant ethnographic research platform enables clients to observe customer journey maps both conceptually and geographically.

#### Felt by the broader industry

To get a sense of whether big data's quantitative influence is being felt by

the broader industry, I asked some of our strategic partners – the qualitative market research software companies, recruiting services and research facilities with whom we work – for their impressions.

Julia Eisenberg is vice president of iModerate, an online qualitative research firm, and I asked her if she had observed any client bias toward quantitative data. "Yes, sometimes we find that clients have a need for quantifiable qual to support their business growth in a substantive way," Eisenberg says. "To meet this need, we've developed a solution that allows us to process large volumes of open-ended responses including both stand-alone questions and open-ends tied to a survey or ratings and reviews. We use a tool that uses natural language processing to help group and categorize themes inside the data but then we deploy human intelligence to pull the story together and deliver actionable insight."

Asked what trends in the types of qualitative client, research topics or applications have been most noticeable this year, she highlighted the use of blended technologies. "Everything from bulletin boards with immersive, ethnographic journaling and collages to in-depth text-based conversations with video sound bites for color to ongoing communities with face-to-face prototype testing sprinkled in along the way. With all of the digital and in-person tools at our disposal, we're having fun customizing combinations that truly solve our client's business problems."

Steve Schlesinger is CEO of research firm Schlesinger Associates. When I asked him what trends he has observed in the qualitative side of the business throughout 2017, he didn't divulge names but did report an increase in activity from technology-based clients, with a concentration in usability and user experience testing. He has observed the more frequent use of technology-based research methodologies such as biometrics, especially eye-tracking. Clients made more use of the bigger domestic markets such as New York City, Chicago

and Los Angeles for focus groups.

He notes that more of the firm's in-facility qualitative research came with other components, such as mobile homework assignments, or were designed as hybrid, quali-quant studies, including follow-up studies with respondents.

#### Some challenges

Combining qualitative with quantitative research offers the best of all possible worlds for clients but can present some methodological challenges. In a recent quantitative study for one of our clients in the travel and hospitality industry, we received 65,000 open-ended survey responses. The manual process typically used to code transcripts from qualitative depth interviews doesn't scale well for quantitative data sets, so we employ text analytics to do some of the heavy lifting.

Our partner is text analytics software firm Ascribe and I asked Vice President Gary Zucker what has driven the adoption of text analytics as a methodology for quantitative researchers. "If pricing and timing was never an issue, you would have a human code every study, because nothing replaces the human brain," Zucker says. "But you don't have the time or the budget to read everything and, likely, you don't have to read everything; you just want to find those key themes, topics and sentiments and then pull out some really detailed examples of why this is relevant. I think many brands are already there - they're very comfortable using text analytics to help them in their business."

Is text analytics is becoming part of the qualitative research toolkit? "I think as an industry, everybody is asking, 'Hey, I just did a focus group. I've got 50-page transcripts. Each respondent is an hour-and-a-half. How do I categorize it?' It's hard to make heads or tails of what is and what isn't relevant. Text analytics can help organize the data into what seems to be the most relevant, most talked about, most positive, most negative themes or phrases," he says.

#### An outsized impact

This article opened with the observation from Wendy Gordon that some clients exhibit a bias toward quantitative data which devalues the importance of qualitative results. As the comments in this article from practitioners and suppliers illustrate, the idea that statistically normalized and standardized quantitative data is more useful and objective than qualitative data is flawed: small data can have an outsized impact. And qualitative research provides something that big data explicitly does not: inspiration.

So, in a world of real-time analytics and huge repositories of transaction data to mine, in what ways should researchers convey the value of qualitative methods to clients and stakeholders? What should qualitative research's USP be? Julia Eisenberg of iModerate has a great answer: "Quantitative research tells us what but only qualitative research tells us why. Real-time analytics are valuable only up to the point where they allow for confi-

dent decision-making and we're not always sure the numbers mean what we think they mean. We find consistent value in qualitative context whether combined with quantitative methodologies or as a stand-alone approach. At the end of the day, numbers on a spreadsheet are not your customer. A one-dimensional understanding of the numbers can't drive growth. Your customers - real people - are the ones who choose or choose not to buy what you're selling. If you don't understand them, do you really understand your business? If you're not speaking to them qualitatively, you're choosing not to understand their needs."

Big data is here to stay but this presents an opportunity for researchers to become the sense-makers. Qualitative research gets behind the numbers, peeks inside people's heads, answers the why questions and delivers the human insights missing from big data. 0

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Strategies for dealing with difficult patients in health care research

| By Bj Kirschner



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Many years ago, I was doing a study with stage IV cancer patients in central location. A patient pulled me aside after her interview and said, word-for-word, "I have been told by my doctor that I may have a year left to live. In this interview they showed me four ads for my cancer drug and all we talked about for the first 30 minutes were the colors. Why do I care what color the ads are? I may not be around when the ad ends up in magazines and I'm already taking it anyway."

You don't forget a quote like that and it really forces you to reconsider an approach to qualitative health care research with patients. Not just patients, "difficult patients."

Each time a new audience is sought in the world of qualitative health care market research, the audience gets the label of "difficult." There used to be "easy" physicians, such as cardiologists and primary care physicians, and "difficult" physicians, such as surgeons and oncologists. Hospital purchasing managers? No way! Now they are all routine.

The same thing is happening with patients. I say "happening" because there are still a bevy of thorny issues facing us when it comes to patient research. But, just as with HCPs, each time we do the unthinkable, we find the confidence, and tools, to tackle someone even more "difficult."

Discussions of how to recruit difficult patients are common but less investigated is what happens after the patients are recruited. How do we design and implement research studies aimed at harnessing the bounty of information from such small and unique populations while maintaining their comfort and accessibility? Since qualitative research is about personal stories and not box-checking, my aim here is to use such stories to launch this discussion. I have picked just a few topics for consideration, some of the more high-level considerations, so this is by no means exhaustive!



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#### Not a numbers game

According to the American Cancer Society, based on data collected between 2011 and 2013, 12.9 percent of Americans are "likely" to be diagnosed with prostate cancer, 12.4 percent with breast cancer and 6.5 percent with lung cancer. However, the "probability of dying" from lung cancer is 5.4 percent, double that of either prostate cancer or breast cancer, so when you look at the numbers, it seems the harder to interview – wait a minute, why are we looking at numbers?

Qualitative research is not a numbers game. The quotas can often be counted on fingers and toes. Incidence rates among country populations are nice to know but they don't really have anything to do with the people themselves. The universe in a qualitative study is the number of patients that can be reached, are qualified and are available. In quantitative terminology, an IR of under I percent.

What each person specifically has to say is most important, not an aggregate of what everyone says, not what 100 people say, not what yesterday's respondents said. Each one is sui generis. Difficult patients are people with rare conditions and everything they have to say on the topic is pure expertise, whether or not it matches data or expectations. Names help make it real. Look at a daily schedule of cystic fibrosis patients and parents and say, "Today we have patient John B. at 11 a.m., patient Dave F. at 1:30 p.m. and caregiver Louise W. at 5:30 p.m. and Louise told the recruiters she may be five minutes late because she's picking her son up from the doctor" as opposed to "Today we have two patients and a caregiver."

Takeaway: Look at your difficult patients as unique individuals and they will respond in kind.

#### Have to work harder

Who are the most important people in any market research study? The respondents, of course. But, as qualitative researchers, we often forget to remind them of this fact. When dealing difficult patients, we as an industry have to work harder

to make the process smooth for them. We should do that for all respondents – none of us would have careers without them – but just like moderators once learned to start days in central location at 7:00 a.m. and end at 10:00 p.m. so they could get surgeons before and after long days of surgery, we have to adapt to the needs of our difficult patients. The benefits of it are incalculable.

I have long moved on from my days as a recruiter but there are certain times I jump back to it. Case in point: paroxysmal nocturnal hemoglobinuria and atypical hemolytic uremic syndrome. I do a lot of research with these patients and my connection with them is tight. I'm in their phones as a contact. I know their answers to basic screening questions like age and when they were diagnosed, so even just a feasibility request can be impressive to a client. On top of helping the clients, possibly learning something new and of course making a little extra money, they are willing to help because they trust me and because I act as an advocate for them during the study if they have issues or questions. I have come to understand the challenges of their conditions and help my clients adapt to those challenges.

Takeaway: If difficult patients know how much you appreciate their commitment, they become your friends, always willing to help out, participate, refer, etc.

#### Terrible mix

The pharma and device companies usually want their participation to be blinded to avoid bias but we often over-obscure everything to make sure that happens. One of the best uses of mobile phone-based research I have seen, and this is going back to the infancy of mobile research, was with arthritis patients, specifically those with arthritis in their hands. What a terrible mix of methodology and audience, asking people who often cannot grip a toothbrush to do exercises on a tiny phone, right? That was actually the reason for the research. The app being designed was targeted at people who have manual dexterity issues as a way to track how they could input information comfortably. However, the respondents were not told this up front and the recruiting refusals piled up faster than the grumpy respondents who did agree and barely did the required activities. When it was decided to tell potential respondents the point of the study, which meant literally the addition of a single sentence explanation about design something specifically for people like them, respondents started over-participating. We only needed an hour of time across a few days and people were doubling and tripling that. The study was a success because of the way it was presented.

Takeaway: Treat your respondents like partners and their dedication soars.

### Not easy to pick the right methodology

When it comes to methodologies, I could spend 10 pages on that topic alone! It is not easy to pick the right methodology when your sample size is very small. Flying from city to city is often expensive. Doing phone interviews can lack personality. Some studies have to balance difficult patients with physicians, nurses and other stakeholders. When you are doing device-testing and the respondents have to hold a mock device, the only methodologies available are inperson. And on and on and on...

A favorite qual methodology is inhome interviews. Over the course of a few hours, we can see how a respondent lives, reacts to surroundings and so much more. You may even get others in the household to participate and make a new friend with a lively puppy. Most importantly, you see a person in his or her natural environment. By "you," I'm referring to a moderator. Not a collective "you" consisting of the moderator, a videographer and a few clients. That is a lot of people to bring into someone's home and suddenly it's not a comfortable chat anymore. Kind of like it's not as comfortable when a male moderator is doing an ovarian cancer study or a female moderator researching prostate cancer. It is one thing to have an opposite gender doctor talking to you but quite another when it's a market research moderator.

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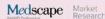




























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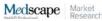


















































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are laws and customs. We all have to be compliant, no matter the country or the condition. Some methodologies are simply not possible in some countries. In the U.S., HIPAA does not allow for a patient to be connected to his or her doctor without permission. Even if both signed off on allowing it, it's not very likely any patient will allow a client to tag along to an office visit. Even in countries where legal hurdles are fewer, in part of Asia for example, it's not often any patient agrees to this methodology because it's culturally unthinkable. With difficult patients, any visit to the physician can be a minefield of unexpected news or test results. It's not quite the same as having someone tag along while you get a flu shot.

What methodology is ideal? Which is best for the budget? Which will make the end client happiest? There is not just one – that's the point – but think of it this way: If you were the patient with this condition being asked to do a study in this way, would you say yes? Start from there and the rest comes into focus naturally.

Takeaway: What works best is what works best for the patients.

#### Not a perfect fit

Most research companies have specific methodologies they prefer to use based on experience and client needs. They become the hallmarks of that company, which is wonderful. Not every study is a perfect fit for your company's offering but don't despair, with a bit of finesse and experience, square pegs and round holes can fit together.

Technology is amazing.

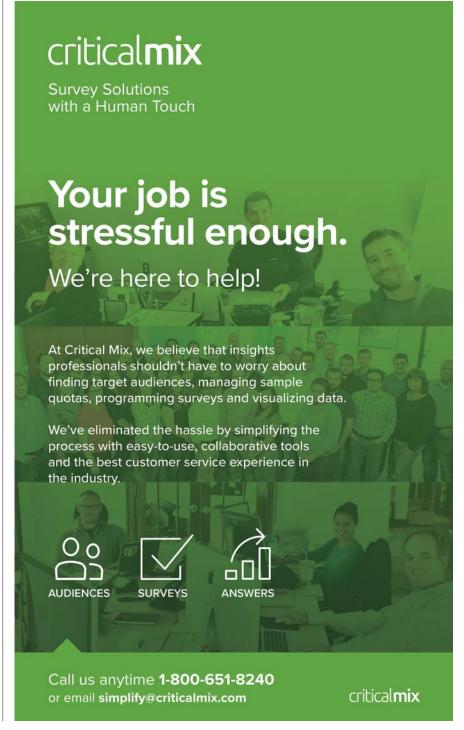
Technology is why difficult patients are possible. Without the Internet, we wouldn't find many of them and without communication devices we wouldn't be able to talk to them.

Think of companies who do just online communities – their whole business model is based on technology.

Technology is only scary until that fear is overcome by experience. Potential respondents hear, "You will need to go on for an hour a day for two weeks and do a bunch of exercises." That sounds like a drain on their time but once they get through an activity or two, watch them blossom, it never fails. They have unlimited time and space to provide feedback and some people really need that outlet. By the end of the study, they have become converts to the idea and all future studies are measured against this one. If a recruiter tells you something will be tough, don't panic – they aren't telling you it's impossible. We want to make respondents comfortable but that does not mean we cannot

push a bit to achieve study goals the way we anticipated.

There are, however, times where patterns are too confining. Forms of telephone interviewing have become the preferred methodologies because they allow for people all over the place to participate without travel time and expense; documents are easily shared; clients can listen in remotely; Webcams make it as close to sitting in a room with someone as possible. However, not every respondent wants to use a Webcam.



I find this most often with latestage cancer patients. Inevitably, a few on every study will stop the interview before it even gets started because they are not feeling their best that day. That puts the moderator in a tight spot - should he or she continue or not? Does the success of the interview depend on seeing the respondents' faces? What about a bit of negotiating? Offer five minutes. If the patient says yes and you can make a connection in those five minutes, most likely the Webcams will stay on the whole time. Or, how about a reschedule? The patients agreed to the Webcam methodology and it's only because they are truly feeling awful that day that they have reconsidered. Reschedules are no fun but if that is what will make the patient most comfortable, the appreciation for your accommodation will produce a great result when you do connect for the interview.

Takeaway: Patterns are great, especially flexible ones, but it never hurts to take a step out of the market research zone and really consider what is required and what the challenges may be.

#### Elephant in front of the mirror

When we are dealing with difficult patients, fatality is often the elephant in front of the one-way mirror. We do not typically discuss it as a main focus of any research project but it's there.

Our firm ran a study in South America with parents of children with an extremely rare condition, one that is usually fatal in early infancy. During screening, the parents were quite emotional. One of the country reps came to me and said they wanted to use a different moderator than the one approved and trained because they felt this new moderator would be able to connect better to emotional respondents. To me, that was the key moment of the study because although it could potentially throw that country's timeline into disarray for me, my clients and the end clients, it was best for the respondents.

Takeaway: That was the absolute acme of understanding qualitative re-

search with difficult patients: keeping the focus on the respondents.

#### All over the place

When doing studies on Alzheimer's disease, there are often requests for mild patients because the medical definition of mild includes people who can function on their own, at least part of the time. However, mild patients are all over the place in terms of how much they are affected on a daily basis and that can make them less-than-ideal respondents. A mild patient makes medical sense but what about market research sense? What is the focus of the research? Let's say it is side effects. Who will know the side effects best? Caregivers. There is no one more reliable and you will get more information, and more detailed information, from a caregiver.

Or consider Parkinson's disease. Of all difficult patient populations where telephone interviews are used, Parkinson's disease patients are among the most skittish. Why? Because their motor and communication skills are tough to control and voice-to-voice communication even with the best of today's equipment can be garbled and filled with dropped words. The patients will feel they cannot be understood and clam up when really the issue is a bad phone connection.

Many marketing research studies now focus on method of delivery, even old-fashioned and/or relatively non-invasive delivery like swallowing pills or applying a patch. Studies want to see respondents doing these very normal acts. "Let's have them hold off on taking their medication until the time of the interview," is a common request. Many difficult patients will have no problem with that. But some will because some are very precise and take a pill every day at 9:00 a.m. on the dot, for example. If the interview time is earlier or later, they may not agree. But what is the intention here? It's usually not the actual chemical interaction as it enters the body. It may be patch placement or the measuring out of a liquid. If so, can that be done with non-medicated patches or water?

For many years, it was trendy to attempt to visit schizophrenia patients in-home. Of course the screening required the patients to be on their medication and the hope was that they were well-controlled. Finding experienced moderators willing to go alone to a schizophrenia patient's home was a tough sell. Why? We were telling the patients we wanted to see them in their most natural surroundings and they took that to mean seeing them at their worst, so they stopped taking their medication. They were not asked to do so but that's how they interpreted the request.

In these three unique situations, we learned by experience, seemingly negative, that we had to consider every possible scenario when designing a study. But we did and now this type of problem-solving is becoming second nature to everyone.

I often get asked, "Isn't all of this common sense?" No. What may now seem like common sense is actually individual experience becoming general knowledge. Or, "Aren't these issues for the recruiters to point out to us?" Sure, the recruiters are the first contacts of our difficult patients but they do not have detailed medical knowledge and often they are not consulted until after a study is designed, when all they can do is promise "best effort" because it's too late to make large-scale changes.

#### Overwhelmingly positive

Here is the really good news: Feedback from difficult patients is overwhelmingly positive. They enjoy the block of time given to just them and their experiences; they teach and they learn. The most common negative feedback is that was not properly attuned the condition or that the research was not personally useful. Those issues can be solved because they all stem from the same basic principle: Think of the patients and their difficulties first and work from there. We have done it before with great success and will continue to do so. 0

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# Learning as they go

Which ethnographic approach is right for you?

| By Karin O'Neill and Liza Walworth



#### snapshot

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Today, the term "ethnography" gets applied to a range of consumer research techniques involving far more than just sending researchers into people's homes. New methods that fall broadly under the ethnographic umbrella are helping marketers uncover and understand the complexities and tensions that live within what people say and do – especially when words and deeds seem to conflict. As researchers become inundated with more and more big data, they need human stories and human truths to illustrate and explain the insights behind that data. But which technique – self-reported mobile, directed immersions, recreated reality or full ethnography – is right for your project?

While the term ethnography is used broadly and loosely in our industry, there is a distinction between actual ethnography and those methods that merely leverage its principles. Anthropologically-based ethnography is participant-led, observationally-driven, in situ and takes place over an extended period. Several other methodologies borrow certain principles from ethnography to enrich qualitative learning across a spectrum of techniques (Figure 1). Each methodology addresses specific learning objectives. Let's go through each one and discuss the features and benefits of incorporating different forms of ethnographic research into your learning plans.

#### Ethnography

Ethnography delivers some of the deepest insights about consumers because it's a means of seeing consumers' real lives in a very natural, uninterrupted way over a day's time or more – on their terms, not yours. Ethnographers draw upon the model of participant-observation fieldwork utilized within anthropology. Typically, an expert ethnographer conducts the fieldwork alone, to minimize disruption to the respondents. The ethnographer follows them through their normal activities, potentially recording footage that can be analyzed with the client afterward (sometimes referred to as video ethnography). Ethnographers are trained to



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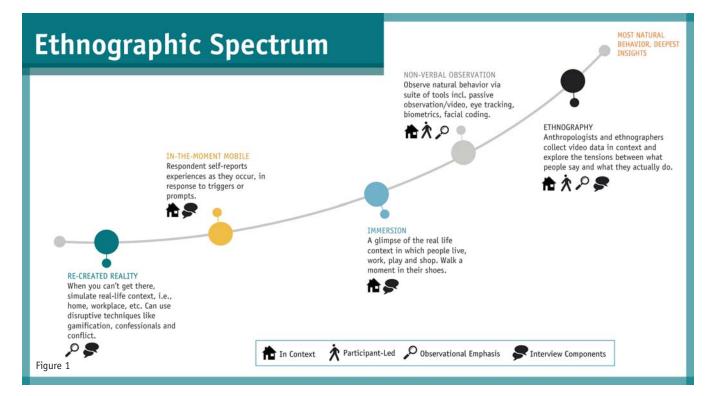
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observe and query cultural and environmental contexts, personal relationships and emotions that influence the beliefs and behaviors observed. And while the ethnographers start with observation, they do ask questions to better understand what they observe, which offers a unique opportunity to explore the tensions between what people say they do and what they actually do.

Ethnography is thus best suited for early, foundational studies, when the "why" behind the "what" is unknown and hypotheses are few. Ethnographers start with consumers and work to understand how a product, service, category or need fits into their lives. As such, ethnography tends to be a broad exploration. While it might produce as many questions as it does answers, those questions will be sharper and smarter than those generated via guesswork or claimed behavior alone.

One common application is developing an understanding of unarticulated needs at the beginning of a product or service innovation project. For example, in one case, our ethnographers worked with a CPG manufacturer and discovered that while consumers rated the current product well they had incorporated a variety of different compensating behaviors into their routines. These behaviors showed dissatisfaction with the current product and highlighted potential areas for improvement and innovation.

Another application for ethnography is communication development. A common complaint we hear from marketers is that creative is falling flat and not connecting emotionally with consumers. Ethnography can help marketers identify the emotional context(s) of the category and how it fits into consumers' daily lives. The human stories observed and unearthed can inspire creative teams and, in some cases, be referenced in copy. For example, one of our clients leveraged Ipsos' syndicated work on psoriasis to better understand the quality of life and struggles of psoriasis patients. The client's brand subsequently adjusted its positioning and changed the tone of its communication to better relate to patients.

Ethnography is also a great way to understand actual consumer behavior before designing a quantitative segmentation or habits and practices study. In one project, a client's standard category questions contained several assumptions about product storage and usage, including the notion that people used products in a certain order. When we spent time with consumers, we uncovered insights about actual behavior, which included mixing products together. We also observed how storage fit into their daily routine and environment. This led to a redesign of quantitative questionnaires for more accurate results.

While ethnography can deliver deep insights, it's not right for every

scenario, especially when time or budget are limited or when the project is farther along and has fewer unknowns. Also, as mentioned, ethnography is best conducted by a solo expert researcher to avoid disrupting or impacting the consumer experience. If your project team needs to meet the consumer first-hand and not via video, you may want to consider incorporating immersions into your learning plan.

#### **Immersions**

Immersions typically take place over a shorter period of time (hours, not days) and can include prompts for the subject, which would be frowned upon in an ethnography. The task- and/or product-centric focus of immersions make this methodology a powerful tool. Immersions tend to quickly zero in on the category or need being studied. Imagine a researcher asking a respondent, "Do you mind showing me how you prep and wash your delicates?" Immersions are therefore appropriate for more directed lines of questioning and the testing of hypotheses that often occur a bit farther into a research process - perhaps on the heels of prior ethnographies, for example, such as when a detailed patient journey is needed to complement the broader, contextual understanding of how a patient and his/her caregiver live day-to-day with a specific health condition.

One common objective for immersions is when you want to ensure a project is on the right path. Periodic immersions with your design target – the consumers who inspire your project – can provide the insights to move your team forward to the next phase of design, while offering a chance to get gut reactions to some stimulus and course correct as needed.

Another objective for immersions is when a team needs to become closer to the consumer. Maybe you just finished a big segmentation study and need some deeper insights or to immerse the team with the new segments. Or perhaps you have a leadership team or agency who doesn't seem to relate to the consumers; getting them to spend time with them face-to-face is often the breakthrough needed to change that dynamic. After the teams go through part of a day with consumers and see their challenges firsthand, team members are likely to have the empathy and understanding needed to positively impact their everyday decision-making.

#### Non-verbal observation

Passive or non-verbal observation exposes natural, uninterrupted behavior. However, its strength can also be a limitation – because you can't ask questions, you must make some assumptions as to what is happening and why. In many cases, a learning plan will pair passive observation with other methodologies, such as an interview, to address this shortcoming and deliver holistic insights. A good application of non-verbal observation is to understand a consumer experience, such as product usage or taking medication, in a very thorough way. Non-verbal observation captures what truly happens as opposed to what someone might think typically happens - for example, how often does a family really open their fridge within a 24-hour period? In this scenario, fixed cameras could be installed and footage analyzed to identify unconscious behaviors or the patterns of some family members that go unnoticed by others. If you observe pain points in the usage experience, these can be product innovation or upgrade opportunities. Conversely, if you uncover moments of delight, like when a product experience causes a sensation that people pause to enjoy, you can show this in your advertising or shelf materials.

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#### In-the-moment mobile

Mobile is a powerful tool, because it's the rare consumer, customer or patient who leaves home without their devices. Because mobile is always with us, it can help us understand how consumers view their experiences as they happen, wherever they happen. That includes places and times that are difficult for us to access as researchers. We often use mobile to understand how a consumer experience varies throughout the day or week, during different kinds of weather, at home or at school or while shopping or at the doctor's office. Rich input including video, images and text is easy to collect. One key limitation of mobile that is important to note, however, is that it provides the consumer's crafted and edited view of an experience - you are seeing what they want you to see, versus being there to observe everything firsthand. In categories or situations where social pressure plays a greater role in how people respond, you may want to incorporate an observational methodology into your learning plan to complement the mobile component.

#### Re-created reality

We realize it's not always possible to observe the consumer, customer or patient situation in real life. Alternatively, maybe you need to create a situation or use a prototype that doesn't yet exist in real life. You might have a looming deadline and need to learn quickly on several objectives, some of which are observational in nature, at the same time. Simulating a real-life environment like a home, store or doctor's office can help you gain some observational insights while addressing these other needs. With many of our clients, we wire a full house with cameras and have different consumer activities in different rooms. e.g., observation in one, a "confessional" in another, a gamified exercise in a third. Clients can participate or observe in a designated "back room." This kind of approach can be a great way to accelerate learning, hitting upon multiple objectives at once or bringing fresh insight when it seems like you've asked all the questions in a category.

#### **Drive action**

No matter which method you choose, research is only as good as the action it inspires. Don't debrief and dash. Instead, plan for activation exercises or workshops that bring the insights to life and drive action. Whether it's a 360-degree video deliverable that brings the immersive experience to decision makers or a workshop with specially-designed exercises to make the full team feel as the consumer does, plan for experiences that drive action.

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# Beating the cheaters

Problematic respondents in marketing research

| By Debbie Balch



#### snapshot

Understanding how to handle professional, lazy or inattentive and fraudulent respondents.

We all know problematic respondents are a third-rail issue in the marketing research industry – quality issues aren't discussed or addressed publicly with the concern the research field could lose credibility. Knowing there are many professional respondents impacting the quality of data, it is clear that a somewhat small proportion of the population is accounting for a large percentage of the responses.

Many different sources cite the degree to which quantitative data may be problematic and, while they vary individually, most seem to hover around the 15-20 percent mark. Although harder to quantify, we understand problems also exist in qualitative data as well — I have seen it firsthand. Some are even brazen enough to blog about it, confessing their qualitative tricks online.

Technology has lent research increasing levels of agility; sample and panel companies have massive reach and can get research feedback in a relatively short time frame. Simultaneously, corporate researchers are operating in an increasingly competitive and fast-moving environment, pushing their research partners for immediate data to influence actionable business decisions.

But there has to be a balance and we in the industry must hold each other accountable. I believe the answer to this ongoing fight for data quality requires a collective effort by the industry as a whole to improve. Corporate researchers should seek partners that are committed to quality and researchers should seek data collection and sample partners that are committed to truthful responses.

#### Quantitative research: issues and approaches

Online surveys currently dominate the quantitative market research space and for good reason. We, as researchers, can get feedback from thousands of people from all over the world in a matter of hours. But the anonymity of online surveys and the ability to quickly create



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an e-mail and an online presence has had a huge impact on the validity of data collected. Just a few of the challenges we face as researchers include: leading or price-focused advertising; professional respondents; poor sample quality; untruthful responses; lazy/inattentive respondents; bots/autofill software. We will address some of them below.

Leading or price-focused advertising. Advertising messaging can be the catalyst for the poor response types we should be primarily concerned with. They cause potential participants to enter a survey with an expectation of earning easy money with little effort and when the credibility of the marketing research industry is rooted in honest, thoughtful insights, this is a serious issue. With leading copy points, these kinds of recruitment efforts can cue the desired type of respondent and cause some to change their answers in order to qualify. Because online chatter continues to degrade the quality of responses, we need to be very careful of who completes our surveys.

Professional respondents. An important consideration is that professional respondents may be even more prevalent in quantitative research (vs. qualitative) because they have the luxury of hiding behind a computer screen. According to recent studies and professional industry resources, 42 percent of North American respondents claim to participate once a week or more often and this doesn't even take into account underreporting.

Many professional respondents provide honest, thoughtful answers; however, if the goal of a professional respondent is to take as many surveys as possible, then their path toward that goal is likely to intrinsically include methods that undermine data quality. While qualitative screening also has its challenges, you could say screening or terminating unqualified respondents in online surveys is even more difficult. Rigorous adherence to screening, design elements and data cleaning help filter out these respondents.

Choosing quality sample providers. An integral way to promote data quality is to choose sample companies of the highest caliber. Seeking sample companies that implement some of the following techniques is important:

- · geolocation checks;
- · device fingerprints;

- participation limits;
- cross-reference validate the respondent information via other databases or lists:
- unique ID give respondents a unique ID or code so only those invited can take the survey;
- validated sample there are third-party companies that make some of these checks and others for various panels. Often the sample is then referred to as validated sample. Yes, you may be able to find cheaper sources but as sample is a relatively small cost in an overall turnkey research project, this is not an area to cut corners.

Survey design. Outside of doing our due diligence and buying the best sample, we, as researchers, are also tasked with controlling how we design our surveys. Most respondents want to be honest and provide good information but we have to make sure the conditions they are under promote this. The conditions in this case are the components and design of the survey we create.

In general, we can find success by including variety through visual items, relatability with a conversational tone, a reasonable survey length and mobile-optimized questions. Some more-specific design elements that can be employed (where applicable) include: honesty pledges; time-spent requirements, specifically on the page level; include fictional items/brands (red herrings); consistency checks; Captchas – these can stump most bots/autofill software; do not clearly link disqualifications to the exact question in the survey.

Data cleaning. Despite choosing quality sample and implementing the survey design pieces that we've talked about, things will fall through the cracks. It's imperative that data is cleaned thoroughly, no matter how tedious it may be. Data should be cleaned against the following criteria: duplicate e-mails; duplicate IP addresses; survey speed; open-ended responses; consistency.

While many solutions can be automated, the human eye is still the best way to find poor responses. It's important to note that this cleaning process is not completely objective; watching articulation, straightlining and logic allow us to catch poor responses. In addition we don't want to flag people simply because they gave a response that doesn't make sense

to us personally. You may find increased success looking for patterns of inconsistency throughout individual replies in an effort to find poor responses.

### Qualitative research: issues and approaches

Qualitative research has its challenges as well, most notably in lazy recruiting, online qualitative respondents who misrepresent who or where they are and professional/posing respondents for inperson qualitative research.

Lazy recruiters. Recruiters who are focused primarily on filling their recruitment quotas and not on the quality of participants can have an extremely negative impact on the validity of collected data. Employ some key processes to maintain response integrity, such as: utilize articulation questions; establish relevancy to the topic; be aware of respondents who already know each other.

Having an impossible recruit be magically filled the last day, multiple respondents who work in the same industry, respondents who know each other and/or respondents who aren't articulate are often good indicators of lazy recruiters and should raise a red flag. For example, having six hairdressers or five medical technicians in one group – when you aren't specifically recruiting respondents who all work in the same industry – typically indicates the recruiter was recruiting from a list.

#### Professional respondents.

Professional respondents can be especially tricky in qualitative research since they know how to fly under the radar, disguise their frequency of participation and provide intentionally vague or brief answers. As researchers, we must employ as many tactics as possible to stay a step ahead. Several solutions help identify and/or discourage these participants:

- Work closely with recruiters to highlight your concerns.
- Limit past participation and ensure the recruiters you work with scrub their lists.
- Compare profiles and personal information.
- Consider "virgin" respondents who've never participated in research before.
- Be open to tier-two facilities they can provide an attractive solution for in-person qualitative research as less respondents may know how to "play

the game."

- Request respondents bring in their qualifying product to show they are true users.
- Only pay on-time respondents and encourage respondents to arrive early by offering an early-bird drawing for anyone who arrives at least 15 minutes before the group is scheduled to start. This time with the respondents before the group starts can be used to rescreen and confirm consistent responses.

Posers. These respondents tend to be yes-people, claiming to have purchased or used every product, participated in every activity, etc. During the screening process, opt for open-ended brand usage questions whenever possible as a deterrent. When not possible (in fragmented categories, for example), have them describe the package, product, etc. Build in traps like fake brands to highlight the posers and, when possible, request photos of their pantry, liquor cabinet, car, etc., instead of asking what brands they've bought or used. This may be invaluable to eliminate posers from your group.

With online studies, require respondents to upload videos to verify they are

who they say they are. It is a good idea to incorporate this "get to know me" video activity as Day I of an ethnographic online effort – this affords you plenty of time for replacements if they're not who you expected them to be. If the study is product- or brand-specific, ask them to include the product in their introduction video to ensure they are true users.

Passive respondents. In person, these respondents typically sit quietly in the group – they give short answers and often agree with another respondent instead of giving their own answer. If time permits, it is helpful to make an effort to talk with each respondent before the group. This can help identify the passive respondents early on to be excused. If they make it into the group, call on passive respondents and encourage them to share their opinions to improve results.

Online, passive respondents usually provide very brief answers and often don't upload images or videos. There are several tactics we can implement to aid in quality participants and/or their responses:

 Include at least one open-ended question to determine if they are willing to give a full sentence or not.

- Limit the number of respondents each moderator has so they can interact with each respondent on a daily basis – demonstrate someone is reading their responses.
- Communicate in their preferred manner, whether that be text or e-mail, to encourage better participation.
- Only pay for each completed activity (vs. total participation) to encourage respondents to complete every activity.

#### **Keep track of poor respondents**

As a last note on these quantitative and qualitative issues, I think it's imperative that we, as an industry, keep track of poor respondents. As the researcher, let the sample company know who gave a bad response. And as the sample company, keep track of poor responses so that you can remove people from your panel after repeat offenses. This will slowly help to weed out the cheaters and keep them from impacting future studies. This is an industry call to action and we must all hold each other responsible. ①

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- Researcher Leslie M. Harris died on Sept. 17 at the age of 92. Harris was managing partner of Mature Marketing & Research as well as the founder and chairman of focus group and strategic research center Focus on Boston.

- Branded Research Inc., San Diego, has appointed Matt Fratturelli as EVP, global sales and strategy.
- SIS International Research, headquartered in New York, has promoted **Cédric Marin** to director of operations in the EMEA, based in the London EMEA regional office.
- TRC Market Research, based in Philadelphia, has hired Philippe Pouliot as research manager.
- Stockholm-based software company Cint has made new appointments: **Richard Thornton**, current deputy CEO, will now take on the responsibility of chief operations officer and will move back to London; and Oscar **Carlsson** has been appointed to chief innovation officer and will relocate to San Francisco. The firm has also appointed two regional EVPs: Greg **Dunbar**, who will lead the company's EMEA presence; and James Rogers in APAC.
- Canada-based survey software firm Voxco has added John Rousay to its global sales team. Rousay will be responsible for expanding the firm's presence in the U.K. market as well as contributing to Voxco's



Rousay

■ SurveyUSA of Clifton, N.J., has promoted Ken Alper to chief operating officer and Mary Jane Jacketti to vice president of market research.

growth in North America.

■ Ipsos Connect, New York, has appointed Michael Baer as senior vice president, head of AMG. Baer will be in charge of leading the Ipsos Affluent

- Intelligence Group, which includes the Ipsos Affluent Survey.
- Reston, Va., firm comScore has appointed Joseph R. Rostock as chief information officer, a newly-created role, and Gregory Fink as executive vice president, finance.
- Research firm Smarty Pants, New York, has added Jennifer Dixon as a business analyst.
- MFour Mobile Research, Irvine, Calif., has hired **Tracy Visconti** as a research manager for client solutions and James Cook as system administrator. In addition, Andreas Sautter has joined as director of client services.
- The QRCA, St. Paul, Minn., has elected two new members to its board of directors for the 2017-18 term: Caroline Volpe as secretary; and Isabel Aneyba as director.
- Durham, N.C., research firm W5 has hired Robin **Morey** as practice consultant.
- Reston. Va.. firm comScore has agreed to appoint new independent directors to its

the company.



Morey

board as part of a settlement agreement with Starboard Value LP, one of its shareholders. The new independent directors, who were proposed by Starboard and approved by the com-Score board, will be Wesley Nichols, Paul Reilly and Bryan Wiener. Another new independent director to be proposed by Starboard will be named at a later date. Pursuant to the agreement, Starboard has agreed to dismiss its current litigation against



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- Tempe, Ariz., advertising agency Zion & Zion has added Fred Petrovsky as vice president of marketing. Petrovsky will collaborate with the agency's in-house marketing research and marketing science teams to produce industry research.
- Thomas King has been promoted to the new position of senior vice president of data and analytics at Costa Mesa, Calif., researcher J.D. Power.
- **Devin DaRif** has joined Bayard Advertising Agency Inc., New York, as vice president employer branding insights.
- MarketVision Research, Cincinnati, has promoted the following team members to research associate: Adina Gegprifti, Morgan Beagle, Laurie Sites and Tayler Fisher.
- Toronto-based researcher Delvinia has added Suzanne Costa as executive director of its AskingCanadians online data collection business. Delvinia has also added



Costa

nine staff members to support its AskingCanadians and Methodify businesses in recent weeks.

- Reimagine Holdings Group, a New Canaan, Conn., holding company focused on consumer insights and marketing services businesses, has appointed **Dan Fitzgerald** as managing partner.
- Measurement company Verto

  Analytics, San Francisco, has appointed

  Liz Musch to its board of directors.
- Ken Yanhs has joined research

technology company ZappiStore, Boston, as executive vice president of marketing.

- The Mobile Marketing Association,
  New York, has appointed seven new
  members to its global board of directors: Suzy Deering, CMO, eBay; Matt
  Derella, global VP, Twitter Client
  Solutions, Twitter; Ayesha Gilarde,
  CMO, Match Group; David Godsman,
  chief digital marketing officer, The
  Coca-Cola Company; Rebecca Messina,
  CMO, Beam Suntory; Tony Rogers, CMO,
  Walmart; and Wanda Young, SVP of
  marketing and consumer engagement,
  ESPN.
- Germany-based research firm Fraunhofer-Gesellschaft has appointed Janis Eitner has head of its communications department.
- Researcher
  Kelton Global has
  appointed Mark
  Micheli as senior
  director of design
  research and product strategy. He is
  based in the firm's
  Chicago office.



Micheli

- Seattle-based researcher Discuss.io has appointed Dawn Re as account manager, Beth Winter as account executive and Ashley Wali as technical program director. Additionally, Senior Account Manager Zuzka Žilková has transferred to the London office.
- Artificial intelligence technology company Quantcast, San Francisco, has appointed **Steven Wolfe Pereira** as chief marketing and communications officer.
- White Plains, N.Y., retail merchandising and marketing services company SPAR Group has appointed **John**

**Dilts** as vice president of business development.

- Mike Nazzaro, CEO of Ithaca, N.Y.based researcher Claritas, has joined the Data & Marketing Association board of directors.
- Tempe, Ariz., advertising agency Zion & Zion has appointed Arizona State University Professor Thomas Hollmann to lead its marketing science team.
- Vivian Earons has joined Doyle Research, Chicago, as assistant project manager.
- Seattle-based digital marketing agency Shaw + Scott has added the following to its leadership team: Lynn Baus as vice president of digital experience; Lin Wang as vice president of strategy and analytics; and Kim Reedy as vice president of account management.
- Susan Sabanos has joined Roswell, Ga., firm MMR Research Associates as VP client relationships.
- Columbia, Md., marketing agency Merkle has appointed **Craig Dempster** as president of Merkle Americas.
- In London, research firm Crowd DNA has added Sabrina Qureshi as online communities director and Sarah Griffiths as a consultant in the business and strategy team. The company has also added Isabelle Kåge to its New York office and Tom Eccles will move from the London headquarters to the New York office.
- Finbarr O'Neill, president and CEO of Costa Mesa, Calif., researcher J.D. Power, has announced his intention to retire, effective March 2018. The company has started a search for a successor and O'Neill will remain

with the company during the transition process. After the transition, O'Neill will act as a senior advisor to the company.

- London-based agency IFF Research has appointed **Georgina Clarke** to its financial services team.
- Research and analytics firm GBH Insights, New York, has appointed **Daniel Ives** as chief strategy officer.
- Crimson Hexagon, a Boston-based consumer insights firm, has expanded its executive team with the following appointments: Lou Jordano as chief marketing officer and senior vice president; Bud McGann as chief revenue officer and senior vice president of global sales; and Dana Miller as chief customer officer, in addition to her current role of senior vice president of client services.
- Charles Trevail, current CEO of customer agency C Space, will become CEO of the Interbrand Group, a New Yorkbased brand agency. Trevail succeeds Jez Frampton, who is retiring at the end of 2017. C Space will also become part of the Interbrand Group.
- HfS Research, based in the U.K., has hired the following: Elena Christopher as vice president, industry research; John O'Brien as research director, robotic process automation customer experiences; Saurabh Gupta as chief strategy officer; Suvradeep Bhattacharjee as research director, market insight and data solutions; and Ollie O'Donoghue as senior analyst, IT services research.
- Waltham, Mass., research and consulting firm Applied Marketing Science has announced that Harry Lawless, professor emeritus in food science at Cornell University, has affiliated with

the firm's litigation support practice.

- Columbia, Md., marketing agency Merkle has appointed Anne-Marie Schaffer to general manager of its travel, media and entertainment practice.
- Alex Quillin has joined research firm Smarty Pants as an insights prodigy. Quillin will be based in Tennessee and will be leading the company's expansion to Greenville, S.C., in the coming months.
- Reston, Va., firm comScore has appointed Michelle McKenna-Doyle, senior vice president, chief information officer at the NFL, to its board as an independent director. Additionally, Gregory Fink, executive vice president, finance, has been appointed as chief financial officer and treasurer.
- New York-based brand intimacy agency MBLM has promoted **David Clover** to associate partner in Dubai, UAE, and **Demetri Mihalakakos** to associate partner in Toronto.
- Oslo, Norway-based research technology firm Confirmit has appointed Halvor Stokke as chief financial officer, following former CFO Ken Østreng's move to president and CEO earlier this year.
- IFF Research, London, has appointed Claire Johnson and Aoife Ni Luanaigh to its learning and skills team.
- Berlin-based research agency Eye Square has hired **Jeff Bander** as chief revenue officer. Bander will open the firm's first U.S.-based office in New York City and introduce its services to the American market.
- Eileen Campbell has joined the

- advisory board of Reimagine Holdings Group, a New Canaan, Conn., holding company focused on consumer insights and marketing services companies.
- Chicago-based research consultancy InsightsNow has added **Kristin Luck** to its board of directors.
- In London, audience platform Lucid has added Milan Kaster as business development manager to work with sample buyers and sellers in the DACH (Germany, Austria, Switzerland) region. Lucid has also recently hired Nina Bajon, senior account development manager, and Jamal Mehmood, client success manager, to its EMEA team.
- Reston, Va., firm comScore has announced that **Gian Fulgoni**, cofounder and CEO, intends to retire on Jan. 31, 2018. Following his retirement, Fulgoni will take on an advisory chairman emeritus role and will provide advisory services through Jan. 31, 2019.
- Newton, Mass., software firm MarketSight has appointed the following: Andrew Lazar as software development manager; Nick Kwan as customer success specialist; and Mike Lanza as inside sales representative.
- Alpharetta, Ga., firm P2Sample has hired **JD Deitch** as chief revenue officer.
- Pennington, N.J., firm Cambiar Consulting has appointed **David**Rosenblatt as head of its research and business operations practice.
- Branded Research Inc., San Diego, has appointed **Ian Roberts** as head of sales EMEA.



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# Research Industry News

#### **News notes**

- CIRQ, a subsidiary of the Insights Association, has awarded certification to New Orleans-based research firm The Olinger Group for compliance to the ISO 27001 Standard. ISO 27001 provides a framework for companies to manage data security and establishes requirements for information controls to manage people, processes and technology.
- CIRQ, a subsidiary of the Insights Association, has awarded certification to Auburn Hills, Mich., research company **Gongos Inc.** for compliance to the ISO 27001 Standard, which provides a framework for companies to manage data security.

#### **Acquisitions/transactions**

- Fort Washington, Pa., firm M3 Global Research, part of the M3 Group, has acquired Gothenburg, Sweden, data collection company QQFS (Qualitative & Quantitative Fieldwork Services). QQFS, which will continue under the same name, is now a wholly owned subsidiary of the M3 Group.
- Canada-based software solutions firm **Enghouse Systems Limited** has broadened its contact center portfolio by acquiring San Francisco-based survey technology company **Survox Inc.**
- quirks.com/articles/2017/20171214.aspx

- Nielsen, New York, has agreed to acquire marketing intelligence software firm Visual IQ. Nielsen will acquire Visual IQ's MTA software platform, along with the underpinning data, technology and intellectual property.
- West Des Moines, Iowa, corporate engagement firm **ITA Group** has acquired Boston-based research and strategy firm **Chadwick Martin Bailey**.
- U.K. animal health and agriculture research firm **Kynetec** has completed the acquisition of **Market Probe Agriculture** and **Animal Health and Market Probe Europe**. The acquisition will add around 40 professionals to Kynetec's team and will provide the company with operations in Belgium.
- Plano, Texas, firm Research Now and Shelton, Conn., researcher Survey Sampling International (SSI) have signed a merger agreement. The combined company will be privately held, with Court Square Capital Partners and HGGC, current majority owners of Research Now and SSI respectively, remaining as majority owners of the combined business. The merger transaction is expected to close by the end of the year. Financial terms of the deal were not disclosed.
- Winston-Salem, N.C., technology and data science firm **Inmar** has acquired Detroit-based marketing analytics company **reach** | **influence**.

#### Alliances/strategic partnerships

■ Boston-based market intelligence firm **InCrowd** has formed a partnership with **Physician Moms Group**, a community of female doctors across all specialties. The partnership gives female physicians added influence and representation in market research and more say in how decisions are made in the health care industry.

