# FLATIRON SCHOOL

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### **ABOUT ME**



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# **ABOUT FLATIRON SCHOOL**

Mission: to enable the pursuit of a better life through education

#### **CORE TO THE FLATIRON BRAND**

- → Transformational experiences
- → Transparent outcomes
- → Community
- → Love <3
- → Rigor

#### **FLATIRON VALUES**

- → Make No Little Plans
- → Be Scrappy
- → Work Together
- → Pursue Mastery
- → Radiate Positivity

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# **FLATIRON SCHOOL'S PROGRAMS**

Courses in NYC

Learn.co Online Bootcamp Free Online Courses

Community
Powered
Bootcamp

Efficacy ——— Accessability ——— Scaleability



# **STRATEGY**



### **DRIVE AWARENESS:**

Press, word-of-mouth, partnerships, and paid



#### **BRING INTO FUNNEL:**

Free Intro Courses & Gated Content. For all stages of coding journey.



#### **NURTURE & CONVERT:**

Smart, value-add content & diversity initiatives to build trust



### MARKETING @ FLATIRON: EVOLUTION

### 2016

**Driven by:** Infrastructure building, quick wins, production/experimentation

- → Developing funnel metrics & KPIs
- Data hole-patching
- Infrastructure: nurturing
- → Demographic research

#### 2017

**Driven by:** data-inspired optimizations, constant iterative testing, funnel customizations

- Customizing experiences using data ( lead scoring, nurturing, etc)
- → Modeling growth
- → Scaling paid channels
- → Expanding top of the funnel content



# GROWTH: Q1 2016 vs. Q1 2017



Users on Learn.co:

+380%



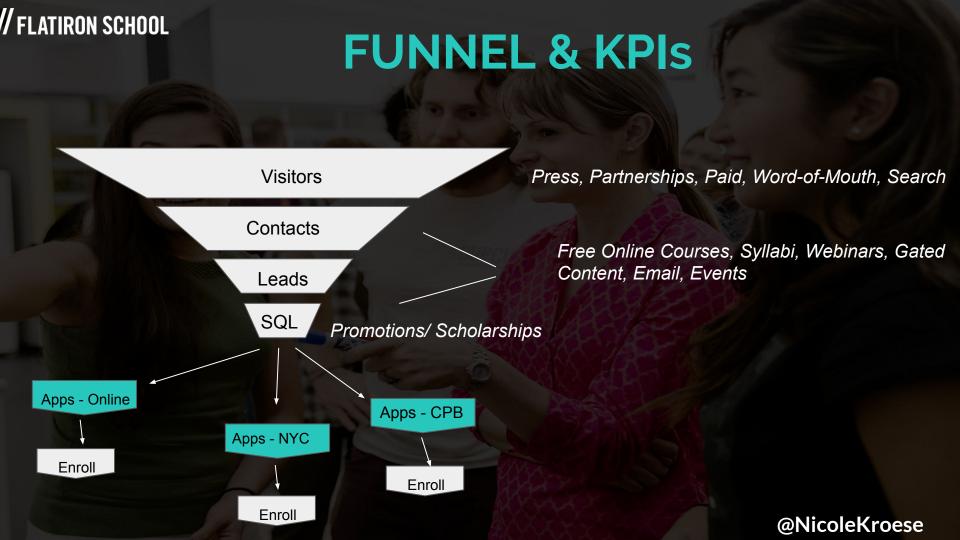
New Leads:

+200%



New Applicants:

+220%





### **TACTICS: DRIVING ACQUISITION**

#### **PAID**

- → Facebook
- → Instagram
- → Google branded
- → Google non-branded

#### **PARTNERSHIPS**

- → Sponsored Content
- → Scholarships
- → Webinars

#### **CONTENT**

- → ToFu offers
- → eBooks
- → Quizzes
- → Reports

#### **PRESS**

→ ArchitectingOpportunities



### **TACTICS: CONVERSION & FUNNEL**

**LEAD SCORING** 

**EMAIL** 

**EVENTS** 

**CONTENT** 





Community Marketing Associate

Marketing Designer

# **TEAM**

Technical Marketing
Associate

- → Paid
- → Email
- → Landing Pages
- → Funnel Management

# Content Marketing <u>Manager</u>

- → Blog
- → Website
- → Copywriting
- → Larger Content Pieces
- → Branding

# Events & Partnerships Associate

- Events In-Person
- → Events (Online)
- → Marketing Partnerships

## These are a few of our favorite tools...











INTERCOM





FINAL THOUGHTS

- → Technical curiosity → superusers = ※
- → Extra clear & visible goals (whiteboards!!)
- → Frequent, quick standups
- → Impact > Production
- → Cut vanity metrics

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