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Module description

For a good understanding and usage of digital marketing and social media platforms, the user first needs the proper digital skills and knowledge about these topics, in order to be able to navigate and create content for its audience. That is why, this module will concentrate on providing and increasing the technical and digital skills and the knowledge that lie at the beginning of the journey into the wonderful world of digital marketing and social media.

3.0 Introduction to Digital Marketing

In this chapter the user will be able to get accustomed to the concept of digital marketing and social media, how it differs from traditional marketing and why it is necessary when working in an Non-Governmental Organization. The main areas reached by this module will also be explained in this chapter.

3.1 Using modern software: Photoshop introduction

The reason why this chapter is one of the first on our list lies in the fact that social media content is mainly present through pictures. Videos and text have their own role, but the role of a picture is essential in digital marketing, as a classic expression says, "A picture is worth a thousand words". In this chapter, the user can learn basic usage of Photoshop CS6 for the purpose of tuning and cleaning a photograph.

3.2 Create a Social Media profile (LinkedIn)

In this chapter the user can learn step by step how to create a profile on a social media platform, in this case, LinkedIn. This platform was used as an example because of the fact that is more serious and more professional.

3.3 Facebook pages

In this chapter we will see what are Facebook pages, how we can post on them, how to create new pages and set them up. The user will be able to learn how to administrate Facebook pages, about publishing tools, page and post targeting and Facebook events.





3.4 Google Products, Applications and Services

This section is dedicated to Google's tools that make life easier for us, especially the free products, that anyone can use. The most used and interesting applications will be presented, along with their functionality and how they can help a volunteer or youth worker in the professional life.

3.5 Designing and producing a newsletter in Photoshop CS6

In this section, the user can learn how to create a personalised newsletter in the way he desires, with no limits of design caused by the newsletter editor. In this way, the user can also learn to create any kind of images and infographics with the help of Photoshop.

3.6 Create and send an HTML email template (newsletter) with Photoshop CS6

This section will focus on continuing the work in the previous chapter. The learner will find out how to use an image and transform it into an HTML email template (a newsletter) for the purpose of sending a newsletter to his/hers audience. Sending newsletter both with Outlook and Gmail platforms will be discussed seeing the differences and similarities.

3.7 Designing and sending email newsletters using MailChimp

This chapter will focus on learning how to use MailChimp.com, an email marketing service, in order to produce your own newsletters and conduct campaigns, for getting more visibility and raising awareness about your ideas or projects.

3.8 Top 10 mobile applications for Non-Governmental Organisations

This final chapter focuses on mobile marketing and mobile application that can make your life easier. The mobile applications presented in this section can improve the organisation in your workplace, or increase visibility of your institution, or create opportunities for meeting new partners or participants to your projects.





What is Digital Marketing? It is the promotion of products or brands via one or more forms of electronic media, mainly on the Internet, but also including mobile phones, display advertising, and any other digital medium.

Differs from traditional marketing in that it uses channels and methods that enable an organization to analyze marketing campaigns and understand what is working and what isn't – typically in real time.

It is more efficient than traditional marketing because of the real time analyzing capabilities.

It is faster, more effective, and with smaller costs than the traditional marketing.

Why digital marketing is necessary in the youth work area?

- Visibility of organization and projects
- Transparency
- Finding partners
- Dissemination
- Development of new projects
- Creating a trustworthy brand (your organization)
- Getting your name known by the local community and the international community
- Raising awareness about different social issues
- Ex. :Volunteers can disseminate their project and involve the local community

In this module you will be able to find notions about different areas of Digital Marketing, like

• **Content Marketing**, especially how to produce your content and administrate social media accounts. You will learn about editing images in





Photoshop, how to create a social media account (LinkedIn), and a lot of facts about Facebook pages and Google Products and applications that you can use in your professional life.