- IBM, Armonk, N.Y., has formed a new agreement with drugstore chain Walgreens to deploy IBM retail analytics at over 8,100 locations to help improve the efficiency of field service support.
- Stamford, Conn., research technology firm FocusVision has partnered with consumer goods company Procter & Gamble to provide software and support for its market research teams. FocusVision will support Procter & Gamble's consumer and employee panels, integrating research from participants across all 10 product divisions. Procter & Gamble will use FocusVision's survey platform Decipher and its panel management software Kinesis.
- Los Angeles-based research platform Fuel Cycle and SurveyGizmo, Boulder, Colo., have formed a partnership to integrate SurveyGizmo's solution into Fuel Cycle's customer insights platform, giving Fuel Cycle clients more survey options.
- Provo, Utah, research software firm **Qualtrics** and Indianapolisbased professional services firm **Walker** have formed a partnership to provide experience management solutions and services to businesses. Walker will act as a systems integrator for the Qualtrics Experience Management Platform and provide consulting guidance, end-to-end platform implementation and a managed services model to companies seeking experience management solutions.
- U.K. firm **Circle Research** has collaborated with marketing and communications agency **Radley Yeldar**. The two firms interviewed 10 companies featured in Radley Yeldar's 2016 Fit for Purpose Index to find out what role purpose plays in the B2B business sector.
- Stockholm-based software company **Cint** has formed a partnership with data commercialization company

**Narrative I/0**. The partnership will allow buyers in Narrative's marketplace to purchase Cint's first-person data.

- Atlanta-based health care technology company **Pursuant Health** has partnered with Alpharetta, Ga., researcher **P2Sample** to provide insights for pharmaceutical, CPG and shopperoriented marketers, with targeting by geographic location, real-time biometric measurements, demographic and behavioral data.
- The National Retail Federation, Washington, D.C., and Ascential PLC, parent company of the World Retail Congress, have formed a global partnership.
- In Sydney, Research Now and RDA Research have formed a partnership, allowing clients in Australia and New Zealand to connect data across the marketing lifecycle. RDA Research's geoTribes solution targets research participants based on 15 named audience segments that use age, life stage and socioeconomic status to reflect elements of the population at a certain lifecycle stage. Matching RDA's segmentation data with Research Now's data from opted-in panel members will allow Research Now to provide survey-based research insights.
- In Beijing, e-commerce company JD.com and Internet services firm Tencent have expanded their partnership and have launched the JD-Tencent Retail Marketing Solution, which integrates insights on consumer behavior from Tencent's social platforms with online and offline shopping data from JD and its brand partners.
- Stockholm-based software company Cint has partnered with Miami Beach, Fla., firm eCGlobal Research Solutions to expand its reach into Latin America. Through the partnership, Cint's insights exchange will

gain additional respondents in Latin America, as well as the addition of eC-Global's Hispanic audience in the U.S. ECGlobal will use Cint's technology to automate its recruitment and digital research fielding.

■ In London, audience platform **Lucid** and panel management platform **Ingress** have formed a partnership, increasing sample supply and access across Europe. Ingress will be integrated into Lucid's programmatic marketplace, providing access for sample suppliers looking to expand throughout the European market and beyond.

#### Association/organization news

- The QRCA, St. Paul, Minn., has created NewQ, a membership category for new professionals in the field of qualitative research, specifically those who have been practicing qualitative research for less than five years. The NewQ membership will cost \$175 per year.
- The Insights Association and MRIA have penned an open letter to Craig Federighi, senior VP of software engineering at Apple, about Apple's newest Safari browser update. According to the associations, the new intelligent tracking prevention system in Safari poses a problem for online research and analytics, including consent-based online audience measurement and user experience research.

#### Awards/rankings

- Rob Ramirez, executive vice president of strategic development for Iselin, N.J., researcher Schlesinger Associates, was named a finalist in the Constellation SuperNova Awards. The awards recognize leaders and teams for their application of disruptive technology in business.
- Research firm **Clearworks** announced the 2017 Clearworks Student

Innovators, who each received full sponsorship to attend TMRE in October. The students are **Alex Kass**, **Paul H. Park** and **Sneha Venkatraman**.

- Steve Murphy, CIO of Boca Raton, Fla., mobile marketing firm 3Cinteractive, has been selected as a CIO Award finalist for the 2017 Technology Awards.
- The first annual MRX Diversity Champion Award was presented to **Denene Jonielle Rodney**, founder of research firm **Zebra Strategies**, at TMRE in October. The award was created by nonprofit organization Women in Research in collaboration with TMRE.

#### New accounts/projects

■ U.K.-based DJS Research has won a two-year contract for the Consumer Council for Water's 2017-18 and 2018-19 Water Matters survey, which will help understand customer views of water and sewerage services and how they change over time.

### New companies/new divisions/relocations/expansions

- Germany-based agricultural research firm **Kleffmann Group** has restructured its consulting division amisAgriGlobe. The developing team will be managed by Bob Fairclough as director and team leader. Two new sub-teams have also been created: the analytical team, led by Puran Mal; and the team of excellence, led by Fairclough.
- Virginia Beach, Va., research company Issues and Answers
  Network plans to open a call center in Fayetteville, N.C., which the company plans to eventually grow into 300 to 500 permanent part-time jobs.
- Research firm Survey Healthcare

(SHC) has announced a 46 percent increase in its production staff, based out of its Pocatello, Idaho, and London operations. The company has also announced rebranding initiatives to more accurately represent its service offerings. Formerly SHC Universal, the company has formally dropped "Universal" from its corporate identity to reduce marketplace confusion and since the former CATI center business has been divested. The company also has a new logo.

■ In Chicago, researcher **Verve** has expanded into North America, providing its full-service, quant and qual, online and offline proposition. Leading the expansion is Marie Patenio, who was recently promoted to SVP, research and consulting. Also joining the business are Marlene Kohn as VP business devel-

opment and Kristin Render as senior research manager. Bogdan Bucur, director of operations in London, will also join the Verve Chicago team.

- Researcher John Gilfeather has announced that he is re-opening his Stamford, Conn., research consultancy John Gilfeather & Associates. Gilfeather put the practice on hold six years ago to join Koski Research.
- Kantar Media, London, and software firm TechEdge have created a dedicated audience analytics software unit, led by Andreas Velter. The new unit will focus on innovation, driving new product developments for the media industry and supporting existing applications.
- U.K. research firm **Join the Dots** will be opening an office in New York,

its second international opening following the launch in Singapore last year. The U.S. operations will be headed up by Jeff Haselum, who has been promoted to head of U.S. research.

- U.K.-based consultancy **DJS**Research has opened an office in
  Leeds. Simon Driver, recently appointed
  as research director, will head up the
  research department in Leeds and Matt
  Coulling, operations director, will oversee operations.
- Kantar Worldpanel, based in London, has launched a household panel in the United Arab Emirates, covering Abu Dhabi, Dubai, Sharjah and Ajman.



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# CALENDAR OF EVENTS

••• can't-miss activities

KNect365 (IIR) will hold The Market Research Event MENA on December 11-12 at the Address Dubai Marina in Dubai, UAE. Visit bit. ly/2ylV6Gf.

American Economic
Association will hold its
Annual Meeting on January
5-7 in Philadelphia. Visit
www.aeaweb.org/conference.

MREF will be taking a vision trip to Haiti to visit the Joseph School on January 18-21. Visit mrgivesback.org.

Insights Association will hold the 2018 CEO Summit on January 22-24 in South Beach, Fla. Visit bit. ly/2yiB4dS.

**IQPC** will hold the Customer Insight and Analytics Exchange event on **January 24-25** in **London**. Visit bit.ly/2gb19DP.

QRCA will hold its 2018
Annual Conference on January
24-26 at the Phoenix Marriott
Tempe at The Buttes in
Phoenix. Visit www.qrca.org.

Quirk's will hold its 2018 Quirk's Event - West on January 30 - 31 at Hotel Irvine in Irvine, Calif. Visit www.thequirksevent.com.

**KNect365 (IIR)** will hold The Media Insights and Engagement Conference on February 6-8 at the Miami Beach Resort and Spa in Miami Beach, Fla. Visit bit.ly/2eyPzmx.

Merlien Institute will hold its Qual360 Europe event on February 7-8 in Berlin. Visit eu.qual360.com.

The 2018 Pharma Market Research Conference USA event will be held on February 14-15 in Newark, N.J. Visit bit.ly/1Sh6Yhi.

African Market Research Association will hold the Africa Forum 2018 event on February 22-23 in Nairobi, Kenya. Visit africanmra.org/ AMRAWeb.

AMA will hold its 2018 Winter Academic Conference on February 23-25 at the Sheraton New Orleans in New Orleans. Visit www.ama.org.

Quirk's will hold its 2018 Quirk's Event - East on February 27-28 at the Marriott Brooklyn Bridge in Brooklyn, N.Y. Visit www. thequirksevent.com.

The 2018 Pharma CI
European Conference and
Exhibition will be held on
February 27-28 in Lisbon,
Portugal. Visit bit.ly/2xSy2N7.

NMSBA will hold the Neuromarketing World Forum on March 7-9 in Singapore. Visit bit.ly/P3Zi3Q.

Merlien Institute will hold its Qual360 North America event on March 14-15 in Washington, D.C. Visit na.qual360.com. ARF will hold its CREATIVEXSCIENCE 2018 event on March 27-28 in New York. Visit bit.ly/2g99He3.

KNect365 (IIR) will hold its FUSE 2018 event on April 9-11 at the Dream Hotel Downtown in New York. Visit bit.ly/2vpiqRB.

UTA MSMR Alumni Association will hold their annual insights conference for the industry on April 12 in Arlington, Texas. Visit msmralumni.org.

**ESOMAR** will hold its Latin America 2018 event on **April 15-17** in **Buenos Aires, Argentina.** Visit www.esomar.org.

Merlien Institute will hold its MRMW North America event on April 24-25 in Cincinnati. Visit na.mrmw.net.

**PAA** will hold its 2018 Annual Meeting on **April 26-28** at the Sheraton Denver Downtown in **Denver**. Visit bit.ly/2xgZ131.

Insights Association will hold its NEXT 2018 conference on April 30 - May 1 in New York. Visit bit.ly/2kK4lLk.

**ESOMAR** will hold its Asia Pacific 2018 event on May 13-15 in Bangkok. Visit www.esomar.org.

ASA will hold its Symposium on Data Science and Statistics on May 16-19 at the Hyatt Regency Reston in Reston, Va. Visit bit.ly/2g8o1TW. AQR and QRCA will hold the 2018 Worldwide Conference on Qualitative Research on May 16-18 in Valencia, Spain. Visit www.qrca.org.

LIMRA will hold The Marketing Conference on May 30 -June 1 at the Hyatt Regency Baltimore in Baltimore. Visit www.limra.com.

NMSBA will hold its Shopper Brain Conference - USA event on June 7-8 in New York. Visit bit.ly/2gGCVAZ.

EphMRA will hold its 2018 Conference on June 26-28 at the Congress Centre in Basel, Switzerland. Visit www.ephmra.org.

NMSBA will hold its Shopper Brain Conference - South America event on August 30-31 in Rio de Janeiro. Visit bit.ly/2j3FGR1.

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# Questions you should ask when selecting a focus group facility

# **Facility specs**

How many total rooms in the facility? What size are the focus and viewing rooms (dimensions and seating)? Does the viewing room have a one-way mirror? What type of facility are you in (freestanding, office building, etc.)? Where can I find photos of the facility?

You can't underestimate the importance of the physical facility on the psyche of clients and respondents. Look for spacious, comfortable focus group suites in modern buildings that clients and respondents will feel good going to and being in for long periods. Conversely, beware of overbuilt facilities that charge premium prices for high-end decorative devices that don't necessarily equate to comfort.

# Technical and logistical support

How many workstations are available to clients, and are they easily accessible? What type of cell reception do you have in the facility? Is there on-site IT and audio/visual support? What are the recording (stationary or with operator) and delivery (i.e., DVD, jump drive, secure online viewing, etc.) options? Can you handle large/difficult/short-turnaround studies? Do you maintain niche audiences? What experience do you have with X type of recruit?

Even if a facility hasn't done your exact recruit, good



facilities will be honest about their recruiting availability/capacity and help find a way to get it done. Many facilities have sister offices that can help with specialized needs. Look for a facility that will assist you with all aspects of setup and support to help expand your repertoire of research offerings.

# Valid and verified recruits

Do you use a computerized database tracking system? How - and how often - do you refresh your database? What percentage of respondents are validated? What type of quality-control measures do you have in place to ensure top-quality recruiting?

Many facilities don't have a computerized database tracking system and therefore cannot accurately track participation, which can lead to cheaters, repeaters and professional respondents. A facility should have safeguards in place to ward off undesirable respondents, including database tracking by name and phone number, mandatory photo ID check and proving guess-proof screener questions. Ideal validation processes include third-party appointment verification; confirmation letters sent within 24 hours (immediately if possible); at least 25 percent validation of respondents; on-site re-screening; a separate quality-control department; dual-level client duplication screen when polling the database; interval polling to ensure the same participants are not pulled on multiple lists for multiple projects; and database randomization (daily or weekly).

For a more complete list of questions you should ask, use the Web link accompanying this article.

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# Alabama

# Birmingham

#### Graham & Associates, Inc.

Birmingham, AL Ph. 205-443-5399 www.grahammktres.com Chris Martin, Project Manager Location: Office building Distance from airport: 15 miles, 20 minutes CL, CUL, 1/1, 1/10, TK, TKO, VC, WC Conference 30x25 20 15x20 12 Conference

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# Montgomery

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#### **Nolan Research**

23x15

Montgomery, AL Ph. 334-284-4164 www.nolanresearch.com Deidra Nolan, Principal Location: Free standing facility Distance from airport: 10 miles, 15 minutes CL, 1/1, TK

20x18

Conference

#### Alaska

## Anchorage

# Craciun Research Group, Inc.

Anchorage, AK Ph. 907-279-3982 www.craciunresearch.com Location: Office building Distance from airport: 4 miles, 10 minutes 1/1, 1/10

#### Hays Research Group LLC

Anchorage, AK Ph. 907-223-2406 www.haysresearch.com Location: Office building Distance from airport: 7 miles, 12 minutes CL, 1/1, 1/10, VC, WC 25x35 Multiple

# Arizona

#### **Phoenix**

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#### C&C Market Research - Phoenix Arizona Mills

5000 Arizona Mills Circle, Suite T546 Tempe, AZ 85282 Ph. 479-785-5637 corp@ccmarketresearch.com www.ccmarketresearch.com Location: Shopping mall Distance from airport: 60 miles, 60 minutes 1/1, 1/10 15x15 6 Conference (See advertisement on inside back cover)

#### C&C Market Research - Phoenix

Arrowhead Towne Center 7700 W. Arrowhead Towne Center, Suite 2246 Glendale, AZ 85308 Ph. 479-785-5637 corp@ccmarketresearch.com www.ccmarketresearch.com Craig Cunningham, President Location: Shopping mall Distance from airport: 15 miles, 25 minutes 1/1, 1/10, TK 12x12 Conference (See advertisement on inside back cover)

#### C&C Market Research - Phoenix

Desert Sky Mall 7611 W. Thomas Road, Suite 118/G16 Phoenix, AZ 85033 Ph. 479-785-5637 corp@ccmarketresearch.com www.ccmarketresearch.com Craig Cunningham, President Location: Shopping mall Distance from airport: 20 miles, 30 minutes ΤK 5x7 Conference (See advertisement on inside back cover)



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Clay Turner, President Location: Office building

Distance from airport: 5 miles, 10 minutes

CL, CUL, 1/1, 1/10, WC

19x23 14 Conference 22x24 20 Conference Conference 22x25 15 23x25 28 Conference 11x16 10 Conference

Fieldwork Phoenix offers both the setting and service to make for an unforgettable research study. Located in the heart of a renowned resort area, we have five research suites with the ability to accommodate multiple set-ups and group sizes. Step outside to our balcony and enjoy the beautiful weather and gorgeous views of Phoenix. Our on-site recruiting team is the most experienced in the area and our client service staff is efficient and committed to service. Along with HD Recording options, we have immersive 360-degree video with streaming provided by FocusVision. With quick airport access, complete office efficiency and incomparable southwestern hospitality, we are ready to help you make your next study a memorable success.

(See advertisement on pp. 83, 99, back cover)

# Focus Pointe

#### DEEPER CONNECTIONS. DEEPER INSIGHTS.

Focus Pointe Global - Phoenix 1225 W. Washington, Suite 113 Tempe, AZ 85281 Ph. 602-914-1950 or 888-873-6287 phoenix@focuspointeglobal.com www.focuspointeglobal.com Shiela Mezulis, Facility Director Location: Office building Distance from airport: 7 miles, 5 minutes

CL, CUL, TK, VC, WC 21x20 14 Multiple

18x21 12 Multiple 21x17 18 Multiple

Focus Pointe Global sets the industry standard for qualitative/quantitative marketing research data collection services. 18 premier focus group facilities in major U.S. commercial centers. Services include: focus groups, taste tests, jury simulation, product placements, Webcam focus groups, online communities, qualitative/quantitative research. Locations: Appleton, Wis.; Atlanta; Atlanta-Buckhead; Bala Cynwyd, Pa.; Boston; Chicago; Chicago-Oakbrook; Columbus, Ohio; Dallas; Kansas City, Mo.; Los Angeles; Minneapolis; New York City; Philadelphia; Phoenix; St. Louis; San Francisco; Teaneck, N.J. (See advertisement on p. 3)

## O'Neil Associates, Inc.

Tempe, AZ Ph. 480-967-4441 www.oneilresearch.com Michael J. O'Neil, Ph.D., President Location: Free standing facility Distance from airport: 6 miles, 8 minutes 1/1, 1/10, TK Conference 18x24 15



#### Plaza Research-Phoenix

2575 E. Camelback Road, Suite 800 Phoenix, AZ 85016 Ph. 602-381-6900 or 800-654-8002 awessels@plazaresearch.com www.plazaresearch.com Allison Wessels, Director

Location: Office building Distance from airport: 10 minutes

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16x23

CL, CUL, 1/1, 1/10, TK, TKO, WC 15x20 15 Conference 14x19 10 Conference

The nation's premier network of focus group facilities! Plaza Research offers multi-city project coordination in 14 locations with an extensive nationwide database. One experienced project manager will be your sole contact for the duration of your project at any of our markets. Our focus group suites are designed with

Multiple

tiered seating, volume controls, private phone booths, simultaneous in-depth interview rooms and clientviewable test kitchens. We provide free high-speed Internet access in all client suites, conference rooms and lounges. Streamline is our in-house videostreaming option.

(See advertisement on p. 105)

#### Schlesinger Group Phoenix

2355 E. Camelback Road, Suite 800 Phoenix, AZ 85016 Ph. 602-366-1100 phoenix@SchlesingerGroup.com www.schlesingerassociates.com Garth Friedrich, VP - Qualitative Solutions Location: Office building Distance from airport: 5 miles, 10 minutes AU, CL, CUL, 1/1, 1/10, TK, VC, WC 15x20 12 Multiple 10 Multiple 24x17 Multiple 22x17 16 25x16 16 Multiple

# (See advertisement on inside front cover) Test America, a division of CRG Global

Paradise Valley Mall 4550 E. Cactus Road, Suite 32 Phoenix, AZ 85032 Ph. 866-209-2553 crgsales@crgglobalinc.com www.crgtestamerica.com Jennifer Schwartz, Director of Field Operations Location: Shopping mall Distance from airport: 16 miles, 19 minutes CL, CUL, 1/1, 1/10, PTL, TK, TKO, VC, WC 22x22 Conference



# WestGroup Research

3033 N. 44th St., Suite 150 Phoenix, AZ 85018 Ph. 602-707-0050 or 800-999-1200 cwatson@westgroupresearch.com www.westgroupresearch.com Carol Watson

Location: Free standing facility

Distance from airport: 5 miles, 10 minutes AU, CL, 1/1, 1/10, WC

20x17 12 Conference 20x17 15 Multiple Multiple 24x44 20

We offer exceptional focus suites with one megagroup room (24x45), convenient to Sky Harbor Airport, Scottsdale, AZ and surrounding cities. Our facility offers dedicated lounges with closed-circuit TV for viewing, client restrooms and wireless Internet

access. Stationary recordings are complimentary. Spanish language is a specialty and includes recruiting, on-site translator and hostesses. Our interviewing center has 50 stations, remote monitoring and bilingual interviewers. Benefit from our expertise in executing Web-based and multi-method studies. We are full-service with staff moderators.

#### Tucson

#### FMR Associates, Inc.

Tucson, AZ Ph. 520-886-5548 www.fmrassociates.com Location: Free standing facility Distance from airport: 13 miles, 25 minutes CL, 1/1, 1/10, TK 13x15 15 Multiple

#### Opinions, Ltd. - Tucson

Tucson, AZ Ph. 440-893-0300 www.opinionsltd.com Chris Sluder, Vice President Location: Shopping mall Distance from airport: 11 miles, 19 minutes 1/1, TK, VC, WC 20x10 8 Conference

# Arkansas

#### Fort Smith

#### C&C Market Research - Northwest Arkansas

Northwest Arkansas Mall 4201 N. Shiloh Drive, Suite 1820 Fayetteville, AR 72703 Ph. 479-785-5637 corp@ccmarketresearch.com www.ccmarketresearch.com Craig Cunninghman, President Location: Shopping mall Distance from airport: 20 miles, 30 minutes CL, 1/1, 1/10, TK, TK0 20x15 6 Conference (See advertisement on inside back cover)

# C&C Market Research, Inc.

1200 S. Waldron Road, Suite 207 Fort Smith, AR 72903 Ph. 479-785-5637 corp@ccmarketresearch.com www.ccmarketresearch.com Cindy Cunningham, Vice President Location: Free standing facility Distance from airport: 5 miles, 10 minutes CL, 1/1, TK, TKO, VC, WC Conference 16x20 12 (See advertisement on inside back cover)

#### Little Rock

#### Field Management Specialists

Little Rock, AR Ph. 501-666-2281 or 501-666-9466 www.fieldmanagementspecialists.com Anne Smith, Owner Location: Office building Distance from airport: 12 miles, 20 minutes CL, 1/1 20x24 12 Conference

# ShareView Research

Little Rock, AR Ph. 501-225-9959 or 501-666-2281 www.shareviewresearch.com Anne Smith Location: Office building Distance from airport: 15 miles, 20 minutes CL, 1/1, 1/10, TK, WC 17x17 13 Multiple 17x14 5 Multiple

# California

# Bakersfield

Datta Research (Br.)

Bakersfield, CA Ph. 661-872-6622 www.dattaresearch.com Arvind Datta, Owner Location: Shopping mall

Distance from airport: 5 miles, 15 minutes

CL, 1/1, 1/10

12x25 Conference

#### Fresno

#### AIS Market Research, Inc.

Fresno, CA Ph. 800-627-8334 or 559-252-2727 www.aismarketres.com Alison Weikle, Business Development Location: Office building Distance from airport: 4 miles, 5 minutes 1/1, TK 25x25 Conference

#### Nichols Research - Fresno/Central California

Fresno, CA Ph. 559-226-3100 www.nicholsresearch.com Jennifer Dawson, Senior Director of Marketing Research Location: Office building Distance from airport: 6 miles, 10 minutes 1/1, 1/10, TK, VC, WC 19x21 15 Conference

# Los Angeles (See also Orange County)



#### Adler Weiner Research Los Angeles, Inc.

10960 Wilshire Blvd., Suite 1250 Los Angeles, CA 90024 Ph. 310-440-2330 info@awrla.com www.adlerweiner.com Michael Willens, Managing Director Location: Office building Distance from airport: 11 miles, 20 minutes CL, CUL, 1/1, WC Conference 14x15 10 18x18 15 Conference 18x18 15 Conference 16x20 15 Conference

Adler Weiner Research Los Angeles is located in the heart of diverse and historic Westwood, near the University of California at Los Angeles. This pristine qualitative center has four large conference rooms with client viewing, client lounges with stunning views of Los Angeles and the foothills, a fully equipped prep and service kitchen, and state-of-theart audio and visual components such as digital audio and video recording HD video and wall mounted LCD televisions. We also offer the FV 360 camera. There is also a fifth room, a non-viewed IDI space, ideal for a small breakout interview or as a supplementary room for a second moderator. Two of our focus group rooms open into a singular spacious, double-viewed focus room perfect for mock-juries, classroom, and theaterstyle studies. With a keen attention to detail and a goal to deliver only the finest work, Los Angeles Adler Weiner will inspire return visits.

Location: Office building, Freestanding building, Shopping mall

CL - Client Lounge **CUL-Computer Usability Lab** 1/1 - One-on-One Room PUL-Product Usability Lab 1/10R - One-on-One Obs. VC - Videoconferencina TK - Test Kitchen WC - Webconferencing TKO - Test Kitchen Obs. AU - Auditorium

Conference - Conference-Style Room Living - Living Room-Style Room Multiple - Both Styles

Room dimensions, when stated, are shown in feet.

## AIM/LA

Los Angeles, CA Ph. 310-943-4070 www.aimresearchnetwork.com Susan Ludwig, Manager Location: Office building Distance from airport: 10 miles, 15 minutes CL, 1/1, 1/10, VC, WC

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#### AIM/LA (Br.)

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Long Beach, CA Ph. 562-981-2700 www.aimresearchnetwork.com Cindi Reyes, Manager Location: Office building Distance from airport: 15 miles, 25 minutes CL, 1/1, 1/10, TK, TKO, VC 20x28 20 Conference 22x14 12 Conference

Conference

#### Atkins Research Global, Inc.

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Los Angeles, CA Ph. 323-933-3816 www.atkinsresearchglobal.com Kim Atkins, Owner Location: Office building Distance from airport: 10 miles, 25 minutes CL, 1/1, 1/10, WC Multiple 32x20 25 15x29 10 Conference 18x17 20 Conference

# C&C Market Research - Los Angeles

Antelope Valley Mall 1233 Rancho Vista Blvd., Suite 505 Palmdale, CA 93551 Ph. 479-785-5637 corp@ccmarketresearch.com www.ccmarketresearch.com Craig Cunningham, President Location: Shopping mall Distance from airport: 60 miles, 40 minutes CL, CUL, 1/1, 1/10, TK 12x14 4 Conference (See advertisement on inside back cover)

#### Davis Research, LLC

Calabasas, CA Ph. 818-591-2408 www.davisresearch.com Bill Davis, Partner Location: Office building Distance from airport: 20 miles, 25 minutes CL, CUL, 1/1, 1/10, TK, WC 20x24 15 Multiple 14x20 Conference 10

#### Facts 'n Figures

Sherman Oaks, CA Ph. 818-986-6600 www.factsnfiguresinc.com Steve Escoe, Vice President Location: Office building Distance from airport: 15 miles, 20 minutes AU, CL, 1/1, 1/10, TK, VC, WC

18x20 Conference 13 18x20 14 Conference 26x29 19 Conference 11x14 Conference



#### Field Dynamics Marketing Research

16055 Ventura Boulevard, Suite 900 Encino, CA 91436 Ph. 818-783-2502 or 800-434-3537 field@fielddynamics.com www.fielddynamics.com

Location: Office building Distance from airport: 15 minutes CL, CUL, TK, TKO, WC

21 x 17 Multiple 22 x 24 20 Multiple

Global research firm specializing in low incidence audiences and unparalleled client service for 25 years by owner/operators Eileen and Tony Blass. You may call us a "Mom and Pop Shop," if by that you mean 24/7 responsiveness, ability to go above and beyond needs fulfillment to anticipating and delivering top tier service, expert recruiting in many languages and communities, and fast-turnaround deliverables for the toughest projects. Expertise includes taste tests, automotive clinics, ethnography and medical research. Our focus group suites are comfortable, agile and technologically advanced.



# Focus & Testing, An Insights Center Facility

5016 Parkway Calabasas, Suite 101 Calabasas, CA 91302 Ph. 818-347-7077 spence@focusandtesting.com www.focusandtesting.com Spence Bilkiss, President Location: Office building Distance from airport: 15 miles, 20 minutes

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CL, CUL, 1/1, 1/10, PTL, TK, VC, WC 35x24 15 Multiple Conference 22x20 15 22x20 15 Conference Conference

Built in 2010, this 12,500-sq.-ft. premier taste test and focus group facility is designed with your comfort and research needs in mind. With three large focus suites, a 1,250-sq.-ft. commercial test kitchen, residential kitchen, CLT room that seats up to 50 with dividers and three separate waiting areas to prohibit respondent mingling, this facility is plush, accommodating, contemporary and affordable. An extensive database representative of LA County allows for bilingual, B2B and medical and thorough follow-up reduces the risk of no-shows and helps deliver qualified respondents.

# Focus Pointe

Focus Pointe Global - Los Angeles

1417 Sixth St., Floor 2 Santa Monica, CA 90401

Ph. 310-260-8889 or 888-873-6287

la@focuspointeglobal.com www.focuspointeglobal.com

Bridgid Delgardio, VP Western Region US

Location: Office building

Distance from airport: 8 miles, 25 minutes

CL, CUL, 1/1, 1/10, TK, VC, WC 22x24 20 Multiple 20x22 20 Multiple 20x22 Multiple 20

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#### Health Care Testing, Inc.

Sherman Oaks, CA Ph. 818-986-6600 www.factsnfiguresinc.com Location: Office building CL. VC

18x20 13 Conference 18x20 Conference 14 26x29 19 Conference 11x14 Conference 6



# HOUSE of MARKETING RESEARCH

HMR

#### House of Marketing Research

2555 E. Colorado Blvd., Suite 205 Pasadena, CA 91107 Ph. 626-486-1400 amy@hmr-research.com www.hmr-research.com Amy Siadak, President Location: Office building Distance from airport: 20 miles, 30 minutes

CL, CUL, 1/1, VC, WC

20x20 30 Multiple 12.5x11.5 7 Conference

Where do you go when you're looking for a leading focus group facility in Los Angeles? House of Marketing Research is LA's premier focus group facilitv. Our multifarious database, recruiting staff and expert moderators bridge a wide range of "languages" to effectively communicate with your target market. From Cantonese to consumer products ... Hispanic to high-tech ... Mandarin to medical ... we talk your customer's language. HMR's superlative facility combines modern with comfort. We are your research partner not just a supplier. Begin your research at www.hmrresearch.com.

#### InterfaceAsia

Torrance, CA Ph. 310-212-7555 www.interfaceasia.com Location: Office building

34x34 25 Conference 20x20 25 Conference 12x12 15 Conference



#### Jackson Adept Research - Beverly Hills

345 N. Maple Drive, Suite 325 Beverly Hills, CA 90210 Ph. 310-279-4600

ALorinchak@adeptresearch.com www.adeptresearch.com

Angela Lorinchak, President Location: Office building

Distance from airport: 13 miles, 25 minutes

CL, 1/1, 1/10, TK, VC, WC

18x17 15 Conference 19x15 13 Conference Conference 22x21 25 21x14 13 Conference 21x16 13 Conference 22x21 13 Conference 19x16 13 Conference

Our six spacious suites a few blocks from Rodeo Drive with tiered seating ( for up to 25 clients) sets Jackson Adept apart in the Los Angeles market. Our Beverly Hills facility is a "star" and has been meticulously designed with comfort and flexibility in mind, accommodating every type of research project. With rooms able to seat up to 75, this facility has high speed internet, private parking, Instant Update and Instant Access" technology, and internal/external streaming. Our database of 200,000+ "Angelenos" reflects the city's unquieness and diversity offering clients local, regional and national reach.



#### Jackson Adept Research Encino/Los Angeles

16130 Ventura Blvd., Suite 200 Encino, CA 91436

Ph. 310-279-4600 or 818-325-3200 ALorinchak@adeptresearch.com

www.jacksonadept.com Angela Lorinchak, President

Location: Office building

Distance from airport: 11 miles, 20 minutes

CL, 1/1, 1/10, TK, VC, WC

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 Conference

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 Conference

 20x16
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 Conference

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 Conference

Jackson Adept's Encino facility, in the heart of the Valley, offers clients the same luxury and flexibility as our Beverly Hills facility with a more traditional feel. Four rooms, each with spacious viewing rooms capable of seating up to 20 clients, are equipped with Instant Update technology, high speed internet access, heavy electrical outlets, and rooms that can accommodate up to 50 people at once. Private hostess stations allow clients the access to their Assistant, while the central check-in area offers tight security and control over participants.

#### LA Research, Inc.

Chatsworth, CA Ph. 818-993-5500 www.laresearchinc.com Location: Office building

#### Latin Facts Research, Inc.

Panorama City, CA Ph. 818-891-6779 www.factsnfiguresinc.com

Location: Shopping mall

1/1, 1/10, TK

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 18x20
 14
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 26x29
 19
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 11x14
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#### Mondo Research

Los Angeles, CA Ph. 213-765-3302 www.mondoresearch.com Jeanne Talbot, Owner

Location: Free standing facility

Distance from airport: 15 miles, 20 minutes

CL, 1/1, 1/10, VC, WC

14 x 28 10 Multiple

#### Opinions, Ltd. - Los Angeles

Canoga Park, CA
Ph. 440-893-0300
www.opinionsltd.com
Chris Sluder, Vice President
Location: Shopping mall
Distance from airport: 12 miles, 20 minutes
1/1, 1/10, VC, WC
20x14
Conference



#### Plaza Research-Los Angeles

6053 W. Century Blvd., Suite 100
Los Angeles, CA 90045
Ph. 310-645-1700 or 800-654-8002
ahaley@plazaresearch.com
www.plazaresearch.com
Amy Haley, Director
Location: Office building
Distance from airport: 1 minutes
CL, CUL, 1/1, 1/10, TK, TKO, VC, WC
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#### Q-Insights

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Weinights
Sherman Oaks, CA
Ph. 818-988-5411
www.q-insights.com
Linda Giniewicz, Vice President
Location: Office building
Distance from airport: 20 miles, 40 minutes
CL, 1/1, 1/10, PTL, TK, VC
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20x16 12 Conference

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#### Schlesinger Group Los Angeles

10880 Wilshire Blvd.
Los Angeles, CA 90024
Ph. 310-295-3040
LA@SchlesingerGroup.com
www.schlesingerassociates.com
Scott Baker, Senior VP – Client Solutions

Location: Office building
Distance from airport: 11 miles, 15 minutes

AU, CL, CUL, 1/1, 1/10, TK, VC, WC

21x18 14 Multiple 20x19 14 Multiple 20x19 14 Multiple 20x19 14 Multiple 24x18 16 Multiple (See advertisement on inside front cover)

#### Test America, a division of CRG Global Westfield Santa Anita Mall

A00 S. Baldwin Ave., Suite 104-L Arcadia, CA 91007 Ph. 866-209-2553 crgsales@crgglobalinc.com www.crgglobalinc.com Jennier Schwartz, Director of Field Operations Location: Shopping mall

Distance from airport: 34 miles, 40 minutes CL, CUL, 1/1, 1/10, PTL, TK, TKO, VC, WC 27x22 8 Multiple

27x22 8 Multiple 13x17 6 Multiple



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#### Trotta Associates - A Focus Pointe Global Company

400 Corporate Pointe, Suite 855 Culver City, CA 90230 Ph. 310-306-6866 marina@trotta.net Donna Flynn Location: Office Building Distance from airport: 3 miles, 15 minutes AU, CL, CUL, 1/1, 1/10, PTL, TK, VC, WC 20 22x18 Multiple 20x18 20 Multiple 20x18 16 Conference Conference 20x18 16

Trotta Associates, now owned by Focus Pointe Global, has moved to a newly-built facility in the Silicon Beach area of LA, with top-notch technology and a modern look. Trotta/FPG knows what you need and delivers. Visit us in Culver City which is 10 minutes from LAX, or in Irvine which is 10 minutes from Orange County Airport – 1 hr. south of LAX. The FPG panel/Trotta regional panel provides diverse populations, from trendy Santa Monica and Beverly Hills to the beach cities to inner-city ethnic populations. Through the Focus Pointe Global network, Trotta clients will benefit from a 1.6 million national panel and a facility network of 19 locations across the US. (See advertisement on p. 3)

Location: Office building, Freestanding building, Shopping mall

CL - Client Lounge 1/1 - One-on-One Room 1/10R - One-on-One Obs. TK - Test Kitchen TKO - Test Kitchen Obs.

**CUL-Computer Usability Lab** PUL-Product Usability Lab VC - Videoconferencing WC - Webconferencing AU - Auditorium

Conference - Conference-Style Room Living - Living Room-Style Room Multiple - Both Styles

Room dimensions, when stated, are shown in feet.

# Orange County (See also Los Angeles)



#### Adler Weiner Research Orange County, Inc.

3121 Michelson Drive, Suite 100 Irvine, CA 92612 Ph. 949-870-4200 info.oc@adlerweiner.com www.adlerweiner.com Kristen Verdoia, Facility Director Location: Office building Distance from airport: 2 miles, 10 minutes CL, CUL, 1/1, 1/10, WC

17x19 Multiple 15 17x21 15 Multiple 17x21 15 Multiple 17x15 10 Multiple

Adler Weiner Research Orange County is located in Irvine, California, right off of the 405 Freeway and less than five minutes from the John Wayne / Santa Ana Airport and University of California at Irvine. This tranquil and spa-like facility has four beautiful conference rooms with client viewing, remote viewing ability in client lounges with available work stations, and a stunning fully-equipped prep and service kitchen in a modern home design. Two of our focus group rooms open into a singular spacious, doubleviewed focus room perfect for mock-juries, classroom and theater-style studies. Premier audio visual abilities are available: digital audio and video recording, HD video and wall mounted LCD televisions and an inhouse streaming service. We also offer FV360camera. Orange County's service excellence combined with recruit and project management support from the Los Angeles office, means close, unique attention to every project detail enabling achievement of goals and project success.

#### Ask Southern California, Inc.

Garden Grove, CA Ph. 714-750-7566 or 800-644-4ASK www.asksocal.com Jennifer Kerstner, President Location: Free standing facility Distance from airport: 9 miles, 20 minutes CL, 1/1, 1/10, TK 26x26 Conference

## The Business Expo Center

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Anaheim, CA Ph. 714-978-9000 or 714-922-4702 www.businessexpocenter.com Wendy Tran, Events Coordinator Location: Free standing facility Distance from airport: 12 miles, 15 minutes AU, CL, 1/1, 1/10, VC, WC Conference 112x108 1500 112x41 500 Conference 60x41 260 Conference



Fieldwork L.A. - Orange County

2030 Main St., Suite 300 Irvine, CA 92614 Ph. 949-252-8180 info@losangeles.fieldwork.com www.fieldwork.com

Kami Celano, President Location: Office building

Distance from airport: 1 miles, 5 minutes

CL, CUL, 1/1, 1/10, TK, WC

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Fieldwork OC is located in Irvine, California, just 5 minutes from the Orange County Airport. After a long day of research, you have quick access to fine restaurants, shopping, the beach and Disneyland. Commitment to quality is our number one priority. Our recently remodeled facility offers five spacious research suites ready for set up in any configuration. Large viewing rooms have comfortable tiered seating with attached lounges. We offer HD recording options and immersive 360-degree video with streaming provided by FocusVision. Come to Fieldwork OC for stellar on-site recruiting, our warm hospitality, and stay to enjoy sunny Southern California.

(See advertisement on pp. 83, 99, back cover)

#### Jury Impact Orange County

Costa Mesa, CA Ph. 714-754-1010 or 888-858-5879 www.juryimpact.net Location: Office building Distance from airport: 5 miles, 15 minutes CL, 1/1, 1/10, VC, WC 20x16 Conference

# P&K Research (Br.)

Santa Ana, CA Ph. 714-543-0888 or 800-747-5522 www.pk-research.com Location: Free standing facility Distance from airport: 15 miles, 20 minutes CL, 1/1, 1/10, TK 22x24 8 Conference 22x26 8 Conference

#### The Question Shop, Inc.

Irvine, CA Ph. 714-974-8020 or 800-411-7550 www.thequestionshop.com Ryan Reasor, President Location: Office building

Distance from airport: 10 miles, 20 minutes

CL, CUL, 1/1, 1/10, PTL, TK, VC 18x24 18 Conference 14x18 18 Conference 14x17 Conference 7

#### Quick Test/Heakin (Branch)

Westminster, CA Ph. 714-547-8300 www.quicktest.com Christy Crossan Location: Shopping mall 12.6x19.6 4 Conference

#### Trotta - A Focus Pointe Global Company

Jamboree Center 5 Park Plaza, Suite 200 Irvine, CA 92614 Ph. 949-251-1122 or 310-306-6866 irvine@trotta.net www.trotta.net Ingrid Robertson, Facility Manager Location: Office building Distance from airport: 2 miles, 15 minutes AU, CL, CUL, 1/1, 1/10, TK, VC, WC 25x20 25 Multiple 18x19 16 Multiple 19x38 Conference 20 (See advertisement on p. 3)

#### Sacramento

#### **Elliott Benson Research** Sacramento, CA

Ph. 916-325-1670 www.elliottbenson.com Jaclyn Benson, Owner/Manager Location: Free standing facility Distance from airport: 10 miles, 10 minutes AU, CL, CUL, 1/1, 1/10, PTL, TK, TKO, VC, WC 32x21 20 Multiple 23x21 25 Multiple 22x14 14 Multiple

# Opinions, Ltd. - Sacramento

Roseville, CA Ph. 440-893-0300 www.opinionsltd.com Chris Sluder, Vice President Distance from airport: 27 miles, 33 minutes 1/1, TK, VC, WC 20x10 Conference

# San Diego

#### C&C Market Research - San Diego

Plaza Camino Real 2525 El Camino Real, Suite 203 Carlsbad, CA 92008 Ph. 479-785-5637 corp@ccmarketresearch.com www.ccmarketresearch.com Location: Shopping mall (See advertisement on inside back cover)



# Flagship Research

2840 Fifth Ave., Suite 200 San Diego, CA 92103 Ph. 619-849-1111 or 619-814-0473 russell@flagshipresearch.com www.flagshipresearch.com Russell Duong Location: Office building Distance from airport: 1 miles, 5 minutes 18x22 10 Multiple

19x19 15 Conference 20x16 15 Conference

"It's all about quality recruiting. Flagship records every recruiting call. A full-time staff member listens to and archives each recording as validation of the recruit. These recordings are available to you at any time, before and after your groups, and you are welcome to share them with your client. This can be very helpful when clients are concerned about the qualifications of a respondent or when a respondent from a client list has complained about the recruiting call. We now have the ability to host and recruit projects nationwide, as well as specialize in medical recruiting.

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#### Luth Research

San Diego, CA Ph. 800-465-5884 or 619-234-5884 www.luthresearch.com Samantha Baca, Project Supervisor Distance from airport: 3 miles, 10 minutes CL, CUL, 1/1, TK, VC, WC 20

22x23 Multiple 20x19 Multiple 12 Multiple 23x23 15



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#### Plaza Research-San Diego

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9339 Genesee Ave., Suite 100 San Diego, CA 92121 Ph. 858-200-3000 or 800-654-8002 skaplan@plazaresearch.com www.plazaresearch.com Sasha Kaplan, Director Location: Office building Distance from airport: 11 miles, 20 minutes CL, CUL, 1/1, 1/10, TK, TKO, WC 15x20 15 Conference

The nation's premier network of focus group facilities! Plaza Research offers multi-city project coordination in 14 locations with an extensive nationwide database. One experienced project manager will be your sole contact for the duration of your project at any of our markets. Our newly renovated (late 2017) focus group suites are designed with tiered seating, volumes controls, private phone booths, simultaneous in-depth interview rooms and client-viewable test kitchens. We provide complimentary high-speed Internet access in all client suites, conference rooms and lounges. Streamline is our in-house videostreaming option. (See advertisement on p. 105)

Conference

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# Taylor Research, Inc.

6602 Convoy Court, Suite 210 San Diego, CA 92111 Ph. 858-810-8400 taylor@taylorresearch.com www.tavlorresearch.com Location: Free standing facility Distance from airport: 12 miles, 15 minutes CL, CUL, 1/1, 1/10, VC

20x13 8 Conference Conference 18x14 10 24x19 12 Multiple 29x23 Multiple

Top Rated by Impulse Survey. Over 50 years in operation. Centrally located with four new state of the art focus group suites featuring the largest multi-purpose room in San Diego. Professional recruiting of consumer, medical, B2B, CLT with touch screen computers and mock jury projects. New state of the art audio / video systems and test kitchen.

# San Francisco Bay/San Jose



#### Amplify Research Partners, LLC

7901 Stoneridge Drive, Suite 100 Pleasanton, CA 94588 Ph. 925-236-9700 info@amplifyresearch.com www.amplifyresearch.com Location: Office building Distance from airport: 20 miles, 25 minutes

CL, CUL, 1/1, 1/10, VC, WC 18x25 25 Multiple 18x30 Multiple

Amplify is a qualitative facility, field management and consulting firm with a passion for producing rich insights. Whether your research takes place in-person or online, our hands-on approach to recruiting and project management leads to participants who are both qualified and engaged. We provide in-depth consultation on each project, partnering with our clients on design and targeting. Your study is unique and requires a customized approach; we adapt our strategies, bringing invaluable recommendations and creative solutions to even the most difficult challenges. Our boutique facility is designed to encourage communication and creativity on both sides of the mirror, with versatile suites that are spacious enough for a co-creation workshop or inviting enough for an intimate interview.

#### Brainfarm, a Tragon Company

Redwood Shores, CA Ph. 650-412-2100 or 800-841-1177 www.tragon.com Steve Willis, Account Manager Location: Office building Distance from airport: 10 miles, 20 minutes CL, 1/1, 1/10, PTL, TK, VC

12 Conference 20x24 30x35 12 Conference

#### C&C Market Research - San Francisco

Great Mall 308 Great Mall Drive Milpitas, CA 95035 Ph. 479-785-5637 corp@ccmarketresearch.com www.ccmarketresearch.com Craig Cunningham, President Location: Shopping mall Distance from airport: 3 miles, 10 minutes 1/1, 1/10 15x12 Conference (See advertisement on inside back cover)

#### Corey, Canapary & Galanis

San Francisco, CA Ph. 415-397-1200 www.ccgresearch.com Jon Canapary, Exec. Vice President Location: Office building Distance from airport: 20 miles, 30 minutes Conference

#### **Covance Food Solutions**

Livermore, CA Ph. 925-551-4262 www.covance.com/foodsolutions Christie Hoyer, Assoc Dir Sensory Consumer Res Location: Office building Distance from airport: 25 miles, 30 minutes AU, CL, 1/1, 1/10, PTL, TK, TKO, WC Conference 21x20 15



Fieldwork San Francisco

201 Third St., Suite 1000 San Francisco, CA 94103 Ph. 415-268-8686

info@sanfran.fieldwork.com

www.fieldwork.com Denise Ambrose, President Location: Office building

Distance from airport: 13 miles, 20 minutes

CL, CUL, 1/1, 1/10, WC

19x21 20 Multiple 18x21 Multiple 11 Multiple 20x22 25 20x21 9 Multiple

Fieldwork San Francisco is ideally located downtown in the vibrant South of Market (SOMA) district - within an arm's reach of world class hotels and restaurants. Our location affords us beautiful views of Mission Bay, Yerba Buena Gardens, and the rolling hills beyond the city. Inside are four beautifully modern research suites with HD Recording options, and immersive 360 degree video with streaming provided by FocusVision. Our respondent database reflects the rich diversity of this beautiful city by the bay. Fieldwork San Francisco is dedicated to service, with project managers and client service staff that are creative, insightful, and proactive. Come see why Fieldwork San Francisco offers the best research by the Bay. (See advertisement on pp. 83, 99, back cover)

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Focus Pointe Global - San Francisco

450 Sansome St., 8th Floor San Francisco, CA 94111 Ph. 415-392-6000 or 888-873-6287 sf@focuspointeglobal.com www.focuspointeglobal.com Reka Kunos, Facility Director

Location: Office building

Distance from airport: 15 miles, 35 minutes AU, CUL, 1/1, 1/10, TK, VC, WC

18x18 12 Multiple 19x20 15 Multiple 17x21 6 Multiple 17x21 6 Multiple 19x20 12 Multiple

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Location: Office building, Freestanding building, Shopping mall

CL - Client Lounge 1/1 - One-on-One Room 1/10R - One-on-One Obs. TK - Test Kitchen TKO - Test Kitchen Obs.

