



## ABOUT STUDIO 1847

#### We are

Storytellers.

Strategists.

Collaborators.

Producers.

Partners.

We take your story online, offline and to the epicenter of engagement.

We tell your story through our collaborative strategy to reach audiences where they want to be found.

The equation is simple: It's our heritage plus your story. *Together*, we tell the most powerful tale.

Meet Studio 1847.



## OUR UNIQUE POSITION

### **Credibility**

Backed by the power of tronc, Inc., we've been providing news, influencing action and innovating content consumption since 1847.







With 105 Pulitzer Prizes, we have a history of creating content rooted in groundbreaking storytelling humanizing your brand to facilitate better connections with consumers.

Strategy

### **Creativity**

Our content creation is the best in the industry, receiving notable awards and recognition for our work.



Dedicated departments deliver exceptional service from ideation to reporting for seamless execution.



### **Audience**

We're the voice of the most impactful markets across the U.S. We know our consumers best and how to speak to them best.





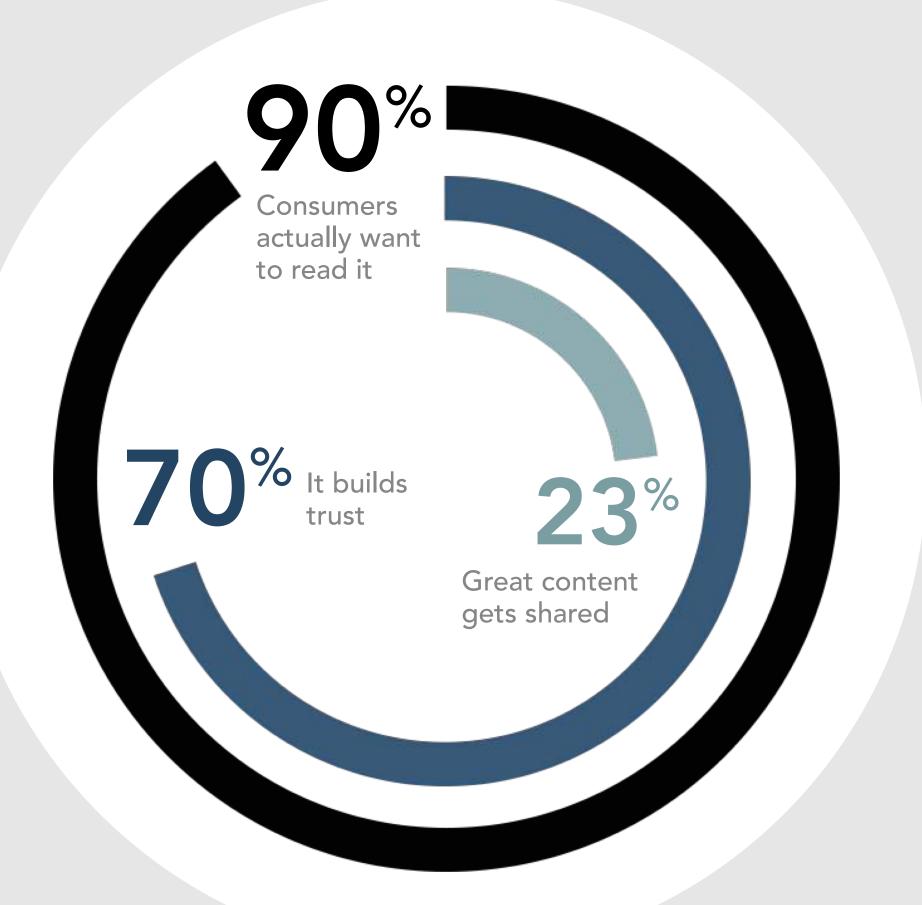
We provide access to millions of qualified consumers across the U.S., all in brand-safe environments — improving performance up to 5X.

**Distribution** 



## WHY BRANDED CONTENT

Branded content harvests and creates lasting connections with consumers by fostering positive brand perception and loyalty. When it comes to branded content:



- Nearly 90% of global online consumers want brands to share content online.
- **70%** of consumers prefer getting to know a company via content marketing.
- 1 in 4 (23%) of the 27 million messages sent over social media each day is branded content.