• Email Marketing, by learning how to produce your own newsletters and send them to your audience using different platforms while avoiding the spam folders;

Marketing related to Mobile devices, or how to use mobile devices in your work inside and NGO – you will learn about different mobile applications made to make your professional life easier and more organized (Google Calendar, Outlook, Slack, Asana and others





3.1 Using modern software: Photoshop introduction

The reason why this chapter is one of the first on our list lies in the fact that social media content is mainly present through pictures. Videos and text have their own role, but the role of a picture is essential in digital marketing. As evidence to that stand multiple facts and research:

- <u>This 2013 Pew Research Study</u>¹ tells us that by 2013, 54% of all Internet users have posted an original photo that they have created. The same study says that 63% of social media is made up of images, that percentage making images the most powerful tool in social media.
- <u>This 2011 study from Skyword</u>² tells us that content with relevant images gets 94 percent more views than content without. That's why is very important to choose your images in a right way, to make sure they are having the desired effect on your audience
- Tweets that contain images receive 150% more retweets.

Photoshop was created in 1988 by Thomas and John Knoll. Since then, it became the most used industry software for creating, editing and modifying images.





Tuning a photograph in Photoshop CS6

Opening the file



- Open the image in Photoshop
- Duplicate the background layer
- Always work on the duplicated layer so that the original image stayes untouched

Corrections



• To correct the rotation, distortion, color aberration of the image use lens correction tool





- Open filter- lens correction
- Choose CUSTOM
- Correct the mistakes manually by moving the sliders



Optical

aberration:

- Barrel distortion: lines are curved inwards
- Pincushion Distortion : straight lines are curved outwards from the center
- Perspective Distortion : 3D space in to 2D space can cause distortion, appearing things in front to be bigger than usually and other way around





BEFORE



AFTER









USING SPOT HEALING TOOL

- for mistakes on the image that can be easily removed
- new duplicated layer
- drag a line or make a spot with the tool where you want to remove a mistake
- the size of the brush should be as big as the spot or thin as the line and no more







Using this tool you clean the lines and the spots (the electric powerlines and other defects).







- Another tool you can use for cleaning
- copies pixels from one part to another









CONTENT AWARE FILL TOOL

Replaces the pixels from one part of the image to another by examining the parts of the image and figures out the best way to replace the damaged or unwanted







- Select the part of an image that needs to be fixed with Polygonal laso tool
- right clik on the selected area
- Fill- Content aware



Select the different parts of image and use the tool until the appropriate replacement is found. Usually works best on patterns





3.2 Create a Social Media profile (LinkedIn)

LinkedIn is a business- and employment-oriented social networking service that operates via websites and mobile apps. Founded on December 28, 2002 and launched on May 5, 2003, it is mainly used for professional networking, including employers posting jobs and job seekers posting their CVs. Using LinkedIn, the user can have access to a more professional networking experience, being able to make contacts with professionals all over the world.

Why should you use LinkedIn in the youth work area?

- LinkedIn provides an easy way to connect with professionals all around the world
- It can help you find volunteers or new partners
- You can add job adverts if you are looking for a new employee
- It provides a more serious platform than Facebook

Step-by-step tutorial on creating the profile

Step 1: Open a browser, type <u>www.linkedin.com</u> and press on the "Join Now" button



(The starting page when creating a new profile on LinkedIn.com)

Step 2: Fill in your details (make sure to fill in your correct and actual details, so you can make the most out of the LinkedIn experience)

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Country *
Postal code (e.g. 1018)
The people, jobs, and news we show you will be more relevant if you add your location
Next * Required information





https://www.linkedin.com/start/edit-profile

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	Company * Intercultural Association Mobility Friends
	Industry <u>*</u> Nonprofit Organization Management
	Next * Required information

Fill in your interests

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	Finding a job	>	
	Staying up-to-date with my industry	>	
	Keeping in touch with my contacts	>	
	Not sure yet. I'm open!	>	





Confirm your account with your email



Add a photo of yourself





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Final profile



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Step 3: Editing your profile for better visibility

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Field of study	
Electronics Engineering and Telecommunications	
Grade	
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Activities and societies	
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Yes Share profile changes If enabled, your network may see this change.	
Delete	Save





Add your skills

Let's add your skills Members with skills get discovered more and get 4 times as many profile views	×
Digital Communication	
Non-Governmental Organizations (NGOs)	
Youth Work	
Erasmus+	
Add another skill	Add to profile

Edit your headline

What should your headline say? > It's the first thing people see next to your name in LinkedIn search results >	×
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Bachelor's degree at Universitatea "Politehnica" din București	
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Edit your background photo for a more eye catching profile



Step 4: Increase your network by importing contacts from your email address book. This will help you to grow the number of your contacts.