CUL-Computer Usability Lab PUL-Product Usability Lab VC - Videoconferencina WC - Webconferencing AU - Auditorium

Conference - Conference-Style Room Living - Living Room-Style Room Multiple - Both Styles

Room dimensions, when stated, are shown in feet.



#### **Intact Qualitative Research**

599 Third St., Suite 104 San Francisco, CA 94107 Ph. 415-400-5945 rich@iqrsf.com www.igrsf.com Richard Ngo, Partner Location: Free standing facility Distance from airport: 13 miles, 15 minutes CL, CUL, PTL, TK, TKO, VC, WC

Intact Qualitative Research is a full-service, boutique consumer and B2B market research firm located in the heart of SOMA in San Francisco. In addition to designing a research facility with your needs in mind, we offer a full array of services in qualitative recruitment and project management for the Bay Area and all other major U.S. markets. We are committed to delivering the highest level of quality in finding the right people for every project, taking the conversation beyond the phone screener and understanding each person we place into research sessions.

#### Nichols Research - Fremont/East Bay Area

Fremont, CA Ph. 510-794-2990 www.nicholsresearch.com Grace La Mer, Vice President of Quality Assurance Location: Office building Distance from airport: 25 miles, 35 minutes CUL, 1/1, 1/10, VC, WC Conference 20x16 12

#### Nichols Research - San Francisco

San Francisco, CA Ph. 415-986-0500 www.nicholsresearch.com Paul Valdez, Vice President of Research Facilities Location: Office building Distance from airport: 13 miles, 21 minutes CL, CUL, 1/1, 1/10, TK, VC, WC Conference 20x18 15 20x18 15 Conference Conference 19x15 10 12x12 Conference

#### Nichols Research - San Jose/Silicon Valley

Sunnyvale, CA Ph. 408-773-8200 www.nicholsresearch.com Ryan Lopez, Facility Director Location: Office building Distance from airport: 6 miles, 15 minutes CL, CUL, 1/1, 1/10, TK, VC, WC Conference 20x15 14 Conference 20x15 10 16x14 20 Conference 24x16 14 Conference 36x24 22 Multiple

#### Opinions, Ltd. - San Francisco

Fairfield, CA Ph. 440-893-0300 www.opinionsltd.com Chris Sluder, Vice President Location: Shopping mall Distance from airport: 58 miles, 65 minutes 1/1, 1/10, VC, WC 20x14 Conference

#### Q & A Focus Suites Walnut Creek, CA

Ph. 925-210-1525 or 800-210-1525 www.QAFocusSuites.com Craig Wong, Executive VP Location: Office building Distance from airport: 25 miles, 30 minutes CL, CUL, TK, WC Multiple 24x17 14 20x17 14 Multiple Multiple 22x30 14

#### Q & A Research, Inc.

Novato, CA Ph. 415-883-1188 or 800-210-1525 www.qafocussuites.com Craig Wong, Executive VP Location: Free standing facility Distance from airport: 35 miles, 35 minutes CL, 1/1, 1/10, WC Conference 28x16 16

#### Quantum Market Research

Oakland, CA Ph. 510-238-9010 www.gresearch.us Veronica Raymonda, Director Location: Office building Distance from airport: 4 miles, 15 minutes CL, CUL, 1/1, PTL, TKO, VC 17x21 20 Conference 15x20 16 Conference

#### Schlesinger Group San Francisco 150 California St., Suite 800

San Francisco, CA 94111 Ph. 415-781-2600 sf@SchlesingerGroup.com www.schlesingerassociates.com Pam Lintner, Vice President Qual Solutions Location: Office building Distance from airport: 10 miles, 20 minutes AU, CL, CUL, 1/1, TK, VC, WC 16

15x20 Multiple Multiple 17x22 16 16x20 10 Multiple 10 Multiple 17x24 (See advertisement on inside front cover)

#### VuPoint San Francisco

South San Francisco, CA Ph. 650-871-6800 www.vupointresearch.com Meghan Lybrand, Account Executive Location: Office building Distance from airport: 2 miles, 6 minutes CL, CUL, 1/1, 1/10, TK, VC, WC Multiple 20x38 Multiple 16x25 7x6 Multiple



#### watchLAB

201 Post St. 6th Floor San Francisco, CA 94108 Ph. 415-285-9300 stephanie.mahley@watchlab.com www.watchlab.com Brian Parker, President Location: Office building Distance from airport: 14 miles, 20 minutes AU, CL, CUL, 1/1, 1/10, PTL, VC, WC Multiple 16x22 14 Multiple 16x22 14 16x22 14 Multiple

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# Ventura/Santa Barbara

#### **Datta Research**

Ventura, CA Ph. 805-289-1555 www.dattaresearch.com Arvind Datta, Owner

# Colorado

# Colorado Springs



#### **Elevated Insights**

12x8

525 N. Tejon St. Colorado Springs, CO 80903 Ph. 719-590-9999 allena@elevatedinsights.com www.elevatedinsights.com/

Allena Nimetz, Marketing and Facility Director Location: Free standing facility

Distance from airport: 13 miles, 20 minutes

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CL, 1/1, 1/10, VC, WC 21x21 30 Multiple Multiple 11x21 25

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# Denver



#### AccuData Market Research, Inc. (Br.)

14221 E. Fourth Ave., Suite 126

Denver, CO 80011

Ph. 800-808-3564 or 303-344-4625

denver@accudata.net www.accudata.net Shannon Hendon

Location: Office building

Distance from airport: 13 miles, 20 minutes

CL, 1/1, 1/10, TK, VC, WC

21x15 15 Conference 19x14 15 Conference

Fastidious recruiting is the hallmark of Accudata Facilities (Denver, Orlando). In Orlando we have Four spacious focus room suites carefully designed to meet your requirements with guaranteed recruiting and experienced top-quality staff. Large kitchen with over 25 feet of counter space, plus double ovens and six microwaves to meet all your food-testing needs. Closest facility to the airport and downtown, plus the fastest access to the attractions. We offer videoconferencing with Focus Vision, and video-streaming.



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#### FDR Research and Innovation Center

6555 S. Kenton St., Suite 302
Centennial, CO 80111
Ph. 720-255-2679 or 571-215-6526
srandolph@foodanddrinkresources.com
www.foodanddrinkresources.com
Richard Keys, Managing Partner
Location: Office building
Distance from airport: 25 miles, 30 minutes
CL, CUL, 1/1, 1/10, PTL, TK, TKO, VC, WC
13x19 12 Conference

FDR Innovation Center in Denver specializes in insights, innovation, and commercialization. Overseeing every facet of quantitative, qualitative, and recruitment projects, our facility includes two focus group and viewing rooms, sensory stations, reception area, boardrooms, culinary and CPG test kitchens, and a test bar in a true-to-life environment. Focus groups can be digitally recorded or videostreamed so you can watch/hear the scene on 60" HDTVs throughout the facility or on mobile devices. While FDR does a large amount of culinary research, we are equipped to work with all industries.

Conference



#### Fieldwork Denver

14x16

Wells Fargo Center 1700 Lincoln St., Suite 3050 Denver, C0 80203 Ph. 303-825-7788 info@denver.fieldwork.com www.fieldwork.com

Nikki Darré, President Location: Office building

Distance from airport: 20 miles, 30 minutes

AU, CL, CUL, 1/1, 1/10, TK, TKO, WC 16X20 10 Conference 16X20 10 Conference Conference 23x20 18 18x25 15 Conference 19x21 15 Conference 24X25 15 Conference

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#### INGATHER Research & Sensory

1614 15th St., Suite 100 Denver, C0 80202 Ph. 303-988-6808 info@ingatherresearch.com www.ingatherresearch.com Katie Madonio, Bidding Manager Location: Free standing facility

Distance from airport: 25 miles, 25 minutes AU, CL, CUL, 1/1, 1/10, PTL, TK, TKO, VC, WC

17x30 16 Conference 19x30 10 Conference Conference 20x10 10 20x10 10 Conference 52x20 Conference 100x32 50 Conference

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#### Market Perceptions, Inc.

Denver, CO
Ph. 303-323-1900
www.marketperceptions.com
Location: Office building

Distance from airport: 18 miles, 30 minutes CL, 1/1, 1/10, VC

26x18 20 Conference

#### Opinions, Ltd. - Denver

Lakewood, CO
Ph. 440-893-0300
www.opinionsltd.com
Chris Sluder, Vice President
Distance from airport: 36 miles, 44 minutes
1/1, TK, VC, WC



#### Plaza Research-Denver

1200 17th St., Suite 800 Denver, CO 80202 Ph. 303-572-6900 or 800-654-8002 jmiller@plazaresearch.com www.plazaresearch.com Jennifer Miller, Director Location: Office building Distance from airport: 45 minutes CL, CUL, 1/1, 1/10, TK, TKO, VC, WC 15x20 Conference 15x20 20 Conference Multiple 15x20 20 15x20 20 Conference

The nation's premier network of focus group facilities! Plaza Research offers multi-city project coordination in 14 locations with an extensive nationwide database. One experienced project manager will be your sole contact for the duration of your project at any of our markets. Our focus group suites are designed with tiered seating, volume controls, private phone booths, simultaneous in-depth interview rooms and client-viewable test kitchens. We provide free high-speed Internet access in all client suites, conference rooms and lounges. Streamline is our in-house videostreaming option. (See advertisement on p. 105)

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Conference - Conference-Style Room Living - Living Room-Style Room Multiple - Both Styles

Room dimensions, when stated, are shown in feet.



#### Resolution Research®

490 S. Santa Fe Drive E.
Denver, CO 80223
Ph. 303-830-2345
mgmt@resolutionresearch.com
www.resolutionresearch.com/focus-group-facilities
Nina Nichols, President
Location: Office building
Distance from airport: 27 miles, 32 minutes
1/1, PTL, VC, WC

13x16 Conference 13x21 10 Multiple

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FlatIron Crossing Mall
One W. FlatIron Circle, Suite 2128
Broomfield, CO 80021
Ph. 866-209-2553
crgsales@crgglobalinc.com
www.crgtestamerica.com
Jennifer Schwartz, Director of Field Operations
Location: Shopping mall
Distance from airport: 34 miles, 35 minutes
CL, CUL, 1/1, 1/10, PTL, TK, VC, WC
10x15
Multiple
15x21
Conference

# Connecticut

# Bridgeport

#### C&C Market Research - Trumbull

Connecticut Post Mall
1201 Boston Post Road, Suite 2067
Milford, CT 06460
Ph. 479-785-5637
corp@ccmarketresearch.com
www.ccmarketresearch.com
Craig Cunningham, President
Location: Shopping mall
Distance from airport: 60 miles, 60 minutes
CL, 1/1, TK
12x17 8 Conference
(See advertisement on inside back cover)

#### Firm Facts Interviewing

Stratford, CT
Ph. 203-375-4666
www.firmfacts.com
Harriet Quint, Owner
Location: Shopping mall
Distance from airport: 6 miles, 10 minutes
1/1, 1/10, TK
15x20 10 Conference

# Danbury



#### Advanced Focus - The Facility, Danbury

26 Mill Plain Road, FL 2
Danbury, CT 06811
Ph. 203-791-1644
toddb@advancedfocus.com
www.advancedfocus.com
Todd Biederman, Founder and CEO
Location: Office building

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#### MarketView, Inc.

Danbury, CT
Ph. 203-791-1644 or 914-631-0796
www.marketview-research.com
Gail Friedman, President
Location: Office building
Distance from airport: 25 miles, 30 minutes
CL, TK, VC, WC
20x22 15 Multiple
28x25 20 Multiple

# Hartford



#### Connecticut Connection - Hartford Research

17 Talcott Notch Road Farmington, CT 06032 Ph. 860-677-2877 director@connecticutconnection.com www.connecticutconnection.com Marsh Myers, Research Coordinator Location: Office building Distance from airport: 15 miles, 25 minutes AU, CL, CUL, 1/1, 1/10, TK, TKO, WC 21x21 Conference 30 Conference 16x19 20 14x18 Conference 15

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#### Connecticut InFocus

Hartford-Glastonbury, CT
Ph. 860-652-0307
www.ctinfocus.com
Joni Krasusky, Director
Location: Free standing facility
Distance from airport: 18 miles, 20 minutes
AU, CL, CUL, 1/1, 1/10, PTL, TK, VC
20x20 15 Conference

#### New Haven

#### GreatBlue Research, Inc.

Cromwell, CT Ph. 860-740-4000 www.greatblueresearch.com Location: Office building Distance from airport: 30 miles, 40 minutes VC, WC

12x20 Conference

#### Stamford

#### New England Marketing Research, Inc.

Norwalk, CT Ph. 203-855-5500 or 877-604-5500 www.nemr.com Location: Office building Distance from airport: 25 miles, 45 minutes CL, 1/1, 1/10, VC, WC

 20x20
 20
 Conference

 20x20
 12
 Conference

 15x15
 12
 Multiple



#### RazorFocus

1351 Washington Blvd., Suite 600 Stamford, CT 06902 Ph. 203-504-3240 or 203-504-3241 paul@RazorFocus.net www.RazorFocus.com Paul Jacobson, Owner and CEO Location: Office building Distance from airport: 32 miles, 40 minutes CL, CUL, 1/1, 1/10, TK, VC, WC 18x16 10 Multiple Multiple 18x21 12 23x14 20 Multiple

RazorFocus is a boutique facility with 3 large FV-ready suites. Our Stamford CT location, an invigorating alternative to Northern NJ and Westchester County, is under an hour from area airports and from Manhattan, by car or train. Exceptional recruiting, via our 21,000+B2C and B2B database and separate medical database, is our top priority and key POD. Our recruiting area of Fairfield County, CT and Upper Westchester County, NY yields diverse socioeconomic groups, life stages, ethnicities and cultures. High Impulse ratings and 90%+ repeat rate are proof!

Conference

# District Of Columbia

# Washington

#### Area Wide Market Research, Inc.

Gaithersburg, MD
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www.areawidemarketresearch.com
Ann Weinstein, President
Location: Office building
Distance from airport: 20 miles, 35 minutes
AU, CL, CUL, 1/1, 1/10, PTL, TK, TKO, VC, WC

14x17 10 Conference 14x17 10 Conference



#### EurekaFacts, LLC

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Rockville, MD 20850

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Alison Wurzel

Location: Office building

Distance from airport: 27 miles, 35 minutes

CL, CUL, 1/1, 1/10

40x21 30 Multiple 21x24 20 Multiple Multiple 21x16 20 8x13 5 Conference 8x13 Conference

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#### Home Innovation Research Labs

Upper Marlboro, MD

Ph. 301-430-6304

www.homeinnovation.com/services/market\_research Michael Smith, Marketing Research Manager

Location: Office building

Distance from airport: 32 miles, 46 minutes

AU, CL, 1/1, 1/10, PTL

21x17 Multiple 14 21x17 14 Multiple Multiple 30x37 10

#### Mediabarn Research Services

Arlington, VA

Ph. 703-964-0440

www.mediaharnresearch.com Location: Office building

Distance from airport: 5 miles, 15 minutes

CL, CUL, 1/1, 1/10, PTL, VC, WC Conference 20x17 20 15 Multiple 15x14 18x14 15 Living

## Opinions, Ltd. - Washington, D.C.

Annapolis, MD Ph. 440-893-0300 www.opinionsltd.com Chris Sluder, Vice President Location: Shopping mall

#### the polling company™, inc.

Washington, DC Ph. 202-667-6557 www.pollingcompany.com Location: Office building



#### Shugoll Research

1800 Diagonal Road, Suite 300 Alexandria, VA 22314 Ph. 301-656-0310 rseale@shugollresearch.com www.ShugollResearch.com Rick Seale, Executive Vice President

Location: Office building

Distance from airport: 3 miles, 10 minutes

CL, CUL, WC

20x46 Conference 20x26 15 Conference 20x20 Conference 11 20x20 10 Conference

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7475 Wisconsin Ave., Suite 200 Bethesda, MD 20814 Ph. 301-656-0310 rseale@shugollresearch.com www.ShugollResearch.com Rick Seale, Executive Vice President Location: Office building Distance from airport: 12 miles, 35 minutes

CL, CUL, 1/1, 1/10, VC, WC 16x21 10

Conference Conference 17x16 11 16x26 20 Conference Conference 16x21 10 10x13 Conference

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Lakeforest Mall 701 Russell Ave., Suite H116 Gaithersburg, MD 20877 Ph. 866-209-2553 crgsales@crgglobalinc.com www.crgtestamerica.com Jennifer Schwartz, Director of Field Operations

Location: Shopping mall Distance from airport: 28 miles, 33 minutes CL, CUL, 1/1, 1/10, PTL, TK, TKO, VC, WC 22x20

Conference

# Florida

# Daytona Beach

#### CRG Global, Inc.

3 Signal Ave., Suite A Ormond Beach, FL 32174 Ph. 866-209-2553 crgsales@crgglobalinc.com www.crqqlobalinc.com Jennifer Schwartz, Director of Field Operations Location: Free standing facility Distance from airport: 14 miles, 15 minutes CL, CUL, 1/1, 1/10, PTL, TK, TKO, VC, WC 18x30 Conference

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3 Signal Ave., Suite B Ormond Beach, FL 32174 Ph. 866-209-2553 csssales@crgglobalinc.com www.cssdatatelligence.com Jennifer Schwartz, Director of Field Operations Location: Free standing facility Distance from airport: 14 miles, 15 minutes CL, CUL, 1/1, 1/10, PTL, TK, TKO, VC, WC 18x30 Conference

# Fort Lauderdale (See also Miami)

#### Clarocision Research & Marketing Global

Coral Springs, FL Ph. 877-659-5468 or 954-741-2234 www.crmfirm.com/marketresearch Karlene Facey, Market Research Project Mngr. Location: Office building Distance from airport: 18 miles, 22 minutes CL, CUL, 1/1, WC



#### Mars Research

12x22

550 W. Cypress Creek Road, Suite 310 Ft. Lauderdale, FL 33309 Ph. 954-654-7888 or 877-755-2805 ateblum@marsresearch.com www.marsresearch.com Andrew Teblum Location: Office building Distance from airport: 11 miles, 18 minutes CL, CUL, PTL, TK, VC, WC Multiple 20x25 20

Mars Research is one of the most trusted Marketing Research firms, with 30+ years experience. We design and conduct qual and quant research studies. Our upscale Fort Lauderdale Focus Group facility offers 2 conference rooms, spacious client viewing, video streaming and translation equipment. Our superior recruiting process delivers qualified respondents for every project. Diverse consumer database includes Hispanics and other multi-cultural backgrounds. Mars has a strong reputation in conducting consumer product and sensory research (i.e. taste testing) while providing comprehensive results.

Location: Office building, Freestanding building, Shopping mall

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#### Plaza Research-Fort Lauderdale

4000 Hollywood Blvd., Suite 200N Hollywood, FL 33021 Ph. 954-963-7600 or 800-654-8002 LPrice@plazaresearch.com www.plazaresearch.com Lindsay Price Location: Office building Distance from airport: 15 minutes

CL, CUL, 1/1, 1/10, TK, TKO, VC, WC 15x20 20 Conference Conference 15x20 20 16x22 20 Multiple 16x21 20 Conference

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#### WAC of Fort Lauderdale

Ft. Lauderdale, FL Ph. 954-772-5101 www.wacresearch.com Gary Altschul Location: Office building Distance from airport: 12 miles, 15 minutes

AU, CL, CUL, 1/1, 1/10, PTL, TK, VC, WC

25x25 25 Conference 20x20 18 Conference Conference 20x20 18 14x16 8 Conference

# Jacksonville



#### Concepts In Focus

1329 Kingsley Ave., Suite A Jacksonville, FL 32073 Ph. 904-264-5578 info@conceptsinfocus.com www.conceptsinfocus.com Kathy Hayman, Director of Qualitative Location: Free standing facility Distance from airport: 30 miles, 35 minutes CL, CUL, 1/1, 1/10, TK, VC, WC 22x16 6 Conference Conference 20x20 12

Jacksonville and north Florida's "Top Rated" facility by Impulse! Two focus group suites designed with your comfort and needs in mind. Outstanding recruiting with high show rates of qualified participants. Complimentary videotaping, DVDs, MP3s. Recent upgrade to metro ethernet over fiber for high speed access to for web usability testing and ease of use. Large kitchen area for taste tests. Privately owned and operated. Designed by moderators for moderators. Attention to detail with an emphasis on quality. True Southern hospitality focusing on your needs so you can focus on your clients' needs.

# Miami (See also Fort Lauderdale)



#### Ask Miami

18x15

Miami, FL 33134 Ph. 305-448-7769 info@askmiami.com www.askmiami.com Adrian Ladner, President Location: Office building Distance from airport: 3 miles, 10 minutes CL, CUL, 1/1, 1/10, TK, VC, WC 22x18 12 Multiple 8

2121 Ponce De Leon Blvd., Suite 250

Ask Miami is the premier facility and recruiting service provider in Miami! A member of First Choice Facilities, Ask Miami is owner-managed and consistently provides moderators with the highest-quality facility and recruiting services available. Ten minutes from Miami International Airport, we're centrally located and easily accessible from every corner of Miami-Dade County. Whether your next study requires general consumers, physicians, seniors, teens or tweens, we will provide you with the highest level of recruiting. For the highest-quality facility and recruiting services, Ask Miami!

Multiple

#### C&C Market Research - Miami

Broward Mall 8000 W. Broward Blvd., Suite 1124 Plantation, FL 33388 Ph. 479-785-5637 corp@ccmarketresearch.com www.ccmarketresearch.com Craig Cunningham, President Location: Shopping mall Distance from airport: 15 miles, 10 minutes CL, CUL, 1/1, 1/10, TK 8 Conference 17x15 (See advertisement on inside back cover)

#### Focus99 - The Focus Group Room

Miami, FL Ph. 305-416-0606 www.focus99.com Sandra Tartonne, Director Location: Office building Distance from airport: 5 miles, 10 minutes CL, 1/1, 1/10, PTL, VC, WC

Conference

# 10 Miami Market Research, Inc.

15x25

Miami, FL Ph. 305-666-7010 www.miamimarketresearch.com Luis Padron, President Location: Shopping mall Distance from airport: 7 miles, 15 minutes CL, 1/1, 1/10, TK, VC, WC Multiple 13x20 8

#### Test America, a division of CRG Global

Pembroke Lakes Mall 11401 Pines Blvd., Suite 702 Pembroke Pines, FL 33026 Ph. 866-209-2553 crgsales@crgglobalinc.com www.crgtestamerica.com Jennifer Schwartz Location: Shopping mall Distance from airport: 19 miles, 37 minutes CL, CUL, 1/1, 1/10, PTL, TK, TKO, VC, WC 15x27 Conference

## 20120 Research - Miami

8350 N.W. 52nd Terrace, Suite 420 Doral, FL 33166

Ph. 866-960-8269 or 786-594-3740 natalie.ogando@2020research.com www.2020research.com/miami Natalie Ogando, Facility Director Location: Office building

Distance from airport: 8 miles, 20 minutes

CL, CUL, VC, WC

19x20 10 Conference 22x28 12 Conference 19x21 Conference

Miami is a lively, multi-cultural city and thriving international business hub. Fully renovated in 2016, the facility boasts three modern rooms and is located in downtown Doral, 20 minutes from the airport. Miami's accessible by direct flight from over 40 cities. Serving the industry since 1986, 20|20 is your trusted, highly rated fieldwork partner in Miami with quality metrics and top-notch amenities to back it. From cutting edge-technology to high-end hospitality services, bi-lingual support, and one of the most experienced teams in the industry, we have everything you'd want in a facility.

#### WAC of Miami

Doral, FL Ph. 786-364-2272 www.wacresearch.com Gary Altschul Location: Office building Distance from airport: 5 miles, 10 minutes AU, CL, CUL, 1/1, 1/10, PTL, TK, VC, WC Conference 26x27 25 20x20 18 Conference 20x20 Conference 18 15x16 8 Conference

#### **Orlando**



#### AccuData Market Research, Inc.

520 N. Semoran Blvd., Suite 100

Orlando, FL 32807

Ph. 800-831-7744 or 407-282-3770

orlando@accudata.net www.accudata.net Shannon Hendon

Location: Office building

Distance from airport: 7 miles, 15 minutes

CL, 1/1, 1/10, TK, VC, WC

Conference 29x25 20 19x16 Conference 15 Conference 19x16 15 21x25 30 Multiple

Fastidious recruiting is the hallmark of Accudata Facilities (Denver, Orlando). In Orlando we have Four spacious focus room suites carefully designed to meet your requirements with guaranteed recruiting and experienced top-quality staff. Large kitchen with over 25 feet of counter space, plus double ovens and six microwaves to meet all your food-testing needs. Closest facility to the airport and downtown, plus the fastest access to the attractions. We offer videoconferencing with Focus Vision, and video-streaming.



#### ClearView Research Orlando

5450 Lake Howell Road Winter Park, FL 32792 Ph. 407-671-3344 Jeni@clearvieworlando.com

www.aboutorlandoresearch.com

Jeni Marsh

Location: Office building

Distance from airport: 14 miles, 20 minutes

AU, CL, 1/1, 1/10, TK, VC, WC 23x22 20 Multiple 18x26 20 Multiple

ClearView Research Orlando is Central Florida's "Top Rated" qualitative facility, giving clients the highest level of service has been our goal since 1997. In response our clients have consistently rated ClearView Research-Orlando #1 in Central Florida. We are newly renovated, adding two spacious client lounges and test kitchen all equipped with closed-circuit viewing. We have in-house staff to recruit only qualified respondents to your specifications. We will complete every project on time and within budget with a management team ready to give 110%. Doesn't your next project deserve the best?

#### Ideas To Go, Inc.

Orlando, FL Ph. 407-367-2655 www.ideastogo.com Tina Vatrano, Facility Manager Location: Office building Distance from airport: 12 miles CL, VC 38x22 15 Multiple 18x22 10 Multiple

#### Product Insights, Inc.

Longwood, FL Ph. 407-774-6165 www.productinsights.com Sandra Clear, President Location: Office building Distance from airport: 22 miles, 40 minutes

1/1, 1/10, VC

18x21 Multiple 12 10x12 Multiple 5

#### Schlesinger Group Orlando Maitland Green II

2290 Lucien Way, Suite 180 Maitland, FL 32751 Ph. 407-660-1808 orlando@SchlesingerGroup.com www.schlesingerassociates.com Stephenie Gordon, Vice President Location: Office building

Distance from airport: 20 miles, 30 minutes

CL, CUL, VC, WC

24x16 Multiple 20x16 12 Multiple

(See advertisement on inside front cover)

# Sarasota

#### Focus Sarasota

Sarasota, FL Ph. 941-365-0033 www.focussarasota.com Location: Office building Distance from airport: 6 miles, 8 minutes CL, 1/1, 1/10, VC, WC 21x20 6 Conference 15x20 6 Conference

# **Tallahassee**

#### Downs & St. Germain Research

Tallahassee, FL Ph. 850-906-3111 or 800-564-3182 www.dsg-research.com Location: Free standing facility Distance from airport: 10 miles, 20 minutes CL, VC, WC

#### Oppenheim Research

Tallahassee, FL Ph. 850-201-0480 www.oppenheimresearch.com Anneliese Oppenheim, President Location: Free standing facility Distance from airport: 10 miles, 20 minutes CUL, 1/1, 1/10 19x22 Multiple

#### Salter Mitchell

Tallahassee, FL Ph. 850-681-3200 www.saltermitchell.com April Salter, President Location: Office building Distance from airport: 7 miles, 15 minutes

# Tampa/St. Petersburg

#### C&C Market Research - Tampa

Countryside Mall 27001 US Highway 19 N., Suite 1001 Clearwater, FL 33761 Ph. 479-785-5637 corp@ccmarketresearch.com www.ccmarketresearch.com (See advertisement on inside back cover)

#### The Consumer Center of Mid-Florida

Safety Harbor, FL Ph. 727-726-0844 www.theconsumercenter.com Randy Carson, Facility Director Location: Office building Distance from airport: 10 miles, 15 minutes CL, 1/1, 1/10, TK, TKO, WC 27x18 10 Multiple



Herron Associates, Inc. 600 N. Westshore Blvd., Suite 702

Tampa, FL 33609 Ph. 800-392-3828 or 813-282-0866 tampa@herron-research.com

www.herron-research.com Sue McAdams, President Location: Office building

Distance from airport: 3 miles, 5 minutes

15x20 12 Multiple 15x20 12 Multiple 24x28 Multiple 14 18x19 Multiple 12 10x13 2 Conference

Experienced and reliable. Herron Associates is focused on Qualitative, Quantitative and mixed methods research in our Indianapolis and Tampa locations or any market your research takes you. Trust a team with a proven record and expertise to deliver services ranging from data collection to full-service research and design. Best-in-class service and premium amenities in Tampa with oversized well-appointed suites, large viewable CLT and a test kitchen along with Hispanic/ Latino capabilities. Let Herron simplify your project and become an extension of your team. We believe that "only the best will do" and that our clients should never settle for "good enough".



#### L&E Research

5110 Sunforest Drive, Suite 300 Tampa, FL 33634 Ph. 877-344-1574 bidrequest@leresearch.com www.leresearch.com Patricia Lister, Client Relationship Manager Distance from airport: 5 miles, 10 minutes AU, CL, CUL, 1/1, 1/10, VC, WC

32x22 20 Multiple 20x17 Multiple Multiple

Tampa, Florida bills itself as "The Next Great American City" and L&E's Tampa facility is way ahead of it. We offer a first-class experience in the heart of a major metropolitan city, and yet only 10 minutes away from Tampa International Airport (TPA.). From the facility space to the nearby food options, you can be sure you will have a top notch experience. L&E Tampa offers three spacious suites, large conference rooms and a staging area. With our sunny Tampa hospitality, L&E will put your mind at ease, expertly manage your project and help you focus on clients.

#### Opinions, Ltd. - Tampa

Brandon, FL Ph. 440-893-0300 www.opinionsltd.com Chris Sluder, Vice President Location: Shopping mall Distance from airport: 20 miles, 33 minutes 1/1, VC, WC 23x10 Conference

Location: Office building, Freestanding building, Shopping mall

CL - Client Lounge 1/1 - One-on-One Room 1/10R - One-on-One Obs. TK - Test Kitchen TKO - Test Kitchen Obs.

**CUL-Computer Usability Lab** PUL-Product Usability Lab VC - Videoconferencina WC - Webconferencing AU - Auditorium

Conference - Conference-Style Room Living - Living Room-Style Room Multiple - Both Styles

Room dimensions, when stated, are shown in feet.



15x20

16x22

#### Plaza Research-Tampa

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4301 Anchor Plaza Parkway, Suite 150 Tampa, FI 33634 Ph. 813-769-2900 or 800-654-8002 lprice@plazaresearch.com www.plazaresearch.com Lindsay Price Location: Office building Distance from airport: 5 minutes CL, CUL, 1/1, 1/10, TK, TKO, VC, WC 15x20 20 Conference

The nation's premier network of focus group facilities! Plaza Research offers multi-city project coordination in 14 locations with an extensive nationwide database. One experienced project manager will be your sole contact for the duration of your project at any of our markets. Our focus group suites are designed with tiered seating, volume controls, private phone booths, simultaneous in-depth interview rooms and clientviewable test kitchens. We provide free high-speed Internet access in all client suites, conference rooms and lounges. Streamline is our in-house videostreaming option.

Conference

Multiple

(See advertisement on p. 105)

#### Quick Test/Heakin (Branch)

Tampa, FL Ph. 813-926-3222 www.quicktest.com Christy Crossan Location: Shopping mall 13 x 22 Conference

#### Schwartz Research & Consulting

Tampa, FL Ph. 813-207-0332 www.schwartzconsulting.com Randy Carson, Facility Director Location: Free standing facility Distance from airport: 3 miles, 6 minutes AU, CL, CUL, 1/1, 1/10, VC, WC 16x18 10 Conference 16x19 12 Conference 18x24 Multiple

#### Test America a division of CRG Global

WestShore Plaza 256 WestShore Plaza, Suite WW8 Tampa, FL 33609 Ph. 866-209-2553 crgsales@crgglobalinc.com www.crgglobalinc.com Jennifer Schwartz, Director of Field Operations Location: Shopping mall Distance from airport: 14 miles, 20 minutes 1/1, 1/10, TK, VC 29 x 30 Multiple

# West Palm Beach/Boca Raton

#### Ouick Test/Heakin

Jupiter, FL Ph. 561-748-0931 or 800-523-1288 www.quicktest.com

Christy Crossan, Vice President Client Services Distance from airport: 18 miles, 20 minutes

#### **3Q GLOBAL**

Jupiter, FL Ph. 561-745-3602 or 855-799-0003 www.3Q-Global.com Traci Wood, Director Location: Office building

Distance from airport: 18 miles, 20 minutes Conference

# Georgia

#### Atlanta



#### Atlanta Out Loud, Inc.

Druid Chase Office Park 2801 Buford Highway N.E., Suite 250 Brookhaven, GA 30329 Ph. 404-636-9054 info@atlantaoutloud.net www.atlantaoutloud.net Jim Reardon, President Location: Office building

Distance from airport: 19 miles, 20 minutes

CL, 1/1, 1/10, WC

Conference 15x20 15 15x20 Conference 15 24x26 20 Conference 11x14 Conference

Atlanta Out Loud, Inc. is independently owned, managed and operated with all staff onsite. We offer top-quality recruiting services, facilities and technology. Come see our new multi-purpose focus room seating up to 40 respondents and its beautiful client lounge with a 60" flat panel TV. We provide all types of recruiting including but not limited to consumer, business, Hispanic and medical. We want your business and welcome the opportunity to work with you!! You, your clients and your budget are our first priority. Our ultimate goal is to make your Atlanta project a perfect experience start to finish!

#### C&C Market Research - Atlanta Perimeter Mall

4400 Ashford Dunwoody Road, Suite 2670 Atlanta, GA 30346 Ph. 479-785-5637 corp@ccmarketresearch.com www.ccmarketresearch.com Craig Cunningham, President Location: Shopping mall Distance from airport: 30 miles, 40 minutes CL, CUL, 1/1, 1/10, TK, TK0 14x19 8 Conference (See advertisement on inside back cover)



#### **Compass Marketing Research**

3725 DaVinci Court, Suite 100 Norcross, GA 30092 Ph. 770-448-0754 info@cmrcompass.com www.compassmarketingresearch.com Edie Gayton, Research Service Manager Location: Free standing facility Distance from airport: 30 miles, 45 minutes CL, CUL, 1/1, 1/10, PTL, TK, VC, WC 16x24 12 Conference 16x20 Conference

Confidently place your research project with Compass, client-centric and flexible research facilities for your qualitative and quantitative studies. Best-rated recruiting with excellent show rates. Renown for our strong competency with food and beverage research, including a complete commercial test kitchen. Strategically located in North Atlanta with easy access and central to diverse demographics. Excellent Hispanic/Latino research services. Genuine hospitality and professional support services. Top-rated value in the market place. Multimarket facility relationships. Reputable since 1981.



#### Fieldwork Atlanta

200 Galleria Parkway, Suite 1600 Atlanta, GA 30339 Ph. 770-988-0330 info@atlanta.fieldwork.com www.fieldwork.com

Kate Krohn, President Location: Office building

Distance from airport: 20 miles, 25 minutes

CL. CUL. 1/1. 1/10. WC

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20x32	15	Conference
22x24	18	Conference
29x19	16	Conference
29x19	25	Conference
25x20	12	Conference
53x19	37	Conference

Atlanta, City of Olympians, boasts world-class businesses and attractions. As part of this growing metropolis, Fieldwork Atlanta provides some of the most sophisticated market research opportunities available. This newly remodeled facility features five spacious conference rooms, including a large room that can seat up to 100 respondents. Along with HD Recording options, we have immersive 360-degree video with streaming provided by FocusVision. Fieldwork Atlanta's expansive database covers a wide region, with urban, suburban and rural consumers and professionals. Whatever your needs, our unique balance of southern hospitality and modern efficiency is what makes Fieldwork Atlanta an excellent choice in this diverse market.

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# Focus Pointe

DEEPER CONNECTIONS DEEPER INSIGHTS

Focus Pointe Global - Atlanta (Buckhead)

3414 Peachtree Road N.E., Suite 800

Atlanta, GA 30326

Ph. 678-298-9222 or 888-873-6287

atlanta@focuspointeglobal.com www.focuspointeglobal.com

Ron Livers, Facility Director

Location: Office building

Distance from airport: 18 miles, 23 minutes

CL, CUL, 1/1, 1/10, TK, VC, WC

Multiple 24x16 18 Multiple 24x16 18 14x16 21 Multiple 33x19 25 Multiple

Focus Pointe Global sets the industry standard for qualitative/quantitative marketing research data collection services. 18 premier focus group facilities in major U.S. commercial centers. Services include: focus groups, taste tests, jury simulation, product placements, Webcam focus groups, online communities, qualitative/quantitative research. Locations: Appleton, Wis.; Atlanta; Atlanta-Buckhead; Bala Cynwyd, Pa.; Boston; Chicago; Chicago-Oakbrook; Columbus, Ohio; Dallas; Kansas City, Mo.; Los Angeles; Minneapolis; New York City; Philadelphia; Phoenix; St. Louis; San Francisco; Teaneck, N.J. (See advertisement on p. 3)

# Focus Pointe

# DEEPER CONNECTIONS. DEEPER INSIGHTS.

Focus Pointe Global - Atlanta (Clairmont)

2970 Clairmont Road, Suite 500

Atlanta, GA 30329

Ph. 404-321-0468 or 888-873-6287

atlanta2@focuspointeglobal.com

www.focuspointeglobal.com

Christy McCulla, Facility Director

Location: Office building Distance from airport: 20 miles, 25 minutes

CL, CUL, TK, VC, WC

22x18 20 Multiple Multiple 21x17 20 16x24 20 Multiple

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# Jackson Associates Research, an Insights Center

1180 Peachtree St., Suite J Atlanta, GA 30309

Ph. 770-394-8700

mpope@jacksonassociates.com

www.jacksonassociates.com

Marisa Pope, President

Location: Office building

Distance from airport: 12 miles, 15 minutes

CL, 1/1, 1/10, VC, WC

20x20 10 Multiple 17x19 Multiple 8 17x19 Ω Multiple

Located in the heart of midtown Atlanta, this facility consists of three trendy, sophisticated studios boasting the latest technology, including our Instant Update<sup>™</sup> and Instant Access<sup>™</sup> tablets that automatically connect clients with copies, coffee and more. Studios are professionally decorated and boast digital whiteboards in each focus room. Private second-floor access and 12-ft. ceilings make this the perfect choice for high-profile projects. Intimate and warm, this sophisticated space is 12 miles from the airport and is surrounded by four- and five-star restaurants, hotels and the arts.



#### Jackson Associates Research, an Insights Center Facility

6105 Peachtree Dunwoody Road, Suite D-135

Sandy Springs, GA 30328

Ph. 770-394-8700

mpope@jacksonassociates.com

www.jacksonassociates.com

Marisa L. Pope, President

Location: Free standing facility

Distance from airport: 20 miles, 30 minutes

AU, CL, CUL, 1/1, 1/10, PTL, TK, VC, WC

Multiple 25x16 15 22x22 12 Multiple

Multiple 22x22 12 22x54 24 Conference

14x15 10 Conference 16x18 Multiple

Five luxurious focus suites including 1,200-sq.-ft. auditorium with viewing, ramp for vehicles and large displays. Largest commercial test kitchen in Atlanta. Walk-in and upright coolers and freezers, heavy electrical, holding cabinets, heat lamps, commercial and residential ovens, frvers, microwaves and 5 quick connect gas lines. 240,000+ consumer, medical B2B database. Multiple CLT labs with laptops and wireless, private entrances and reception seating 25+. Tiered viewing rooms seat 12-15; 6-10 in adjacent lounges. Internet, CC viewing, Instant Update™ and Instant Access<sup>™</sup> (that automatically connect clients with copies, coffee and more) workstations, conference tables and Wi-Fi. On-site IT and A/V techs. Streaming available.



#### Plaza Research-Atlanta

One Atlanta Plaza 950 E. Paces Ferry Road N.E., Suite 800

Atlanta, GA 30326

Ph. 770-432-1400 or 800-654-8002 kmcternan@plazaresearch.com

www.plazaresearch.com Krista McTernan

Location: Office building

20x30

Distance from airport: 15 minutes

AU, CL, CUL, 1/1, 1/10, TK, TKO, VC, WC

15x20 20 Conference Conference 15x20 20 15x20 20 Conference 15x20 20 Multiple

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Conference



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#### PVR Research, Inc.

11445 Johns Creek Parkway Johns Creek, GA 30097

Ph. 770-813-4916 or 770-232-0322

donnapickert@PVR-Research.com

www.pvr-research.com Valerie Cansler, President

35x30

Location: Office building

Distance from airport: 35 miles, 40 minutes

AU, CL, CUL, 1/1, 1/10, PTL, TK, TKO 20x22 Conference 18 16x22 15 Multiple 38x24 8 Multiple

Atlanta's premier field research provider for quantitative and qualitative projects. Two luxurious focus group rooms and two CLT rooms with viewing and seating for up to 75 respondents. Large commercial test kitchen has walk-ins, ample power and open design to accommodate any setup. Electronic data collection. In-house recruiting and 70,000 respondents consistently provides the best recruits (consumer, B2B, Hispanic and medical). Professional results with an emphasis on Southern hospitality and exceptional service.

Multiple

#### Quick Test/Heakin (Branch)

Lawrenceville (Atlanta), GA Ph. 770-831-5099 www.quicktest.com Christy Crossan Location: Shopping mall 11.9 x 8.7 2 Conference

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Location: Office building, Freestanding building, Shopping mall

CL - Client Lounge 1/1 - One-on-One Room 1/10R - One-on-One Obs. TK - Test Kitchen TKO - Test Kitchen Obs.

CUL-Computer Usability Lab PUL-Product Usability Lab VC - Videoconferencing WC - Webconferencing AU - Auditorium

Conference - Conference-Style Room Living - Living Room-Style Room Multiple - Both Styles

Room dimensions, when stated, are shown in feet.

## Schlesinger Group Atlanta

5909 Peachtree Dunwoody Road The Palisades Building, Suite 950 Atlanta, GA 30328 Ph. 770-396-8700 atlanta@SchlesingerGroup.com www.schlesingerassociates.com

Stephanie Gordon, VP Qualitative Solutions Location: Office building

Distance from airport: 25 miles, 30 minutes AU, CL, CUL, TK, VC, WC

Multiple 15x20 12 16x20 12 Multiple Multiple 16x20 12 Multiple 20x18 15 16x25 12 Multiple (See advertisement on inside front cover)

#### **Superior Research**

Atlanta, GA Ph. 770-394-4400 www.superiorresearch.net Debbie Hunter, CEO/Owner Location: Office building

Distance from airport: 10 miles, 20 minutes

CL, 1/1, 1/10, TK, TKO, VC, WC 12 Conference 14x23 Conference 14x20 12 Conference 14x20 12 Conference 13x09 4 15x19 12 Living

#### Test America, a division of CRG Global North Point Mall

1002 North Point Circle Alpharetta, GA 30022 Ph. 866-209-2553 crgsales@crgglobalinc.com www.crgtestamerica.com Jennifer Schwartz Location: Shopping mall Distance from airport: 35 miles, 50 minutes CL, CUL, 1/1, 1/10, PTL, TK, TKO, VC, WC 18x30 Conference 12x18 Multiple

#### User Insight

Atlanta, GA Ph. 770-391-1099 www.uifacilities.com Andrea Cartier Location: Office building Distance from airport: 25 miles, 33 minutes CL, CUL, 1/1, 1/10, PTL, VC, WC 25x12 20 Conference Conference 20x12 15 Multiple 13x14 10

Living

#### V & L Research & Consulting, Inc.

Atlanta, GA Ph. 404-218-7584 or 404-218-8413 www.vlresearch.com Dydra Virgil, Principal Location: Office building Distance from airport: 16 miles, 20 minutes CL, 1/1, 1/10, TK

Multiple 17x14 16 12x12 10 Multiple

# Hawaii

# Honolulu

#### Anthology Marketing Group - Research

Honolulu, HI Ph. 808-524-5194 or 808-544-3020 www.anthologyresearch.com Location: Office building Distance from airport: 8 miles, 15 minutes AU, CL, 1/1, 1/10, VC 20x26 Conference 15

#### Market Trends Pacific, Inc.

Honolulu, HI Ph. 808-532-0733 www.markettrendspacific.com Wanda L. Kakugawa, President Location: Office building Distance from airport: 6 miles, 15 minutes 1/1, 1/10 20x11 Conference

#### OmniTrak Group, Inc.

Honolulu, HI Ph. 808-528-4050 www.omnitrakgroup.com Alan Ellis, Executive Vice President Location: Office building Distance from airport: 4 miles, 20 minutes 1/1, 1/10, TK 14x16 Conference



#### WARD RESEARCH

#### Ward Research, Inc.

828 Fort Street Mall, Suite 210 Honolulu, HI 96813 Ph. 808-522-5123 wrstaff@wardresearch.com www.wardresearch.com Denise Charles, Vice President/General Manager Location: Office building Distance from airport: 5 miles, 15 minutes 1/1, 1/10 14x24 15 Conference

With over 35 years of experience in the Hawaii market, a database of over 12,000 respondents statewide and our reputation for quality recruiting and top-notch customer service, we will work closely with you to recruit the respondents you need. We also have one of Hawaii's premier moderators on staff and offer one of the most spacious facilities in Hawaii.

