Take Your SEO To The Next Level

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Lassen Sie sich finden!

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Optimize Your Google My Business Listing

- Add sub-categories!
 - Find all categories used by competitors for your keywords
- Rethink your business name 6
- Fill out description field
 - write long descriptions with formatting and links
- Get reviews and respond to them!
 - add a request, with link to Google Reviews in invoice email

Optimize Google My Business ...

- Add new photos regularly
- Add your products and/or services
- Seed your own Q&A section
 - Make a list of the most frequently asked questions your business gets. Then ask, answer, and upvote your answer on your own profile
 - Google encourages this!

Regularly check your website in Google Search

- Search for your company name
 - O Are you in position #1?
 - Are competitors bidding AdWords for your name?
- Site:domain.at
 - O How many pages are found? Is this correct?
 - Are your titles and descriptions OK?

Regularly check your competitors...

- Search your top keywords
 - Which special features are shown?
 - Can you show up for these?
 - Install MozBar in browser to compare your competitors strengths
 - Who are your top competitors?
 - Check their ads to find keyword focus!
 - Search "site:competitor-domain.com" in Google
 - o how many pages?
 - o filter by date to see if they are active

Increase Click-through-rate (CTR)

- Google is crowding out the organic search results with Ads, Answer Boxes, Carousels, "People also ask", and more.
- Usual 10 results reduced to just 7 on over 18% of Google searches in 3Q 2020!
- To stand out in the SERPs, your result needs to scream "click me!"

Increase Click-through-rate (CTR)

- Include Your Keyword in your URL
- Optimise your titles
 - o include Keyword
 - o for local SEO include location(s)
 - O Be creative: numbers, (...), emojis
- Create a meta-description for important pages

Increase visitor "time on page"

- Use unique images
- Use animated images
- Add videos
- Add Table of Contents section to longer pages
 - Plugin "Easy Table of Contents"
- Add one call-to-action on each page

Improve page speed

- Page Speed = Core Web Vitals metrics
- Part of Google's "page experience" score
 - Others: Responsive, https, safe, no interstitials
- Officially a <u>ranking factor</u>
- See real user data in Search Console

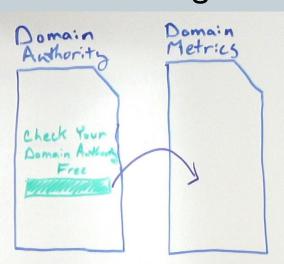
https://developers.google.com/speed/pagespeed/insights/

Internal Links to improve Engagement

 Add internal links to relevant content on your site that relates to current post

• This can improve user engagement, time-on-site and very

often ranking & traffic!



Watch this Video! https://moz.com/blog/maximize-internal-links

Internal Links to improve Engagement

- The more organized your internal linking structure is, the easier it is for search engines (and users) to find what they're looking for.
- Create Topic Clusters (Silos)
- First define your Pillar Pages (= Cornerstone Content)
 - O Permalink Manager Plugin

Multiple pages ranking for a Keyword

- Add internal links from 2nd page to desired page
 - This can show which is preferred page. Add context for users "Updated in 2020: link"
- Merge the 2 pages into one better page, if similar content
 - O Delete older, invalid content
 - o 301 redirect the other page, or both of them, to the new URL
- Noindex low value pages
 - Blog category and tag pages

Google Search Changes

- March 2021 mobile indexing for ALL sites
 - omobil first mobile only !!
- May 2021 Core Web Vitals metrics ranking factor
- Google's BERT / Deeprank improving fast
 - Natural Language Processing
 - Long Tail / Passage Indexing

More Information

Interesting Posts

- https://www.searchenginejournal.com/wordpress-add-emojistitle-tags-meta-descriptions/383008/
- o https://moz.com/blog/maximize-internal-links
- <u>https://samuelschmitt.com/topic-cluster/</u>

Thanks for your attention!

QUESTIONS?

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https://www.seocoach.at/next-level-talk