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3.3 Facebook pages

This chapter is dedicated to Facebook pages, as a means of creating visibility and to support digital marketing. Facebook is the biggest social media platform with more than 2 billion accounts, and can help the volunteer/ youth worker to reach a bigger audience.

When talking about Facebook Pages we need to firstly understand what they are and what is the difference between them and normal profiles.

- Facebook Pages are for brands, businesses, organizations and public figures to create a presence on Facebook.
- Profiles represent individual people

Anyone with an account can create a Page or help manage one, if they've been given a role on the page like admin or editor.

People who like a Page and their friends can get updates in News Feed.

Facebook is one of the most powerful and used tools for volunteers and youth workers orldwide because of the easy usage and big number of users. Whether as a dissemination tool, or as for raising awareness, or to find new partners and volunteers, or raising funds, organisations all over the world use Facebook in their work.

3.3.1 How to post on a page that you visit and who sees it

Facebook Pages are public spaces. Anyone who can see the Page can see your post or comment. When you post or comment on a Page, a story can be published in News Feed and other places on Facebook.

You'll only see the option to post on Pages that have allowed visitor posts.

To post on a Page that you visit:

- Type your post into the box at the top of the Page's Timeline
- Click your profile picture in the top right and select to post as yourself or as a Page you manage
- Click "Post"





3.3.2 Your country's version of the page

Some Pages for global brands have specialized versions of the Page for different regions.

To switch the version of the Page you're seeing:

- Hover over **More** below the Page's cover photo
- Select Switch Region
- Select the country you want as your default for the Page
- Click Save Preference

The version of the Page you select will be the version you see in News Feed and when you visit the Page.

Keep in mind that if you like a Page while you're traveling, you may see updates for the country you're visiting even when you return home. If you're seeing posts from the Page that aren't in your language or aren't relevant to where you are, follow the steps above to switch the version of the Page you see.

3.3.3 Creating a new Facebook page

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You have 6 categories to choose from:

📕 Create a Page		
Give your brand, business or cause a voice on Faceboo	k and connect with the people who matter to you.	
It's free to set up. Just choose a Page type to get started.		
Local Business or Place	Company, Organization or Institution	Brand or Product
Artist, Band or Public Figure	Entertainment	Cause or Community

Available features based on the page's category





	Books & Magazines, Brands & Products	Companies & Organizations	Local Businesses	Movies, Music, Television	People, Sports	Websites & Blogs
Short description	1	\checkmark	1	\checkmark	~	~
Website	✓	\checkmark	1	\checkmark	~	~
Services	✓	\checkmark	1	\checkmark	~	~
Ratings & reviews	√	~	~	~	~	~
Email		\checkmark	1	\checkmark	~	~
Phone		\checkmark	1	\checkmark	~	~
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Business hours		✓	1		~	
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You can change your category later, if the chosen one doesn't fit your idea









Finished basic page



3.3.4. Setting up the page

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your business, b e tips later.	rand or organization.	Ξ		 Search for frie 	nds to invite





3.3.5 <u>Editing the appearance</u> – You can choose from different templates that fit better your idea or organisation









3.3.6 Administrating your page

You can administrate the page through the various tabs offered: Notifications, Insights, Publishing Tools, Settings etc. Here you can see different details and statistics related to your page.



You can assign different page roles for different workers from your organisation: Admin, Editor, Moderator, Advertiser, Analyst and Live Contributor.







3.3.7. Improving your page through Insights

On the "Insights" tab you can find different statistics and data about your website that help you to improve your page visibility and rating.

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3.3.8 Publishing tools

In **"Publishing Tools"** tab you can find various tools that help you to have an overview on your posts and videos.