# Illinois

# Chicago



#### Adler Weiner Research Chicago, Inc.

875 N. Michigan Ave. John Hancock Center, Suite 3260 Chicago, IL 60611 Ph. 312-944-2555 info@awres.com www.adlerweiner.com Andrea Weiner, Managing Director Location: Office building Distance from airport: 15 miles, 45 minutes CL, CUL, VC, WC 17x15 15 Conference Conference 24x16 15 19x17 Conference 12 20x17 15 Conference 19x17 12 Conference

Adler Weiner Research's Chicago marketing research offices are located on the 32nd floor of the John Hancock Building on the fabulous Magnificent Mile downtown. This luxurious urban facility has five large conference rooms, with gorgeous views of the city and Lake Michigan. Each room has direct client viewing, client lounges . Designed for comfort and exclusivity, this is the ideal Chicago location, accommodating every client need and delivering an amazing experience for your focus group. We have HD video capabilities and along with Focus Vision, we have the FV360 camera. With over 60 years of experience we know the importance of communication and standards.

#### Adler Weiner Research Lincolnwood, Inc.

6500 N. Lincoln Ave. Lincolnwood, IL 60712 Ph. 847-675-5011 info@awres.com www.adlerweiner.com Andrea Weiner, Managing Director Location: Free standing facility Distance from airport: 15 miles, 30 minutes CL. CUL 24x23 25 Conference

Conference

## Assistance In Marketing/Chicago

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21x23

Schaumburg, IL Ph. 888-827-0400 or 847-481-0400 www.aimresearchnetwork.com Laura Shulman, President Location: Office building Distance from airport: 10 miles, 20 minutes CL, CUL, TK, VC, WC Multiple 30x20 20 20x20 15 Multiple Multiple 20x19 10

# Brainfarm, a Tragon Company

Deerfield, IL Ph. 800-841-1177 or 224-632-1919 www.tragon.com Steve Willis, Account Manager Location: Office building Distance from airport: 15 miles, 30 minutes CL, 1/1, 1/10, PTL, TK, VC 30x25 12 Conference

30x21

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#### Bryles Research, Inc.

Mokena, IL

Ph. 708-478-3333 or 877-478-5070

www.brylesresearch.com Jeff Bryles, Dir. of Operations

Location: Free standing facility

Distance from airport: 12 miles, 35 minutes

CL, 1/1, 1/10, TK

Conference 15x18 15 Multiple 30x34 15 18x12 Conference 8

#### C R Market Surveys, Inc.

Chicago, IL

Ph. 312-583-7960 x 70 or 800-882-1983

www.crmarketsurveys.com

Cherlyn Robinson, Facility Director

Location: Office building

Distance from airport: 10 miles, 30 minutes

AU, CL, CUL, 1/1, TK, VC

11x15 12 Conference 11x15 15 Conference 25x50 10 Conference

#### C&C Market Research - Chicago

North Riverside Park Mall

7501 W. Cermak Road, Suite m-15A

North Riverside, IL 60546

Ph. 479-785-5637

corp@ccmarketresearch.com

www.ccmarketresearch.com

Craig Cunningham, President

Location: Shopping mall

Distance from airport: 10 miles, 30 minutes

Conference

(See advertisement on inside back cover)

#### Catalyst Ranch

Chicago, IL

Ph. 312-207-1710

www.catalystranchmeetings.com/focus\_Groups1.html

Jody Devins, Client Services and Marketing Location: Office building

Distance from airport: 17 miles, 25 minutes

1/1, VC, WC

21x34 Multiple 20x55 15 Multiple 20x70 Multiple 41x61 Multiple 40x81 15 Multiple



#### ClearView Research, Inc.

10600 W. Higgins, Suite 100

Rosemont, IL 60018

Ph. 847-827-9840 or 877-286-8439

Betty@clearviewresearch.com

www.clearviewresearch.com

Betty Holm, Vice President Location: Office building

Distance from airport: 1 miles, 5 minutes

AU, CL, VC, WC

18x26

Multiple 15x16 10 19x16 15 Multiple Multiple

Established in 1996, ClearView Research Inc. started as a small recruiting company and in 1999 grew into a three focus group room facility. Our largest focus group room is spacious enough to seat 50 respondents theatre style. ClearView Research Inc. has an experienced staff on-hand to recruit only qualified respondents to your specifications. Our in-house recruiting is of the highest quality for both consumer and business recruiting. We believe in keeping our clients updated throughout the process and will provide you with a current respondent summary every morning.

#### **Energy Annex**

Chicago, IL

Ph. 312-733-2639

www.energyannex.com

Mandy Capistron, Director of Project Management

Location: Free standing facility

Distance from airport: 16 miles, 30 minutes

CUL, 1/1, 1/10, VC

16x12 Multiple 14 16x30 25 Multiple 15x12 12 Multiple

#### Fact Flow Research

Chicago, IL

Ph. 312-341-8117

www.ffrfocusfacility.com

Diana Manos, Mgr. Research Operations

Location: Office building

Distance from airport: 20 miles, 30 minutes

CL, 1/1, 1/10

20x20 Conference



#### Fieldwork Chicago-Downtown

111 E. Wacker Drive, Suite 200

Chicago, IL 60601

Ph. 312-565-1866

info@chicagodowntown.fieldwork.com

www.fieldwork.com

Megan Pollard, President

Location: Office building

Distance from airport: 18 miles, 30 minutes

CL, CUL, TK, TKO, WC

21x24 Conference 15 21x29 20 Conference 23x25 18 Conference 20x27 25 Conference 10 Conference

Fieldwork Chicago-Downtown is located in the heart of the city and features spectacular views of Michigan Avenue and the Chicago River. You will love the easy access to hotels, restaurants, and shopping. In addition to top-notch recruiting and customer service, we offer HD Recording options and immersive 360-degree video with streaming provided by FocusVision. Our five conference suites vary in size for your convenience, and each comes with ample viewing area and separate private lounges. Come see why Chicago is your kind of town and Fieldwork Chicago-Downtown is vour kind of facility!

(See advertisement on pp. 83, 99, back cover)



## Fieldwork Chicago-O'Hare

8420 W. Bryn Mawr Ave., Suite 200

Chicago, IL 60631

Ph. 773-714-8700

info@ohare.fieldwork.com

www.fieldwork.com

Kate Albert, President

Location: Office building

Distance from airport: 3 miles, 5 minutes

CL, CUL, 1/10, TK, WC

Conference 20x25 20 Conference 21x21 20 21x15 15 Conference 20x20 15 Conference

Fieldwork Chicago-O'Hare is 12,000 square feet of elegantly modern research space, nestled in between Chicago and surrounding suburbs. Our facility is just 3 miles from O'Hare International Airport, 10 miles from downtown and is conveniently located adjacent to public transportation and major expressways. Our five-room facility includes a number of amenities like spacious lounges, a large kitchen, and a beautiful multi-purpose space and patio. We can accommodate

any room set-up and all rooms are equipped with HD recording and 360-degree cameras provided by FocusVision. Our highly trained team of project managers and on-site recruiters come with a wealth of experience and a can-do attitude. Come to Chicago O'Hare for the ultimate in luxury and convenience. (See advertisement on pp. 83, 99, back cover)



Fieldwork Chicago-Schaumburg

425 N. Martingale Road, Suite 2000

Schaumburg, IL 60173

Ph. 847-413-9040

in fo@schaumburg.fieldwork.com

www.fieldwork.com

Karyn Picchiotti, President

Location: Office building Distance from airport: 10 miles, 20 minutes

CL, CUL, 1/1, 1/10, TK, WC

20x25 6 Conference 22x19 6 Conference 25x20 Conference 20 17x20 15 Conference 20x20 Conference 15

Fieldwork Chicago-Schaumburg offers over 10,000 square feet of premier accommodations. Five spectacular conference rooms seat anywhere from 12 - 40 respondents and viewing rooms up to 20. All are complimented by amazing views of the Chicago skyline, lakes and woods. Our experienced in-house recruiting team boasts a large database and a can-do attitude. Our client services and management team has over 50 years of combined experience available to assist you. Along with HD Recording options, we have immersive 360-degree video with streaming provided by FocusVision. We are located less than 30 minutes from O'Hare and 1 block from Woodfield Mall and numerous restaurants. Visit us and see why Fieldwork Chicago Schaumburg is the Midwest at its best. (See advertisement on pp. 83, 99, back cover)



Fieldwork Flex

111 E. Wacker Drive, Suite 220

Chicago, IL 60601

Ph. 312-285-2060

Arvno@fieldwork.com

www.fieldwork.com Aryn O'donnell, Director of Corporate Services

Location: Office building

Multiple 29x29 Conference 21x16 21x13 Conference 16x14 Multiple Multiple 11x16

Fieldwork Flex, a brand new creative research space in downtown Chicago, was designed to be an inspirational place for researchers and participants. Flex provides an atmosphere that elicits insights and creativity with a large, open versatile room, and 4 spacious break out rooms with flexible set ups. It is located in the heart of downtown, convenient for respondents and clients. You can also expect Fieldwork quality hosting, recruiting and project management services. Call or e-mail Aryn O'Donnell to schedule a tour or get a quote on your next project. (See advertisement on pp. 83, 99, back cover)

Location: Office building, Freestanding building, Shopping mall

CL - Client Lounge 1/1 - One-on-One Room 1/10R - One-on-One Obs. TK - Test Kitchen TKO - Test Kitchen Obs.

**CUL-Computer Usability Lab** PUL-Product Usability Lab VC - Videoconferencina WC - Webconferencing AU - Auditorium

Conference - Conference-Style Room Living - Living Room-Style Room Multiple - Both Styles

Room dimensions, when stated, are shown in feet.



#### Focus Centre of Chicago, Inc.

211 E. Ontario, Suite 400 Chicago, IL 60611 Ph. 312-628-7171 info@focuscentre-chicago.com www.focuscentre-chicago.com Lynn Rissman, President Location: Office building

Distance from airport: 25 miles, 45 minutes CL, VC, WC

23x30

18 Multiple 18x30 18 Multiple 18x30 Multiple 18 18x15 12 Multiple

Prestigious facility in downtown Chicago just steps from North Michigan Ave. Four luxurious suites with spacious group rooms, tiered observation rooms with floor-to-ceiling mirrors, luxurious client lounges, massage chairs, zoned temperature/volume controls and closed-circuit viewing. Large all-purpose room for juries, or any audience or classroom set-up needs. Expert recruiting for business, medical and consumer studies. Experienced project management to meet all

# **G** Focus Pointe Global

#### DEEPER CONNECTIONS. DEEPER INSIGHTS

Focus Pointe Global - Chicago 645 N. Michigan Ave., Suite 600

Chicago, IL 60611

Ph. 312-924-0114 or 888-873-6287 chicago@focuspointeglobal.com

www.focuspointeglobal.com

Samir Ali, Facility Director

Location: Office building

Distance from airport: 10 miles, 30 minutes

CL, CUL, 1/1, 1/10, TK, VC, WC

16x22 15 Multiple Multiple 18x22 15 16x22 15 Multiple 15 Multiple 16x21

Focus Pointe Global sets the industry standard for qualitative/quantitative marketing research data collection services. 18 premier focus group facilities in major U.S. commercial centers. Services include: focus groups, taste tests, jury simulation, product placements, Webcam focus groups, online communities, qualitative/quantitative research. Locations: Appleton, Wis.; Atlanta; Atlanta-Buckhead; Bala Cynwyd, Pa.; Boston; Chicago; Chicago-Oakbrook; Columbus, Ohio; Dallas; Kansas City, Mo.; Los Angeles; Minneapolis; New York City; Philadelphia; Phoenix; St. Louis; San Francisco; Teaneck, N.J. (See advertisement on p. 3)

Multiple

# G Focus Pointe

DEEPER CONNECTIONS DEEPER INSIGHTS

Focus Pointe Global - Chicago (Oak Brook) 2311 W. 22nd St., Suite 100

Oak Brook, IL 60523

Ph. 630-990-8300 or 888-873-6287 oakbrook@focuspointeglobal.com www.focuspointeglobal.com

Jill Tagas, Facility Director

Location: Office building

Distance from airport: 15 miles, 25 minutes

CL, CUL, TK, VC, WC

18x30 20 Multiple 20x18 10 Multiple

Focus Pointe Global sets the industry standard for qualitative/quantitative marketing research data collection services. 18 premier focus group facilities in major U.S. commercial centers. Services include: focus groups, taste tests, jury simulation, product placements, Webcam focus groups, online communities, qualitative/quantitative research. Locations: Appleton, Wis.; Atlanta; Atlanta-Buckhead; Bala Cynwyd, Pa.; Boston; Chicago; Chicago-Oakbrook; Columbus, Ohio; Dallas; Kansas City, Mo.; Los Angeles; Minneapolis; New York City; Philadelphia; Phoenix; St. Louis; San Francisco; Teaneck, N.J. (See advertisement on p. 3)



#### FOCUSCOPE, Inc.

34x19

515 N. State St., Suite 1920 Chicago, IL 60654 Ph. 708-386-5086 krooney@focuscope.com www.focuscope.com Kevin Rooney, President Location: Office building Distance from airport: 12 miles, 25 minutes CL, CUL, 1/1, 1/10, VC, WC 22x20 Multiple 16 24x18 12 Multiple

3 spectacular facilities (Chicago, Oak Brook, Oak Park), all Impulse "Top Rated". Chicago facility Newly Remodeled. We have the industry's most complete database, worked by our experienced, well-supervised recruit staff. Precise quality control; attentive, proactive service at every level; superb cuisine options; and every available technological resource. Capabilities include: online community platforms, panel development, field management, central location testing, online surveys, usability testing, ethnographies, shop-a-longs, ethnic recruiting, online community recruiting, mock juries.

Multiple

(See advertisement on p. 93)

#### FOCUSCOPE, Inc. (Br.)

1100 Lake St., Suite 60 Oak Park, IL 60301 Ph. 708-386-5086 kroonev@focuscope.com www.focuscope.com Kevin Rooney, President Location: Office building Distance from airport: 10 miles, 25 minutes CL, CUL, 1/1, 1/10, TK, VC, WC 22x15 12 Multiple 22x15 11 Multiple (See advertisement on p. 93)

#### FOCUSCOPE, Inc. (Br.)

One Oakbrook Terrace, Suite 320 Oakbrook Terrace, IL 60181 Ph. 708-386-5086 kroonev@focuscope.com www.focuscope.com Kevin Rooney, President Distance from airport: 16 miles, 30 minutes CL, CUL, 1/1, 1/10, VC, WC Multiple 29x14 15 21x23 20 Multiple 21x23 20 Multiple (See advertisement on p. 93)

#### GfK

12X09

Chicago, IL

Ph. 630-320-3900 www.qfk.com/ux Catherine Hwang, Office Manager Location: Office building Distance from airport: 18 miles, 30 minutes CL, CUL, 1/1, 1/10, PTL, VC, WC 12 Multiple 8x12 8x12 12 Multiple 8x12 12 Multiple 8x07 12 Multiple 10X06 12 Multiple 8X09 Multiple 12

# 6 Market Ease Multicultural

Chicago, IL Ph. 888-679-9910 or 312-654-9910 www.market-ease.com Iliana Ruiz Moran, President Location: Office building Distance from airport: 15 miles, 30 minutes CL, CUL, 1/1

Multiple

#### Matrix Research, Inc.

Chicago, IL Ph. 312-224-8492 www.matrix-r.com Location: Office building Distance from airport: 10 miles, 20 minutes CL 20x20 25 Conference 20x16 16 Living 17x15 12 Conference

#### National Data Research, Inc.

Skokie, IL Ph. 847-501-3200 www.national-data.net Jay Velasco, Director Research Services Location: Office building Distance from airport: 14 miles, 20 minutes AU, CL, CUL, 1/1, 1/10, PTL, TK, VC, WC Multiple 31x17 20 Multiple 27x18 20 28x17 20 Multiple 20 Multiple

#### National Data Research, Inc.

Chicago, IL Ph. 847-501-3200 www.national-data.net Jay Velasco, Director Research Services Location: Office building Distance from airport: 16 miles, 25 minutes AU, CL, CUL, 1/1, 1/10, PTL, TK, VC, WC 19x17 20 Multiple 19x17 Multiple 15 24x17 20 Multiple 26x16 15 Multiple 12x17 5 Living

#### National Qualitative Centers, Inc.

Chicago, IL

Ph. 800-335-1222 or 312-642-1001

www.ngcchicago.com

Pam Kowalewski, Director

Location: Office building

Distance from airport: 20 miles, 35 minutes

CL, CUL, 1/1, 1/10, VC, WC

24x23	7	Multiple
23x20	6	Conference
23x20	8	Multiple
24x19	15	Conference
23x13	8	Conference
34x20	13	Multiple
12x11	6	Conference
40x20	24	Conference
Multiple		Conference

#### Opinions, Ltd. - Chicago West

Norridge, IL Ph. 440-893-0300 www.opinionsltd.com

Chris Sluder, Vice President

Distance from airport: 31 miles, 45 minutes

1/1, 1/10, VC, WC

20x14 Conference

#### Opinions, Ltd. - Chicago North

Gurnee, IL Ph. 440-893-0300

www.opinionsltd.com

Chris Sluder, Vice President Location: Shopping mall

Distance from airport: 33 miles, 43 minutes

1/1, TK, VC, WC

Conference 8x23

#### Opinions, Ltd. - Chicago South

Aurora, IL

Ph. 440-893-0300

www.opinionsltd.com

Chris Sluder, Vice President Distance from airport: 31 miles, 45 minutes

1/1, 1/10, VC, WC

20x14 Conference

#### P&K Research

Chicago, IL

Ph. 773-774-3100 or 800-747-5522

www.pk-research.com

Location: Office building

Distance from airport: 10 miles, 15 minutes

AU, CL, 1/1, 1/10, TK, TKO, VC, WC

21x20 22 Conference

Conference 21x32 14



#### Plaza Research-Chicago

8725 W. Higgins Road

Chicago, IL 60631

Ph. 773-714-9600 or 800-654-8002

hepstein@plazaresearch.com

www.plazaresearch.com

Holli Epstein, Director

17x24

Location: Office building

Distance from airport: 5 minutes

AU, CL, CUL, 1/1, 1/10, TK, TKO, VC, WC

18x33 17 Multiple 16x24 17 Conference 16x22 17 Multiple

The nation's premier network of focus group facilities! Plaza Research offers multi-city project coordination in 14 locations with an extensive nationwide database. One experienced project manager will be your sole contact for the duration of your project at any of our markets. Our focus group suites are designed with tiered seating, volume controls, private phone booths, simultaneous in-depth interview rooms and client-viewable test kitchens. Five minutes to Rivers Casino or Fashion Outlets of Chicago in Rosemont.

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We provide complimentary high-speed Internet access in all client suites, conference rooms and lounges. Streamline is our in-house videostreaming option. (See advertisement on p. 105)



#### Precision Research, Inc.

999 E. Touhy Ave., Suite 100 Des Plaines, IL 60018

Ph. 847-390-8666 saa@preres.com

www.preres.com

Scott Adleman, President

Location: Office building

Distance from airport: 2 miles, 10 minutes AU, CL, CUL, 1/1, 1/10, PTL, TK, TKO, VC, WC

26x29 Conference 25 Conference 15x26 16 15x26 16 Conference 24x36 12 Conference

Extensively renovated this year (2014). Huge Creative Suite for living room setting, break out areas, writable wall, and food prep ability in adjacent room. Super modern upscale design. Rebuild, so new pictures not available at time of printing. Check the website. Now offering National Recruiting using PrecisionScreen. Commercial test kitchen. Convenient O'Hare location.

#### Q&M Research, Inc.

Mokena, IL

Ph. 708-479-3210

www.QandM.com

Donald Tucker, President

Location: Free standing facility Distance from airport: 30 miles, 30 minutes

CL, 1/1, 1/10, TK, TK0

14x21 10 Conference 14x21 10 Multiple Multiple 28x41 12

#### Quick Test/Heakin (Branch)

Lombard, IL

Ph. 815-439-2053 www.quicktest.com

Christy Crossan

Location: Shopping mall

10 x 17

Conference



#### **R5** Research

1046 W. Kinzie

Floor 2

Chicago, IL 60642 Ph. 312-327-1709

rebecca.spooner@r5chicago.com www.r5chicago.com

Rebecca Spooner, Research Manager

Location: Office building Distance from airport: 17 miles, 25 minutes

CL. 1/1. VC

24x20 15 Multiple Multiple 12x12 15 12x8 15 Multiple

Located in Chicago's West Loop and just 5 minutes from downtown, R5's amenities include a customizable 3-in-1 focus group room, a spacious observation room to comfortably seat 20, and a cozy client lounge that includes a closed circuit viewing TV. In addition to our focus group suite we also house a 3500 square foot gallery space that includes a full bar. Our gallery space can be used for a variety of functions including events, workshops, or meetings.

#### Schlesinger Group Chicago

625 N. Michigan Ave., Suite 2600

Chicago, IL 60611

Ph. 312-587-8100

chicago@SchlesingerGroup.com

www.schlesingerassociates.com

Gina Jaeger, Account Director Location: Office building

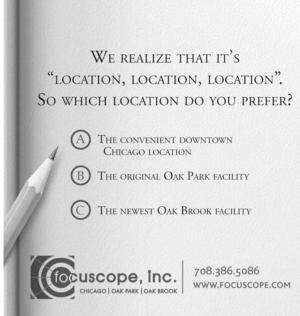
Distance from airport: 20 miles, 30 minutes

AU, CL, CUL, 1/1, 1/10, TK, VC, WC Multiple 17x14 12

20x16 14 Multiple 20x16 14 Multiple 20x16 14 Multiple

25x15 Multiple 14 20x15 Multiple 14 20x15 12 Multiple

(See advertisement on inside front cover)



Location: Office building, Freestanding building, Shopping mall

CL - Client Lounge CUL-Computer Usability Lab 1/1 - One-on-One Room PUL-Product Usability Lab 1/10R - One-on-One Obs. VC - Videoconferencing TK - Test Kitchen WC - Webconferencing TKO - Test Kitchen Obs. AU - Auditorium

Conference - Conference-Style Room Living - Living Room-Style Room Multiple - Both Styles

Room dimensions, when stated, are shown in feet.

#### Schlesinger Group Chicago O'Hare

9550 Higgins Road, Suite 1150 Rosemont, IL 60018 Ph. 847-720-2660 ohare@SchlesingerGroup.com www.schlesingerassociates.com Gina Jaeger, Account Director Location: Office building Distance from airport: 5 miles, 3 minutes AU, CL, 1/1, 1/10, PTL, TK, VC, WC Multiple 22x17 10 22x17 10 Multiple

(See advertisement on inside front cover)



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QUALITATIVE PRACTICE

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#### Shapiro+Raj

21x18

25x17

153 W. Ohio St., Suite 400 Chicago, IL 60654 Ph. 312-321-8100 susan.stanicek@shapiroraj.com www.shapiroraj.com/qfp Susan Stanicek Location: Free standing facility Distance from airport: 15 miles, 35 minutes AU, CL, CUL, 1/1, 1/10, PTL, TK, TKO, VC, WC Multiple 25x19 12 23x15 15 Multiple

Shapiro+Raj Qualitative Fieldwork Practice (formerly Survey Center Focus) houses their award-winning facility in downtown Chicago featuring a sophisticated and comfortable loft setting including tiered viewing, lounges with a fireplace, residential kitchen and bathroom, and HD video. Two full-service research suites plus an ideation room; all highly adaptable to fit the needs of your project. Shapiro+Raj has decades of experience with national/international project design and management as well as a strong bench of highly vetted expert moderators. Recruiting expertise in B2B/C-suite, physician, rare patient, and consumers. They've elevated recruiting into the next generation with their innovative Social Adaptive Recruiting tools. These tools combine their digital strength of identifying qualified participants based on behaviors and traditional "on the ground" methods to deliver the best research participants that get to great insights.

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#### Smith Research, Inc.

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Deerfield, IL Ph. 847-948-0440 www.smithresearch.com Kevin Smith, President Location: Free standing facility Distance from airport: 15 miles, 20 minutes AU, CL, CUL, 1/1, 1/10, TK, VC, WC Conference 26x18 20 Conference 26x16 15 26x16 15 Living

#### Smith Research, Inc. (Br.)

Chicago, IL

24x18

Ph. 847-948-0440 www.smithresearch.com Kevin Smith, President Location: Office building Distance from airport: 15 miles, 45 minutes CL, CUL, 1/1, 1/10, TK, VC, WC 20x24 20 Conference 21x21 20 Conference 20x16 20 Living 24x18 15 Conference

Conference

# 20 Solutions in Marketing

Crest Hill, IL Ph. 815-744-7950 or 815-744-9662 www.solutionsmarketresearch.com

Bridget Adell, President Location: Office building

Distance from airport: 30 miles, 35 minutes CL, 1/1, 1/10, TK, TKO, VC, WC 15 Multiple 20x19

#### Test America, a division of CRG Global

Woodfield Shopping Center 5 Woodfield Shopping Center, Suite D128 Schaumburg, IL 60173 Ph. 866-209-2553 crgsales@crgglobalinc.com www.crgtestamerica.com Jennifer Schwartz, Director of Field Operations Location: Shopping mall Distance from airport: 14 miles, 18 minutes CL, CUL, 1/1, 1/10, PTL, TK, TKO, VC, WC Multiple



1 E. Erie St., Suite 600

Chicago, IL 60611

#### watchLAB

Ph. 312-600-0990 emira.morina@watchlab.com www.watchlab.com Brian Parker, President Location: Office building Distance from airport: 17 miles, 45 minutes AU, CL, CUL, 1/1, 1/10, PTL, VC, WC 23x25 20 Multiple 21x20 8 Multiple 23x12 8 Multiple

watchLAB's studios are just upstairs from Prada and only steps away from the Magnificent Mile in two of America's finest cities. We are proof you really can have it all: quality nationwide-recruiting, proactive hands-on project management and an excellence in service top to bottom. With state-of-the-art technology and celebrated aesthetics that put people at ease, our facilities always foster the freedom to stay focused on the project. Whether it's a focus group, online board, or any methodology in between, we offer value-added recommendations with the project's successful end results in mind.

#### Peoria

# Scotti Research, Inc.

Peoria, IL Ph. 309-673-6194 www.scottiresearch.com Nancy Matheis, President Location: Free standing facility Distance from airport: 20 miles, 20 minutes 1/1, 1/10, TK, TK0 20x30 14 Conference

# Indiana

## Evansville

#### Product Acceptance & Research (PAR)

Evansville, IN

Ph. 812-214-2055 or 800-457-3594

www.par-research.com

Woody Youngs

Location: Free standing facility Distance from airport: 1 miles, 5 minutes

CL, 1/1, TK

30x28 Conference

# Fort Wayne

#### Advantage Research of Northern Indiana

Fort Wayne, IN

Ph. 260-471-6880 or 734-272-8119 (Hq.)

www.advantageresearch.net

Darla Kellermeyer, Director of Research

Location: Free standing facility

Distance from airport: 15 miles, 20 minutes

CL, 1/1, 1/10

15x20 10 Conference

#### Indiana Research Service, Inc.

Fort Wayne, IN Ph. 260-485-2442 www.indianaresearch.com Location: Office building

Distance from airport: 7 miles, 20 minutes

1/1, 1/10, VC

28x25 Conference

# **Indianapolis**



# Herron Associates, Inc.

Opinion and Marketing Research

# Herron Associates, Inc.

The Idea Center® 6049 Lakeside Blvd. Indianapolis, IN 46278 Ph. 317-882-3800 or 800-392-3828

indy@herron-research.com www.herron-research.com Sue McAdams, President Location: Office building

Distance from airport: 12 miles, 20 minutes

AU, CL, 1/1, 1/10, PTL, TK, TKO, VC, WC 21x24 15 Multiple 20x23 15 Multiple 16x20 Multiple 8 34x39 14 Multiple

Experienced and reliable. Herron Associates is focused on Qualitative, Quantitative and mixed methods research in our Indianapolis and Tampa locations or any market your research takes you. Trust a team with a proven record and expertise to deliver services ranging from data collection to full-service research and design. Best-in-class service and premium amenities in Indianapolis with oversized well-appointed suites, large viewable CLT and a 960 square foot commercial test kitchen. Let Herron simplify your project and become an extension of your team. We believe that "only the best will do" and that our clients should never settle for "good enough".

19x17

30x75

Conference



IndyFocus, Inc.

1314 N. Meridian St., Suite 100 Indianapolis, IN 46202 Ph. 317-644-5300 quote@indyfocus.com www.indyfocus.com Beth Brown

Location: Office building

Distance from airport: 12 miles, 20 minutes

CL. VC 23x21

Multiple 17x17 12 Multiple Multiple 12 11x11

Centrally headquartered in Indianapolis, with partner facilities in top U.S. markets - New York, Los Angeles, Chicago, Dallas, Atlanta, southern Florida and Phoenix - IndyFocus can quickly and effectively coordinate research with a single phone call. Our in-house, global recruiting and fielding for hard-to-find respondents ensures the respondents you need to gather meaningful data - even on complex, tight-timeline projects.

#### Laukhuff Consulting Inc

Indianapolis, IN Ph. 317-436-7844 or 317-408-7673 www.laukhuffconsulting.com Location: Free standing facility

#### Opinions, Ltd. - Indianapolis

Indianapolis, IN Ph. 440-893-0300 www.opinionsltd.com Chris Sluder, Vice President Location: Shopping mall Distance from airport: 38 miles, 45 minutes 1/1, 1/10, VC, WC 20x14 Conference

## Walker Research Focus Group Facility

Indianapolis, IN Ph. 317-806-2701 or 317-679-5582 www.walkerinfo.com Barbara Miller, Vice President Location: Office building Distance from airport: 20 miles, 20 minutes CL, 1/1, 1/10

#### South Bend

#### Indiana Research Service, Inc. (Br.)

South Bend, IN Ph. 866-600-2442 www.indianaresearch.com Location: Office building

Distance from airport: 7 miles, 15 minutes

CL30x16

18x18

Conference

Multiple

#### Iowa

# Cedar Rapids

#### Vernon Research Group

Cedar Rapids, IA Ph. 319-364-7278 www.vernonresearch.com Location: Office building Distance from airport: 10 miles, 15 minutes CL, 1/1, TK, VC, WC

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Des Moines



#### ESSMAN/RESEARCH

#### Essman Research

2910 Westown Parkway, Suite 302 West Des Moines, IA 50266 Ph. 515-237-0324

d.stearns@essmanresearch.com www.essmanresearch.com

Deborah Stearns, Marketing Research Director

Location: Office building

Distance from airport: 10 miles, 12 minutes

25x19

15

Conference

For nearly 40 years, Essman Research has provided full-service custom-designed qualitative and quantitative research services. On May 1, 2017, State Public Policy Group (SPPG), located in West Des Moines, Iowa, acquired Essman Research. Our new state-ofthe-art focus facility, now located in West Des Moines, Iowa, offers digital audio and video recording, FocusVision, tiered seating for 15 observers, inhouse moderators, and a professional and responsive research staff. Our experienced moderators conduct focus groups at our facility in West Des Moines, in rural communities and metropolitan areas across the country.

#### Mid-Iowa Interviewing, Inc.

Des Moines, IA Ph. 515-225-6232 or 888-425-6232 www.midiowainterviewing.com Doug Brown, President Location: Office building Distance from airport: 9 miles, 15 minutes 1/1, 1/10 20x13 Conference



## **Revelations Research Solutions**

501 S.W. Seventh St., Suite M Des Moines, IA 50309 Ph. 515-243-0785 or 877-800-0785 tgrantham@revelationsresearchsolutions.com www.revelationsresearchsolutions.com Teresa Grantham, President of Operations Location: Office building Distance from airport: 4 miles, 10 minutes AU, CL, CUL, 1/1, 1/10, PTL, TK, TKO, VC 28x18 12 Conference 28x18 12 Multiple

Full-service marketing research facility offering quantitative and qualitative expertise. Revelations is the Midwest's premier facility for on-site and Webbased focus group interviewing and research design. Revelations offers two state-of-the-art focus group suites, with floor-to-ceiling glass, three cameras, client lounges, in-depth interviewing facilities, video-streaming and a state-of-the-art test kitchen. Revelations also offers a full complement of quantitative analysis, offering survey and research design and development, advanced statistical techniques, analysis and online surveying.

# Davenport

# Personal Marketing Research, Inc.

Davenport, IA Ph. 563-322-1960 www.personalmarketingresearch.com Location: Free standing facility Distance from airport: 10 miles, 20 minutes CUL, 1/1, PTL, TK

16x18 12 Conference 20x40 10 Conference

#### Waterloo

#### Strategic Marketing Services

Cedar Falls, IA Ph. 319-273-2886 www.sms.uni.edu Greg Gerjerts Location: Office building Distance from airport: 6 miles, 15 minutes CL, 1/1, 1/10, VC, WC

# Kansas

# Kansas City (See Kansas City, MO)

#### Wichita

#### The Research Partnership, Inc.

Wichita, KS Ph. 316-263-6433 www.trp-ict.com Robin Mishler Location: Office building Distance from airport: 10 miles, 15 minutes CL, 1/1, 1/10

22x30 20 Conference 17x21 Conference

# Kentucky

# Lexington

#### The Matrix Group, Inc.

Lexington, KY Ph. 859-263-8177 www.tmgresearch.com Martha L. DeReamer, PRC Location: Office building Distance from airport: 10 miles, 20 minutes CL, 1/1, WC

Multiple 35x15 15 13x13 Conference

#### Louisville

# Horizon InFocus

Louisville, KY Ph. 502-992-5091 www.horizoninfocus.com Allen Fangman, Project Director Location: Office building Distance from airport: 5 miles, 10 minutes AU, CL, CUL, PTL, TK, WC 20x18 16 Conference 20x24 20 Multiple 20x38 12 Multiple

#### Opinions, Ltd. - Louisville

Clarksville, IN Ph. 440-893-0300 www.opinionsltd.com Chris Sluder, Vice President Location: Shopping mall Distance from airport: 12 miles, 19 minutes 1/1, TK, VC, WC 20x10 10 Conference

#### Personal Opinion, Inc.

Louisville, KY Ph. 502-899-2400 www.personalopinion.com Stephanie Neal Location: Free standing facility Distance from airport: 4 miles, 10 minutes CL, CUL, 1/1, TK, WC Multiple 24x19 25 20x17 15 Conference 21x20 Multiple 15

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Location: Office building, Freestanding building, Shopping mall

CL - Client Lounge 1/1 - One-on-One Room 1/10R - One-on-One Obs. TK - Test Kitchen TKO - Test Kitchen Obs.

**CUL-Computer Usability Lab** PUL-Product Usability Lab VC - Videoconferencina WC - Webconferencing AU - Auditorium

Conference - Conference-Style Room Living - Living Room-Style Room Multiple - Both Styles

Room dimensions, when stated, are shown in feet.

# Louisiana

# **Baton Rouge**

Baton Rouge, LA Ph. 800-695-0221 or 225-928-0220 www.surveycommunications.com John S. Boston Location: Free standing facility Distance from airport: 5 miles, 10 minutes

CL, 1/1, TK, WC 14x23 19 Conference

16x26 19 Multiple 21x25 19 Multiple

# New Orleans

#### Focus Group Testing

New Orleans, LA Ph. 504-558-1820 or 504-571-6350 www.focusqrouptesting.com Morgan Valerie, Project Supervisor Location: Office building Distance from airport: 16 miles, 24 minutes

1/1, 1/10

22x13

Multiple

## Gulf View Research, LLC

Metairie, LA Ph. 504-885-3946 or 504-454-1737 www.gulfviewres.com Kellie Gussoni, VP Location: Office building Distance from airport: 7 miles, 10 minutes CL, TK, VC, WC

12x18 Multiple 15x18 Multiple

## Maine

#### Portland



# Critical Insights, Inc.

172 Commercial St. Portland, MF 04101 Ph. 207-772-4011 or 207-985-7660 bob.domine@digitalresearch.com www.drgonline.com Location: Free standing facility Distance from airport: 10 miles, 5 minutes 1/1, 1/10, VC, WC Multiple

Critical Insights, a Digital Research Group brand, has served Northern New England since 1992. Our stateof-the-art qualitative research suite is conveniently

located on the waterfront in downtown Portland, ME. The focus room comfortably seats up to 14 participants, with ample work space for respondents. The adjacent, two-tiered client viewing area comfortably seats eight. The facility features and amenities including wall-mounted cameras and hidden microphones for unobtrusive video and audio taping, and a dedicated client lounge. Critical Insights has two trained moderators on staff.

#### Market Research Unlimited, Inc.

South Portland, ME Ph. 207-775-3684 www.mrumaine.weebly.com Fran Mavodones, President Location: Office building Distance from airport: 1 miles, 5 minutes CL, 1/1, 1/10, TK, TK0 10 Conference 22x15

# Maryland

# **Baltimore**



#### **Baltimore Research**

8320 Bellona Ave., Suite 210 Baltimore, MD 21204 Ph. 410-583-9991 info@baltimoreresearch.com www.baltimoreresearch.com Heather Collins, PRC, Director of Operations Location: Office building Distance from airport: 21 miles, 30 minutes AU, CL, CUL, 1/1, 1/10, PTL, TK, TKO, VC, WC

Multiple Multiple 17x21 18 Multiple 23x17 16 26x30 12 Multiple Multiple 18x20 13 20x40 20 Multiple 20x40 15 Multiple 12x12 8 Conference Multiple Conference

Baltimore Research features 8 focus suites, chic client lounges, 4 kitchens (one with observational viewing), private bathrooms, full-time chef and free parking. Suites have the latest technology to deliver highquality research: FocusVision HD and SurgeStream video streaming, digital recording, content-ondemand playback, fiberoptic Wi-Fi, usability lab with eye tracking technology, Perception Analyzer dials and mobile data collection tools. Recruitment is done by a highly-experienced team. We also have moderators on staff who provide value-added insight to the research

#### C&C Market Research - Baltimore

Arundel Mills Mall 7000 Arundel Mills Center, Suite 324 Hanover, MD 21076 Ph. 479-785-5637 corp@ccmarketresearch.com www.ccmarketresearch.com Craig Cunningham Location: Shopping mall Distance from airport: 7 miles, 10 minutes 10x6 Conference (See advertisement on inside back cover)



#### **Observation Baltimore**

5520 Research Park Drive Six minutes to BWI airport and AMTRAK Baltimore, MD 21228 Ph. 410-332-0400 Ryan@obaltimore.com www.observationbaltimore.com Ryan Ross, Account Executive Location: Office building Distance from airport: 5 miles, 6 minutes AU, CL, CUL, 1/1, 1/10, PTL, VC, WC

Multiple 19x21 12 Multiple 20x21 12 23x25 15 Multiple 32x35 50 Multiple

At Observation Baltimore, Experienced Recruiting Makes the Difference. As the premier focus group facility in Maryland, we offer precise recruiting of consumers, physicians, health care professionals, and business professionals. Our experienced recruiting is the foundation of our mission, as well as courteous and pro-active hospitality and client services. Just six minutes from BWI Airport and Amtrak, our Baltimore research facility has a great location. Most importantly, we understand market research.

#### Quick Test/Heakin (Branch)

Baltimore, MD Ph. 410-933-9400 www.quicktest.com Christy Crossan Location: Shopping mall

1/1, TK

17.7x14.9 8 Conference

# Massachussetts

#### Boston



# AnswerQuest, an Insights Center Facility

110 Cummings Park Drive Woburn, MA 01801 Ph. 781-897-1822 jmiller@answerquestresearch.com www.answerquestresearch.com Location: Free standing facility Distance from airport: 9 miles, 15 minutes CUL, TK, TKO, VC, WC

Our 9,000 sf office was built with flexibility and comfort in mind. Largest commercial test kitchen in the NE (900 square feet) includes ventilation, walk-in cooler and freezer, commercial gas ovens, adjustable electrical and plenty of stainless prep. The adjacent computerized CLT lab can seat up to 50, and offers viewing for up to 15 clients. Our oversized focus room also offers viewing for 15, and quali-quant clients can watch both at once. A second residential kitchen, CLT lab that seats up to 35, and full sized focus room with viewing for 12 make AnswerQuest the most adaptable facility in Boston. WiFi, streaming (in-house and industry) Instant Update™ and Access™. (See advertisement on p. 19)

#### C&C Market Research - Boston

Natick Mall 1245 Worcester St., Suite 2016 Natick, MA 01760 Ph. 508-545-0325

boston@ccmarketresearch.com www.ccmarketresearch.com Matt Zimich

Location: Shopping mall

Distance from airport: 25 miles, 55 minutes

CL, VC, WC

12x20 Conference 12x20 Living

(See advertisement on inside back cover)



#### Cambridge Focus

Two Clock Tower Place Maynard, MA 01754 Ph. 617-494-0310 details@cambridgefocus.com www.cambridgefocus.com Lloyd Simon, Director Location: Office building Distance from airport: 5 miles, 20 minutes

AU, CUL, 1/1, 1/10, VC, WC

Conference 20x17 12 Multiple 60x40 40

Our partnership with the prestigious Center for Marketing Technology at Bentley University in Waltham, Mass., offers state-of-the-art resources and expert advice in ways not available elsewhere. Ideal for B2B, consumer, social, government, nonprofit, Gen Y. Standard focus rooms plus on-site, tiered "smart theater." Five minutes from Marriott, Doubletree and Hilton. Thirty minutes from Logan International and Amtrak. "Top Rated" by Impulse for focus facilities in Boston, participant recruiting locally and nationwide. Facility recruits, depth interviews, auditorium tests, field management.



#### Center for Marketing Technology

175 Forest St. Waltham, MA 02452 Ph. 617-494-0310 details@cambridgefocus.com www.bentley.edu/cmt Lloyd Simon Location: Office building Distance from airport: 15 miles, 30 minutes AU, CL, CUL, 1/1, 1/10, PTL, VC, WC

20x17 40 Conference 60x40 12 Multiple

The Center for Marketing Technology, located on the campus of Bentley University in Waltham, Mass., offers state-of-the-art resources and expert assistance not available elsewhere. Ideal for B2B, consumer, social, government, nonprofit, Gen Y. Standard focus rooms plus on-site, tiered "smart theater." Five minutes from Marriott, Doubletree and Hilton. Thirty minutes from Logan International and Amtrak. Participants recruited from throughout the Boston metropolitan area in partnership with Cambridge Focus.

#### **Copley Focus Centers**

Boston, MA Ph. 617-421-4444 www.copleyfocuscenters.com Frank Amelia, Partner Location: Office building Distance from airport: 4 miles, 10 minutes AU, CL, CUL, 1/1, 1/10, VC 16x24 15 Conference

12x16 8 Conference 33x17 15 Conference 15x18 10 Conference

#### **Davis Advertising**

Worcester, MA Ph. 508-752-4615 ex 223 www.davisad.com Andy Davis, President Location: Free standing facility Distance from airport: 8 miles, 25 minutes Conference 17x36



#### Fieldwork Boston

880 Winter St., Suite 330 Waltham, MA 02451 Ph. 781-899-3660 info@boston.fieldwork.com www.fieldwork.com Christine Lally, President Location: Office building

Distance from airport: 15 miles, 20 minutes

CL, CUL, 1/1, 1/10, WC

Conference 28x24 24 25x30 16 Conference 23x20 16 Conference 19x21 8 Conference 20x19 12 Conference 15x18 6 Conference

Fieldwork Boston was planned and designed with the client in mind. Our philosophy is simple: your success is our success. Your special requests are always handled courteously, and quality recruiting is our number one priority. We offer six spacious conference rooms, including the largest conference room in the Boston area, all with adjacent viewing and separate client lounges. Along with HD Recording options, we have immersive 360-degree video with streaming provided by FocusVision. Staffed with fully trained professionals, you'll get the efficiency, attention to detail and commitment to quality you expect.

(See advertisement on pp. 83, 99, back cover)



#### Focus On Boston - Suburban

10 Forbes Road Braintree, MA 02184 Ph. 800-699-2770 Larry@focusonboston.com www.focusonboston.com Larry Jenkins Location: Office building

Distance from airport: 8 miles, 20 minutes

AU, CL, TK, VC 20x20 16

Multiple 20x20 Multiple 16

Located in the heart of Boston's suburbs, our Braintree-suburban facility is ideally situated at the crossroads of three major highways and just 8 miles from downtown Boston. Braintree is extremely accessible and convenient for both clients and respondents from the suburbs or the city. We offer two spacious conference rooms with luxurious client lounges and provide unmatched recruiting in the Northeast with an extensive, diverse database. Our show rates are among the best in the industry!



Focus On Boston - Waterfront

30 Rowes Wharf (Adjacent to Boston Harbor Hotel)

Boston, MA 02110 Ph. 800-699-2770

Larry@focusonboston.com www.focusonboston.com

Larry Jenkins

Location: Office building

Distance from airport: 5 miles, 10 minutes AU, CL, 1/1, 1/10, TK, VC, WC

20x20 Conference 14 20x22 15 Conference 20x20 20 Conference 12x08 8 Conference

Located on Boston's beautiful waterfront, Focus On Boston offers three spacious conference rooms with luxurious client lounges as well as an IDI suite. We provide unmatched recruiting in the Northeast with an extensive and diverse database that is continually updated and expanded. We have state-of-the-art audio/visual equipment and are proud to be a member of the FocusVision Network. Our Boston location is adjacent to the four-star Boston Harbor Hotel with special rates. Our show rates are among the best in the industry!

# Focus Pointe

#### DEEPER CONNECTIONS. DEEPER INSIGHTS.

Focus Pointe Global - Boston 18 Tremont St. 11th Floor Boston, MA 02108 Ph. 617-573-0808 or 888-873-6287 boston@focuspointeglobal.com www.focuspointeglobal.com Aurora Choi, Facility Director Distance from airport: 2 miles, 15 minutes CL, CUL, 1/1, 1/10, TK, VC, WC

Focus Pointe Global sets the industry standard for qualitative/quantitative marketing research data collection services. 18 premier focus group facilities in major U.S. commercial centers. Services include: focus groups, taste tests, jury simulation, product placements, Webcam focus groups, online communities, qualitative/quantitative research. Locations: Appleton, Wis.; Atlanta; Atlanta-Buckhead; Bala Cynwyd, Pa.; Boston; Chicago; Chicago-Oakbrook; Columbus, Ohio; Dallas; Kansas City, Mo.; Los Angeles; Minneapolis; New York City; Philadelphia; Phoenix; St. Louis; San Francisco; Teaneck, N.J. (See advertisement on p. 3)

#### **Kadence International**

Westborough, MA Ph. 508-620-1222 www.kadence.com Location: Office building Distance from airport: 20 miles, 45 minutes 18x12 Conference

#### National Field & Focus, Inc.

205 Newbury St., Suite 301 Framingham, MA 01701 Ph. 508-370-7788 info@nff-inc.com www.nff-inc.com Location: Office building Distance from airport: 18 miles, 35 minutes CL, 1/1, 1/10, TK, VC Conference 32x18 15

19x15 15 Conference 24x15 15 Conference 24x15 15 Multiple

Location: Office building, Freestanding building, Shopping mall

CL - Client Lounge 1/1 - One-on-One Room 1/10R - One-on-One Obs. TK - Test Kitchen TKO - Test Kitchen Obs.