3.3.9 Post Scheduling

On a Facebook page you are able to schedule your posts, so that the content can be posted even when you are away from your digital device. This tab can be found in "Publishing Tools". In the following images you have an example of scheduling a post on ESkills for Volunteers Facebook Page.

Page	Messages	Notifications	Insights	Publishing Tools	Settings	Help •
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Drafts						
Expirin	g Posts					
Midaga				You have no scheduled posts. Learn more		
videos	5					
Video L	Library					





Create New Page Post	×
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Stop News Feed Distribution Select a date and time in the future for when you want your post to stop showing in News Feed. The post will still be visible, but News Feed distribution will end.		
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News Feed distribution can only end between 10 minutes from when they are published and 6 months from now.		
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Video Library ~

Videos

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Delete





In "Page Settings" you have the full control of your page.

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	Messaging	Page	e Visibility	Page published	Edit
	🔅 Edit Page	Visit	or Posts	Anyone can publish to the Page Anyone can add photos and videos to the Page	Edit
	Post Attribution	Audi Post	ence Optimization for s	The ability to select a preferred audience and restrict the audience for your posts is turned off	Edit
	Notifications	Mes	sages	People can contact my Page privately.	Edit
	Messenger Platform	Tagg	ing Ability	Only people who help manage my Page can tag photos posted on it.	Edit
	⊥ Page Roles		rs Tagging this Page	People and other Pages can tag my Page.	Edit
	▲ People and Other Pages	Page	Location for Frames	Other people can use your Page's location for photo and video frames.	Edit
	▲ Preferred Page Audience	Cour	ntry Restrictions	Page is visible to everyone.	Edit
	Partner Apps and Services	Age	Restrictions	Page is shown to everyone.	Edit
	 Instagram Ads 	Page	e Moderation	No words are being blocked from the Page.	Edit
	★ Featured	Profa	anity Filter	Set to strong	Edit
		Simi	lar Page Suggestions	Choose whether your Page is recommended to others	Edit
	Page Support Inbox	Page	e Updates	Page posts are automatically published when you update the Page buttons, description or contact info.	Edit
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3.3.10 Page Targeting and Post Targeting

In the following example you can observe how to use the Settings of the Page to turn on **Page Targeting**. **Page Targeting** allows you to post content for an exact audience, that you can choose using keywords, things they like, age group, gender etc.













Notifications Ir				js Help ∙
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You can add different restrictions or interests of your audience, whilst you get an estimation of the number of profiles in your audience.

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English (All)	×
Portuguese (All)	×
Enter a language	
Have a Question? Read our Guidelines.	Save











3.3.11 Post Boosting

Facebook offers you the option of **boosting your posts**, so they get more visibility and reach on Facebook. This is a paid service and you can select how much you want to invest in boosting your posts.

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Published by Gabriel Brezoiu [?] - June 6 at 5:33pm - 💿	Page Tips
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3.3.12 Facebook Events – Creating a new event

Reasons why to use Facebook Events:

- 550M people use Facebook events each month ٠
- 41% of Facebook users in the U.S. Engage with public events each month

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- 47M public events were created in 2015 •
- 35M people view a public event each day



Suggestions for creating a good Facebook event

- Make it easy for people to discover your event
 - Choosing an event photo The photo appears differently across desktop • and mobile so it should be 1920 x 1080 pixels (16:9 ratio) or larger with little or no text

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- Use a clear and short event name ٠
- Add a location, specific time and date ٠
- Add specific keywords to make your event easier to find ٠
- Schedule events to publish later
- To save time, you can duplicate past events under the More dropdown menu ٠ on your event page and then update any relevant event info before publishing.





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Conclusions

- Facebook Pages allow you to do a lot for your audience
- They improve and facilitate communication between your organization and possible partners, participants
- Facebook pages allow easy dissemination of projects and activities
- Facebook offers answers and training on how to use their products





3.4 Google Products, Applications and Services

It will be impossible to talk about digital marketing nowadays without mention Google and its tools. The tech company became one of the most important players in the tech business to do its innovations and creative forward thinking.