**CUL-Computer Usability Lab** PUL-Product Usability Lab VC - Videoconferencina WC - Webconferencing AU - Auditorium

Conference - Conference-Style Room Living - Living Room-Style Room Multiple - Both Styles

Room dimensions, when stated, are shown in feet.

#### Pathfinder Innovation

Concord, MA Ph. 978-318-0650 www.pathfinderinnovation.com Karen Daily Stahl, President Location: Office building Distance from airport: 21 miles, 25 minutes CL, 1/1, 1/10 18x13 Conference

Schlesinger Group Boston, Inc.

31 Saint James Ave., Suite 930 Boston, MA 02116 Ph. 617-542-5500 boston@SchlesingerGroup.com www.schlesingerassociates.com Terri-Lyn Hawley, VP Qualitative Solutions Location: Office building Distance from airport: 8 miles, 15 minutes AU, CL, CUL, 1/1, 1/10, TK, VC, WC 21x16 16 Multiple Multiple 22x16 16 22x16 Multiple 16

# (See advertisement on inside front cover) Test America, a division of CRG Global

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Liberty Tree Mall 100 Independence Way, Suite E155-B Danvers, MA 01923 Ph. 866-209-2553 crgsales@crgglobalinc.com www.cratestamerica.com Jennifer Schwartz, Director of Field Operations Location: Shopping mall Distance from airport: 24 miles, 45 minutes CL, CUL, 1/1, 1/10, PTL, TK, TKO, VC, WC 10x28 Conference

Multiple

# Michigan

14x16

# Ann Arbor (See Detroit)

#### Battle Creek

#### WJ Schroer Company

Battle Creek, MI Ph. 269-963-4874 or 269-963-4844 www.socialmarketing.org Bill Schroer, Principal Location: Office building Distance from airport: 20 miles, 30 minutes 11x18 Conference

#### Detroit

C&C Market Research - Detroit

Laurel Park Place Mall 37700 W. Six Mile Road, Suite 90A Livonia, MI 48152 Ph. 479-785-5637 corp@ccmarketresearch.com www.ccmarketresearch.com (See advertisement on inside back cover)

#### **C&F Market Research**

24301 Telegraph Road, Suite 100 Southfield, MI 48033 Ph. 248-352-0434 mbrodsky@candfmarketresearch.com www.candfmarketresearch.com Melissa Brodsky, President Location: Office building Distance from airport: 25 miles, 30 minutes CL, CUL, 1/1, PTL, TK, VC, WC

Multiple 30x20 12 20x16 8 Conference

We have "Creative" out of the box problem-solving skills. We are "Focused" on our client needs. Our dedicated staff is well trained, experienced and will exceed all expectations. Newly renovated facility (Oct 2017) is modern and elegant. Large 20x30 focus room and second 20x16 focus room both with client observation (seats 6-12) and lounge attached. Our facility has a private entrance, Wifi, free digital video and audio, Focus Vision, private restrooms, and large (25x17) test kitchen. We complete both qualitative and quantitative research: business-to-business, medical, legal, political, product placement, CLT's, taste tests, dial tests, sensory tests, usability labs, on-site interviewing, audits, radio tests, telephone interviewing, and on-line interviewing. We are centrally located to pull from across the metro area. An extensive database with 20,000+ households.



#### Cypher Research

2365 S. Haggerty Road, Suite 300 Canton, MI 48188 Ph. 734-397-3400 contact@cypherresearch.comwww.cypherresearch.com Location: Free standing facility Distance from airport: 9 miles, 9 minutes AU, CL, CUL, 1/1, 1/10, PTL, VC, WC 15x25 10 Multiple 15x25 10 Multiple

Quality recruiting done in house by recruiters with minimum five years of experience, 100% validation. Facility redesign in late 2017 to "Creative space" environment. Closest facility to airport, 10 min. Corporate rates with new Westin at DTW. Detroit and Ann Arbor both in primary recruiting zone. High speed, stable internet, Wi-Fi, tech support on staff. Focus groups, CLT, dial tests, radio tests, product placements. Most representative demographic area in MI. We take pride in what we do. Our Impulse Survey ratings speak for themselves.

#### **Emicity**

Troy, MI Ph. 866-952-1600 www.emi.city Melanie Sorlien, Project Manager Location: Office building Distance from airport: 40 miles, 45 minutes CL 20x14 10 Conference



#### Michigan Market Research

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23800 W. Ten Mile, Suite 102 Southfield, MI 48033 Ph. 248-569-7095 or 734-516-9314 roxanne@mimarketresearch.com www.mimarketresearch.com Roxanne Naszradi, President Location: Free standing facility Distance from airport: 20 miles, 30 minutes AU, CL, CUL, 1/1, PTL, TKO, VC, WC 25x21 Multiple

Brand new Focus Facility May 2015! Michigan Market Research is centrally located in the Detroit Metro area, making it easy to reach affluent, blue collar and urban respondents. Two spacious focus suites with additional third breakout area available (viewing by CCTV) for mock trials. Oversized viewing areas for comfort. Large test kitchen, 25' X 21', with 220V service for sensory studies. With over 30 years' experience, our staff pays close attention to detail while understanding the urgency of each project. In-house web streaming and FocusVison available. Formerly known as Crimmins and Forman.

Conference

#### Midwest Video, Inc.

20x20

1515 Souter Troy, MI 48083 Ph. 248-583-3630 jcook@midwestvideo.com www.midwestvideo.com Location: Free standing facility CL, 1/1, 1/10, WC

60 x 30 Multiple

# **Opinion Search**

Southfield, MI Ph. 248-358-9922 or 800-358-9919 www.opinionsearchusa.com Joanne Levin, President Location: Office building Distance from airport: 20 miles, 25 minutes CL, CUL, 1/1, 1/10, TK, VC

Multiple 16x18 20 12x18 12 Conference



#### Shifrin-Hayworth

26400 Lahser Road, Suite 430 Southfield, MI 48033 Ph. 248-223-0020 research@shifrin-hayworth.com www.shifrin-hayworth.com Arlene Hayworth-Speiser, President Location: Office building Distance from airport: 22 miles, 25 minutes CL, CUL, 1/1, 1/10, PTL, TK, WC 22x16 10 Multiple 15 Multiple

Industry recognized as an exceptional focus group and recruiting facility in metro Detroit. Centrally located. Can recruit from the counties that drive the Motor City including Wayne, Oakland, Macomb and others. Recruiting of consumers and professionals. Well-trained staff always on-site. Comfortable, sophisticated facility. Two focus group rooms, two viewing rooms, one-way mirrors, client office, client lounge, kitchen and an extra breakout/group room viewed via closed-circuit. High-speed Internet/Wi-Fi, color printing, digital A/V recording. FocusVision and Shifrin-Hayworth video-streaming.

# **Grand Rapids**

Advantage Western Michigan Research, Inc.

Grand Rapids, MI

Ph. 616-949-8724 or 734-272-8119 (Hq.)

www.advantageresearch.net Vinnie Bumgarner, Directors

Location: Office building Distance from airport: 3 miles, 5 minutes

AU, CL, 1/1, 1/10, TK

27x31 Multiple 18x28 14 Multiple

# Lansing

#### Capitol Research Services, Inc.

East Lansing, MI Ph. 517-333-3388 www.capitolresearchservices.com Rachelle Souser Neal, President Location: Free standing facility Distance from airport: 8 miles, 20 minutes CUL, 1/1, 1/10, TK

18x20 Conference 14 13x10 Conference 28x17 Multiple

# Minnesota

# Minneapolis/St. Paul



#### Ascendancy Research

5775 Wavzata Blvd. Minneapolis, MN 55416 Ph. 952-544-6334 or 612-801-3194 info@ascendresearch.com www.ascendresearch.com LynMarie Winninger, President Location: Office building Distance from airport: 15 miles, 21 minutes

CL, CUL, 1/1, 1/10, TK, VC, WC Conference 24x21 16 Conference 20x14 10 23x15 10 Conference

Ascendancy Research is the premier provider of qualitative research environments to companies who want to take customer insights to the decision makers online, onsite, infield. The highest multi-rated facility in Minneapolis/St. Paul, we are known for providing fast, fresh and on-the-mark recruiting, conciergelevel client services and delightful food offerings. Your choice of three spacious viewing rooms along with interchangeable conference rooms enhances your research experience. Technologies include videostreaming, MobiLab, high-speed wireless, DVD and digital (MP3) recording/archiving.

#### Comprehensive Research

Minneapolis, MN Ph. 612-781-3400 www.crginc.org Craig A. Swager, President Location: Office building Distance from airport: 12 miles, 15 minutes

CUL, 1/1, 1/10, PTL, TK Multiple 34x17 10

16x16 12 Multiple

#### DiedrichRPM

Burnsville, MN Ph. 952-373-0805 www.diedrichrpm.com



#### Fieldwork Minneapolis

7650 Edinborough Way, Suite 700 Edina, MN 55435

Ph. 952-837-8300

info@minneapolis.fieldwork.com www.fieldwork.com

Denice Duncan-Foldery, President Location: Office building

Distance from airport: 7 miles, 15 minutes

CL, CUL, 1/1, 1/10, TK, TKO, WC 29x25 20 Conference 18x22 25 Conference 25x20 Conference 25 23x21 25 Conference 22x19 10 Conference 17x12 Conference

Fieldwork Minneapolis is a product of our clients' requests coupled with decades of Fieldwork experience. Our 8,000 square foot facility is located just seven miles from the Minneapolis-St. Paul International Airport. Our five research suites will accommodate multiple set-ups and group sizes. Our brand new viewable test kitchen is the only one of its kind in the area. Along with HD recording options, we have immersive 360-degree video with streaming provided by FocusVision. Fieldwork Minneapolis is located in the heart of shopping bliss; we are five miles from the Mall of America, three blocks from the distinct shops of the Galleria and five blocks from Southdale Mall. Quality accommodations and dining are also within walking distance.

(See advertisement on pp. 83, 99, back cover)

# Focus Pointe

Focus Pointe Global - Minneapolis

7300 Metro Blvd., Suite 250 Minneapolis, MN 55439

Ph. 952-858-1550 or 888-873-6287 minneapolis@focuspointeglobal.com www.focuspointeglobal.com

Chris Tucker, Facility Director Location: Office building

Distance from airport: 10 miles, 15 minutes

CL, TK, VC, WC

22x22 Multiple 42x21 Multiple

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#### Food Perspectives, Inc.

Plymouth, MN Ph. 763-553-7787 www.foodperspectives.com

Joyce Lizzi, VP Client Accounts Location: Office building

Distance from airport: 25 miles, 35 minutes

CL, 1/1, 1/10, TK, TKO, WC

Multiple 28x19 24 23x22 12 Multiple 19x14 Conference 13x15 Conference 8 Conference 8x8 8x8 Conference 8 8x8 8 Conference 8x8 8 Conference Conference Conference

# NO MATTER WHERE YOUR CLIENT WANTS A FOCUS GROUP, YOU'LL THANK HEAVEN FOR OUR ANYWHERE TEAM.



FOCUS ON THE RESEARCH. WE'LL DO THE REST.



Location: Office building, Freestanding building, Shopping mall

CL - Client Lounge 1/1 - One-on-One Room 1/10R - One-on-One Obs. TK - Test Kitchen TKO - Test Kitchen Obs. AU - Auditorium

**CUL-Computer Usability Lab** PUL-Product Usability Lab VC - Videoconferencing WC - Webconferencing

Conference - Conference-Style Room Living - Living Room-Style Room Multiple - Both Styles

Room dimensions, when stated, are shown in feet.

Ideas To Go, Inc.

Minneapolis, MN Ph. 612-331-1570 www.ideastogo.com Tina Vatrano, Facility Manager Location: Office building Distance from airport: 10 miles, 20 minutes

29x22 20 Multiple

28x28 15 Multiple



#### L&F Research

Two Meridian Crossings, Suite 430 Minneapolis, MN 55423 Ph. 877-344-1574 bidrequest@leresearch.com www.leresearch.com Patricia Lister, Client Relationship Manager Location: Office building Distance from airport: 8 miles, 15 minutes

AU, CL, CUL, 1/1, 1/10, VC, WC 21x27 20 Multiple 20x20 Conference 16 20x20 16 Conference

L&E's Minneapolis facility offers a first class experience in the greater Twin Cities area. From the facility space to the nearby hotel options, you can be sure you will have a top notch experience. The Minneapolis- St. Paul International Airport (MSP) is conveniently located only 15 minutes away from our facility. L&E Minneapolis offers three focus group rooms with comfortably furnished viewing rooms/ lounges, the latest technological equipment and modular tables to enable custom configurations. Put your mind at ease, and let L&E expertly manage your project and help you focus on your clients.

#### Leede Research

Minneapolis, MN Ph. 612-314-4402 or 612-314-4400 www.leede.com Deborah Seim, Vice President Location: Office building Distance from airport: 20 miles, 25 minutes CL, CUL, 1/1, 1/10, PTL, WC

22x28 18 Conference 14 Conference 16x15

#### Orman Guidance, Inc.

Bloomington, MN Ph. 800-605-7313 or 952-831-4911 www.ormanguidance.com Rosemary Sundin, President Location: Office building Distance from airport: 9 miles, 15 minutes CL. TK. TKO, VC. WC

17x16 10 Conference 17x16 10 Conference 30x24 20 Multiple

#### Rochester

#### SNG Research Corporation

Rochester, MN Ph. 507-285-1026 www.sngresearch.com Holly Hess, Research Manager Location: Office building Distance from airport: 14 miles, 15 minutes

1/1, 1/10

Conference

Missouri

14x19

# Kansas City

# C&C Market Research - Kansas City

Independence Mall 18813 E. 39th St. S., Suite 1026 Independence, MO 64507 Ph. 479-785-5637 corp@ccmarketresearch.com www.ccmarketresearch.com (See advertisement on inside back cover)

# **G** Focus Pointe

#### DEEPER CONNECTIONS. DEEPER INSIGHTS.

#### Focus Pointe Global - Kansas City

9233 Ward Parkway, Suite 150 Kansas City, MO 64114 Ph. 816-361-0345 or 888-873-6287 kansascity@focuspointeglobal.com www.focuspointeglobal.com Jim Finke, Facility Director Location: Office building Distance from airport: 30 miles, 40 minutes CL, CUL, TK, VC, WC

20x19 18 Multiple 21x21 Multiple 10

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# Q & A Focus Suites on the Plaza

Kansas City, MO Ph. 800-210-1525 or 913-341-4245 www.QAFocusSuites.com Craig Wong, Executive Vice President Location: Office building Distance from airport: 25 miles, 30 minutes AU, CL, CUL, TK, WC Multiple 18x23 24 18x23 12 Multiple

# St. Louis

#### C&C Market Research - St. Louis

St. Louis Galleria 1155 St. Louis Galleria, Suite 1133 Richmond Heights, MO 63117 Ph. 479-785-5637 corp@ccmarketresearch.com www.ccmarketresearch.com Craig Cunningham, President Location: Shopping mall Distance from airport: 45 miles, 45 minutes 1/1, 1/10, TK 16x11 6 Conference (See advertisement on inside back cover)

# FPG Focus Pointe

Focus Pointe Global - St. Louis 1650 Des Peres Road, Suite 110

St. Louis, MO 63131 Ph. 314-966-6595 or 888-873-6287

stlouis@focuspointeglobal.com www.focuspointeglobal.com Tarin Stuenkel, Facility Manager Location: Office building

Distance from airport: 15 miles, 20 minutes

CL, CUL, 1/1, 1/10, TK, VC, WC 18x22 14 Multiple 19x22 14 Multiple 20x23 Multiple 23

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## The Insight Lab, In Association with Schlesinger

900 Spruce St. Floor 4

St. Louis, MO 63102 Ph. 314-269-1560

Gina. Jaeger @Schlesinger Associates.comwww.schlesingerassociates.com

Thomas Fournie, Facility Manager Location: Office building Distance from airport: 14 miles, 21 minutes

CL, CUL, 1/1, 1/10, PTL, VC, WC Conference 24x18 8 15x12 Conference

The Insight Lab offer two unique research studios. The Soulard Room inspires creativity as a spacious, contemporary focus group studio. The Clarke Room offers cutting edge usability equipment that provides digital viewing via dual-screen capture of both the participant and the media, allowing observers to clearly follow responses to stimuli. It is ideal for real time usability, messaging and creative studies in either an IDI, dyad or triad setting. The lab can test all types of digital stimuli on any digital device. Each room offers a large client viewing room with a oneway mirror, comfortable, contemporary workstations and client lounge.

(See advertisement on inside front cover)



#### L&E Research 10403 Clayton Road, Suite 115

17x16

St. Louis, MO 63131 Ph. 877-344-1574 bidrequest@leresearch.com www.leresearch.com Patricia Lister, Client Relationship Manager Location: Office building Distance from airport: 15 miles, 20 minutes AU, CL, CUL, 1/1, 1/10, VC, WC 26x20 8 Multiple

It's only appropriate that L&E has a facility in the "Show Me" state, and we are eager to show you why.

In our St. Louis facility, high technology meets historic charm in the lovely Le Chateau Village in the Frontenac district. Just steps away from local restaurants, accommodations and upscale shopping - and only 15 minutes from Lambert-St. Louis International Airport (STL) our facility provides two focus group rooms totaling 1500 square feet. Catering is available in all rooms, and the kitchen provides ample space for storage and food preparation.



# Lucas Market Research, LLC

4101 Rider Trail N... Suite 100 St. Louis, MO 63045

Ph. 314-344-0803 or 888-978-4101 sechelmeyer@lucasresearch.net www.lucasresearch.net

Suzanne Lucas Echelmeyer, Vice President

Location: Free standing facility

12

12

20x12

Distance from airport: 7 miles, 15 minutes

AU, CL, 1/1, 1/10, TK, VC, WC Conference 22x18 12 22x16 12 Conference 40x25 Multiple

Lucas Market Research LLC. Family OwnedClient FocusedService Driven. Consistently rated #1 in St. Louis for Best Value/Quality Service. Guaranteed to exceed your expectations with quality recruiting, experienced staff, 98% show rates. The comprehensive design includes three spacious/contemporary client suites, private entry/restrooms, tiered viewing, closed-circuit, high-speed wireless Internet, FV and in-house streaming, DVD recording, flat screens/ VGA/ HDMI access throughout, test kitchen, on-site recruiting, ideal space for CLTs, legal studies, mock trials, 50 classroom/theater style.

Conference

#### Peters Marketing Research, Inc.

St. Louis, MO Ph. 314-469-9022

www.petersmktg.com Katie Peters Miller, VP Qualitative Research

Location: Office building

Distance from airport: 10 miles, 12 minutes

CL, CUL, 1/1, 1/10, PTL, VC, WC 20x12 12 Multiple Multiple 18x16 15 20x16 20 Multiple

# Pragmatic Research, Inc.

St. Louis, MO Ph. 314-863-2800

www.pragmatic-research.com

Chris Sinnard

Location: Office building

Distance from airport: 8 miles, 10 minutes

CL, CUL, 1/1, WC

22x16 11 Conference

#### Test America, a division of CRG Global

Chesterfield Mall

291 Chesterfield Center, Suite 2036

Chesterfield, MO 63017 Ph. 866-209-2553

crqsales@crqqlobalinc.com www.crgtestamerica.com

Jennifer Schwartz, Director of Field Operations

Location: Shopping mall

Distance from airport: 18 miles, 20 minutes CL, CUL, 1/1, 1/10, PTL, TK, TKO, VC, WC

18x28 Conference

# Montana

#### Bozeman

#### M+M Research

347 S. Ferguson Ave. Studio 1

Bozeman, MT 59718

Ph. 406-551-1077 murray@fhcommunication.com

www.mandmresearch.com

Murray Steinman, President

Location: Office building Distance from airport: 10 miles, 20 minutes

CL, 1/1, 1/10

19x18

# Nebraska

# Lincoln

#### **Snitily Carr**

Lincoln, NE

Ph. 402.437.0000

www.creative.firespring.com

Location: Office building Distance from airport: 9 miles, 15 minutes

CL. 1/1. WC

25x15

Conference

Conference

# **Omaha**

#### The MSR Group

1121 N. 102nd Court, Suite 100 Omaha, NE 68114

Ph. 402-392-0755

info@themsrgroup.com

www.themsrqroup.com

Justin Phipps, Project Manager

Location: Office building Distance from airport: 15 miles, 20 minutes

CL, 1/1, 1/10, WC

Multiple 26x16 20 20 Conference 14x10 36x18 40 Conference

# Nevada

# Las Vegas

# C&C Market Research - Las Vegas

Galleria Mall 1300 W. Sunset Road, Suite 1324 Henderson, NV 89014 Ph. 479-785-5637 corp@ccmarketresearch.com

www.ccmarketresearch.com Craig Cunningham, President

Distance from airport: 10 miles, 20 minutes

CL. TK

16x27 Conference (See advertisement on inside back cover)



#### Seattle - Portland - Las Vegas

#### Consumer Opinion Services, Inc. (Br.)

1860 Pama Lane, Suite 200 Las Vegas, NV 89119

Ph. 702-644-9330

Info@ConsumerOpinionServices.com www.ConsumerOpinionServices.com Tom Champion, General Manager

Location: Free standing facility

Distance from airport: 2 miles, 5 minutes

AU, CL, CUL, PTL, TK, VC, WC

18x20 12 Multiple 22x25 15 Multiple Multiple 22x25 15 45x25 30 Multiple

Consumer Opinion Services provides comprehensive qualitative services: complete projects, facility rentals, recruitment, on-location work, design, moderation, reporting, videostreaming and transcriptions. Seattle, Portland and Las Vegas are home to our top-rated focus facilities, featuring classroom space to accommodate large sessions. Living room-style setups are available for a more informal setting. We offer conventional conference style rooms as well. Numerous client amenities, a professional hosting staff and state-of-the-art audio/visual services give you a turnkey home away from home.

(See advertisement on p. 121)



# Las Vegas Field and Focus, LLC

2080 E. Flamingo Road, Suite 309 Las Vegas, NV 89119 Ph. 702-650-5500 or 800-797-9877 info@lvff.vegas www.lvff.vegas Eric Souza, President/Owner Location: Office building Distance from airport: 5 miles, 10 minutes AU, CL, CUL, 1/1, 1/10, PTL, VC, WC

20 Multiple 33x23 Conference 17x22 15 Conference 17x22 15

Cutting-edge research center located in the heart of Las Vegas features state-of-the-art equipment, highlysupervised recruiting with uncompromising integrity, professional field work and over 10,000 square feet of facility space. We offer three luxurious focus group suites served with broadband and wireless Internet access and relaxed client lounges. Now offering fullservice design and analysis with the addition of a highly-experienced moderator. We pride ourselves on strong, long-term client relationships.

#### **Precision Opinion**

Las Vegas, NV Ph. 702-483-4000

www.precisionopinion.com Jim Medick, President

Distance from airport: 5 miles, 13 minutes

AU, CL, CUL, 1/1, 1/10, PTL, WC 25x20 10 Conference 15x21 10 Multiple 15x25 10 Multiple 15x25 10 Multiple Conference 8x7 2 8x7 2 Conference

Location: Office building, Freestanding building, Shopping mall

CL - Client Lounge 1/1 - One-on-One Room 1/10R - One-on-One Obs. TK - Test Kitchen TKO - Test Kitchen Obs.

CUL-Computer Usability Lab PUL-Product Usability Lab VC - Videoconferencing WC - Webconferencing AU - Auditorium

Conference - Conference-Style Room Living - Living Room-Style Room Multiple - Both Styles

Room dimensions, when stated, are shown in feet.

#### Television City Research Lab

Las Vegas, NV Ph. 702-891-5753 www.tvcityresearch.com Location: Office building

Distance from airport: 5 miles, 10 minutes

CL, CUL, 1/1, 1/10, PTL, VC, WC 14x24 10 Conference 17x25 10 Conference Conference 17x25 10

#### Test America, a division of CRG Global

Miracle Mile Shops at Planet Hollywood 3663 Las Vegas Blvd. S., Suite 185 Las Vegas, NV 89109 Ph. 866-209-2553 crqsales@crqqlobalinc.com www.crgtestamerica.com Jennifer Schwartz, Director of Field Operations Location: Shopping mall Distance from airport: 3 miles, 11 minutes

CL, CUL, 1/1, 1/10, PTL, TK, TKO, VC, WC Multiple 17x27 Conference 16x27 17x19 Multiple

Multiple

**New Hampshire** 

20x20

# Manchester/Nashua

#### Granite State Marketing Research, Inc.

Londonderry, NH Ph. 603-434-9141 www.qsmrinc.com Dorothy Bacon, President Location: Office building Distance from airport: 10 miles, 15 minutes CUL, 1/1, 1/10, VC 15x13 10 Conference

#### **New England Interviewing**

Bedford, NH Ph. 603-641-1222 www.neinterviewing.com Kim Adams Location: Office building

Distance from airport: 8 miles, 15 minutes

1/1, 1/10, TK

26x16 20 Conference 12x14 Conference

# **New Jersey**

# Northern New Jersey

#### Assistance In Marketing/New Jersey

Hackensack, NJ

Ph. 201-488-5888 or 201-370-7749

www.aimresearchnetwork.com

Nella Shalhoub, Director of Operations

Location: Office building

Distance from airport: 15 miles, 25 minutes

CL, 1/1, 1/10, TK, VC, WC

20 Conference 20x20 19x17 15 Conference Multiple 16x20 30 18x18 15 Conference

#### Assistance In Marketing/New Jersey

Morristown, NJ

Ph. 973-267-7060 or 201-370-7749 www.aimresearchnetwork.com

Irene Bing, Manager

Location: Office building

Distance from airport: 15 miles, 25 minutes

AU, CL, 1/1, 1/10, TK, VC

Multiple 26x22 22 19x20 15 Conference 17x17 15 Conference



#### **CEC Research**

16 Commerce Drive Cranford, NJ 07016 Ph. 908-967-6790 maryana@cecresearch.com www.cecresearch.com Location: Free standing facility Distance from airport: 12 miles, 20 minutes

CL, CUL, 1/1, 1/10, PTL, TK, TK0 Located in Central NJ within the NY Metro area, CEC

Research accommodates any testing/focus group studies that clients require. Our kitchen features commercial-grade appliances and custom configuration to accommodate any food/beverage study. Focus group facilities are fully-equipped with a/v capabilities, concealed microphones and one-way observation mirrors. Adaptable testing rooms feature laptops, wireless internet and optional privacy dividers. Our new laundry facility allows for onsite fabric care prep and evaluation. We've added new sink stations for personal care and shaving studies.



#### Fieldwork Fort Lee, NJ

2 Executive Drive, Suite 800 Fort Lee, NJ 07024 Ph. 201-585-8200 info@ftlee.fieldwork.com www.fieldwork.com

Becky Harrison, President Location: Office building

Distance from airport: 15 miles, 35 minutes

AU, CL, CUL, 1/1, 1/10, TK, WC Conference 23x21 30 20x20 Conference 30 20x21 Conference 30 24x22 30 Conference 16x14 Conference

Located at the foot of the George Washington Bridge, Fieldwork Fort Lee, NJ offers the recruiting and resources to help you take full advantage of the diverse lifestyles and cultures that make up Metro New York. Our facility boasts five conference rooms with the capacity to seat up to 50 respondents and can accommodate any methodology or set-up. Along with HD Recording options, we have immersive 360degree video with streaming provided by FocusVision. With a database that is constantly being updated and expanded, we are able to offer consistent and thorough recruiting either on-site, or anywhere in the New York Metro area, including both urban and suburban areas.

(See advertisement on pp. 83, 99, back cover)

# Focus Pointe

#### DEEPER CONNECTIONS. DEEPER INSIGHTS.

Focus Pointe Global - New Jersey

20 E. Puffin Way Floor 2

Teaneck, NJ 07666 Ph. 201-928-1888 or 888-873-6287

nj@focuspointeglobal.com www.focuspointeglobal.com Janis Fallows, Facility Director Location: Office building

Distance from airport: 15 miles, 30 minutes

CL, CUL, 1/1, 1/10, TK, VC, WC 18x18 Multiple 25 18x20 18 Multiple 16x25 18 Multiple

Focus Pointe Global sets the industry standard for qualitative/quantitative marketing research data collection services. 18 premier focus group facilities in major U.S. commercial centers. Services include: focus groups, taste tests, jury simulation, product placements, Webcam focus groups, online communities, qualitative/quantitative research. Locations: Appleton, Wis.; Atlanta; Atlanta-Buckhead; Bala Cynwyd, Pa.; Boston; Chicago; Chicago-Oakbrook; Columbus, Ohio; Dallas; Kansas City, Mo.; Los Angeles; Minneapolis; New York City; Philadelphia; Phoenix; St. Louis; San Francisco; Teaneck, N.J. (See advertisement on p. 3)

#### Focus World International, Inc.

Holmdel, NJ Ph. 732-946-0100 www.focusworldint.com Gary Eichenholtz, CEO/CFO Location: Free standing facility Distance from airport: 20 miles, 35 minutes AU, CL, CUL, 1/1, 1/10, PTL, TK, TKO, VC 18x24 15 Multiple 16x18 Multiple

#### Ideas To Go, Inc.

Morristown, NJ Ph. 973-267-7670 www.ideastogo.com Tina Vatrano, Facility Manager Location: Office building Distance from airport: 20 miles

#### Market Research Center - Seton Hall University

South Orange, NJ Ph. 973-761-9704

www.shu.edu/academics/business/market-research Adam Warner, Director

Location: Office building

Distance from airport: 6 miles, 20 minutes

AU, CL, CUL, 1/1, 1/10, TK

Conference 25x12 12



#### Meadowlands Consumer Center / Consumer Centers of New York and New Jersey

100 Plaza Drive, Suite 100 Secaucus, NJ 07094 Ph. 201-865-4900 or 800-998-4777 info@ConsumerCenters.com www.ConsumerCenters.com

Kelly Thompson, Director of Recruiting

Location: Office building

Distance from airport: 8 miles, 15 minutes

AU, CL, 1/1, 1/10, TK, TKO, VC, WC 24x18 Multiple 25 20 Multiple 24x18 28x26 25 Multiple 12x12 8 Multiple

Meadowlands Consumer Center -- We understand your needs, deliver on your requirements and create the environment you're looking for -- from living room to boardroom, mock juries to kid-friendly, Creativity Center, usability lab, audience response/dial testing , shop-alongs, ethnographies, quali/quants, eye-tracking and more. We offer a full range of technologies, including neuromarketing, online bulletin boards/focus groups and videostreaming. Our exacting in-house recruiting and client-focused service team that consistently exceeds expectations all guarantee your success. Our national field division can handle all your logistics, including bids, holds, screener development, recruitment management, moderation, facility requirements and client updating. Also visit our Newly Renovated Fall 2017, trend-setting midtown NYC location -- New York Consumer Center, 28 West 44th Street.

#### Opinions, Ltd. - NYC/NJ

Paramus, NJ Ph. 440-893-0300 www.opinionsltd.com Chris Sluder, Vice President Location: Shopping mall

Distance from airport: 22 miles, 37 minutes

1/1, VC, WC 22x14

Conference

#### Partners In Research, Inc.

Totowa, NJ Ph. 973-686-1300 www.pirnj.com Location: Free standing facility

Distance from airport: 30 miles, 35 minutes

CL, 1/1, 1/10, TK, TK0

15x20 16 Conference Conference 25x27 14 Conference 19x45 12x20 10 Conference

#### **PMcR Research**

Parsippany, NJ Ph. 973-539-5750 www.pmcrresearch.com Kimberly Schwarz, President Location: Office building

Distance from airport: 25 miles, 30 minutes

CL, 1/1, 1/10, VC, WC

20x18 12 Multiple 20x20 18 Multiple

#### Q Research Solutions, Inc.

Old Bridge, NJ Ph. 732-952-0000 www.grsglobal.com

Rhoda Makled, Sr. VP Sensory and Consumer Insights

Location: Office building

Distance from airport: 30 miles, 35 minutes

CL, 1/1, PTL, TK, TKO, VC, WC

22x14 Conference 12

#### Quick Test/Heakin (Branch)

Woodbridge (New York Metro), NJ Ph. 732-326-9779 www.quicktest.com Christy Crossan Location: Shopping mall Conference

Schlesinger Group New Jersey (HQ)

101 Wood Ave. S., Suite 501 Iselin, NJ 08830 Ph. 732-906-1122

info@SchlesingerGroup.com www.schlesingerassociates.com

AJ Shaw, Senior Vice President Location: Office building

Distance from airport: 15 miles, 20 minutes

AU, CL, CUL, 1/1, 1/10, TK, VC, WC Multiple 20x20 14 21x19 12 Multiple Multiple 25x19 16 20x16 Multiple 11 18x18 Multiple 10

(See advertisement on inside front cover)

#### Sensory Spectrum

New Providence, NJ Ph. 908-376-7000 www.sensoryspectrum.com Erin Byrnes, Program Mgr - Consumer Res. Location: Office building Distance from airport: 15 miles, 20 minutes CL, 1/1, 1/10, PTL, TK, TKO, VC 17x21 8 Multiple Multiple 14x21

Multiple

Multiple

Multiple

32x20

23x30

28x30

Taurus Market Research Old Bridge, NJ Ph. 732-251-7772 x4 www.taurusresearch.com Ilene Kaplan, Vice-President Location: Free standing facility

Distance from airport: 30 miles, 40 minutes

CL, 1/1, 1/10, VC

15x16 20 Multiple 16x18 12 Conference 12x09 8 Conference

#### Test America, a division of CRG Global

Freehold Raceway Mall 3710 Route 9, Suite 238A Freehold, NJ 07728 Ph. 866-209-2553 crgsales@crgglobalinc.com www.crgtestamerica.com

Jennifer Schwartz, Director of Field Operations Location: Shopping mall

Distance from airport: 36 miles, 43 minutes CL, CUL, 1/1, 1/10, PTL, TK, TKO, VC, WC

14x21 Conference Multiple 18x23

# Trenton/Southern New Jersey (See also Philadelphia)

# **New Mexico**

# Albuquerque

#### Sandia Market Research

Albuquerque, NM Ph. 800-950-4148 or 505-883-5512 www.sandiamarketresearch.com Janine Vita, Owner Location: Office building Distance from airport: 3 miles, 5 minutes

CL, 1/1, 1/10, WC

15x30 15 Multiple

# **New York**

# Albany

Markette Research, Inc. Clifton Park / Albany, NY Ph. 518-406-5616 www.marketteresearch.com

Dawn Whalen

Location: Free standing facility Distance from airport: 12 miles, 20 minutes

CL, CUL, 1/1, 1/10, PTL, TK, WC 20x20 10 Conference 18x20 Conference

#### **Buffalo**



#### Adelman Research Group-A SurveyService Company

1911 Sheridan Drive Buffalo, NY 14223 Ph. 800-507-7969 or 716-876-6450 sadelman@surveyservice.com www.adelmanresearchgroup.com Susan Adelman, President Location: Free standing facility Distance from airport: 5 miles, 10 minutes AU, CL, CUL, 1/1, 1/10, PTL, TK, TKO, VC, WC

Multiple 19x23 20 14x27 15 Multiple

ARG SurveyService is a leading provider of Qualitative and Quantitative research solutions for clients who expect high standards of excellence within the Healthcare and Wellness, Consumer Goods, Financial, and Industrial/Manufacturing sectors. The ARG InsightCenter<sup>™</sup> includes Focus Group, TK, Sensory and Usability Testing facilities. We are proficient in assuring that studies are recruited and conducted exactly according to specifications with exceptional show rates and attention to detail. ARG also provides global respondent recruitment and field management services for focus groups, bulletin boards, IDI's, and proprietary panel development. Our extensive experience and outstanding staff provide the elements required of a trusted insights and research partner.

#### **Ruth Diamond Market Research**

North Tonawanda, NY Ph. 716-743-1988 or www.ruthdiamond.com Rhonda Ried, President Location: Shopping mall

Distance from airport: 8 miles, 20 minutes

CL, 1/1, 1/10, TK, TK0

20x21 16 Multiple 20x12 8 Conference

Location: Office building, Freestanding building, Shopping mall

CL - Client Lounge 1/1 - One-on-One Room 1/10R - One-on-One Obs. TK - Test Kitchen TKO - Test Kitchen Obs.

CUL-Computer Usability Lab PUL-Product Usability Lab VC - Videoconferencina WC - Webconferencing AU - Auditorium

Conference - Conference-Style Room Living - Living Room-Style Room Multiple - Both Styles Room dimensions, when stated, are shown in feet.

Long Island (See New York City)

New York City (See also Northern New Jersey and Connecticut)

# Advanced Focus

Advanced Focus - The Facility, NYC 373 Park Ave. S.

Floor 8 New York, NY 10016 Ph. 212-217-2000

toddb@advancedfocus.com www.advancedfocus.com Todd Biederman, Founder and CEO Location: Office building

Distance from airport: 15 miles, 20 minutes

27x20 20 Multiple 18x14 12 Multiple 21x15 14 Multiple 18x16 18 Multiple

Advanced focus is a full-service marketing research company that was built on relationships and innovation. Our "state of the art" facility is centrally located in Midtown Manhattan; each of our four suites are designed to maximize the creative process and include embedded technology and highly dedicated staff. The largest room can seat 50 respondents or can be configured for a multitude of research needs. In addition to our regional recruiting services (all conducted and managed in-house) we also recruit nationwide and offer field management services. Also visit our traditional facilities in Westchester, and Danbury CT or our non-traditional Loft space in NYC.

# Advanced Focus

Advanced Focus - The Facility, Westchester 520 White Plains Road

Floor 1 Tarrytown, NY 10591 Ph. 914-631-0796 toddb@advancedfocus.com www.advancedfocus.com Todd Biederman, CEO

Location: Office building Distance from airport: 8 miles, 15 minutes

AU, CUL, 1/1, 1/10, WC Multiple 17.6 x 24.5 15 Multiple 19.4 x 14.1 12

Advanced Focus Westchester (formerly Marketview Westchester) is conveniently located just outside of Manhattan and accessible by multiple airports, train and major highways. Our two spacious suites (renovated in 2017) can be configured for IDIs all the way up to groups of 35 (or anything in between). Our in-

house recruiting enables us to reach the unique and specialized audience that Westchester has to offer. In addition to our regional recruiting we also recruit nationwide and offer field management services. Visit our other traditional facilities in NYC and Danbury CT or our non-traditional Loft space also located in NYC.



Advanced Focus - The Loft

15 W. 39th St. Floor 14

New York, NY 10018 Ph. 212-944-9000 toddb@advancedfocus.com www.advancedfocus.com Todd Biederman, CEO

Location: Office building Distance from airport: 15 miles, 20 minutes

AU, CL, CUL, PTL, WC

Multiple

The Loft is a cool, hip, alternative location designed to enhance the creative process. The respondent studio offers both a living room set-up and a conference table simultaneously allowing you to move back and forth between the two areas without the need to reconfigure the room. For viewers, in place of the mirror and dark viewing room we offer a bright, open and airy room with windows that look out on the impressive NYC skyline. On top of all that we offer exclusivity; one client...one project! Also visit our traditional facilities in NYC, Westchester, and Danbury CT.



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**Beta Research Corporation** 

485 Underhill Blvd., Suite 200 Syosset, NY 11791 Ph. 516-935-3800 Ext. 222 gdisimile@betaresearch.com www.BetaResearch.com Gail Disimile, EVP Location: Office building Distance from airport: 20 miles, 30 minutes CL, CUL, 1/1, PTL, VC, WC 24x14 15 Multiple

In January 2016, Beta Research will also be launching a new state-of-the-art focus group and usability testing facility. The new 3,500 square foot facility will feature three-tiered stadium seating in the viewing room, an adjacent client lounge, dual-camera filming capability with posting capabilities, the largest two-way mirror commercially available and private underground client parking. Beta will continue to offer you seasoned facilitators and decades of expertise in each step of the process, including study construction, panel selection and response analysis.

C&C Market Research - Bronx

Parkchester 1454 East Ave. Bronx, NY 10462 Ph. 479-785-5637 corp@ccmarketresearch.com www.ccmarketresearch.com (See advertisement on inside back cover)

C&C Market Research - Long Island

Broadway Mall 884 Broadway Mall Hicksville, NY 11801 Ph. 479-785-5637 corp@ccmarketresearch.com www.ccmarketresearch.com Craig Cunningham Location: Shopping mall Distance from airport: 30 miles, 45 minutes (See advertisement on inside back cover)

#### C&C Market Research - New York Metro

Palisades Center 1000 Palisades Center Drive, Suite C402, 4th Floor

West Nyack, NY 10994 Ph. 479-785-5637

corp@ccmarketresearch.com www.ccmarketresearch.com Craig Cunningham, President Location: Shopping mall Distance from airport: 40 minutes

CL, CUL, 1/1, 1/10, TK (See advertisement on inside back cover)

**Charney Research** 

New York, NY Ph. 212-929-6933 www.charneyresearch.com

Jeffrey Klonoski, Focus Group Room Manager

Location: Office building

Distance from airport: 9 miles, 30 minutes CUL, 1/1, 1/10, WC

14x11 Conference

Focus Plus, Inc. New York, NY

Ph. 212-675-0142 or 800-340-8846

www.focusplusny.com

John Markham

Location: Office building

Distance from airport: 10 miles, 30 minutes

AU, CL, CUL, 1/1, 1/10, TK, VC, WC 20x25 20 Multiple 15x20 11 Multiple 15x21 12 Multiple Multiple

# Focus Pointe **G**lobal

#### DEEPER CONNECTIONS. DEEPER INSIGHTS.

Focus Pointe Global - New York

240 Madison Ave. 5th Floor

25x22

New York, NY 10016

Ph. 212-682-0220 or 888-873-6287

ny@focuspointeglobal.com www.focuspointeglobal.com

Julie Ali, Facility Manager Location: Office building

Distance from airport: 9 miles, 20 minutes

CL, CUL, 1/1, 1/10, TK, VC, WC 17x16 12 Multiple 19x12 12 Multiple 21x14 12 Multiple

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Unparalleled recruiting and the most comfortable, luxurious facilities in the country.

# How we do it:

A management team with more than 100 years of combined experienced in the field...a fully integrated network sharing resources, technology, and information...Cutting edge, **Proprietary Computer Aided** Telephone Interviewing systems which enable us to access large consumer and professional databases easily, efficiently, quickly the tightest security controls...Beautifully appointed facilities specifically engineered for qualitative research.





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- Our online recruiting capabilities
- Our convention or visitor recruiting
- TDI's Nationwide recruiting from one central location

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Dallas
Houston
Ft. Lauderdale/Miami
Phoenix
Tampa
San Diego
Metro Philadelphia
Chicago
Las Vegas
Denver (Downtown)
San Francisco (Downtown)
Los Angeles (LAX)
Atlanta (Buckhead)

Location: Office building, Freestanding building, Shopping mall

CL - Client Lounge 1/1 - One-on-One Room 1/10R - One-on-One Obs. TK - Test Kitchen TKO - Test Kitchen Obs.

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Conference - Conference-Style Room Living - Living Room-Style Room Multiple - Both Styles

Room dimensions, when stated, are shown in feet.



# The Focus Room

693 Fifth Ave. 10th floor New York, NY 10022 Ph. 212-935-6820 Andrew@focusroom.com www.focusroom.com Andrew Junggren Location: Office building

Distance from airport: 7 miles, 35 minutes

CL, CUL, 1/1, 1/10, PTL, VC, WC 11 Multiple 16x16 10 Multiple 15x20 Multiple 14

At The Focus Room, we focus on qualitative research excellence. Our dynamic venue houses an expert management team and the ultimate technology-optimized research environment. Newly renovated with bold and thoughtful touches, the 10th floor, 5th Avenue space brings excitement, innovation and modern sophistication to the research experience. Our prestigious location grants us access to every demographic and our team facilitates a seamless, stress-free research experience. Named a "Top Rated" agency by Impulse Survey, our best-in-class services consistently earn client and industry recognition.



#### Focus Suites of New York

355 Lexington Ave. 13th Floor (40th and Lexington) New York, NY 10017 Ph. 212-867-7373 iulia.cosel@focussuites.com www.focussuites.com Julia Cosel, Vice President Location: Office building Distance from airport: 30 minutes CL, CUL, 1/10, VC, WC

19x38 30 Multiple 15 Conference 19x19 19x19 Conference 15 Conference 19x19 15 16x20 15 Conference 19x19 Conference 15

Focus Suites of New York allows you to take advantage of the diverse cultures of New York City offering unparalleled recruiting and resources. Located in midtown Manhattan, it has been voted one of the Top Rated focus group facilities. Multipurpose conference room holds up to 60 participants for projects such as jury, music and dial tests. We provide recruitment and project management for focus groups, in-depth interviews, user research, tdi's, mock trials, CLT's, web-based research, ethnographies and intercepts. Moderation, translation and usability labs make your research project a success.



#### I.C. International

266A Duffy Ave. Hicksville (Long Island), NY 11801 Ph. 516-479-2200 x1002 or 800-631-0209 scottsycoff@icinternationalcorp.com www.icinternationalcorp.com Scott Sycoff, CEO Location: Free standing facility

Distance from airport: 15 miles, 20 minutes CL, 1/1, 1/10, WC

23x18

Conference

Top Rated Facility on Long Island. Our team of inhouse recruitment professionals has the resources and expertise to quickly assemble excellent, qualified study groups. From recruitment to results, our focus is making the entire process easy and effective, on both sides of the mirror. Facility includes: tieredviewing room overlooking focus group room arranged to give you (up to 13 others) a view of all participants. Connect via laptop or DVD/Blue Ray player to 2 wall-mounted LCD TVs. Direct feed to viewing room so observers see what your respondents see. Client lounge has closed circuit TV.



# INSIGHT I NFT

#### **Insight Loft**

270 North Ave., Suite 807 New Rochelle, NY 10801 Ph. 914-214-2424 meredithf@insightloft.com www.insightloft.com Location: Office building Distance from airport: 18 miles, 35 minutes CL, CUL, 1/1, 1/10, VC, WC

Insight Loft is a brand new focus group facility that offers full-service focus group management, including facility rental and recruitment, in a flexible, modern space. We are located in Westchester County, one of the most diverse counties in the country. Our team offers the best in qualitative research with online/in-person focus groups and in-depth interviews, taste tests, CLTs, product placement, usability labs, eye tracking, online bulletin boards and more. Our recruitment services include consumers, multicultural (in-language Spanish), moms, teens/children, B2B and medical.