Google started as a search engine. It revolutionized Search Engines, because, instead of **searching and counting how many times the search terms appeared on the page**, it determines a website's relevance by the **number of pages**, and the

importance of those pages, that link back to the original site.

Nowadays, it is one of the biggest companies in the world and has a multitude of products and services.

3.4.1 Most commonly used tools

In this section there will be mentioned and presented the most commonly used services and applications in an NGO. An important fact is that not all these products were created by Google originally, but the company bought them and improved them (ex. : Youtube, Google Play).

At first glance, we can name some products and services used usually, like:



- Search Engine
- Google Maps
- Youtube is owned by Google
- Gmail
- Google Play
- Google Drive

Google Calendar



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- Google Books
- Google My Business
- Google Finance
- Google News
- Google Analytics
- Google Docs
- Google Flight Search
- Google Chrome

- Google+
- Translate

These are just a few tools that Google provides us with, most being able to use for free.

A poll made during the "eSkills for Volunteers" training amongst volunteers and youth workers participating to the training revealed that the top 5 most important Google tools for them are as following: Google Drive, Gmail, Google Chrome, Youtube, Google Docs.

3.4.2 Why Google is important for Digital Marketing

Google offers a lot of products that are free and easy to use, intuitive, and interconnected.

Google Search Engine is one of the most important tools for finding and buying new products, so it is important for brand development.

Google's products can be used to upload videos, edit and modify documents, keep in touch via email, analyze your social media impact, keep track of your

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website, see the impact you have on the visitors on different social media platforms and much more.

3.4.3 Google Search Engine

Google Search Engine is the most used search engine in the world.

A youth worker or volunteer can use Google's Search engine to provide more visibility for the project or the association. To

do that, your webpage needs to be one of the first in Google Search's list. That is why you need Search Engine Optimization (find out more about Search Engine Optimization in the next Module).

Search Engine Optimization is the process of optimizing a website in order to make it easy to find via search engines like Google.

3.4.4 Gmail

It's a free email service offered by Google starting with 2009.

It can be used to receive up to 15 GB of free storage.

Users can receive emails up to 50 megabytes in size, including attachments, while they can send emails up to 25 megabytes.

In order to send larger files, users can insert files from Google Drive into the message.

From Gmail you can also administrate other email accounts. It is an alternative to Microsoft Outlook.









Google Drive is a file storage and synchronization service developed by Google launched in 2012. Google Drive allows users to store files in the cloud, synchronize files across devices, and share files.

It offers users 15 GB of free storage, with 100 gigabytes, 1 terabyte, 2 terabytes, 10 terabytes, 20 terabytes, and 30 terabytes offered through optional paid plans.

Google Drive can be used to store photos, video, documents and to share them with other users.

Google Drive encompasses Google Docs, Sheets and Slides.

3.4.6 Google Docs, Sheets and Slides

Google Docs, Sheets and Slides are part of a web-based software office suite offered by Google within Google Drive.

Google Docs – word processor

Google Sheets – spreadsheet program

Google Slides – presentations program

The suite allows users to create and edit files online while collaborating with other users in real-time.

Edits are tracked by user with a revision history presenting changes. An editor's position is highlighted with an editor-specific color and cursor.

3.4.7. Google My Business

(Formerly Google Places) A product that lets you create and manage free business listings in Google Maps so that people can see your business when doing a local search.

Google My Business allows you to create and verify your local business on Google, so your business information can











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be shown in Google Maps. With Google My Business, you can also add business information that can appear on Google.com, Google Maps, and Google Earth when someone searches for your business name or category.

You can show business locations in your AdWords ads by using **location extensions**. Location extensions display your business name, address, and phone.

To register your business, you have to send a request to Google. They will send a Confirmation Code through post. After you type in your received code you can enjoy the service.

Appearance when searching "mobility friends" on Google:



Google My Business offers you insights about the way people searched for your business on Google.

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The service also tells you how many searches related to your company have been directly with your name, or by discovery from other keywords.