#### **MBC Research Center**

New York, NY Ph. 212-679-4100 www.mhcresearch.com Tania Gomez, Project Manager Location: Office building Distance from airport: 10 miles, 20 minutes CL, CUL, 1/1, 1/10, VC, WC 20x14 12 Conference



#### New York Consumer Center / Consumer Centers of New York and New Jersey

28 W. 44th St., Suite 500 New York, NY 10036

Ph. 212-302-9393 or 800-998-4777 info@ConsumerCenters.com www.ConsumerCenters.com

Erika Schramm, Director Location: Office building

Distance from airport: 9 miles, 25 minutes

CL, CUL, 1/1, 1/10, VC, WC

30x28 30 Multiple Multiple 24x20 20 24x20 18 Multiple 24x20 25 Multiple 16x14 Multiple

Fully Renovated Fall 2017! New York Consumer Center, the ultimate qualitative experience in the heart of Midtown Manhattan! We pride ourselves on surpassing your expectations--from project execution to our spacious and trendsetting environments. Five suites designed for flexibility - from our jumbo suite seating 65+, perfect for large studies/mock juries, to our intimate salon, ideal for smaller groups/IDIs. Exacting in-house recruiting, client-focused service, usability lab, audience response/dial testing, shop-alongs, ethnographies, quali/quants, eye-tracking, Creativity Center and more. We offer a full range of technologies, including neuromarketing, online bulletin boards/focus groups and videostreaming. Our national field division can handle all your logistics, including bids, holds, screener development, recruitment management, moderation, facility requirements and client updating. Also visit our NJ location, Meadowlands Consumer Center, 100 Plaza Drive, Secaucus, NJ.

#### Opinions, Ltd. - NYC/NJ

Wayne, NJ Ph. 440-893-0300 www.opinionsltd.com Chris Sluder, Vice President Location: Shopping mall Distance from airport: 22 miles, 37 minutes 1/1, VC, WC

22x14 Conference

#### P&K Research (Br.)

White Plains, NY Ph. 914-220-0166 or 800-747-5522 www.pk-research.com Location: Office building Distance from airport: 30 miles, 45 minutes CL, 1/1, 1/10, TK, TK0 14x22 15 Conference 14x22 15 Conference



# Plaza Research-New York

120 Routh 17 N., Suite 201 Paramus, NJ 07652

Ph. 201-265-7500 or 800-654-8002 x11

kcouvielos@plazaresearch.com

www.plazaresearch.com

Karen Couvielos

15x20

Location: Office building

20

Distance from airport: 30 minutes

CL, CUL, 1/1, 1/10, TK, TKO, WC 15x24 20 Conference 15x24 20 Conference 15x20 Conference 20 15x20 20 Conference

Multiple The nation's premier network of focus group facilities! Plaza Research offers multi-city project coordination

in 14 locations with an extensive nationwide data-

base. One experienced project manager will be your sole contact for the duration of your project at any of our markets. Our focus group suites are designed with tiered seating, volume controls, private phone hooths and client-viewable test kitchens. We provide complimentary high-speed Internet access in all client suites, conference rooms and lounges. Fully Renovated by 12/31/2017.

(See advertisement on p. 105)



#### Reckner Facilities: Westchester

450 Mamaroneck Ave., Suite 410 Harrison, NY 10528 Ph. 914-696-5150 or 215-822-6220 PGrubb@reckner.com www.reckner.com/facilities/harrison Peter Grubb, Executive Director Location: Office building

Distance from airport: 20 miles, 30 minutes

CL, PTL, TK, VC, WC

23 x 36 Multiple 15 16 x 21 Conference

The region's premier product testing facility just 20 miles from Manhattan! Brand new facility with 12 sink booths, 23 food/beverage booths, a test kitchen, focus group room and multi-purpose room. Sink and food/bev booths include 21" HD touch-enabled, centrally-managed computers with camera, microphone and speakers; Overhead and sconce lighting; Color masking; 12" x 18" serving doors to product preparation area; Completely washable surfaces; Programmable HVAC system. Multi-Purpose Room: seating for 40 classroom style. TK: walk-in cooler, freezer, 3 electric ovens, 10 microwaves. Focus Group Room: comfortable seating for 15. Spacious client lounge with viewing via CCTV. Flawless recruiting/ moderating. Professional staff. Other locations in Milwaukee MSA and Philadelphia MSA. (See advertisement on p. 15)



#### RRU Research - Fusion Focus

373 Park Ave. S., 10th Floor New York, NY 10016 Ph. 718-222-5600 mlivia@RRUResearch.com www.rruresearch.com Location: Office building

Distance from airport: 9 miles, 23 minutes

CL, CUL, 1/1, 1/10, VC, WC

Conference 19x15 15 20x16 13 Multiple 20x16 13 Living 10 Multiple 20x15 16x15 Multiple

RRU Research, formerly known as Recruiting Resources Unlimited, LLC was established in 1975 and has long held a reputation as one of the industry's qualitative recruiting powerhouses. We are professionally staffed with highly experienced project managers and recruiters in New York as well as major markets across the U.S.. In 2014, RRU Research opened Fusion Focus, a 5 room, state of the art and fully renovated research facility located on Park Ave. South in Midtown Manhattan. Our extensive respondent database and professional screening expertise can accommodate any specifications.



#### Schlesinger Group NYC

500 Fifth Ave., Suite 1030 New York, NY 10110

Ph. 212-730-6400

aj.shaw@SchlesingerGroup.com www.schlesingerassociates.com

AJ Shaw, Senior VP Qualitative Solutions

Location: Office building

Distance from airport: 10 miles, 25 minutes

AU, CL, CUL, 1/1, 1/10, TK, VC, WC 20x19 10 Multiple 20x15 15 Multiple Multiple 20x15 15 20x16 5 Multiple 20x20 22 Multiple Multiple 21x16 19x10 8 Multiple Conference 17x13 11 Multiple 10 Multiple

A leading data collection company with 24 highspecification focus group facilities across the U.S. and EU and a global solutions team providing a worldwide reach. We offer high-quality, reliable recruitment for any methodology: qual; focus groups; IDIs; online focus groups; telephone interviews; online communities; ethnographic research; usability labs; eye-tracking; EEG and facial coding. Hybrid: We combine online surveys or online qual with traditional methods. New: The Wall by Schlesinger, HD recording and 360° recording.

(See advertisement on inside front cover)



#### SIS International Research, Inc.

11 E. 22nd St. Floor 2 New York, NY 10010 Ph. 212-505-6805 research@sisinternational.com www.sisinternational.com Ruth Stanat, President Location: Office building Distance from airport: 10 miles, 20 minutes

CUL, 1/1, 1/10, PTL, TK, VC, WC Conference 25x35 20 15x20 Conference

SIS's Manhattan focus group facility provides cost-effective rentals, state-of-the-art amenities, high-quality and flexible client servicing in New York City. Our qualitative methodologies include focus groups, in-depth interviews, tele-depths, shop-alongs, online diaries, usability testing and ethnography. Other facility services include moderation, recruitment, translation and reporting. SIS offers vast nationwide qualitative capabilities, resources and databases. Our expertise includes 50+ industries, including consumer, B2B, medical, automotive, education, multicultural and low-incidence. (See advertisement on p. 57)

#### **SOHO Research Centre**

20x13

New York, NY Ph. 212-431-0462 www.sohoresearchcentre.com Meg Lane, Director Location: Office building Distance from airport: 9 miles, 30 minutes CUL, 1/1, 1/10

Conference

## Rochester

#### Dixon Schwabl

Victor, NY Ph. 585-383-0380 www.dixonschwabl.com Ellen Morris, Research Manager Location: Office building Distance from airport: 18 miles, 22 minutes CL, 1/1, 1/10, VC, WC 29x17 Conference

#### Opinions, Ltd. - Rochester

Rochester, NY Ph. 440-893-0300 www.opinionsltd.com Chris Sluder, Vice President Location: Shopping mall Distance from airport: 5 miles, 11 minutes

1/1, TK, VC, WC

20x9 Conference

#### **Tipping Point Communications** Rochester, NY

Ph. 585-340-1119 www.tippingpointcomm.com Location: Free standing facility Distance from airport: 9 miles, 15 minutes

CL, 1/1, TK, VC, WC Multiple 24 x 15

13 x 12 Conference 5 8 x 7 3 Conference 8 x 7 3 Conference

# Syracuse

#### KS&R's INSITE

Syracuse, NY Ph. 800-645-5469 or 315-446-3403 www.ksrinc.com Joseph W. Snyder, Dir. of Operations Location: Office building Distance from airport: 12 miles, 15 minutes 1/1 15x18 20 Conference



#### Research & Marketing Strategies, Inc.

15 E. Genesee St., Suite 210 Baldwinsville, NY 13027 Ph. 315-635-9802 or 866-567-5422 info@RMSResults.com www.RMSresults.com Lauren Krell, QualiSight Facility Manager Location: Office building Distance from airport: 15 miles, 22 minutes CL, CUL, 1/1, 1/10, PTL, VC, WC Conference

Research & Marketing Strategies, Inc. (RMS) is a full service market research and consulting firm located in Central New York. Since 2002, RMS has been a leader in multiple modalities associated with quantitative and qualitative research. RMS offers an independent means to conduct telephone, online and mail surveys, in-depth interviews, mystery shopping, market analysis, intercepts, observational studies and participant recruitment. RMS is also home to QualiSight, a premier focus group, recruiting and interview research facility, and RMS ViewPoint, a prime consumer research panel in one of the nation's top test markets.

Location: Office building, Freestanding building, Shopping mall

CL - Client Lounge 1/1 - One-on-One Room 1/10R - One-on-One Obs. TK - Test Kitchen TKO - Test Kitchen Obs.

**CUL-Computer Usability Lab** PUL-Product Usability Lab VC - Videoconferencina WC - Webconferencing AU - Auditorium

Conference - Conference-Style Room Living - Living Room-Style Room

Multiple - Both Styles Room dimensions, when stated, are shown in feet.

# North Carolina

#### Asheville

#### C&C Market Research - Asheville

Asheville Mall 3 South Tunnel Road, Suite K-18 Asheville, NC 28805 Ph. 479-785-5637 corp@ccmarketresearch.com www.ccmarketresearch.com Location: Shopping mall Distance from airport: 15 miles, 17 minutes 1/1, 1/10 18x20 10 Conference (See advertisement on inside back cover)

#### Charlotte



#### Accelerant Research

1242 Mann Drive, Suite 100 Matthews, NC 28105 Ph. 704-206-8501 paulr@accelerantresearch.com www.accelerantresearch.com Paul Rubenstein, Ph.D., President

Charlotte, North Carolina's premier focus group facility. To request a cost estimate, please submit an RFP, email or call us. National panel of research participants, provide white-glove treatment on recruitment. Our facility has convenient access to all of Charlotte. We provide free secure live online video streaming, free use of BlogNog online qualitative research platform for homework assignments, free stationary video recording and password protected online video archival, state-of-the art focus group facility, wired for any research needs, and high-speed wired and wireless Internet.



#### AOC Marketing Research

10100 Park Cedar Drive, Suite 100 Charlotte, NC 28210 Ph. 704-341-0232 info@aocresearch.com www.aocresearch.com Cathleen Christopher, President Location: Free standing facility Distance from airport: 15 miles, 20 minutes CL, 1/1, 1/10, TK, WC

30x31 20 Multiple 17x16 10 Multiple 22x20 20 Multiple 18x15 10 Multiple 25x21 10 Multiple

Professional, uncomplicated, effortless. Respondents

who are exactly on spec. These are a few of the things we promise at AOC. Our specialty is recruiting and implementing focus groups, in-depth interviews, large quota taste tests, central location tests and other research in our Charlotte, North Carolina facility. Designed for comfort, privacy, and productivity, each of our four suites include a private client lounge with an office and restroom, a private client entry/ exit outside and separate HVAC controls for client and respondent areas. AOC has a fully-equipped test kitchen with an experienced, professional staff, and the latest in technology including 40 notebook computers with 14 tablet PCs, wireless internet with backup, digital audio and video and video streaming. Convenient and accessible, AOC is in a one-story professional office park and a 20-minute drive from our international airport. We have ample free parking, and are only minutes from several hotels and award-winning restaurants. View our website to find out what researchers are saying about AOC and why our clients consider us their preferred research partner.



#### L&E Research

4824 Parkway Plaza Blvd., Suite 110 Charlotte, NC 28217 Ph. 877-344-1574 bidrequest@leresearch.com www.leresearch.com Patricia Lister, Client Relationship Manager Location: Office building

Distance from airport: 6 miles, 10 minutes AU, CL, CUL, 1/1, 1/10, VC, WC

33x23 Conference 20x20 10 Conference 20x17 Conference

The Queen City's new slogan, "Charlotte's Got A Lot" also applies to L&E's Charlotte facility. It is a quick 10 minute drive from Charlotte Douglas International Airport (CLT) and has three focus group rooms, Banker's, Racing and Blue Ridge. All rooms are equipped with ceiling height windows that can be covered or opened and well-appointed lounges and attached viewing rooms conceived for client comfort. Customize table configurations with our modular tables and utilize 750 square feet in the Banker's conference room for any type of study including mock trials and large groups.

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20120 Research - Charlotte

2102 Cambridge Beltway Drive, Suite B Charlotte, NC 28273

Ph. 704-494-7873 or 704-587-0028 susan.brelewski@2020research.com www.2020research.com/charlotte Susan Brelewski, Facility Director Location: Office building

Distance from airport: 10 miles, 15 minutes

CL, CUL, VC, WC 20x20 12 20x20 12

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20x20

Conference Conference Conference

20x30 Conference 16 19<sub>2</sub>14 Conference

Charlotte, a well-established market and national hub for banking and finance, boasts a population representative of the regional south and broader country. Easily accessible by direct flight from over 60 cities, the facility is just 15 minutes from the airport. Serving the industry since 1986, 20|20 is your trusted fieldwork partner in Charlotte with quality metrics and top-notch amenities to prove it. From cutting edgetechnology to high-end hospitality services and one of the most experienced teams in the industry, we have everything you'd want in a facility.

# Greensboro/Winston-Salem

#### Bellomy Research, Inc.

Winston-Salem, NC Ph. 800-443-7344 or 336-721-1140 www.bellomyresearch.com Julie Hauser, Manager Focus Group Facilities Location: Office building Distance from airport: 25 miles, 30 minutes CL, 1/1, 1/10, VC

Conference

#### Eastcoast Research

26x20

Greensboro, NC Ph. 336-285-5195 www.eastcoastresearch.com Nancy Michaels, Director of Market Research Location: Free standing facility Distance from airport: 10 miles, 20 minutes 1/1, 1/10, PTL, VC, WC 22x16 Conference

#### Quick Test/Heakin (Branch)

Winston-Salem, NC Ph. 336-882-1176 www.quicktest.com Christy Crossan Location: Shopping mall

# Raleigh/Durham



#### First In Focus Research

4009 Barrett Drive, Suite 101 Raleigh, NC 27609 Ph. 919-510-0445 x25 karan@firstinfocus.com www.firstinfocus.com Karan Bunn, Owner and General Manager

Location: Office building Distance from airport: 14 miles, 20 minutes

CL, 1/1, 1/10, PTL, TK, VC 18x19 12 Multiple 18x18 Multiple

"Top Rated" focus group facility in the Raleigh-Durham area since opening in 2005. Qualitative and quantitative research staff on site. Online survey development and implementation. Trustworthy and targeted recruiting for focus groups, one-on-ones, usability studies, jury research, taste tests, product testing, home utilization tests, music studies, ethnographies and more. Database includes metro and small-town residents. State-of-the-art technology, closed-circuit TV, video-streaming and high-speed Internet access, including wireless, digital sound, FocusVision partner, ViewPoint Streaming partner, etc.

# harker bos group

#### Harker Bos Group

8816 Six Forks Road, Suite 107 Raleigh, NC 27615 Ph. 919-954-8300 info@harkerresearch.com www.harkerresearch.com Katherine Thomas, Office Manager Location: Office building Distance from airport: 15 miles, 15 minutes CL, 1/1, VC, WC Conference

Harker Research is a full-service market research company specializing in audience and consumer research. Our customized research has enabled clients to increase consumer base by giving them a true understanding of their target consumer group. We are committed to providing relevant, reliable and

actionable answers to your research needs. Burke Institute-trained moderators and Real Time Analyzers gauge study interest level in audio and video programming, real time using handheld devices in a focus group environment. Professional videostreaming at minimal cost through FocusVision and USTREAM.



#### L&F Research

5505 Creedmoor Road, Suite 200 Raleigh, NC 27612 Ph. 877-344-1574 bidrequest@leresearch.com www.leresearch.com Patricia Lister, Client Relationship Manager Location: Office building Distance from airport: 10 miles, 15 minutes AU, CL, CUL, 1/1, 1/10, VC, WC

27x27 14 Conference 17x21 15 Conference 20x16 10 Conference Conference 15x20 12

L&E's Raleigh facility is our headquarters, 15 min. from Raleigh-Durham International Airport (RDU). The city's slogan, "You can see the whole state from here!" reflects our ability to give the perspective you need for your project. This facility has a 700 sq ft multi-purpose room and three large focus group rooms, which have modular tables for custom configuration, well-appointed client lounges and comfortable viewing rooms, plenty of ledge and corkboard space, and the leading video conferencing, web streaming and digital recording technologies, including FocusVision and L&E video streaming.

#### Opinions, Ltd. - Raleigh-Durham

Raleigh, NC Ph. 440-893-0300 www.opinionsltd.com Chris Sluder, Vice President Location: Shopping mall Distance from airport: 10 miles, 15 minutes 1/1, 1/10, VC, WC

# Rocky Mount/Greenville

#### InTandem

Greenville, NC Ph. 252-321-1111 www.intandeminc.com Georgina Quinn Location: Free standing facility Distance from airport: 90 minutes CL, CUL, 1/1, TK, VC, WC Conference 22x15

# Wilmington

#### Eastcoast Research

30x25

Wilmington, NC Ph. 910-763-3260 www.eastcoastresearch.com Paula Lentz Corbett, CEO Location: Office building Distance from airport: 5 miles, 15 minutes 1/1, 1/10

Multiple

North Dakota

#### **Bismarck**

#### **Odney**

Bismarck, ND Ph. 701-451-9028 www.odney.com Shannon Bugge-Turman Location: Office building Distance from airport: 5 miles, 15 minutes

1/1

15x20 Conference

# **Ohio**

#### Akron



#### **Decisionpoint Consulting**

6971 Promway Ave. N.W., Suite B Canton, OH 44720 Ph. 440-263-5362 330-936-6867 amy@decisionpointconsulting.com www.decisionpointconsulting.com Amy E. Boren, President Location: Office building Distance from airport: 6 miles, 6 minutes

18x12.5 10 Livina 12x18.5 10 Multiple

Decisionpoint Consulting is a full-service marketing research firm based in Canton, OH. Our team of marketing research business consultants merge into your project and use social media, virtual technology and highly skilled, trained recruiters to tackle your most difficult recruiting challenge, anywhere in the country. We have online tools for conducting virtual focus groups and expertise to execute online surveys on demand. Our national qualitative panel can be validated. Twenty years of traditional experience + technology to expedite difficult algorithms, rural areas or low incidence RFP's.

#### **Innis Maggiore**

Canton, OH Ph. 800-460-4111 www.innismaggiore.com Location: Free standing facility Distance from airport: 5 miles, 10 minutes CL. 1/1 20x20 Conference

#### Synergy Marketing Strategy and Research, Inc.

Akron, OH Ph. 216-431-0008 www.synergyloyalty.com Crystal Ogden, Project Manager Location: Office building Distance from airport: 20 miles, 25 minutes CL, 1/1, 1/10, VC Conference 15x17 12

#### Cincinnati

# Assistance In Marketing, Inc.

Cincinnati, OH Ph. 513-683-6600 or 888-4AIMFIRE www.aimresearchnetwork.com Cathy Sarky, President Location: Free standing facility

Distance from airport: 20 miles, 40 minutes AU, CL, CUL, 1/1, 1/10, PTL, TK, TKO, VC, WC

12x18 12 Conference Conference 12x18 12 35x21 12 Conference 18x18 25 Conference

#### Blue Ocean Facilities

Cincinnati, OH Ph. 513-842-6323 www.blueoceanfacilities.com Erin Holmgren, Sales Manager Location: Office building Distance from airport: 30 miles, 32 minutes 1/1

40x40 Multiple 35x25 Multiple

#### **Illumination Research**

Cincinnati, OH Ph. 513-774-9531

www.illumination-research.com

Heather Hall

Location: Office building

Distance from airport: 40 miles, 45 minutes

CL. VC

20x30 15 Conference

#### **Ipsos**

Cincinnati, OH Ph. 513-872-4300 www.ipsos-na.com April Jeffries Location: Office building Distance from airport: 10 miles, 30 minutes CL, 1/1, TK, VC 18x22 Conference



#### L&E Research 9908 Carver Road

24x24

Cincinnati, OH 45242 Ph. 877-344-1574 bidrequest@leresearch.com www.leresearch.com Patricia Lister, Client Relationship Manager Location: Free standing facility Distance from airport: 25 miles, 40 minutes AU, CL, CUL, 1/1, 1/10, VC, WC 22x18 15 Multiple 25 Multiple 24x20 Multiple 19x21 15

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Like Charlotte, Cincinnati also claims "The Queen City" as its nickname, but to avoid confusion we prefer "The Queen City of the West." L&E's unique facility is indeed fit for a queen, with more than 10,000 square feet of state-of-the-art space that provide our clients and research respondents with every comfort and professional advantage. L&E Cincinnati offers three spacious focus group suites and a large creative space, the Envisage Studio, for consumer directs, team meetings or ideation sessions. We offer the latest video conferencing, web streaming and digital recording technologies.

Multiple

#### LaVERDAD Marketing, Media, PR and Research

Cincinnati, OH Ph. 513-891-1430 or 805-338-0558 www.laverdadmarketing.com Rob Hanson, V.P. of Research Location: Office building

Distance from airport: 25 miles, 30 minutes

CL, 1/1, 1/10, WC

17x17 10 Multiple 29x22 Conference 44x23 Multiple

#### Market Inquiry LLC

Cincinnati, OH Ph. 513-794-1088 www.marketinquiry.com Cathy Noyes, Owner Location: Office building Distance from airport: 25 miles, 30 minutes

CL, 1/1, 1/10, TK, VC, WC

Conference 14x16 10 20x30 20 Conference

Location: Office building, Freestanding building, Shopping mall

CL - Client Lounge 1/1 - One-on-One Room 1/10R - One-on-One Obs. TK - Test Kitchen TKO - Test Kitchen Obs.

**CUL-Computer Usability Lab** PUL-Product Usability Lab VC - Videoconferencing WC - Webconferencing AU - Auditorium

Conference - Conference-Style Room Living - Living Room-Style Room Multiple - Both Styles

Room dimensions, when stated, are shown in feet.

#### MarketVision Research®

Cincinnati, OH Ph. 513-791-3100 www.mv-research.com Tina Rucker Location: Office building Distance from airport: 25 miles, 35 minutes CL, 1/1, 1/10, WC

16x24 24 Conference 15x22 14 Conference



20x22

#### Strategic Intelligence Research Services (SIRS)

4351 Winston Ave. Covington, KY 41005 Ph. 859-479-0873 sdve@rdicorp.com www.sirsinc.com Bruce Ferguson, VP, Qualitative Research Location: Free standing facility Distance from airport: 15 miles, 20 minutes CL, 1/1, 1/10, VC Multiple 24x18 18

For the past eight years, SIRS has been named one of the Top Market Research Companies by Impulse Survey. Our facility in Greater Cincinnati features two separate focus group suites. Each suite has its own viewing room, client lounge and full kitchen. Our client lounges feature closed-circuit televised viewing and our viewing rooms can comfortably seat 18. SIRS in-house recruiting staff ensures you get the right respondents for every study.

Multiple

### Various Views Research

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Cincinnati, OH Ph. 513-489-9000 www.variousviews.com Sharon Lally, CEO Location: Office building

Distance from airport: 25 miles, 45 minutes

CL, 1/1, 1/10, VC

24 x 20 18 Conference 22 x 19 14 Conference Multiple 17 x 27 8

#### Cleveland

#### Business Research Services, Inc.

Cleveland, OH Ph. 216-831-5200 or 888-831-5200 www.marketingresearch.com Ron Mayher, Owner Location: Free standing facility Distance from airport: 20 miles, 20 minutes

CL, 1/1, 1/10, VC

Conference 20x25 12

#### C&C Market Research - Cleveland North

Great Northern Mall 4954 Great Northern Mall, Suite 106 North Olmstead, OH 44070 Ph. 479-785-5637 corp@ccmarketresearch.com www.ccmarketresearch.com (See advertisement on inside back cover)

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#### Focus Groups of Cleveland, Inc.

2 Summit Park Drive, Suite 225 Independence, OH 44131 Ph. 216-901-8075 research@focusgroupsofcleveland.com www.focusgroupsofcleveland.com April Morris, President and Owner Distance from airport: 8 miles, 12 minutes AU, CL, 1/1, 1/10, TK, TKO, VC, WC 16x20 20 Multiple 12x16 12 Multiple Multiple 25x25 20

In business 50+ years, we are Top Rated in the Impulse Survey! Featured three times on the "CBS This Morning" show and Northern Ohio's largest focus group facility. We specialize in on-site recruiting for consumer, litigation, executive and medical interviews, providing 6,000+ sq. ft. of comfort and technology for focus groups, IDIs, taste tests, prerecruits and entire project management in a high-end environment. We're conveniently located only 10 minutes from Cleveland Hopkins Airport and downtown Cleveland, surrounded by excellent hotels, dining and other amenities. Pricing is competitive!

#### National Survey Research Center

Cleveland, OH Ph. 800-837-7894 or 216-518-2805 www.nsrc.com Lauren Schmidt, Director, Business Development Location: Office building Distance from airport: 7 miles, 13 minutes VC. 15x20 15 Conference

# **Opinion Centers America**

Cleveland, OH Ph. 800-779-3003 or 440-779-3000 www.opinioncenters.com Karen Cunningham Location: Office building Distance from airport: 7 miles, 15 minutes CL, WC 20x20 12 Conference

#### Opinions, Ltd. - Cleveland

Chagrin Falls, OH Ph. 440-893-0300 www.opinionsltd.com Chris Sluder, Vice President

# Opinions, Ltd. - Cleveland

Strongsville, OH Ph. 440-893-0300 www.opinionsltd.com Chris Sluder, Vice President Location: Shopping mall Distance from airport: 8 miles, 12 minutes 1/1, 1/10, VC, WC Conference 14x16

#### Opinions, Ltd. - Headquarters

Chagrin Falls, OH Ph. 440-893-0300 www.opinionsltd.com Chris Sluder, Vice President Location: Office building Distance from airport: 20 miles, 30 minutes CL, 1/1, 1/10, TK, WC Conference 18x18 12



#### **Precision Dialogue**

905 Corporate Way Westlake, OH 44145 Ph. 877-332-9222 info@precisiondialogue.com www.precisiondialogue.com Cathleen Zapata, Chief Experience Officer Location: Office building Distance from airport: 7 miles, 17 minutes CL, CUL, 1/1, 1/10, PTL, VC, WC 17x14 20 Multiple

Precision Dialogue is a full-service usability lab and market research facility combining state-of-the art technology with idea-inspiring and creative environment. Precision Dialogue is one of the only facilities in the U.S. with a full solution of in-lab, mobile and field eye-tracking capabilities, offering an unparalleled first look into customers' decision-making processes and behavioral patterns. Our lab can be used for traditional market research projects, as well as plannogram, product, website, e-mail, mobile, tablet, commercials, direct mail, in-store product display testing and more.

# Synergy Marketing Strategy and Research, Inc.

Cleveland, OH Ph. 216-431-0008 or 330-576-6784 www.synergyloyalty.com Crystal Ogden, Project Manager Location: Office building

Distance from airport: 13 miles, 20 minutes

CL, 1/1 52x34 Multiple

### Columbus



#### **Complete Research Connection**

2323 W. Fifth Ave., Suite 150 Columbus, OH 43204 Ph. 614-220-4120 info@crcmr.com www.crcmr.com Chelle Precht, President Location: Office building Distance from airport: 12 miles, 15 minutes AU, CL, 1/1, 1/10, PTL, TK, VC, WC 28x32 30 Multiple 16x22 25 Multiple 15x16 9 Multiple Multiple 8x8 5 28x28 Multiple

Complete Research Connection (CRC), is an Impulse Survey Top Rated, certified woman-owned business, featuring four state-of-the-art focus group suites (two with wraparound viewing for as many as 30 clients) and one large creative space room, recruiting, moderating, project management, research design consultation, questionnaire development, auditing, data collection, data processing and analysis. CRC has experience with Central Location Tests (CLTs), Home Use Tests (HUTs), focus groups, dial tests, in-home interviews and other ethnographic research, in-store intercepts and more.

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Focus Pointe Global - Columbus

7634 Crosswoods Drive Columbus, OH 43235

Ph. 614-781-5590 or 888-873-6287

columbus@focuspointeglobal.com www.focuspointeglobal.com

Stephanie Wolf, Facility Director

Location: Office building

Distance from airport: 15 miles, 15 minutes

CL, CUL, TK, VC, WC

16x32 Multiple 24x20 15 Multiple Multiple 21x18 16 Multiple 18x18 15 21x16 30 Multiple

Focus Pointe Global sets the industry standard for qualitative/quantitative marketing research data collection services. 18 premier focus group facilities in major U.S. commercial centers. Services include: focus groups, taste tests, jury simulation, product placements, Webcam focus groups, online communities, qualitative/quantitative research. Locations: Appleton, Wis.; Atlanta; Atlanta-Buckhead; Bala Cynwyd, Pa.; Boston; Chicago; Chicago-Oakbrook; Columbus, Ohio; Dallas; Kansas City, Mo.; Los Angeles; Minneapolis; New York City; Philadelphia; Phoenix; St. Louis; San Francisco; Teaneck, N.J. (See advertisement on p. 3)



#### L&E Research

One Easton Oval, Suite 300 Columbus, OH 43219 Ph 877-344-1574 bidrequest@leresearch.com www.leresearch.com

Patricia Lister, Client Relationship Manager

Location: Office building

Distance from airport: 3 miles, 5 minutes

AU, CL, CUL, 1/1, 1/10, VC, WC 20x29 13 Multiple 15x20 Multiple 10 Multiple 17x25 13

At one time, Columbus, Ohio embraced the nickname "America's Test Market." So it's no wonder we embraced Columbus as one of our premier research locations, as well. L&E's facility is located in the metropolitan community of Easton, a 1300-acre mixed-use development, home to young professionals and families. Located in the heart of a top-tier retail market and the dominant destination for shopping, dining and entertainment in Central Ohio, our facility offers three focus group rooms.

#### LextantLabs

1322 Manning Parkway Powell, 0H 43065 Ph. 614-228-9711 lexlabs@lextant.com www.lextant.com

Susie Kloeb, Director, Labs and Environment Location: Free standing facility

Distance from airport: 19 miles, 26 minutes

CUL, 1/1, 1/10, PTL

Multiple 19x26 12 19x26 12 Multiple Multiple 19x26 12 39x19 Multiple 6 51x42 12 Multiple

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#### LextantLabs

250 S. High St. Floor 6 Columbus, OH 43215 Ph. 614-228-9711 skloeb@lextant.com

www.lextant.com/lextant-labs Susie Kloeb, Director, Labs and Environments

Location: Office building

Distance from airport: 7 miles, 12 minutes

CL, CUL, 1/1, 1/10, VC, WC

29x18 20 Multiple 8 Conference 23x19

When we talk about the human experience, we don't just mean for consumers. That's why we designed Lextant Labs to fit our clients' wide-ranging needs. We make sure you're prepared, comfortable and wellfed during those long days of market research or focus groups. Our spacious facilities accommodate nearly any setup, and they provide an inviting observation environment with standard business amenities and office supplies, restaurant-style catering and a steady flow of snacks and beverages. Technology is seamless and WIFI is complimentary. Finally, a research experience with you in mind.

# sparkspace

Columbus, OH Ph. 614-224-7727

www.sparkspace.com

Mark Henson, chief imagination officer

Location: Office building

Distance from airport: 8 miles, 15 minutes

CL, 1/1, 1/10, VC, WC

Multiple 65x25 40 Multiple 60x23 40 20x30 40 Multiple 20x35 40 Multiple 15x15 40 Multiple

# Dayton

#### **Business Research Group**

Dayton, OH

Ph. 937-229-2453 or 888-483-2237

www.udayton.edu/business/business\_research\_group

Kim Gilley, Research Manager

Location: Office building

Distance from airport: 10 miles, 20 minutes

Conference 24x21 24x16 10 Conference 12x20 10 Conference

#### Toledo

### **Great Lakes Marketing Research**

Toledo, OH Ph. 419-534-4700 www.qlm.com Lori Dixon, President Location: Office building

Distance from airport: 18 miles, 30 minutes

1/1

Conference 14x24 15 Multiple 14x24 15

# Oklahoma

# Oklahoma City

#### C&C Market Research - OKC

2501 W. Memorial, Suite 203 Oklahoma City, OK 73134 Ph. 479-785-5637 corp@ccmarketresearch.com

www.ccmarketresearch.com Location: Shopping mall

Distance from airport: 20 miles, 30 minutes

20x14 Conference (See advertisement on inside back cover)

#### Oklahoma Focus (Focus Group Facility)

Oklahoma City, OK Ph. 405-600-7955 www.oklahomafocus.com Kathrvn Wilson Location: Free standing facility Distance from airport: 10 miles, 15 minutes CL, 1/1, 1/10, VC 18 x 17 15 Multiple

#### Oklahoma Market Research

Oklahoma City, OK Ph. 405-525-3412 www.datanet-research.com Judy Nitta, Vice President Location: Office building

Distance from airport: 10 miles, 15 minutes

CL, 1/1, TK

25x16 15 Conference 22x14 Conference 4

#### Shapard Research

Oklahoma City, OK Ph. 405-607-4664 www.shapard.com Veda Shapard Location: Office building

Distance from airport: 10 miles, 15 minutes

24x16 6 Conference

#### Tulsa

# Consumer Logic, Inc.

Tulsa, OK Ph. 800-544-1494 or 918-665-3311 www.consumerlogicresearch.com Dan Jarrett, President Location: Office building Distance from airport: 7 miles, 12 minutes CL, 1/1, 1/10, VC 15x22 Conference

Location: Office building, Freestanding building, Shopping mall

CL - Client Lounge **CUL-Computer Usability Lab** 1/1 - One-on-One Room PUL-Product Usability Lab 1/10R - One-on-One Obs. VC - Videoconferencina TK - Test Kitchen WC - Webconferencing TKO - Test Kitchen Obs. AU - Auditorium

Conference - Conference-Style Room Living - Living Room-Style Room Multiple - Both Styles Room dimensions, when stated, are shown in feet.

# Oregon

# **Portland**



Seattle - Portland - Las Vegas

Consumer Opinion Services, Inc. (Br.)

2225 Lloyd Center Portland, OR 97232 Ph. 503-493-2870

Info@consumeropinionservices.com www.ConsumerOpinionServices.com Melissa Bledsoe, General Manager Location: Shopping mall

Distance from airport: 8 miles, 15 minutes

CL, 1/1, TK, VC, WC

Multiple 27x16 14 14x22 12 Multiple Multiple 20x30

Consumer Opinion Services provides comprehensive qualitative services: complete projects, facility rentals, recruitment, on-location work, design, moderation, reporting, videostreaming and transcriptions. Seattle, Portland and Las Vegas are home to our top-rated focus facilities, featuring classroom space to accommodate large sessions. Living room-style setups are available for a more informal setting. We offer conventional conference style rooms as well. Numerous client amenities, a professional hosting staff and state-of-the-art audio/visual services give you a turnkey home away from home.

(See advertisement on p. 121)



#### IdeaSuite

1600 S.E. Bybee Blyd., Suite 202 Portland, OR 97202 Ph. 855-322-0992 damianc@idea-suite.com www.idea-suite.com Location: Office building Distance from airport: 13 miles, 25 minutes CL, CUL, 1/1, 1/10, VC, WC

Multiple Portland's premiere research facility for focus groups,

usability studies, corporate meetings and ideation sessions. Our space is light-filled, relaxed and modern. Configurations include boardroom, living room, usability testing/IDI and classroom setups. IdeaSuite hosts one client at a time, guaranteeing the utmost in confidentiality and attention. We provide on-site tech support, two Wi-Fi networks, HD video room monitoring and streaming, Herman Miller Aeron chairs for observers and a private client lounge. Moderating and participant recruiting are also available.

#### VuPoint Research

Portland, OR www.vupointresearch.com Tobi Stark

Location: Office building

Distance from airport: 12 miles, 15 minutes AU, CL, 1/1, 1/10, PTL, TK, WC

18x20 12 Conference Conference 18x20 12 Conference 16x18 14 18x34 14 Conference 9x12 Conference

# Pennsylvania

# Allentown/Bethlehem

#### Matty Associates

Whitehall (Allentown), PA Ph. 610-437-4000 www.mattyassociates.com Joe McCall, President Distance from airport: 7 miles, 10 minutes CL, 1/1, 1/10, TK

# Erie

#### Opinions, Ltd. - Pittsburgh

Frie. PA Ph. 440-893-0300 www.opinionsltd.com Chris Sluder, Vice President Distance from airport: 8 miles, 15 minutes 1/1, 1/10, VC, WC 13x14 Conference

# Harrisburg

#### The Bartlett Group

Harrisburg, PA Ph. 717-540-9900 www.bartlettresearch.com Sarah Blaisdell Location: Free standing facility Distance from airport: 13 miles, 20 minutes CL, 1/10, VC, WC 12x20 Conference



Scoring market share with superior field research

#### FieldGoals.US FieldGoals at The Event Café

206 Third St. Cumberland, PA 17070 Ph. 877-469-6631 x1 qabby@fieldqoals.us www.fieldgoals.us Gabby Fabrizio Location: Free standing facility Distance from airport: 10 miles, 15 minutes AU, CL, CUL, 1/1, 1/10, PTL, TK, VC, WC 42x31

Multiple 16x25 Multiple 42x40 Multiple 26x25 Multiple

Welcome to FieldGoals at The Event Café - Central Pennsylvania's home for qualitative research and professional events. Just 4 miles from the Pennsylvania State Capital, and minutes from the PA turnpike, The Event Café is a midpoint for businesses across the region as well as the nation. With flexible rental opportunities ranging from focus groups - in our magnificent Griffin Focus Group Room with its 12-foot mirror, robotic cameras and client seating for 15 - to board meetings and presentations - the chic interior is sure to impress your clients and your colleagues. FieldGoals.US can also facilitate large dial tests, auditorium studies, music evaluations and legal studies, with room for breakouts and client lounges. At

our expansive second location - FieldGoals at CPCC located on the campus of Central Penn College - fully equipped classrooms with digital A/V equipment and Smart Boards for one-on-one interviews are available. Our in-house recruitment staff is your most professional and academic choice - only post-graduate professionals utilize our 50,000 plus database and/or your client list. Check out both locations on our website at www.fieldgoals.us and www.theeventcafe.com.

#### Lancaster

# CENTRALFOCUS

#### CentralFocus

180 W. Airport Road Lititz, PA 17543 Ph. 717-560-7842 london@centralfocus.net www.centralfocus.net Matt London, Operations Manager Location: Office building

Distance from airport: 1 miles, 2 minutes

CL, 1/1, 1/10, TK, WC

26x16 45 Conference

Conveniently located in central Pennsylvania's Lancaster County, we are just minutes from the Lancaster Airport and an easy drive from Baltimore, Philadelphia, Harrisburg, Reading and York. CentralFocus features a direct viewing room as well as a second viewing room to accommodate additional observers. A full complement of research services is available to help ensure the successful completion of your project. Streaming video offered. Centrally located. Focused on results.

#### Cimbrian

Lancaster, PA Ph. 717-368-2563 www.cimbrian.com Elizabeth Kelly, President Location: Office building

Distance from airport: 35 miles, 45 minutes

CL. TK 20x16

# Philadelphia/Southern NJ

Conference

#### C&C Market Research - Philadelphia

Franklin Mills 1749 Franklin Mills Circle, Suite 159 Philadelphia, PA 19154 Ph. 479-785-5637 corp@ccmarketresearch.com www.ccmarketresearch.com Craig Cunningham, President Location: Shopping mall Distance from airport: 30 miles, 60 minutes 1/1, TK Conference (See advertisement on inside back cover)

# PG Focus Pointe Global

#### DEEPER CONNECTIONS. DEEPER INSIGHTS.

Focus Pointe Global - Bala Cynwyd 225 E. City Ave., Suite 10 Bala Cynwyd, PA 19004 Ph. 610-949-9100 or 888-873-6287 bala@focuspointeglobal.com www.focuspointeglobal.com Jamie Katzenstein, Facility Director Location: Office building Distance from airport: 14 miles, 30 minutes CL, CUL, 1/1, 1/10, TK, VC, WC 15x36 15 Multiple 17x22 17 Multiple Multiple

Focus Pointe Global sets the industry standard for qualitative/quantitative marketing research data collection services. 18 premier focus group facilities in major U.S. commercial centers. Services include: focus groups, taste tests, jury simulation, product placements, Webcam focus groups, online communities, qualitative/quantitative research. Locations: Appleton, Wis.; Atlanta; Atlanta-Buckhead; Bala Cynwyd, Pa.; Boston; Chicago; Chicago-Oakbrook; Columbus, Ohio; Dallas; Kansas City, Mo.; Los Angeles; Minneapolis; New York City; Philadelphia; Phoenix; St. Louis; San Francisco; Teaneck, N.J. (See advertisement on p. 3)

# FPG Focus Pointe

#### DEEPER CONNECTIONS, DEEPER INSIGHTS.

#### Focus Pointe Global - Philadelphia

Two Logan Square, 18th and Arch Streets, Suite 500 Philadelphia, PA 19103

Ph. 215-701-1500 or 888-873-6287 phila@focuspointeglobal.com

www.focuspointeglobal.com Jamie Katzenstein, Facility Director

Location: Office building

Distance from airport: 6 miles, 20 minutes

CL, CUL, 1/1, 1/10, TK, VC, WC 20x24 16 Multiple 24x16 16 Multiple Multiple 24x16 16 24x16 16 Multiple 34x24 20 Multiple

Focus Pointe Global sets the industry standard for qualitative/quantitative marketing research data collection services. 18 premier focus group facilities in major U.S. commercial centers. Services include: focus groups, taste tests, jury simulation, product placements, Webcam focus groups, online communities, qualitative/quantitative research. Locations: Appleton, Wis.; Atlanta; Atlanta-Buckhead; Bala Cynwyd, Pa.; Boston; Chicago; Chicago-Oakbrook; Columbus, Ohio; Dallas; Kansas City, Mo.; Los Angeles; Minneapolis; New York City; Philadelphia; Phoenix; St. Louis; San Francisco; Teaneck, N.J. (See advertisement on p. 3)



# Focus Suites of Philadelphia

One Bala Plaza, Suite 622 Center
Bala Cynwyd, PA 19004
Ph. 610-667-1110
julia.cosel@focussuites.com
www.focussuites.com
Julia Cosel, Vice President
Location: Office building
Distance from airport: 30 minutes
CL, CUL, 1/1, 1/10, TK, VC, WC

 18x22
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 Conference

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 17x20
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 Conference

Conveniently located in the heart of metro Philadelphia, Focus Suites is easily accessible, just minutes from Center City. Consistently voted one of the Top Rated focus group facilities worldwide. Each of our suites includes a large conference room, observation room and adjoining client lounge with CC TV. We provide recruitment and project management for focus groups, in-depth interviews, user research, tdi's, mock trials, CLT's, web-based research, ethnographies and intercepts. We offer a range of services: moderation, translation and usability labs to make your research project a success.

#### Fork Restaurant

Philadelphia, PA Ph. 215-625-9425 www.forkrestaurant.com CL, 1/1, WC

12x13 12

12 Conference



#### Group Dynamics in Focus, Inc.

555 City Ave. 6th Floor

16x24

Bala Cynwyd, PA 19004

Ph. 866-221-2038 or 610-668-8535

sales@groupdynamics.com www.groupdynamics.com

Robin Kaplan, President

Location: Office building

Distance from airport: 12 miles, 30 minutes

AU, CL, CUL, 1/1, 1/10, TK, VC, WC 28x20 18 Multiple

Group Dynamics In Focus is celebrating 37 years as a qualitative research company located in suburban Philadelphia. Rely on us for expert recruiting for health care, B2B, and consumers. We recruit nationally for all medical professionals, both for phone and in-person research. Our 600 sq. ft. multipurpose room is ideal for mock juries, shopping displays, and theater seating for up to 50 people. Trust our experienced and professional staff for field management and competitive bids. Proudly honored by the Philadelphia Business Journal as one of the Top Woman-Owned businesses in Philadelphia.

Conference

#### Karchner Marketing Research, LLC

Collegeville, PA
Ph. 610-564-9624
www.KMRResearchStudio.com
Helen Karchner, CEO/Co-founder/Moderator
Location: Free standing facility
Distance from airport: 36 miles, 45 minutes
CL, 1/1, 1/10, VC, WC
19 x 15 5 Conference

#### KMR Research Studio

Collegeville, PA
Ph. 610-564-9624
www.kmrresearchstudio.com/location
Helen Karchner, CEO/Co-Founder/Moderator
Location: Free standing facility
Distance from airport: 35 miles
CL, CUL, 1/1, 1/10, VC, WC
17x20 5 Conference

# M3 GLOBAL RESEARCH

#### M3 Global Research and Studios (Philadelphia)

1650 Market St., Suite 3030
Philadelphia, PA 19103
Ph. 215-525-6191
LMezani@usa.m3.com
www.m3globalresearch.com
Lindita Mezani, VP - Market Research
Location: Office building
Distance from airport: 9 miles, 20 minutes
CL, CUL, VC, WC

25x18 12 Multiple 19x20 10 Multiple 20x21 7 Multiple 44x20 20 Multiple

M3 Philadelphia Studios is located in one of the best buildings in Philadelphia, One Liberty Place. Our location on the 30th floor will provide you with great views of the city. The Liberty Place Complex contains a 150,000 square foot retail center, a Westin Hotel, new observation deck and an underground parking garage. We offer Wi-Fi throughout the studio, HD

streaming in every suite and state-of-the-art AV technology. By combining two of our rooms, we have the largest conference room in the market that is suitable for mock trials and taste tests.

(See advertisement on p. 51)



#### Plaza Research-Philadelphia

9000 E. Lincoln Drive Two Greentree Centre, Suite 224 Marlton, NJ 08053 Ph. 856-596-7777 or 800-654-8002 bfarms@plazaresearch.com www.plazaresearch.com Bethany Farms, Director Location: Office building Distance from airport: 30 minutes CL, CUL, 1/1, 1/10, TK, TKO, WC 18x20 15 Conference 15x20 Conference 15 15x20 15 Multiple

The nation's premier network of focus group facilities! Plaza Research offers multi-city project coordination in 14 locations with an extensive nationwide database. One experienced project manager will be your sole contact for the duration of your project at any of our markets. Our focus group suites are designed with tiered seating, volume controls, private phone booths, simultaneous in-depth interview rooms and client-viewable test kitchens. We provide free high-speed Internet access in all client suites, conference rooms and lounges.

(See advertisement on p. 105)

#### Quick Test/Heakin (Branch)

Bensalem, PA
Ph. 215-322-0400
www.quicktest.com
Traci Wood, Director 3Q GLOBAL
Location: Shopping mall
1/1, TK
17x12 6 Conference



# Reckner Facilities: Philadelphia MSA

1600 Manor Drive
Chalfont, PA 18914
Ph. 215-822-6220
pgrubb@reckner.com
www.reckner.com/facilities/philadelphia
Peter Grubb, Executive Director
Location: Office building
Distance from airport: 41 miles
CL, TK, VC, WC
13.5x27 12 Conference

New modern facility serving the Northeastern Philadelphia MSA. Less than one hour from the Philadelphia Airport in historic Bucks County, the facility Features flexible product testing space including a kitchen, large multi-purpose room, focus group room with seating for 12 and spacious client lounge. Kitchen includes 40 cu. ft. of commercial refrigeration, ample residential refrigerator and freezer space, power for up to 10 microwaves, residential dishwasher and abundant counter space. Flawless recruiting/moderating. Professional staff. Other locations in New York City MSA and Milwaukee MSA. (See advertisement on p. 15)

Location: Office building, Freestanding building, Shopping mall

CL - Client Lounge CUL-Computer Usability Lab 1/1 - One-on-One Room PUL-Product Usability Lab 1/10R - One-on-One Obs. VC - Videoconferencing TK - Test Kitchen WC - Webconferencing TKO - Test Kitchen Obs. AU - Auditorium

Conference - Conference-Style Room Living - Living Room-Style Room Multiple - Both Styles

Room dimensions, when stated, are shown in feet.

#### Schlesinger Group Philadelphia 1650 Arch St., Suite 2701

Philadelphia, PA 19103 Ph. 215-564-7300 AJ.Shaw@SchlesingerGroup.com www.schlesingerassociates.com AJ Shaw, Senior VP - Qualitative Solutions Location: Office building Distance from airport: 10 miles, 15 minutes AU, CL, CUL, 1/1, 1/10, VC, WC Multiple 20x16 16 20x16 16 Multiple 20x16 16 Multiple 16x16 16 Multiple 17x20 15 Multiple

# (See advertisement on inside front cover) Schlesinger Group Philadelphia/Bala Cynwyd

50 Monument Road, Suite 200 Bala Cynwyd, PA 19004 Ph. 610-538-1900 bala@SchlesingerGroup.com www.schlesingerassociates.com AJ Shaw, Senior VP - Qualitative Solutions Location: Free standing facility Distance from airport: 15 miles, 25 minutes AU, CL, CUL, 1/1, 1/10, TK, VC, WC 22x17 20 Multiple Multiple 24x17 15 Multiple 20x17 15 (See advertisement on inside front cover)

#### Test America a division of CRG Global

Cherry Hill Mall, 2000 Route 38, Suite 1590 Cherry Hill, NJ 08002 Ph. 866-209-2553 crqsales@crqqlobalinc.com www.crqqlobalinc.com Jennifer Schwartz, Director of Field Operations Location: Shopping mall Distance from airport: 30 miles, 26 minutes 1/1, VC

# Pittsburgh

#### Campos Inc.

Pittsburgh, PA Ph. 412-471-8484 x309 www.campos.com Kelli Best, Director Field and Fulfillment Location: Office building Distance from airport: 17 miles, 30 minutes CL, 1/1, 1/10, TK, VC, WC 16x22 14 Multiple 18x25 10 Multiple

#### York

#### Polk-Lepson Research Group

York, PA Ph. 717-741-2879 www.polk-lepsonresearchgroup.com Thomas D. Lepson, President Location: Free standing facility Distance from airport: 35 miles, 45 minutes Conference

# Rhode Island

#### Providence

#### Accurate Focus, LLC.

East Providence, RI

Ph. 800-927-7327 or 401-435-3335

www.accuratefocus.com Daniel Connor Location: Office building

Distance from airport: 12 miles, 20 minutes

CL, 1/1, 1/10, WC

23x15 Conference

#### MacIntosh Survey Center

East Providence, RI Ph. 401-438-8330 www.macintoshsurvey.com Ann MacIntosh Location: Office building Distance from airport: 10 miles, 10 minutes

TK

18x20 15 Conference

# South Carolina

#### Charleston

#### Coastal Focus LLC

Charleston, SC Ph. 843-744-9009 or 843-744-9093 www.coastal-focus.com Francis DuBose, President Location: Office building Distance from airport: 3 miles, 10 minutes AU, CL, CUL, 1/1, 1/10, PTL, TK, VC, WC 25x35 20 Multiple Living 12x20 6 10x12 Conference 3

#### Columbia

#### Low Country Marketing, Inc.

Columbia, SC Ph. 803-788-4600 www.lowcountrymarketing.com Deborah R. Smith, President Location: Free standing facility Distance from airport: 10 miles, 15 minutes CL, 1/1, 1/10, TK, TKO, VC, WC 16x26 12 Multiple

#### Midlands Market Research LLC

Columbia, SC Ph. 803-254-8697 or 803-254-3853 www.midlandsres.com Judy DuBose, President Location: Free standing facility Distance from airport: 10 miles, 20 minutes CUL, 1/1, TK, VC, WC 18x25 15 Conference

# Greenville/Spartanburg

# **GREENVILLE FOCUS**

# Greenville Focus

2854 Wade Hampton Boulevard, Suite D Taylors, SC 29687 Ph. 864-350-0939 mike@greenvillefocus.com www.greenvillefocus.com Mike Shuck, President Location: Office building Distance from airport: 12 miles, 20 minutes ۷C

Ownership of Greenville Focus (previously Market

Insight) has operated a focus group facility in

Conference

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18x20

Greenville, S.C. for over 30 years. Our goal is to put this experience to work for our clients to insure they have the quality respondents they need. Our owner started his career as a corporate marketing research analyst which helps us see projects from our client's point of view more easily. We can recruit from our own internal database, from client supplied lists, or at on-site locations. We also recruit in more remote areas in SC/NC/GA that do not have focus group facilities. Call us today!

#### **Priority Metrics Group**

Roebuck, SC Ph. 800-764-0461 or 864-573-6139 www.pmgco.com John Barrett, President Location: Office building Distance from airport: 20 miles, 30 minutes 1/1, 1/10 20x25 10 Multiple

# Tennessee

# Chattanooga



### Wilkins Research Services, LLC

1730 Gunbarrel Road Chattanooga, TN 37421 Ph. 423-894-9478 info@wilkinsresearch.net www.wilkinsresearch.net Lisa Wilkins, Executive Director Location: Free standing facility Distance from airport: 6 miles, 12 minutes CL, CUL, 1/1, 1/10, PTL, TK, VC, WC 18 Conference 23x17 69x49 32 Conference 23x17 14 Conference Conference 23x15

As a market research company that has been in the business since 1971, we understand the need of gathering opinions for companies that desire a true connection with their customers. We offer a wide range of services including: Focus Groups, Telephone Surveys, On-Line Surveys, Recruiting Services, On-site and one-on-one surveys, and a host of other services. With our longevity and experience, we are ahead of our competitors. We take pride in our growth, which has been consistently steady in the last thirty plus years. Our long tenured staff knows how to take care of customers with a "small firm" mentality, but with our current volume of data collection we are considered a large firm capable of handling any size data collection project.

# Knoxville

#### **Southern Solutions**

Knoxville, TN Ph. 865-392-5047 or 866-764-7342 www.southernsolutionstn.com Jenny Jones, President Location: Free standing facility Distance from airport: 10 miles, 10 minutes CL, CUL, 1/1, 1/10, TK, VC, WC 19x21 16 Multiple

# Memphis

Access Insights

Memphis, TN Ph. 901-766-0111

www.accessinsights.us

Susan Brody

Location: Office building

Distance from airport: 7 miles, 10 minutes AU, CL, CUL, 1/1, 1/10, PTL, TK, TKO, VC, WC

Multiple 20x15 15 20x15 15 Multiple Multiple 20x15 15 8x10 10 Multiple Multiple 15x40



#### Axiom Research

6060 Primacy Parkway, Suite 401

Memphis, TN 38119

Ph. 901-821-4333 or 877-757-4333

cfray@axiom-mr.com

www.axiom-mr.com

Carla Frav

Location: Office building

Distance from airport: 9 miles, 15 minutes

AU, CL, CUL, 1/1, 1/10, TK, VC, WC 22x17 Multiple 10

23x18 12 Multiple 25x27 18 Conference

In the last year of publication, the Impulse Survey reported that our clients awarded us the highest score of any high-volume facility in the world. Attention to detail, accurate recruiting, anticipation of client needs and a beautiful facility are just four of the more frequent comments we receive from clients. Our location, in the high-end office corridor that forms the center of the MSA, enables us to successfully recruit from all demographics. Restaurants and business traveler hotels abound within five minutes or less from our offices. See our Web site for numerous client testimonials!

#### Nashville

#### The Nashville Research Group, LLC

Nashville, TN Ph. 615-399-7727 www.nashvilleresearch.com John Kilpatrick, Field Director Location: Free standing facility Distance from airport: 9 miles, 15 minutes AU, CL, CUL, 1/1, 1/10, PTL, TK, TKO, VC, WC

43x16 20 Multiple 21x16 20 Conference 10x10 Conference

#### Test America, a division of CRG Global

Cool Springs Galleria 1800 Galleria Blvd., Suite 1320 Franklin, TN 37064 Ph. 866-209-2553 crgsales@crgglobalinc.com www.crgtestamerica.com Jennifer Schwartz Location: Shopping mall

Distance from airport: 24 miles, 28 minutes CL, CUL, 1/1, 1/10, PTL, TK, TKO, VC, WC 14x21 Conference

#### 20|20 Research - Nashville

161 Rosa L. Parks Blvd. Nashville, TN 37203

Ph. 704-494-7873 or 615-885-2020 susan.brelewski@2020research.com www.2020research.com/nashville

Susan Brewleski, Facility Director

Location: Office building

Distance from airport: 10 miles, 15 minutes

CL, CUL, VC, WC

18x26 Conference 18x25 10 Conference 18x31 Conference 12

Fresh, modern facility in the heart of Nashville, The South's Red-Hot town according to Time Magazine. This fast-growing market was named the most "American" city by USA Today, thanks to the 85+ people moving here daily. Nashville is accessible by direct flight from over 40 cities. Serving the industry since 1986, 20|20 is your trusted, highly rated fieldwork partner with quality metrics and top-notch amenities to back it. From innovative technology to high-end hospitality services and one of the most experienced teams in the industry, we've got everything you'd want in a facility.

### Texas

# Austin

#### ATX Insights

Austin, TX

Ph. 512-401-3064

www.atxinsights.com/home.shtml

Nicole Proulx

Location: Office building

Distance from airport: 20 miles, 25 minutes

CL, CUL, 1/1, 1/10, PTL, VC, WC 23x20 10 Multiple

15x13 Multiple

# Tammadge Market Research

Austin, TX

Ph. 800-879-9198 or 512-474-1005

www.tammadgemrx.com Location: Office building

Distance from airport: 8 miles, 15 minutes

CL, CUL, PTL, VC, WC

Conference 24x16 20x24 15 Multiple

#### Think Group Austin

Austin, TX

Ph. 512-637-6690 or 1-866-5THINK9 www.thinkgroupaustin.com

Location: Office building

Distance from airport: 15 miles, 15 minutes

CL, CUL, 1/1, PTL, VC, WC

20x22 12 Multiple 17x22 Multiple 12 9x12 5 Multiple

# Brownsville

#### Hispanic Focus Unlimited

Pharr, TX

Ph. 956-501-4211 or 956-783-9907 www.hispanicfocusunlimited.com

Location: Free standing facility

Distance from airport: 3 miles, 10 minutes

CL, 1/1, 1/10, VC

16x30 Conference 10

# Dallas/Fort Worth

#### Bryles Research, Inc. (Br.)

Richardson, TX

Ph. 972-581-1050 or 877-478-5180

www.brylesresearch.com

Cindy Maluchny

Location: Free standing facility

Distance from airport: 20 miles, 25 minutes

1/1, 1/10, TK

31x36 Conference 15 Conference 22x26 15 17x18 15 Conference 17x18 15 Conference

#### C&C Market Research - Arlington

3811 S. Cooper, Suite 2053 Arlington, TX 76015 Ph. 479-785-5637

corp@ccmarketresearch.com www.ccmarketresearch.com

Craig Cunningham, President Location: Shopping mall

Distance from airport: 35 miles, 30 minutes TK

13x8 6 Conference (See advertisement on inside back cover)

#### C&C Market Research - Dallas

Collin Creek Mall 811 N. Central Expwy., Suite 2260 Plano, TX 75075 Ph. 479-785-5637 corp@ccmarketresearch.com www.ccmarketresearch.com Craig Cunningham, President Location: Shopping mall Distance from airport: 20 miles, 30 minutes CL, 1/1, 1/10, TK

21x15 8 Conference (See advertisement on inside back cover)

#### C&C Market Research - Fort Worth

Hulen Mall 4800 S. Hulen St., Suite 1350 Fort Worth, TX 76132 Ph. 479-785-5637 corp@ccmarketresearch.com www.ccmark et research.com

(See advertisement on inside back cover)



# **Dallas By Definition**

511 E. John W. Carpenter Freeway, Suite 100 Irving, TX 75062 Ph. 972-869-2366 or 800-336-1417

info@dallasbydefinition.com www.dallasbydefinition.com Stacy Scott, President

Location: Office building Distance from airport: 10 miles, 15 minutes

CL, CUL, 1/1, 1/10, VC, WC

24x16 15 Multiple 23x15 12 Conference Conference 18x22 12 18x22 15 Conference 15x20 15 Conference 25x20 Multiple

Dallas By Definition provides customized, high-quality qualitative research field services to a wide variety of clients. We offer five spacious focus group rooms with floor-to-ceiling mirrors for easy viewing, oversized tiered viewing rooms and luxurious private client lounges. One additional mini-group room is available providing a smaller setting for dyads, triads and minigroup projects. Two kitchens. Quality recruitment services. FocusVision and Streamline Universal services are available. Experienced, professional, friendly staff. A First Choice Facility. Newly Renovated 2015-2016.

Location: Office building, Freestanding building, Shopping mall

CL - Client Lounge 1/1 - One-on-One Room 1/10R - One-on-One Obs. TK - Test Kitchen TKO - Test Kitchen Obs.

**CUL-Computer Usability Lab** PUL-Product Usability Lab VC - Videoconferencing WC - Webconferencing AU - Auditorium

Conference - Conference-Style Room Living - Living Room-Style Room Multiple - Both Styles Room dimensions, when stated, are shown in feet.

# Databank Marketing Research LLC

Weatherford, TX Ph. 817-677-2331 www.databankmarketingresearch.com Sharyn Davis Location: Free standing facility Distance from airport: 10 miles, 20 minutes CL, 1/1, 1/10, TK

12 18x20 Conference 22x15 12 Conference Livina 18x22 12



#### Fieldwork Dallas

25x18

15305 Dallas Parkway, Suite 850 Addison, TX 75001 Ph. 972-866-5800 info@dallas.fieldwork.com www.fieldwork.com

Jessica Josset, President Location: Office building

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Distance from airport: 15 miles, 20 minutes

AU, CL, CUL, 1/1, 1/10, WC Multiple 25x22 18 25x20 Multiple 14 25x24 25 Multiple 10 Conference 13x15 Multiple 20x18 12

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Marsha Fugitt, VP Facility Operations Location: Office building

Distance from airport: 18 miles, 20 minutes

AU, CL, CUL, 1/1, 1/10, VC, WC 24

24x20 Multiple 12 24x20 Multiple 20x21 12 Multiple Multiple 24x46 36

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#### Ft. Worth Research

Arlington, TX Ph. 817-563-4063 or 817-300-3476 www.fortworthresearch.com Tara Miller Location: Free standing facility Distance from airport: 5 miles, 7 minutes AU, CL, 1/1, 1/10, TK, VC, WC 12x21 9 Conference 14x20 9 Conference 16x25 20 Conference 28x40 10 Multiple

#### GLocal Mind Inc.

Frisco, TX Ph. 215-366-2787 or 646-290-6655 www.glocalmind.com

Location: Office building Distance from airport: 22 miles, 60 minutes

CL, CUL, 1/1, 1/10, PTL, VC, WC 15x10 Conference 8 15x10 8 Living

#### K & B National Research, LLC

Dallas, TX Ph. 214-622-6500 or 800-695-7884 www.kbnationalresearch.com/recruiting Brian Hanks, Business Development and Marketing

Location: Office building Distance from airport: 20 miles, 30 minutes

CUL, 1/1, 1/10, VC, WC

44x20 25 Conference 21x20 12 Multiple 20x20 10 Multiple 19x20 10 Multiple

### Market Research Dallas

Dallas, TX

Ph. 972-239-5382 or 866-830-5382 (toll free)

www.marketresearchdallas.com

Gail Airoldi, Owner

Location: Free standing facility

Distance from airport: 10 miles, 15 minutes

CL, CUL, 1/1, 1/10, TK, VC, WC 27x18 18 Conference 26x15 16 Living 20x14 20 Multiple



#### Murray Hill National Dallas

8390 LBJ Freeway, Suite 540 Dallas, TX 75243 Ph. 972-707-7645 or 469-385-1200

susan@murrayhillnational.com www.murrayhillnational.com Susan Owens, COO/Managing Partner

Location: Office building Distance from airport: 18 miles, 30 minutes

CL, CUL, TK, VC, WC

18x17 15 Conference 20x17 16 Conference 14x19 Conference 10 20x16 15 Conference 19x17 15 Conference 38x17 Conference

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(See advertisement on p. 117)

#### P&K Research (Br.)

Plano, TX Ph. 972-769-0001 or 800-747-5522 www.pk-research.com Location: Shopping mall Distance from airport: 25 miles, 30 minutes CL, 1/1, 1/10, TK 26x29 Conference



#### Plaza Research-Dallas

14160 Dallas Parkway, Suite 602 Dallas, TX 75254 Ph. 972-392-0100 or 800-654-8002 strace@plazaresearch.com www.plazaresearch.com Susan Trace, Director Location: Office building Distance from airport: 20 minutes

CL, CUL, 1/1, 1/10, TK, VC, WC 15x20 15 Conference 15x20 Conference 15 15x20 15 Conference 15 Multiple 20x40

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(See advertisement on p. 105)

# Quick Test/Heakin (Branch)

Lewisville, TX Ph. 972-315-3555 www.quicktest.com Christy Crossan Location: Shopping mall

23x13 Conference 6

#### Schlesinger Group Dallas

JP Morgan International Plaza III 14241 Dallas Parkway, Suite 500 Dallas, TX 75254 Ph. 972-503-3100 dallas@SchlesingerGroup.com www.schlesingerassociates.com Nancy Ashmore, VP - Qualitative Solutions

Location: Office building

Distance from airport: 15 miles, 25 minutes

AU, CL, CUL, 1/1, 1/10, TK, VC, WC 20x16 12 Multiple 25x17 10 Multiple 22x17 Multiple 16 20x16 16 Multiple

(See advertisement on inside front cover)

#### Thomas J. Stephens & Associates, Inc.

Richardson, TX Ph. 972-392-1529 www.stephens-associates.com Brooke Stephens, Dir. of Business Development Location: Free standing facility Distance from airport: 31 miles, 30 minutes CL, 1/1, 1/10, VC, WC

18x25 Conference 10x13 Multiple 10x13 Multiple 18x25 Conference

#### Test America, a division of CRG Global

Grapevine Mills Mall 3000 Grapevine Mills Parkway, Suite 259 Grapevine, TX 76051 Ph. 866-209-2553 crasales@craglobalinc.com www.crgtestamerica.com Jennifer Schwartz, Director of Field Operations Location: Shopping mall Distance from airport: 8 miles, 10 minutes CL, CUL, 1/1, 1/10, PTL, TK, TKO, VC, WC 14x32 Conference

#### **VuPoint Dallas**

Dallas, TX Ph. 214-382-2610 www.vupointresearch.com Bert Lybrand Location: Free standing facility Distance from airport: 20 miles, 30 minutes CL, 1/1, 1/10, VC, WC 26x30

Multiple 18x22 Multiple 7x6 Multiple

#### El Paso



#### Merkadoteknia Research & Consulting

4141 Pinnacle, Suite 220 Fl Paso, TX 79902 Ph. 915-317-9264 or 915-307-3795 nmendoza@merkaconsulting.com www.merkaconsulting.com Norma A. Mendoza, Ph.D, President and CEO, Marketing Mgr Location: Office building Distance from airport: 11 miles, 17 minutes CL, 1/1, 1/10, VC, WC

11x20 Conference 8 11x14 8 Living 14x15 8 Conference

MKT empowers advertising agencies and national brands tapping into the Hispanic market. Our full service research agency in El Paso offers interpreter/ translation services and equipment, nationwide and cross border recruiting, video streaming and closed circuit viewing. Don't work in the dark! Bilingual moderators/interviewers are experienced in qualitative techniques effective with Hispanics of various nation-

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#### Houston

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Deerbrook Mall 20131 Highway 59 N., Space 1312 Humble, TX 77338 Ph. 479-785-5637 corp@ccmarketresearch.com www.ccmarketresearch.com Craig Cunningham Location: Shopping mall

Distance from airport: 20 miles, 30 minutes 13x13 4 Conference (See advertisement on inside back cover)



#### ConneXion Research and Strategy

5433 Westheimer Road, Suite 870 Houston, TX 77056 Ph. 281-815-4940 facility@connexionresearch.com www.connexionresearch.com Location: Office building Distance from airport: 40 miles, 30 minutes VC, WC 20x14 Multiple

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Ph. 281-240-9646 or 281-804-8171

ppratt@ccrsurveys.com www.ccrsurveys.com

BJ Gerjes, Data Collection Manager Location: Free standing facility

Distance from airport: 38 miles, 30 minutes

CL, 1/1, 1/10, TK

20x20 12 Conference 24x26 Conference 12 20x20 12 Conference 24x24 12 Conference 49x35 Multiple

CCR conducts research for clients nationally, statewide, regionally and locally. We have the largest Hispanic research department in the state of Texas and offer a variety of research methodologies to interview both acculturated and non-acculturated Hispanics/Latinos, Our Houston office offers large conference-style focus groups rooms with one-way mirrors and large client viewing rooms. We offer a large conference space for 100+ groups as well as easy access for equipment, vehicle, appliances and large products, focus groups and one-on-ones. Contact Patricia Pratt, ppratt@ccrsurveys.com.



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CL - Client Lounge 1/1 - One-on-One Room 1/10R - One-on-One Obs. TK - Test Kitchen TKO - Test Kitchen Obs.

CUL-Computer Usability Lab PUL-Product Usability Lab VC - Videoconferencina WC - Webconferencing AU - Auditorium

Conference - Conference-Style Room Living - Living Room-Style Room Multiple - Both Styles

Room dimensions, when stated, are shown in feet.



#### Opinions Unlimited - Houston

Three Riverway, Suite 250 Houston, TX 77056 Ph. 713-888-0202 or 800-604-4247 ask@opinions-unlimited.com www.opinions-unlimited.com Anndel Martin Location: Office building

Distance from airport: 16 miles, 20 minutes

CL, CUL, 1/1, 1/10, VC, WC 32x30 24 Multiple 20x18 12 Conference Conference

Consistently Top Rated. Centrally located in the Galleria area next to luxury hotel in a park setting. Newest technologies include 100mb dedicated fiber optic internet and PTZ 1080p hi-def cameras. Exceptional management team ensures a successful recruit and great service experience. Specialties include medical/healthcare/patient, jury/legal, usability labs, low incidence. Martin is QRCA member and past president of MRA/secretary of CMOR. Womanowned. Est. 1995 and remodeled 2017. We are Texans who know Texas!



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5333 Westheimer, Suite 500 Houston, TX 77056 Ph. 713-840-9500 or 800-654-8002 resparza@plazaresearch.com www.plazaresearch.com Richard Esparza, Assistant Director Location: Office building Distance from airport: 45 minutes CL, CUL, 1/1, 1/10, TK, TKO, WC Conference 15x20 20 15x20 20 Conference 15x20 20 Multiple

The nation's premier network of focus group facilities! Plaza Research offers multi-city project coordination in 14 locations with an extensive nationwide database. One experienced project manager will be your sole contact for the duration of your project at any of our markets. Our focus group suites are designed with tiered seating, volume controls, private phone booths, simultaneous in-depth interview rooms and client-viewable test kitchens. We provide free highspeed Internet access in all client suites, conference rooms and lounges. Renovated Fall 2017. (See advertisement on p. 105)

#### Quick Test/Heakin (Branch)

Houston, TX Ph. 281-872-4165 www.quicktest.com Christy Crossan Location: Shopping mall Conference 18x14

#### Schlesinger Group Houston

1455 W. Loop S., Suite 700 Houston, TX 77027 Ph. 713-353-0388 houston@SchlesingerGroup.com

www.schlesingerassociates.com Nancy Ashmore, Managing Director

Location: Office building Distance from airport: 16 miles, 20 minutes

CL, CUL, 1/1, 1/10, VC, WC

Multiple 21x17 12 24x17 12 Multiple 24x17 12 Multiple Multiple 26x18 12 (See advertisement on inside front cover)

#### San Antonio



#### **Galloway Research Service**

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18x21

4751 Hamilton Wolfe Road, Suite 100 San Antonio, TX 78229 Ph. 210-734-4346 info@gallowayresearch.com www.gallowayresearch.com David D. Galloway, VP of Client Services Location: Free standing facility Distance from airport: 5 miles, 15 minutes CL, CUL, 1/1, 1/10, PTL, TK, VC, WC 18x20 18 Conference Conference 19x18 18

40x40 18 Multiple Three focus group suites, each with its own spacious waiting area, spacious conference room, tiered viewing area, equipped client office, client lounge with monitor, audiovisual/translator room and each with a full bath/shower. Technologically state-of-the-art with T1 connections

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Conference

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Location: Shopping mall

Distance from airport: 2 miles, 5 minutes

13x17 Multiple

# Utah

# Salt Lake City



#### A Lighthouse Focus Center

375 E. 500 S. Salt Lake City, UT 84065 Ph. 801-446-4000 janderson@go-lighthouse.com www.go-lighthouse.com Joe Anderson Location: Free standing facility AU, CL, CUL, 1/1, 1/10, PTL

28x20 17 Multiple 25x15 8 Multiple 22x25 14 Multiple 22x25 Multiple 23 Conference 16x21 18

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#### Dan Jones & Associates

Salt Lake City, UT Ph. 801-456-6700 www.djasurvev.com Kathryn Quist Location: Office building Distance from airport: 7 miles, 10 minutes CL, CUL, 1/1, 1/10, PTL, VC, WC 20x24 17 Conference 20x24 17 Conference

#### Discovery Research Group

Salt Lake City, UT Ph. 800-678-3748 or 801-569-0107 www.discoveryresearchgroup.com Robert Higginson Location: Office building Distance from airport: 18 miles, 20 minutes CL, 1/1, 1/10, VC, WC 24x22 Conference



#### Io Data Corporation

40 S. 600 E. Salt Lake City, UT 84102 Ph. 801-595-0001 data@iodatacorp.com www.iodatacorp.com

Location: Free standing facility Distance from airport: 8 miles, 10 minutes

CL, 1/1 22x14 Conference 35x31 Multiple

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www.go-lighthouse.com

Joe Anderson, PRC, Director Business Development

Location: Free standing facility

Distance from airport: 18 miles, 20 minutes

AU, CL, CUL, 1/1, 1/10, PTL, VC, WC 21x21 16 Conference

18x13 Conference Multiple 49x20

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Salt Lake City, UT Ph. 877-273-2321 www.Pegusfocusgroup.com Dawn Straatsma, Dir. Bus. Dev. and Contract Mgt. Location: Office building Distance from airport: 7 miles, 10 minutes CL, CUL, 1/1, 1/10

Conference 13x13

# Virginia

# Newport News/Norfolk/Virginia

#### The Bionetics Corporation

Yorktown, VA Ph. 800-868-0330 or 757-873-0900 www.bionetics.com

Margaret Riedmiller, Focus Group Coordinator Location: Office building

Distance from airport: 5 miles, 10 minutes

1/1, 1/10 25x25

Conference



#### Issues and Answers Network, Inc.

5151 Bonney Road, Suite 100 Virginia Beach, VA 23462 Ph. 757-456-1100 or 800-23-ISSUE clindemann@issans.com www.issans.com

Carla Lindemann, COO

Distance from airport: 10 miles, 15 minutes

VC., WC.

21x24 Conference

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pot of all demographic backgrounds - both military and non-military households. We also recruit from industries including but not limited to health care, contracting, financial services, and tourism. (See advertisement on p. 119)

#### Martin Focus Group Services, Inc.

Virginia Beach, VA Ph. 757-518-0180 www.martinfocus.com Jennifer Powell, Manager Location: Office building

Distance from airport: 10 miles, 30 minutes

CL. 1/1

16x17 Conference 18x21 Conference

#### Richmond

#### Dominion Focus Group, Inc.

Richmond, VA Ph. 804-672-0500 or 804-672-1417 www.dominionfocusgroup.com

Bana Bhagchandani, President Location: Office building

Distance from airport: 17 miles, 20 minutes

1/1, 1/10, TK, TK0

30x16 18 Conference 16x12 8 Conference Conference 17x17 10

#### Martin Focus Group Services, Inc.

Glen Allen, VA Ph. 804-935-0203 www.martinfocus.com Jennifer Powell, Manager Location: Office building

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CL. 1/1. VC

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Conference - Conference-Style Room Living - Living Room-Style Room Multiple - Both Styles Room dimensions, when stated, are shown in feet.



# Alan Newman Research

**Richmond Focus Group Center** 1025 Boulders Parkway, Suite 401 Richmond, VA 23225 Ph. 804-272-6100 or 804-272-6100 ext. 226 field@anr.com www.anr.com Terry Brisbane, Vice President

Location: Office building Distance from airport: 15 miles, 20 minutes

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27x18

Conference

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Roanoke, VA Ph. 540-342-1970 www.martinfocus.com Marjorie Jeskey, Executive Vice President Location: Free standing facility Distance from airport: 8 miles, 20 minutes 17x20 12 Conference

# Washington

# Seattle/Tacoma



Seattle - Portland - Las Vegas

Consumer Opinion Services, Inc.

12825 First Ave. S. Seattle, WA 98168 Ph. 206-241-6050 in fo@ConsumerOpinionServices.comwww.consumeropinionservices.com Jerry Carter, President/CEO Location: Free standing facility Distance from airport: 5 miles, 10 minutes TK, TKO

15x20 10 Conference

Main administrative office for the company. Consumer Opinion Services provides comprehensive qualitative services: complete projects, facility rentals, recruitment, on-location work, design, moderation, reporting, videostreaming and transcriptions. Seattle, Portland and Las Vegas are home to our top-rated focus facilities, featuring classroom space to accommodate large sessions. Living room-style setups are available for a more informal setting. We offer conventional conference style rooms as well. Numerous client amenities, a professional hosting staff and state-of-the-art audio/visual services give you a turnkey home away from home. (See advertisement on p. 121)

# Consumer Opinion Services Market Research Since 1960

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Ph. 253-277-1617 or 206-241-6050 for estimates Info@ConsumerOpinionServices.com www.ConsumerOpinionServices.com Jerry Carter, President and CEO Location: Free standing facility Distance from airport: 4 miles, 8 minutes

Suburban Seattle CLT and Focus Group Facility. Consumer Opinion Services provides comprehensive qualitative services: complete projects, facility rentals, recruitment, on-location work, design, moderation, reporting, videostreaming and transcriptions. Seattle, Portland and Las Vegas are home to our top-rated focus facilities, featuring classroom space to accommodate large sessions. Living room-style setups are available for a more informal setting. We offer conventional conference style rooms as well. Numerous client amenities, a professional hosting staff and state-of-the-art audio/visual services give you a turnkey home away from home (See advertisement on p. 121)



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U.S. Bank Centre, Suite 525 1420 Fifth Ave. Seattle, WA 98101

Ph. 206-838-7951 or 206-241-6050 for estimates info@ConsumerOninionServices.com www.ConsumerOpinionServices.com

Jerry Carter, President Location: Office building

Distance from airport: 15 miles, 20 minutes

CL, CUL, VC, WC

20x16 12 Multiple 20x16 15 Multiple

Downtown Seattle Focus Group Facility. Consumer Opinion Services provides comprehensive qualitative services: complete projects, facility rentals, recruitment, on-location work, design, moderation, reporting, videostreaming and transcriptions. Seattle, Portland and Las Vegas are home to our top-rated focus facilities, featuring classroom space to accommodate large sessions. Living room-style setups are available for a more informal setting. We offer conventional conference style rooms as well. Numerous client amenities, a professional hosting staff and state-of-the-art audio/visual services give you a turnkey home away from home. (See advertisement on p. 121)



#### Fieldwork Seattle

520 Pike St., Suite 2610 Seattle, WA 98101 Ph. 206-493-3300 info@seattle.fieldwork.com www.fieldwork.com

Adrien Whittemore, Facility Director Location: Office building

Distance from airport: 15 miles, 20 minutes

CL, CUL, WC

18x20 Conference 16x20 Conference 15 16x24 Conference 14 18x19 14 Conference 19x30 22 Conference 18x23 Conference

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#### GMA Research Corp.

Bellevue, WA Ph. 425-460-8800 www.gmaresearch.com Don Morgan Location: Office building

Distance from airport: 20 miles, 30 minutes

CL, 1/1, 1/10, TK

Conference 12x22 10

#### Hebert Research, Inc.

Bellevue, WA Ph. 425-643-1337 or 877-399-0720 www.hebertresearch.com Tom Fisher Location: Free standing facility

Distance from airport: 10 miles, 18 minutes CL, 1/1, 1/10, TK, WC

30x18 10 Conference

### **Ipsos Loyalty**

Bellevue, WA Ph. 425-586-5550 www.ipsos.com Nicholas Mercurio, Sr. Vice President Location: Free standing facility Distance from airport: 30 miles, 30 minutes CL, CUL, 1/1, 1/10, VC, WC 18 Conference 18x18 18x18 Conference 18

#### Northwest Insights

Seattle, WA Ph. 206-219-1987

www.nwinsights.com

Donna Glosser, Director Qualitative Research and

Location: Office building

Distance from airport: 10 miles, 20 minutes

CL, CUL, 1/1, 1/10, TK, VC

Conference 21x19 24 20x18 23 Conference 18x14 Conference

#### Opinions, Ltd. - Seattle

Tukwila, WA Ph. 440-893-0300 www.opinionsltd.com Chris Sluder, Vice President Location: Shopping mall

Distance from airport: 59 miles, 70 minutes

1/1, 1/10, VC, WC

20x14 Conference

#### Seattle Usability @ BlinkUX

Seattle, WA Ph. 206-447-9551 www.blinkux.com Geoff Harrison, Partner Location: Office building

Distance from airport: 14 miles, 20 minutes

CUL, 1/1, 1/10, PTL, VC, WC

14x14 12 Conference Conference 14x13 12 Conference 16x16



#### Strategic Research Associates Seattle/Tacoma

500 S. 336th St., Suite 103 Federal Way, WA 98003

Ph. 509-324-6960 x203 or 888-554-6960 x203

info@strategicresearch.net www.strategicresearch.net Joanne Vega, Director Location: Office building

Distance from airport: 20 miles, 25 minutes

AU, CUL, 1/1, 1/10, PTL, VC, WC 27x22 15 Multiple 24x15 15 Multiple Multiple 22x13 15 15x10 Conference

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#### Test America, a division of CRG Global

The Outlet Collection / Seattle 1101 Outlet Collection Way, Suite 1001 Auburn, WA 98001 Ph. 866-209-2553 crgsales@crgglobalinc.com www.crgtestamerica.com Jennifer Schwartz Location: Shopping mall Distance from airport: 19 miles, 24 minutes CL, CUL, 1/1, 1/10, PTL, TK, TKO, VC, WC

Conference

# **Spokane**



#### Strategic Research Associates Spokane

25 W. Cataldo, Suite D Spokane, WA 99201 Ph. 509-324-6960 or 888-554-6960 info@strategicresearch.net

www.strategicresearch.net Joanne Vega, Director Location: Office building

Distance from airport: 8 miles, 15 minutes

VC, WC

24x20 Multiple 21x16 Conference

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Location: Office building, Freestanding building, Shopping mall

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Conference - Conference-Style Room Living - Living Room-Style Room Multiple - Both Styles

Room dimensions, when stated, are shown in feet.

#### Vancouver

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Vancouver, WA
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www.opinionsltd.com
Chris Sluder, Vice President
Location: Shopping mall
Distance from airport: 10 miles, 16 minutes
1/1, VC, WC

# West Virginia

#### Charleston

12x20



Conference

Mindfield – Tech Innovation and Audience Insights

1012 Kanawha Blvd. E., Suite 301
Charleston, WV 25301
Ph. 304-343-9650
jmace@mindfieldtech.com
www.mindfieldtech.com
Jay Mace, Sr. Vice President
Location: Office building
Distance from airport: 3 miles, 10 minutes
1/1, 1/10, PTL
18x14 12 Conference

# Wheeling

#### C&C Market Research - Pittsburgh Metro

Ohio Valley Mall
67800 Mall Ring Road, Suite 280
St. Clairsville, OH 43950
Ph. 479-785-5637
corp@ccmarketresearch.com
www.ccmarketresearch.com
Craig Cunningham, President
Location: Shopping mall
Distance from airport: 125 miles, 90 minutes
1/1, 1/10, TK
22x11 4 Conference
(See advertisement on inside back cover)

# Wisconsin

# Green Bay/Appleton

# FPG Focus Pointe

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Focus Pointe Global - Appleton
4330 W. Spencer St.
Appleton, WI 54914
Ph. 920-636-1200 or 888-873-6287
appleton@focuspointeglobal.com
www.focuspointeglobal.com
Bonnie Smerda, Facility Director
Location: Free standing facility
Distance from airport: 3 miles, 5 minutes

CL, CUL, 1/1, 1/10, TK, VC, WC 16x23 15 Multiple 15x17 10 Multiple

Focus Pointe Global sets the industry standard for qualitative/quantitative marketing research data collection services. 18 premier focus group facilities in major U.S. commercial centers. Services include: focus groups, taste tests, jury simulation, product placements, Webcam focus groups, online communities, qualitative/quantitative research. Locations: Appleton, Wis.; Atlanta; Atlanta-Buckhead; Bala Cynwyd, Pa.; Boston; Chicago; Chicago-Oakbrook; Columbus, Ohio; Dallas; Kansas City, Mo.; Los Angeles; Minneapolis; New York City; Philadelphia; Phoenix; St. Louis; San Francisco; Teaneck, N.J. (See advertisement on p. 3)

#### Leede Research Group, Inc.

Manitowoc, WI
Ph. 920-482-1417
www.Leede.com
Jim DeZeeuw, Vice President
Location: Free standing facility
Distance from airport: 35 miles, 30 minutes
1/1, 1/10
21x19 10 Conference

# Matousek & Associates, Inc.

Ph. 920-436-4647
www.matousekandassociates.com
Michelle VandenBush, Vice President
Location: Office building
Distance from airport: 7 miles, 15 minutes
1/1, 1/10, TK
22x18 14 Multiple

# Martec Research Center

The Martec Research Center - Green Bay 1445 North Road, Suite 1 Green Bay, WI 54313 Ph. 888-811-5755 or 920-494-1812 linda.segersin@martecgroup.com www.martecresearchcenter.com Linda Segersin, Director Location: Free standing facility Distance from airport: 1 miles, 5 minutes CL, TK, VC 19x24 12 Multiple

The Martec Group's Green Bay office, located in the shadow of famed Lambeau Field, offers a 1,020 sq ft focus group suite designed with our client's convenience and comfort in mind. An easy 5-minutes from Austin Straubel International Airport (GRB), you and group participants have easy access to our facility, hotels and restaurants. We provide transportation to hotels and our facility. Recruiting in our in-house phone center, a great show rate of 99%, a comfortable facility, highlighted by great food and snacks prepared by our in-house chef, make your focus groups in Green Bay a true success!

#### Madison



#### City Research Solutions

8383 Greenway Blvd., Suite 600 Middleton, WI 53562 Ph. 608-826-7345 mel@cityresearchsolutions.com

www.cityresearchsolutions.com Kristie Groh, Facilities Manager Location: Office building Distance from airport: 40 miles, 40 minutes CL. 1/1. 1/10. PTL. TK. TKO

CL, 1/1, 1/10, PTL, TK, TKO 40x23 30 Multiple

 40x23
 30
 Multiple

 20x15
 30
 Multiple

 15x10
 8
 Multiple

 12x8
 30
 Living

City Research world-class facilities allow our clients to gain fresh insights in a unique midsize Midwestern metro area while enjoying the comforts of a state-of-the-art research facility. We offer recruiting, moderating and session-recording services. Our facilities include large multipurpose rooms with seating for up to 20 participants, multi-room client suite with adjacent work area/meeting room and a full test kitchen with viewing capabilities. Take a virtual tour of our facilities on our Web site www.cityresearchsolutions.com.

#### Milwaukee



#### The Dieringer Research Group, Inc.

200 Bishops Way
Brookfield, WI 53005
Ph. 262-432-5200 or 888-432-5220
sales@thedrg.com
www.thedrg.com
Dan Salbreiter, Research Operations Manager
Location: Office building
Distance from airport: 17 miles, 25 minutes

CL, 1/1, 1/10, VC, WC 22x17 18 Conference 12x25 10 Conference

12x25 10 Conference 15x9 4 Conference

The DRG Focus Center, which was designed around our clients' needs for flexibility, versatility, comfort and convenience, features two spacious Focus Suites plus a one-on-one Interviewing Suite. Our facility offers state-of-the-art technology for high-definition digital recordings, streaming live discussions, and conducting interactive polls with participants. As a full-service market research firm, we also provide in-house recruiting, moderating and reporting services, all from our convenient location in the Milwaukee suburbs.



Mazur/Zachow, Inc.

720 Thomas Lane Brookfield, WI 53005

Ph. 262-938-9244 michelec@mazurzachow.com

www.mazurzachow.com Michele Conway, President

Location: Free standing facility
Distance from airport: 15 miles, 15 minutes

CL, TK, WC
24x20 18 Conference
24x20 18 Conference
22x20 18 Conference

Mazur/Zachow has a reputation for quality recruiting

from all segments and an outstanding show rate. We specialize in recruiting for ethnographic studies, large audience testing and product placements. Extensive database for child research. Our facility has three spacious focus suites that can accommodate multiple configurations. We offer wireless high-speed Internet access and video streaming through Focus Vision. Conveniently located with nearby interstate access.

#### Practical Strategies, Inc.

West Bend, WI Ph. 262-334-1821 www.practical-strategies.com Mary Jo Joyce, President Location: Office building Distance from airport: 40 miles, 45 minutes CL, CUL, 1/1, 1/10, PTL, VC, WC 20x20 10



#### Reckner Facilities: Milwaukee

9833 S. 13th St. Oak Creek, WI 53154 Ph. 414-768-6040 or 215-822-6220 PGrubb@reckner.com www.reckner.com/facilities/milwaukee Peter Grubb, Executive Director Location: Office building Distance from airport: 5 miles, 10 minutes CL, PTL, TK, VC, WC

Multiple 20x18 15 38x22 Multiple 8x10 Multiple

The region's premier product testing facility! Just 10 miles from downtown Milwaukee. Commercial test kitchen, focus group and multipurpose space plus SEVEN product evaluation rooms. Kitchen: 20 burners, 4 gas ovens, 5 electric ovens, 45-lb 2-basket commercial fryer, quick-connect gas connections, commercial hood vent, 13 microwaves, 45 cu. ft. refrigerator, 45 cu. ft. freezer, stainless steel prep tables, short-cycle commercial dishwasher, 4 compartment sink, walk-in cooler, ice machine and adjacent multipurpose room. Product rooms: Washable surfaces, unitized space saver washer/dryer, Sink, Counter, Outlet, Mirror, Toilet, and high volume HVAC. Clean, contemporary facilities. Flawless recruiting and moderating. Professional staff. Other locations in NY City MSA and Philadelphia MSA. (See advertisement on p. 15)

#### US Research Recruiting & Facilities, LLC Wauwatosa, WI 53226

Ph. 262-502-4300 or 414-405-3756 kwahlgren@usrrf.com www.usrrf.com Kevin Wahlgren, President Location: Office building Distance from airport: 15 miles, 15 minutes AU, CL, CUL, 1/1, 1/10, PTL, VC, WC

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#### Zigman Joseph Stephenson

Milwaukee, WI Ph. 414-614-4680 www.zigmanjoseph.com Location: Office building

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# Wyoming

#### Laramie

#### Waller Hall Research LLC

Greybull, WY Ph. 307-765-5300 or 415-348-1700 www.wallerhallresearch.com

Ralph Nieder-Westermann, V.P. Sales and Business

Distance from airport: 53 miles, 60 minutes CL, CUL, 1/1, 1/10, VC, WC 19x26 10 Conference

















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Location: Office building, Freestanding building, Shopping mall

CL - Client Lounge **CUL-Computer Usability Lab** 1/1 - One-on-One Room PUL-Product Usability Lab 1/10R - One-on-One Obs. VC - Videoconferencina TK - Test Kitchen WC - Webconferencing TKO - Test Kitchen Obs. AU - Auditorium

Conference - Conference-Style Room Living - Living Room-Style Room Multiple - Both Styles

Room dimensions, when stated, are shown in feet.