3.4.8 Google Analytics

Google Analytics is a freemium web analytics service offered by Google that tracks and reports website traffic. Freemium refers to the fact that the service is free to use, but you need to pay if you want more advanced features.



Google launched the service in 2005 and now is the most widely used web analytics service on the Internet.

To be able to use Google Analytics, you need to make an account and copy a code snippet that Google gives you, into your website's html code.





Google gives you a JavaScript code that you have to **copy+paste** on your website's code, in order to allow Google to track you website.

Example:

Snippet code provided by Google

Website tracking

This is the Universal Analytics tracking code for this property.

To get all the benefits of Universal Analytics for this property, copy and paste this code into every webpage you want to track.

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Audience Statistics

Google Analytics provides you with numerous statistics about the visitors of your website, helping you to improve your reach, your views, the website's speed, image etc.



This statistics are a very important marketing tools, as you can make a psychological profile of your common visitor, and you can find out more about your audience, their desires and dreams, and you can respond to that in an active way.

Acquisition Statistics

Google Analytics also provides you with statistics about the channels from which your visitors came to your website, whether you are using Google AdWords (paid service for publicity) or not.



Behavior Statistics

Google Analytics provides you with statistical data about the behaviour of your visitors, once they enter your website. Google tells you which is the most common page route they take (if they go first on Home page, or About page etc.).







3.4.9 Google AdWords

Google AdWords is an online advertising service, developed by Google, where advertisers pay to display brief advertising copy to web users.



AdWords offers services such as **pay-per-click** (PPC) advertising and **cost-per-acquisition** (CPA) advertising.

PPC advertising refers to the fact that the Google's costumer (your business), pays Google each time somebody finds and visits their website via Google

Cost per acquisition (**CPA**), also known as "**Cost per action**" or pay per acquisition (PPA) and cost per conversion, is an online **advertising** pricing model where the advertiser pays for a specified acquisition - for example a sale, click, or form submit.

Google AdWords is connected with Google Analytics, for ease of use.

The PageRank (how close to the top of Google's list your page is) depends on a variety of factors. You should take into consideration the fact that before using Google Adwords, you have to do some free Search Engine Optimization – keep using the keywords that you are targeting more times on your page and connect you website with link to other websites that have content related to the keywords you want.

The PageRank is determined by an auction done by AdWords.

Google AdWords - Auction

Google AdWords' Auction is the process that happens with each Google search to decide which ads will appear for that specific search and in which order those ads will show on the page.

Each time an AdWords ad is eligible to appear for a search, it goes through the ad auction. The auction determines whether or not the ad actually shows and in which **ad position** it will show on the page.

Here's how the auction works:

- When someone searches, the AdWords system finds all ads whose keywords match that search.
- From those ads, the system ignores any that aren't eligible, like ads that target a different country or are disapproved.
- Of the remaining ads, only those with a sufficiently high Ad Rank may show. Ad Rank is a combination of your bid, ad quality, and the expected impact of extensions and other ad formats.

The most important thing to remember is that even if your competition bids higher than you, you can still win a higher position -- at a lower price -- with highly relevant keywords and ads.

There are 3 main factors in the ad auction that determine which ads appear, and in what order:

- Your bid When you set your bid, you're telling AdWords the maximum amount you're willing to pay for a click on your ad. How much you actually end up paying is often less, and you can change your bid at any time.
- The quality of your ads AdWords also looks at how relevant and useful your ad and the website it links to are to the person who'll see it. The assessment of the quality of your ad is summarized in your Quality Score, which you can monitor—and work to improve—in your AdWords account.
- The expected impact from your ad extensions and other ad formats When you create your ad, you have the option to add additional information to your ad, such as a phone number, or more links to specific pages on your site.





These are called ad extensions. AdWords estimates how extensions and other ad formats you use will impact your ad's performance. So even if your competition has higher bids than yours, you can still win a higher position at a lower price by using highly relevant keywords, ads, and extensions.

3.4.10 Conclusions

Google is one of the most important I.T.&C. companies in the world.

It provides free and easy to use tools for digital marketing and administrating documents.

Google incorporates a lot of services and also makes them work together, in the same environment.