# Argentina

#### Infoquality Argentina

Buenos Aires Argentina Ph. 54-11-4781-4571 www.infoqualityarg.com.ar Ester Martinez, Director Location: Office building

Distance from airport: 10 miles, 20 minutes

CL, CUL, 1/1, 1/10, TK, TKO, VC, WC 13x13 10 Multiple Multiple 10

#### Markwald, La Madrid & Asociados

Buenos Aires Argentina Ph. 54-11-4813-3378 www.marklam.net Location: Office building

#### S & T Research

Buenos Aires Argentina Ph. 54-11-4802-9970 www.st-research.com.ar Location: Office building

# **Australia**

#### The City Group Rooms

Sydney Australia Ph. 61-2-9299-8907 www.cgr.com.au Andrew Strachan, Manager Location: Office building

Distance from airport: 8 miles, 30 minutes

CUL, 1/1, 1/10, TK, WC

Conference 17x23 10 17x23 9 Conference 17x23 8 Conference 20x23 8 Multiple Multiple 20x23 8 20x23 8 Multiple 20x23 Multiple

#### The City Group Rooms North (Br.)

North Sydney Australia Ph. 61-2-9299-8907 www.cgr.com.au Andrew Strachan, Director Location: Office building

Distance from airport: 10 miles, 35 minutes

CUL, 1/1, 1/10, TK, WC

20x24 8 Conference 20x24 Conference 8 20x24 8 Multiple 20x24 8 Multiple

#### The City Group Rooms South (Br.)

Hurstville Australia

20x23

Ph. 61-2-9299-8907 www.cgr.com.au Andrew Strachan, Director Location: Office building Distance from airport: 7 miles, 15 minutes CUL, 1/1, 1/10, TK 20x23 Conference

Conference

Multiple

#### The City Group Rooms West (Br.)

Parramatta Australia Ph. 61-2-9299-8907 www.cgr.com.au Andrew Strachan, Manager Location: Office building Distance from airport: 15 miles, 40 minutes CUL, 1/1, 1/10, TK, WC 20x23 10 Conference 20x23 9 Conference 20x23 8 Conference 20x23 Multiple 20x16 Multiple 7 20x16 Multiple

#### Group Focus Pty Ltd

Richmond Australia

Ph. 61-3-9421-1827 or 61-3-9421-1836

www.groupfocus.com.au Neville Holland, Manager Location: Free standing facility Distance from airport: 15 miles, 20 minutes

CL. VC

15x11

16x13 Multiple 14x13 Multiple

#### New Focus Research Pty - Adelaide

Marden (Adelaide) Australia

Ph. 1800-807-535 www.newfocus.com.au

Jennie Folland, National Operations Manager

Location: Free standing facility

Distance from airport: 10 miles, 20 minutes

CL

24x18 Conference

### Research Connections Pty Ltd

Roseville Australia Ph. 612-9416-0300

www.researchconnections.com.au

Location: Shopping mall

Distance from airport: 16 miles, 30 minutes

CL, 1/1, 1/10

18x11 Conference

#### Sydney Research Facility

Sydney Australia Ph. 61-2-9299-1171

www.sydneygrouprooms.com.au Location: Office building

1/1, 1/10, TK, WC

20x16 Conference 20x12 Conference Conference 20x10 20x16 Living

#### Thinkfield

Leederville Australia Ph. 61-8-9316-3366 www.thinkfield.com.au

Sandra Simpson, General Manager

Location: Office building

Distance from airport: 7 miles, 20 minutes

AU, CL, CUL, 1/1, 1/10, TK

16x13 Conference 16x13 Conference 11x14 Livina

#### **Viewpoint Center**

St. Kilda Australia Ph. 61-3-9510-6377 www.viewpt.com.au Anthony Heyde

Location: Office building

Distance from airport: 10 miles, 30 minutes CL, CUL, 1/1, 1/10, TK, VC, WC

20x13 12 Conference 35x17 15 Conference 17x12 8 Living 12x8 Multiple 25x19 16 Conference Multiple 36x19 10 16x12 8 Conference 50x70 20 Multiple

# **Barbados**

#### Market Insight Inc.

Belleville, St. Michael Barbados Ph. 246-426-0181

www.miibarbados.com

Jacqueline Norville, Market Researcher Location: Office building

Distance from airport: 7 miles, 15 minutes

CUL, 1/1, 1/10, WC

20x15 3 Conference

# Belgium

#### MARESCO

Berchem Belgium Ph. 32-3-449-46-00 www.maresco.biz

Lieve Brauers, Managing Director Location: Free standing facility

Distance from airport: 25 miles, 30 minutes

CL, 1/1, 1/10, TK, TK0

Conference 30x30 25 26x26 12 Conference Living 10 20x13

# Brazil

#### ÁBACO Marketing Research Brazil

v. Paulista, 1499 - Bela Vista São Paulo, 01310 Brazil

Ph. 55-11-3262-3300 or 203-971-8532 (USA)

Abaco@AbacoResearch.com www.AbacoResearch.com Alan Grabowsky, President

Location: Free standing facility

Distance from airport: 12 miles, 30 minutes

AU, CL, CUL, 1/1, 1/10, TK, VC 26x14 12 Multiple 14x10 16 Conference 14x9 6 Conference 20x14 Multiple

#### ÁBACO Marketing Research - ÁBACO-LAB QUAL CENTER

Avenida Paulista 1499 13th Floor

São Paulo, 01311 Brazil

Ph. 55-11-3262-3300 or 203-971-8532 (USA)

Abaco@AbacoResearch.com www.AbacoResearch.com Alan Grabowsky, President Location: Office building

Distance from airport: 12 miles, 30 minutes

AU, CL, CUL, 1/1, 1/10, TK, VC Multiple 26x14 12 40x30 20 Conference 14x10 Conference 16 Conference 14x9 6 20x14 Multiple 6

#### Demanda

São Paulo Brazil Ph. 55-11-3218-8000 www.demanda.com.br Gabriela Prado, PHD, Managing Director Location: Free standing facility Distance from airport: 8 miles, 35 minutes 1/1, 1/10, VC

14x11 Conference 11 17x11 Conference

#### Estudio Silvia Roca Brasil

São Paulo Brazil Ph. 34-93-451-5310 www.estudiosilviaroca.com Ivan Bautista, Director Location: Free standing facility CL, CUL, 1/1, 1/10, PTL, TK, VC, WC Multiple 225 6 190 4 Multiple Multiple 190 10 300 Multiple

# Canada

# Alberta

# Calgary

#### **Qualitative Coordination**

Calgary, AB Canada Ph. 403-229-3500 www.gcresearch.ca Tracy Thomson, President Location: Office building Distance from airport: 20 miles, 30 minutes

TK. WC Conference 22x18 12

20x18 12 Conference

#### StyleLabs Marketing Group

Calgary, AB Canada Ph. 403-668-4350 x1 www.stvlelabs.ca Almin Kassamali, Chief Imagination Officer Location: Office building Distance from airport: 9 miles, 15 minutes AU, CL, CUL, 1/1, PTL, WC 35x18 30 Conference

# British Columbia

#### Vancouver

# CRC Research

Vancouver, BC Canada Ph. 604-714-5900 www.crcresearch.com

Kimberly Noglmeyer, Facility Manager Location: Office building

Distance from airport: 15 miles, 30 minutes CUL, 1/1, TK, WC

22x15 Multiple 11 Conference 20x17 8 7x9 Conference

#### NRG Research Group

Vancouver, BC Canada Ph. 604-681-0381 or 800-301-7655 www.nrgresearchgroup.com Location: Office building Distance from airport: 12 miles, 25 minutes

CL

15x12 6 Conference



#### Vancouver Focus®

1080 Howe St., Suite 503 Vancouver, BC V6Z2T1 Canada Ph. 604-682-4292 or 604 689-5511 Director@VancouverFocus.com www.vancouverfocus.com Megan Dawson, Director Location: Office building

Distance from airport: 9 miles, 30 minutes

CL, 1/1, 1/10, TK, WC

17x20 12 Multiple 14x20 Multiple

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# Manitoba

# Winnipeq

#### NRG Research Group

Winnipeg, MB Canada Ph. 800-301-7655 or 204-989-8999 www.nrgresearchgroup.com Llisa Morrow, Research Consultant Location: Office building Distance from airport: 5 miles, 20 minutes CL

14x17 15 Conference 14x17 Conference

### Viewpoints Research, Ltd.

Winnipeg, MB Canada Ph. 204-988-9253 www.viewpoints.ca Location: Office building

# **New Brunswick**

#### Fredericton

#### MQO Research

Moncton, NB Canada Ph. 506-857-4797 www.mgoresearch.com Miranda Burns, Senior Research Consultant Distance from airport: 9 miles, 15 minutes Conference

# Newfoundland and Labrador

#### St. John's

# MQO Research

St. John's, NL Canada Ph. 709-753-5172 www.mgoresearch.com Location: Office building Distance from airport: 4 miles, 10 minutes CL, 1/1, TK

Conference 20x16

# Nova Scotia

#### Halifax

#### MQO Research

Halifax-Dartmouth, NS Canada Ph. 902-465-3034 www.mgoresearch.com Jennifer Jeffrey, Facilities Coordinator Distance from airport: 20 miles, 30 minutes 20x16 Conference

# **Ontario**

### London

Insights, Inc. London, ON Canada Ph. 519-679-0110 www.insights.ca Kathy Sorenson Distance from airport: 2 miles, 10 minutes

### **Ottawa**

#### Nielsen Opinion Quest

Ottawa, ON Canada Ph. 800-363-4229 or 613-230-9109 www.opinionsearch.com Jas Singh, Sr Project Dev-Qualitative Location: Office building Distance from airport: 10 miles, 20 minutes CUL, WC 40x20 12 Conference

Conference

# Sudbury

20x30

#### Oraclepoll Research Ltd.

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Sudbury, ON Canada Ph. 705-674-9591 or 800-494-4199 www.oraclepoll.com Teri Cleland, Focus Group Coordinator Location: Office building Distance from airport: 10 miles, 20 minutes CL, 1/1, VC 25x19 Conference

#### Toronto

#### **ACCE International**

Mississauga, ON Canada Ph. 905-828-0493 www.acceintl.com Lynn Seguin Location: Free standing facility Distance from airport: 15 miles, 20 minutes CUL, 1/1, 1/10, PTL, TK, TK0 18x25 10 Conference

22x22

Consumer Vision Ltd. Toronto, ON Canada Ph. 416-967-1596 or 866-967-1596 www.consumervision.ca Kristi Turnbull, Vice-President Location: Office building Distance from airport: 20 miles, 35 minutes AU, CL, CUL, 1/1, 1/10, PTL, WC 40x24 20 Conference 24x19 10 Conference Multiple 22x22 14 20x15 7 Multiple 19x19 5 Multiple 15x15 Multiple

Multiple

10

Location: Office building, Freestanding building, Shopping mall

CL - Client Lounge 1/1 - One-on-One Room 1/10R - One-on-One Obs. TK - Test Kitchen TKO - Test Kitchen Obs. CUL-Computer Usability Lab PUL-Product Usability Lab VC - Videoconferencing WC - Webconferencing AU - Auditorium

Conference - Conference-Style Room Living - Living Room-Style Room Multiple - Both Styles

Room dimensions, when stated, are shown in feet.



Contract Testing Inc

# Contract Testing Inc.

119 West Drive
Brampton (Toronto), ON L6T 2J6 Canada
Ph. 905-456-0783 x233 or 800-342-1825
andrew.scholes@contracttesting.com
www.contracttesting.com
Andrew Scholes
Location: Free standing facility
Distance from airport: 10 miles, 20 minutes

CL, CUL, 1/1, PTL, TK
20x22 12 Conference

We offer complimentary wireless Internet, light snacks, coffee, tea and a mini-fridge stocked with various refreshments, all while sitting comfortably in the viewing room. Audio and video recording along with remote online viewing is also available. The discussion room comfortably seats up to 12 participants and is set up to enable moderators to easily integrate visual aids, flip charts and story boards into the discussion. A full sensory taste-test kitchen and additional adjoining test kitchen to the discussion room is also available.

#### CRC Research

Toronto, ON Canada Ph. 416-966-5900 www.crcresearch.com Peter Komljenovic Location: Office building Distance from airport: 13 n

Distance from airport: 13 miles, 19 minutes

CL, PTL, TKO, VC, WC

 18x20
 16
 Multiple

 18x20
 16
 Multiple

#### **CRC** Research

Toronto, ON Canada Ph. 416-966-5900 www.crcresearch.com Julie Martin Location: Office building

#### **CRC Research House**

Toronto, ON Canada Ph. 416-488-2328 www.crcresearch.com Rita Mitchell

### Focus Focus

Toronto, ON Canada Ph. 416-961-5511 www.focus-focus.com Courtney Comeau, Facility Manager Location: Office building Distance from airport: 18 miles, 30 minutes CL, 1/1

#### **Head Quarters Downtown Toronto**

Toronto, ON Canada Ph. 416-929-4669 x229 or 866-929-4669 x229 www.headquarters.ca Jeff McFarlane, Vice President

Location: Office building

Distance from airport: 18 miles, 30 minutes

CL, CUL, PTL, TK, WC

 25x17
 20
 Multiple

 23x18
 20
 Multiple

 20x18
 20
 Multiple

#### Michelle Massie Marketing, Inc.

Toronto, ON Canada Ph. 647-998-5613 www.mmassie.com Suzy Bergeron Location: Office building 1/1, TK

#### Metroline Research Group, Inc.

Kitchener, ON Canada Ph. 800-827-0676 or 519-584-7700 www.metroline.ca Dave Kains, ext. 3003 Location: Office building Distance from airport: 60 miles, 45 minutes

CL 17x25 15 Conference

#### Nielsen Opinion Quest (Br.)

Toronto, ON Canada Ph. 800-363-4229 or 416-962-9109 www.opinionsearch.com Cynthia Dennis, Sr Project Dev - Qualitative Location: Office building Distance from airport: 20 miles, 40 minutes CUL, WC

 17x25
 18
 Multiple

 16x20
 12
 Conference

 10x19
 10
 Living

#### Protean Strategies Inc.

Toronto, ON Canada Ph. 416-967-3337 www.proteanstrategies.com Anna Della Rocca Location: Office building Distance from airport: 15 miles, 30 minutes CL, 1/1, 1/10

#### Research House, Inc.

Toronto, ON Canada Ph. 416-488-2328 or 800-701-3137 www.research-house.ca Jay Thordarson, Vice President Location: Office building

Distance from airport: 20 miles, 30 minutes

CL, 1/1, 1/10, TK

20x25 20 Conference 20x25 10 Conference 22x17 18 Conference 20x25 12 Conference

#### Winning Research Toronto, ON Canada

Ph. 416-754-0009 www.winningresearchgroups.com Gabriel Fanous, VP of Sales and Client Service Location: Office building Distance from airport: 25 miles, 22 minutes CL, 1/1, 1/10, PTL, TK, VC, WC

15x15 Multiple 15x18 Multiple

# Quebec

#### Montreal

#### Ad Hoc Research

400 de Maisonneuve Blvd. W., Suite 1200 Montreal, QC H3A 1L4 Canada Ph. 514-937-4040

reservation@adhoc-research.com www.adhoc-research.com/en/home Rosa Paccione, Focus Group Coordinator Location: Office building

Distance from airport: 13 miles, 25 minutes AU, CL, CUL, 1/1, 1/10, PTL, TK, VC, WC

 23x15
 11
 Multiple

 12x15
 11
 Multiple

 37x19
 12
 Multiple

 25x19
 12
 Multiple

 22x14
 9
 Multiple

#### **CRC Research**

Montreal, QC Canada
Ph. 800-932-7511
www.crcresearch.com
Jordan Lindsay, Facility Manager
Location: Office building
Distance from airport: 15 miles, 30 minutes
1/1, 1/10, WC
17x22 12 Conference
18x20 15 Conference

#### Legendre Lubawin Marketing, Inc.

Montreal, QC Canada
Ph. 514-937-2079
Victoria Lubawin, Owner
Location: Free standing facility
Distance from airport: 10 miles, 20 minutes
1/1, 1/10, VC
20x15 10 Conference

#### Leger

Montreal, QC Canada
Ph. 514-982-2464
www.leger360.com
Sylvie Girard
Location: Office building
Distance from airport: 10 miles, 30 minutes
AU, TK, VC
17x22 10 Conference
17x22 10 Conference

# Nielsen Opinion Quest (Br.)

Montreal, QC Canada Ph. 800-363-4229 or 514-288-0199 www.opinionsearch.com Karla-Reina Leandre, Qualitative Facility Coord.

Location: Office building
Distance from airport: 10 miles, 20 minutes

CUL, WC

 30x20
 12
 Multiple

 14x24
 12
 Multiple

 24x16
 12
 Multiple

#### SOM

24x18

Montreal, QC Canada Ph. 514-878-9825 www.som.ca Nathalie Gaudreault Location: Office building Distance from airport: 10 miles, 20 minutes CL, TK, WC

Conference

Sylvestre Marketing

Montreal, QC Canada
Ph. 514-284-0878

www.sylvestremarketing.com

Location: Free standing facility
Distance from airport: 20 miles, 30 minutes

TK

17×13 10 Conference
17×13 8 Conference

#### Quebec

Quebec City, QC Canada Ph. 418-687-8025 Nathalie Gaudreault Location: Office building Distance from airport: 10 minutes CL, TK, WC

24x18

Conference 10x12 Multiple

# China

### (See also Hong Kong)

#### Asia Insight (Shanghai) Co. Ltd.

Shanghai China Ph. 86-21-64335080 www.asiainsight.com Location: Office building

Distance from airport: 46 miles, 60 minutes

Conference

Multiple

1/1, 1/10 14.7x11.5 12.8x10.5

#### Consumer Search China - Beijing (Br.)

Beijing China Ph. 8610-5869-7688 www.consumersearch-group.com Ms. Bel Wong Location: Office building Distance from airport: 60 minutes 21 Conference

#### Consumer Search China - Guangzhou (Br.)

Guangzhou China Ph. 8620-8385-2188 www.consumersearch-group.com Ms. Bel Wong Location: Office building Distance from airport: 90 minutes 10 19x16 Conference

#### Consumer Search China - Shanghai (Br.)

Shanghai China Ph. 8621-5318-8689 www.consumersearch-group.com Ms. Bel Wong Location: Office building Distance from airport: 90 minutes 18x17 10 Conference

#### **DDMA Market Research**

Jing An District, Shanghai China Ph. 86-21-6289-1138 www.ddm-asia.com Location: Office building Distance from airport: 6 miles, 30 minutes CL, 1/1, 1/10, VC, WC

#### Focus Group China

Shanghai China Ph. 86-21-6289-1138 www.ddm-asia.com Sam Mulligan Location: Office building Distance from airport: 6 miles, 30 minutes CL, 1/1, 1/10, VC, WC 20 Conference 23x23

#### Labbrand China

Shanghai China Ph. 86-21-6298-8956 www.labbrand.com Vivi Xu, Senior Fieldwork Consultant Location: Office building Distance from airport: 10 miles, 35 minutes CL, CUL, 1/1, 1/10, WC 20x14 Conference

# Colombia

#### Centro Nacional de Consultoria

Bogota Colombia Ph. 57-1-339-4888 www.centronacionaldeconsultoria.com Location: Free standing facility VC.

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# Czech Republic

#### NMS Market Research s.r.o.

Praha Czech Republic Ph. 420-222-351-611 www.nms.cz

# Denmark

#### Norstat Denmark

Copenhagen Denmark Ph. 00-45-35-39-20-60 www.norstatgroup.com Location: Office building

Distance from airport: 10 miles, 25 minutes

1/1, TK 25x14 20x13

Conference Conference

# Dominican Republic

#### Asisa Research Group - Santo Domingo

Santo Domingo Dominican Republic Ph. 809-333-2121

www.asisaresearch.com Claudia Guzman, CMO

Location: Free standing facility

Distance from airport: 10 miles, 30 minutes

AU, CL, CUL, 1/1, 1/10, PTL, WC 30x20 12 Multiple 25x15 4 Living

### Estonia

#### Kantar Emor

Tallinn Estonia Ph. 372-626-8500 www.emor.ee

Location: Office building

Distance from airport: 4 miles, 15 minutes

1/1, 1/10, WC

23x30 Conference 23x10 Conference 23x13 8 Conference 16x13 8 Living 16x10 8 Conference 16x13 Living

#### Norstat Estonia

Tallinn Estonia Ph. 370-680-8955 www.norstatgroup.com Location: Office building Distance from airport: 3 miles, 15 minutes CL, 1/1, 1/10, PTL, TK

16x27 Conference

# Finland

#### Norstat Finland

Helsinki Finland Ph. 00-358-2-634-8300 www.norstatgroup.com Location: Office building

Distance from airport: 15 miles, 30 minutes

CUL, 1/1, 1/10, PTL, TK

14x27 Multiple

#### France

#### Cyble Marketing

Paris France Ph. 33-1-43-38-78-78 www.cyble.com

Nando Cito Location: Free standing facility

Distance from airport: 15 miles, 30 minutes

CUL, WC

25x20 Multiple

#### June Marketing

Clichy France Ph. 33-1-41-06-57-00

www.msm.fr

Nathalie Cabart, Managing Director Location: Free standing facility

Distance from airport: 17 miles, 30 minutes

CL, 1/1, 1/10, WC

18x16 10 Conference Multiple 18x13 6 13x8 5 Multiple



#### La Maison du Test

142 rue Montmartre Paris, 75002 France Ph. 33-1-4039-1110 mdtfacility@lamaisondutest.com www.lamaisondutest.com

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CL, CUL, 1/1, 1/10, TK, TKO, VC 12 Multiple 21x17 21x17 12 Multiple 21x17 12 Multiple

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CL, WC

20x20 10 Living 20x20 10 Conference

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1, rue d'Uzès (corner of rue St Fiacre) Paris, 75002 France Ph. 33-1-44-88-25-11 reservation@passerelles.fr www.passerelles.fr Olivier DuVallet, Director Location: Free standing facility Distance from airport: 17 miles, 40 minutes

CL, CUL, 1/1, 1/10, VC, WC

Location: Office building, Freestanding building, Shopping mall

CL - Client Lounge 1/1 - One-on-One Room 1/10R - One-on-One Obs. TK - Test Kitchen TKO - Test Kitchen Obs.

**CUL-Computer Usability Lab** PUL-Product Usability Lab VC - Videoconferencina WC - Webconferencing AU - Auditorium

Conference - Conference-Style Room Living - Living Room-Style Room Multiple - Both Styles

Room dimensions, when stated, are shown in feet.



#### Puzzle

23 Boulevard Des Capucines 75002 Paris France Ph. 33-1-42-68-12-26 mikael@puzzleparis.com www.puzzleparis.com Distance from airport: 75 miles, 25 minutes AU, CL, CUL, 1/1, 1/10, PTL, TK, TKO, VC, WC

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#### **Confield Research**

Essen Germany Ph. 49-201-82737-0 www.confield.com Location: Office building

Distance from airport: 15 miles, 20 minutes CL, CUL, 1/1, 1/10, PTL, TK, TKO, VC, WC 20x20 Conference 20x20 8 Conference

#### GfL Enigma GmbH

Wiesbaden Germany Ph. 49-611-999-600 www.enigma-gfk.de Location: Office building

Distance from airport: 19 miles, 30 minutes

AU, CL, 1/1, TK

18x12 Multiple Multiple 13x18 18x12 Multiple 14x23 Multiple 22x12 Multiple Multiple 12x09

#### IMR - Institute for Marketing Research

Frankfurt Germany Ph. 49-69-297-207-14 www.imr-fieldservice.de Markus Schaub, Managing Director Location: Office building Distance from airport: 25 minutes CUL, 1/1, 1/10, TK, WC

#### insight europe gmbh

Frankfurt Germany Ph. 49-69-956366-0 www.insighteurope.de Eva Caspary, Managing Director Location: Office building Distance from airport: 12 miles, 20 minutes CUL, 1/1, 1/10, PTL, VC, WC 21x14 11 Multiple 21x14 8 Multiple

Conference

Multiple

Institut fur Marktforschung GmbH

Leipzig Germany Ph. 49-341-9950-0 www.imleipzig.de Location: Shopping mall 1/1, 1/10, TK, VC

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42x28

17x17

16x20 Conference 10

#### INTERVIEW + EXPLORATION julia otte GmbH

Munich Germany Ph. 49-89-59944-0 www.interview-exploration.de Louis Danguillier, Director Intl Business Location: Office building Distance from airport: 25 miles, 45 minutes AU, CL, CUL, 1/1, 1/10, VC, WC 30x18 14 Conference 25x18 9 Conference

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Duesseldorf Germany Ph. 49-211-52099-0 www.interview-exploration.de Location: Office building Distance from airport: 5 miles, 15 minutes CL, 1/1, 1/10, VC, WC

20x20 14 Conference 20x22 10 Conference Conference 13x19 6

#### **INVISO**

16x20

Hannover Germany Ph. 49-511-30-7930 www.inviso.de

Frank H. Gehre, Partner Location: Shopping mall

Distance from airport: 10 miles, 15 minutes

CL, 1/1, 1/10, TK, VC

20x20 10 Conference 20x20 6 Conference 29x16 Conference

#### ipi Institute fuer Produkt-Markt-Forschung

Stuttgart Germany Ph. 49-711-931815-100

www.ipi.de

Guido Lorch, Head Mkt. and Consumer Research

Location: Office building

Distance from airport: 9 miles, 20 minutes

CL, CUL, 1/1, 1/10, PTL, TK, VC, WC Multiple 13x15 Multiple 16x10 13x15 Multiple Multiple 13x17 10x13 Multiple Multiple 12x16

### Kramer Marktforschung GmbH

Münster Germany Ph. 49-251-802-0 www.kraemer-germany.com/en Location: Office building

Distance from airport: 30 miles, 30 minutes CL, 1/1, 1/10, TK, VC

16x10 10 Conference Conference 17x25 6 17x25 Conference

#### Kramer Marktforschung GmbH (Br.)

Munich Germany Ph. 49-89-232360-0 www.kraemer-germany.com Anja Teubel

Location: Shopping mall Distance from airport: 45 miles, 60 minutes AU, CUL, 1/1, 1/10, PTL, TK, WC

26x20 Conference

#### Leyhausen Field Services International

Leverkusen Germany

Ph. 49-214-8334-320 or 49-214-8334-324

www.leyhausen.com

#### Marktforschung Zentzis GmbH

Hamburg Germany Ph. 49-40-46-86-34-65 www.mafo-zentzis.de Location: Office building Distance from airport: 18 miles, 45 minutes 1/1, 1/10, TK, VC 25x17 10 Conference 14x16 10 Conference

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Location: Office building

Distance from airport: 15 miles, 20 minutes

CL, CUL, 1/1, 1/10, VC, WC Multiple 20x16 12 20x16 14 Multiple 18x13 10 Multiple

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www.schmiedl-marktforschung.de/munich/english

Stephan Schmid, Managing Director

Location: Office building

Distance from airport: 25 miles, 45 minutes

CL, CUL, 1/1, 1/10, VC, WC 27x17 14

Multiple 10 Multiple 17x15 Multiple 22x16 8 Multiple 17x9

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Trier Germany Ph. 49-651-948-0030 www.tip-web.de Location: Shopping mall

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#### **GLOBAL LINK International Marketing Research**

Athens Greece Ph. 30-210-612-8800 www.globallink.gr

Constantine D. Sigalos, Managing Director

Location: Office building

Distance from airport: 20 miles, 30 minutes

CL, 1/1, 1/10, TK, VC 23x13

Conference 14 Conference 18x10 8 26x13 10 Conference

#### Medi-Mark Ltd.

Athens Greece Ph. 30-210-699-0124 www.medimark.gr Location: Office building 1/1, 1/10

20x13 Conference

#### MRC-The Market Research Centre Ltd.

Athens Greece

Ph. 30-210-6922767 or 30-210-6994803

www.mrc.qr

Zoe Psylla, Research Director

Location: Office building

Distance from airport: 17 miles, 35 minutes

CUL, 1/1, 1/10, VC, WC

Multiple 24x13 15x10 Conference

#### Prisma Options Ltd.

Athens Greece Ph. 30-210-748-2001 www.prisma-options.com Anthi Kitsineli Location: Office building

Distance from airport: 15 miles, 30 minutes

CL, 1/1, 1/10, VC, WC

20x15 Conference 4 15x12 8 Multiple

#### Stohos Research

Athens Greece Ph. 30-210-69-823-00 www.stohosresearch.co Location: Free standing facility

Distance from airport: 10 miles, 30 minutes

Multiple

CL, CUL, 1/1, PTL, TK, TKO, VC, WC Conference 32x10 6 32x10 8 Conference

# Hong Kong

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#### (See also China)

#### Consumer Search Hong Kong Ltd.

North Point Hong Kong Ph. 852-2891-6687 www.csq-worldwide.com Ms. Bel Wong Location: Office building Distance from airport: 45 minutes

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36x16

18x13 12 Conference 18x14 10 Living

#### FRC Hong Kong Ltd

Causeway Bay Hong Kong Ph. 852-2147-0468 www.frchongkong.com Ricky Law, Fieldwork Manager Location: Office building Distance from airport: 45 minutes

1/1

10x10 6 Multiple

# Hungary

#### InsightLab.hu Market Research Ltd.

**Budapest Hungary** Ph. 36-1-269-0394 www.insightlab.hu Eszter Takacs, Senior Researcher Distance from airport: 30 miles, 45 minutes AU, CL, CUL, 1/1, 1/10 13x16

# India

#### Data Search (P) Limited

Calcutta India

Ph. 91-33-2416-4434 or 91-33-2416-6891

www.datasearchindia.com

Hirak Bhattacharya, Sr. Manager Field Operations

Location: Shopping mall

Distance from airport: 45 minutes

CL, 1/1, 1/10, TK

15x15 4 Conference 16x10 6 Living Multiple 18x14 6

#### Impetus Research Pvt. Ltd.

New Delhi India Ph. 91-11-4554-7983 www.impetus-research.com Location: Office building Distance from airport: 12 miles, 25 minutes AU, CL, CUL, 1/1, 1/10, VC, WC

# Indonesia

#### **Kadence International**

Jakarta Indonesia Ph. 62-21-5794-2133 www.kadence.com Location: Office building Distance from airport: 21 miles, 45 minutes 1/1, 1/10, TK, VC, WC 13x13 11 Multiple 11x15 8 Multiple

#### Multiple 7 14x12 9 Multiple 14x14

# **Ireland**

# GRO Fieldwork Ltd.

Dublin Ireland Ph. 353-1-671-6000 or 353-8-7234-3610 www.graftonsuite.ie Kate Gibson, Managing Director CL, 1/1, 1/10, TK, WC

Multiple 26x26 20 26x26 Multiple 26x26 Conference

# Italy

#### Adacta International

Naples Italy Ph. 39-081-7613232 www.adactainternational.com Location: Office building CL, 1/1, 1/10, TK, VC

20x17 Conference 5 13x13 3 Conference

Location: Office building, Freestanding building, Shopping mall

CL - Client Lounge CUL-Computer Usability Lab 1/1 - One-on-One Room PUL-Product Usability Lab 1/10R - One-on-One Obs. VC - Videoconferencing TK - Test Kitchen WC - Webconferencing TKO - Test Kitchen Obs. AU - Auditorium

Conference - Conference-Style Room Living - Living Room-Style Room Multiple - Both Styles

Room dimensions, when stated, are shown in feet.

Milan Italy Ph. 39-02-72-01-09-89 Ferdinando Boschi, Managing Director Location: Office building Distance from airport: 7 miles, 30 minutes CUL, 1/1, 1/10, PTL, WC Conference

**Brerapoint Research Facility** 

Milan Italy Ph. 39-02-92875821 www.brerapoint.com Luca Notari, Managing Director Location: Office building 1/1, 1/10 26x16

Conference Conference 16x13

Cristal Research and Meeting Facilities

Milan Italy Ph. 39-024-549-5960 www.cristal-rmf.com Cristina Del Curto Location: Office building

Distance from airport: 7 miles, 30 minutes

1/1, 1/10, TK, TK0

Livina 15x11 8 22x16 10 Multiple

Inter@ctive Market Research srl

Naples Italy Ph. 39-081-22-92-473 www.interactive-mr.com

Distance from airport: 6 miles, 20 minutes

CL, 1/1, 1/10, TK, TKO, WC 14x10 8 Conference 15x12 6 Conference

KIK S.r.l. - Bergamo

Bergamo Italy Ph. 39-035-4592523 or 39-3358242133 www.ourkik.com Livia Gervasoni, Partner Location: Free standing facility

Distance from airport: 8 miles, 10 minutes AU, CL, CUL, 1/1, 1/10, PTL, TK, VC, WC

7.5 x 9 Conference 9.5 x 9 Multiple 13 x 12 Multiple

KIK S.r.l. - Roma

Ph. 39-0354592523 or 39-3358242133 www.ourkik.com Livia Gervasoni, Partner

Location: Office building

Distance from airport: 18 miles, 40 minutes

CUL, 1/1, 1/10, PTL, TK, VC, WC Conference 13 x 15 Multiple 10 x 10

Medi-Pragma S.r.l.

Rome Italy Ph. 39-06-84-55-51 www.medipragma.it Flaminia Scialpi Location: Office building Distance from airport: 30 miles, 50 minutes 1/1, 1/10, PTL, TK, VC, WC Conference 13x8 5 Conference Living

Living

Pragma S.r.l.

10<sub>x</sub>13

11x14

Rome Italy Ph. 39-06-844-881 www.pragma-research.it Leni Avataneo, Project Manager Location: Office building Distance from airport: 40 minutes AU, CL, 1/1, 1/10, TK, VC

PROBE S. R. L.

Milan Italy Ph. 39-02-236-38-66 www.probesrl.it Location: Free standing facility Distance from airport: 3 miles, 7 minutes CUL, 1/1, 1/10, PTL, TK, VC, WC 16x11 8 Conference

Testpoint Bologna

Bologna Italy www.testpoint.it Germana Labate, Fieldwork Manager Location: Office building Distance from airport: 7 miles, 20 minutes CL, 1/1, 1/10, PTL, TK, WC 10.1x16.4 10 Conference

Testpoint Milano

Milan Italy www.testpoint.it Germana Labate, Field Manager Foreign agencies Location: Office building Distance from airport: 4 miles, 20 minutes CL, 1/1, 1/10, PTL, TK, WC Conference

Testpoint Napoli

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12.5x17

Naples Italy www.testpoint.it Germana Labate, Fieldwork Manager Location: Office building Distance from airport: 7 miles, 20 minutes CL, 1/1, 1/10, WC

14x20.5 12 Conference 15x12 6 Conference

Testpoint Roma

Rome Italy

www.testpoint.it Germana Labate, Fieldwork Manager Location: Office building Distance from airport: 25 miles, 40 minutes CL, 1/1, 1/10, PTL, TK, WC 16.1x16.3 8 Conference

Japan

CarterJMRN KK

Minato-ku, Tokyo-to Japan Ph. 81-3-6434-0520 www.carterjmrn.com Jun Nishigawa Location: Office building Distance from airport: 14 miles, 60 minutes AU, CUL, 1/1, 1/10, PTL, TK, VC, WC 10.83x9.32 6

Living 9.02x10.17 5 Living 30.77x13.1 20 Conference 8.9x10.2 Living Living 8.9x10.2 22.24x16.2 20 Living

Nippon Research Center, Ltd.

Tokyo Japan Ph. 81-3-6667-3400 www.nrc.co.ip Location: Office building 19x17 15 Conference

Sevenseas Marketing Research, Co., Ltd.

Shiniuku, Tokyo Japan

Ph. 03-5229-8680 or 03-5229-8682

www.ss-mr.com Yuki Niwa Location: Office building

Distance from airport: 40 miles, 70 minutes

AU, CL, CUL, 1/1, 1/10, PTL, VC, WC 12 Conference

Republic of Korea

ThinkUser Co., Ltd. (Korea)

Seoul Republic of Korea Ph. 82-2-546-5471 www.thinkuser.com

Matthew Smith, Global Collaboration Manager

Location: Free standing facility

Distance from airport: 40 miles, 60 minutes

CL, CUL, 1/1, 1/10, VC, WC

12x8 15 Multiple 8x8 12 Multiple 19x13 12 Multiple Multiple 17x13 7 18x13 Multiple

Latvia

**FACTUM** 

Riga Latvia Ph. 371-67-217-554 www.factum.lv Renars Felcis, Project Manager Location: Office building Distance from airport: 6 miles, 30 minutes

CL, CUL, 1/1, 1/10, WC

Conference 21x14 6

Norstat Latvia

Riga Latvia Ph. 00-371-6788-6210 www.norstatgroup.com Location: Office building

Distance from airport: 9 miles, 20 minutes

1/1, 1/10 16x19

Conference

Malaysia

Basic Insight Sdn. Bhd.

Kuala Lumpur Malaysia Ph. 6016-6078362 www.basicinsight.my Emily Chan, Director Location: Office building

Distance from airport: 34 miles, 43 minutes

TK, VC, WC

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23x12 8 Conference 13x13 Livina

Joshua Research Consultants Sdn Bhd

Multiple

Kuala Lumpur Malaysia Ph. 60-3-2297-7700 www.ioshuaresearch.com Alan Tay, Executive Director Location: Office building Distance from airport: 50 minutes 1/1, 1/10

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# Mexico

#### Amaro&Gleizer Investigación Cualitativa

Mexico City Mexico Ph. 52-55-5395-9500 www.amaroygleizer.com Location: Office building

Distance from airport: 12 miles, 90 minutes

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13x13 Conference 13x13 Conference

#### EPI Marketing, S.A. de C.V.

Mexico City Mexico Ph. 52-55-1209-6606 or 305-432-4235 (U.S.) www.epimarketing.com Ricardo Escobedo, President Location: Office building Distance from airport: 15 miles, 40 minutes CL, 1/1, 1/10, TK, VC

#### Estudio Silvia Roca Mexico

Mexico City Mexico Ph. 34-93-451-5310 www.estudiosilviaroca.com Ivan Bautista, Director Location: Free standing facility CL, CUL, 1/1, 1/10, PTL, TK, VC, WC Multiple 230 346 10 Multiple

#### **Inter-View Partners**

Mexico City Mexico Ph. 52-55-5592-0572 www.psyma-latina.com Carlos Garcia, International Projects Manager Location: Office building Distance from airport: 8 miles, 30 minutes CL, 1/1, 1/10, TK, VC, WC

#### Ipsos Mexico

Mexico City Mexico Ph. 52-55-1101-0000 www.ipsos.com Jacquie Matthews Location: Office building Distance from airport: 10 miles, 35 minutes CL 20x20 10 Conference 20x20 10 Conference

#### Latin Field Mexico

Colonia Nápoles, Mexico City, DF Mexico Ph. 52-155-5502-9200 or 512-828-7171 (US) www.latin-field.com Location: Office building Distance from airport: 10 miles, 25 minutes CL, CUL, PTL, TK, VC, WC Multiple 12x20 12

#### Pearson, S.A. de C.V.

Mexico, DF Mexico Ph. 52-55-5531-5560 or 52-55-5531-5324 www.pearson-research.com Manuel Barberena, President and CEO Location: Office building Distance from airport: 10 miles, 15 minutes CL, CUL, 1/1, 1/10, TK, VC, WC 16x13 10 Conference 16x16 10 Conference Living 10x06 5

#### Cynthia Zelinski Qualitative Research

Mexico City Mexico Ph. 52-55-5407-4921 Cynthia Zelinski, Research Coordinator Location: Free standing facility Distance from airport: 45 minutes CL, 1/1, 1/10, TK, VC, WC 18x13 10 Conference

Living

# Netherlands

#### Calls & More

Leusden Netherlands Ph. 31-85-2010000 www.callsandmore.nl Location: Shopping mall

Distance from airport: 35 miles, 45 minutes

1/1, 1/10, TK

26x20 Multiple 14 23x20 Multiple

#### MVB The Hague

The Hague Netherlands Ph. 3170-752-1498 www.mvbthehaque.com/market-research

#### Team Vier b.v.

Amstelveen Netherlands Ph. 31-20-645-53-55 www.teamvier.nl Location: Office building Distance from airport: 3 miles, 8 minutes CL, 1/1, 1/10, VC, WC Conference 32x10 8

# Nigeria

#### Webhaptic Intelligence Limited

Ikeja, Lagos Nigeria Ph. 234-803-491-5553 www.webhaptic.com Olumuyiwa Oke, CEO Location: Office building Distance from airport: 4 miles, 10 minutes CL, 1/1, PTL, VC, WC Conference 16x12 5

Livina

# Norway

13x12

#### Norstat Norway HQ

Oslo Norway Ph. 47-21-300-300 www.norstatgroup.com Location: Office building

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Distance from airport: 40 miles, 45 minutes

1/1, 1/10, TK, WC

16x23 5 Conference 16x16 Conference

# Peru

#### APOYO Group San Isidro Lima Peru

Ph. 51-1-513-3030 www.apoyo.com Alfredo Torres Location: Office building Distance from airport: 4 miles, 40 minutes CL, 1/1, 1/10, PTL, TK

Conference 12x09 5 12x09 7 Conference 19x13 Conference 14 14x16 14 Conference 14x12 10 Conference

# Poland

#### Ipsos sp. z o.o.

Warsaw Poland Ph. 48-22-448-77-00 www.ipsos.pl Agnieszka Chojnacka

Location: Office building

Distance from airport: 5 miles, 20 minutes

CL, 1/1, 1/10, TK, WC

Conference 10 18x13 15x17 10 Conference 18x17 Multiple 10 17x14 Multiple

# Puerto Rico

#### Custom Research Center, Inc.

San Juan Puerto Rico Ph. 787-764-6877 www.customresearchpr.com Parimal Choudhury, President Location: Free standing facility Distance from airport: 5 miles, 20 minutes AU, CL, CUL, 1/1, 1/10, PTL, TK, TKO, VC, WC 12x16 20 Multiple 12x16 10 Multiple

#### Gaither International, Inc.

San Juan Puerto Rico Ph. 787-728-5757 www.gaitherinternational.com Sandra Jimenez, COO Location: Office building Distance from airport: 7 miles, 15 minutes CL, 1/1, 1/10, VC, WC Conference 13x10 10

#### IBOPE Inteligencia San Juan

Puerto Rico Ph. 787-721-1101 www.ibope.com Location: Office building CL, 1/1, 1/10, TK

# Romania

#### **MERCURY Research**

Bucharest Romania Ph. 40-21-224-6600 www.mercury.ro Ingrid Lambru, Marketing Director Location: Office building Distance from airport: 5 miles, 30 minutes CL, 1/1, WC 19x15 15 Conference

# Russian Federation

#### Analytics - Russia

Moscow Russian Federation Ph. 7-495-223-0040 www.analytics.ru Sergei Sibirtsev, General Director Location: Office building

Distance from airport: 20 miles, 60 minutes 18x18 10 Conference

#### **Bazis Group**

Ekaterinburg Russian Federation Ph. 7-343-272-4313 www.bazisgroup.com Location: Office building Distance from airport: 30 minutes CL, 1/1, 1/10, WC Multiple 10x23 8

10

17x15

Location: Office building, Freestanding building, Shopping mall

CL - Client Lounge **CUL-Computer Usability Lab** 1/1 - One-on-One Room PUL-Product Usability Lab 1/10R - One-on-One Obs. VC - Videoconferencing TK - Test Kitchen WC - Webconferencing TKO - Test Kitchen Obs. AU - Auditorium

Conference - Conference-Style Room Living - Living Room-Style Room Multiple - Both Styles

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#### MA PRAKTIKA Consumer Research

Moscow Russian Federation Ph. 7-800-500-0981 or 7-495-646-4986 www.ma-praktika.ru/en Location: Office building Distance from airport: 11 miles, 25 minutes

VC, WC

15 x 12 Conference

#### MA PRAKTIKA Consumer Research

St. Petersburg Russian Federation Ph. -2274 or -1517 www.ma-praktika.ru/en Location: Office building Distance from airport: 14 miles, 45 minutes VC. WC 16 x 13 7 Conference

#### WorkLine Research

Saint-Petersburg Russian Federation Ph. 7 -812-316-65-71 www.workline.ru Natalia Georgieva, General Director Location: Office building Distance from airport: 19 miles, 90 minutes CL, CUL, 1/10, PTL, VC, WC 10 Multiple 4x5

Multiple

# Singapore

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4x5

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#### Consulting Group - Asia Insight Pte. Ltd.

Singapore Singapore Ph. 65-6735-3788 www.asiainsight.com Location: Free standing facility Distance from airport: 11 miles, 16 minutes 1/1, 1/10 17x13 15 Conference

Living

#### Joshua Research Consultants Pte Ltd

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Singapore Singapore Ph. 65-6876-7077 www.joshuaresearch.com Alan Tay, Executive Director Location: Office building Distance from airport: 25 minutes CUL, 1/1, 1/10 25x15 8 Living 10x11 4 Livina 10x11 4 Multiple

#### **Kadence International**

Singapore Singapore Ph. 65-6372-8710 www.kadence.com Location: Office building Distance from airport: 12 miles, 30 minutes CL, 1/1, 1/10, WC Conference 16x16 10

# Slovakia

#### NMS Market Research SR

Bratislava Slovakia Ph. 421-254-412-503 www.nms.cz

# Spain

#### A Window

Barcelona Spain Ph. 34-93-459-31-03 www.awindow.info Marina Gonzalez Location: Office building

Distance from airport: 11 miles, 20 minutes

CL, 1/1, 1/10, WC

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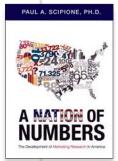


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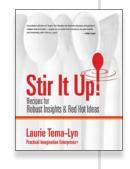
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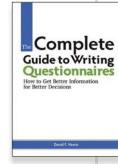
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You started your first MR internship your freshman year of college. How do you think this early introduction to the industry has affected your career?

It had a significant impact on my career. I started my first internship on the supplier side and I found that I had a passion for MR and understanding what drives people to do what they do. I continued working part-time throughout college and started to tailor my college classes around areas focused on marketing research. At that time I was especially interested in quantitative models and predicting consumer behavior.

While this was very beneficial in furthering my career it also limited me in some ways because early on I had a narrow scope on research, focusing only on the quant side of things. It wasn't until I entered the MBA program at the A.C. Nielsen Center at the Wisconsin School of Business that I realized I needed to learn more about qualitative methods and new approaches to gaining insights. This drove me to continually learn new approaches and methods throughout my career on the client side

What tips do you have for client-side researchers who are interested in learning about new approaches and methodologies but don't have the budget in place to dive right in?

I would recommend first leveraging resources online from vendors, research associations and publications like Quirk's that are usually free to learn and come up with new ideas and approaches. Once you find an approach that you believe could bring value to your company you can build a business case as to why you should start exploring that method.

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One situation that stands out was at a company where I developed new methods to allow us to get directional research to help with decisions where we didn't have the budget or time to conduct a full research study. To do this I developed a research community that allowed us to quickly test and redefine hypotheses our stakeholders had. This led to us being able to provide research and insights to teams that never had the resources or even desire to conduct full-service research studies. The insights we provided from the community were directional in nature but at many times started to make our stakeholders question certain things they thought were true and identify that they needed to invest in more research to better understand their customers.

# Are there any new methodologies you would like to explore in 2018 and

While I might not be able to next year, I would love to find ways to incorporate neuroscience into research. I'm fascinated by what happens subconsciously when people make decisions or see certain content and would love to better understand this methodology and how it can be incorporated into research.

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