## WHY US? WE DELIVER RESULTS

Studio 1847 creates content that is:

Our stories are shared\*

times a month on social channels which averages

shares per day.

Readers spend an average of 2.3 minutes (( ))



engaged with our online content.

#### CAPTIVATING



The Telly Awards winner

The Content Council

Communicator Awards

winner

winner

1 time INMA winner

2 time Digiday Video Awards finalist

**ENGAGING** 

**AWARD-WINNING** 



## SATISFIED CLIENTS









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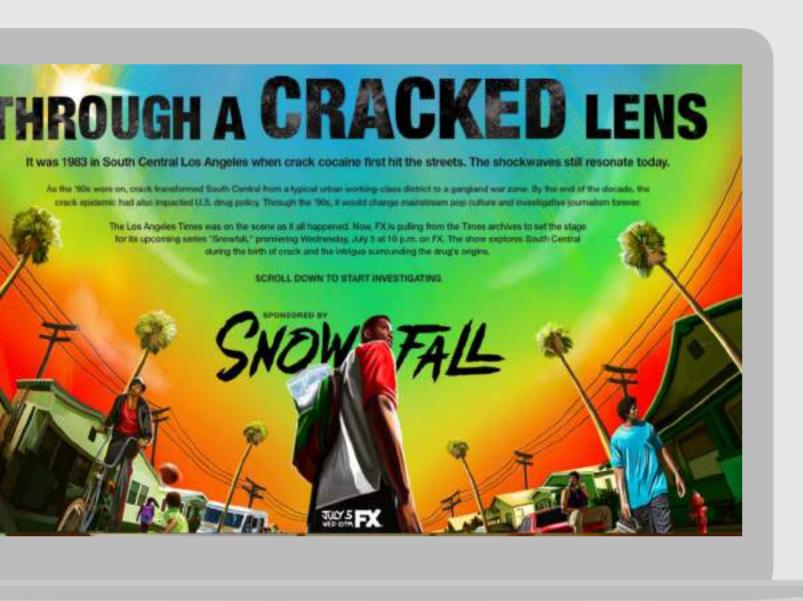








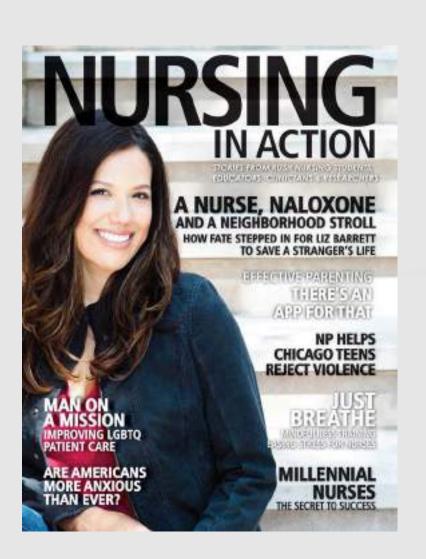
## OUR AWARD-WINNING WORK





An interactive destination leveraging original sponsor content and LA Times archival stories related to the topic.

View the page





Produced informational content including a custom magazine targeted to a niche audience.





"Locally Grown" video series featuring small businesses in the Chicago area

View sample video





Good Food, Good Life

Created local-market specific written and video content promoting water brand.

View sample video

## WE REACH QUALIFIED CONSUMERS

Ensure your content is seen by qualified consumers by leveraging our distribution network that reaches users in markets that matter most.



The Virginian-Pilot

Chicago Tribune

**Orlando Sentinel** 

DAILY®NEWS



THE MORNING CALL



Daily Press

Hartford Courant



### Why these publishing sites?

- Brand-safe environments.
- More adults 18-34 than self-proclaimed Millennial sites like Elite daily, Upworthy and Mashable.
- More affluent consumers (HHI \$100K+) than WSJ,
   BBC, MSNBC, ABC News and Time .coms.
- More sports fans than Bleacher Report, Sports
   Illustrated, Fox Sports and CBS Sports.
- More men than GQ, Esquire and Men's Fitness.
- More women than Refinery 29, Cosmopolitan,
   Elle, Glamour and Vogue.

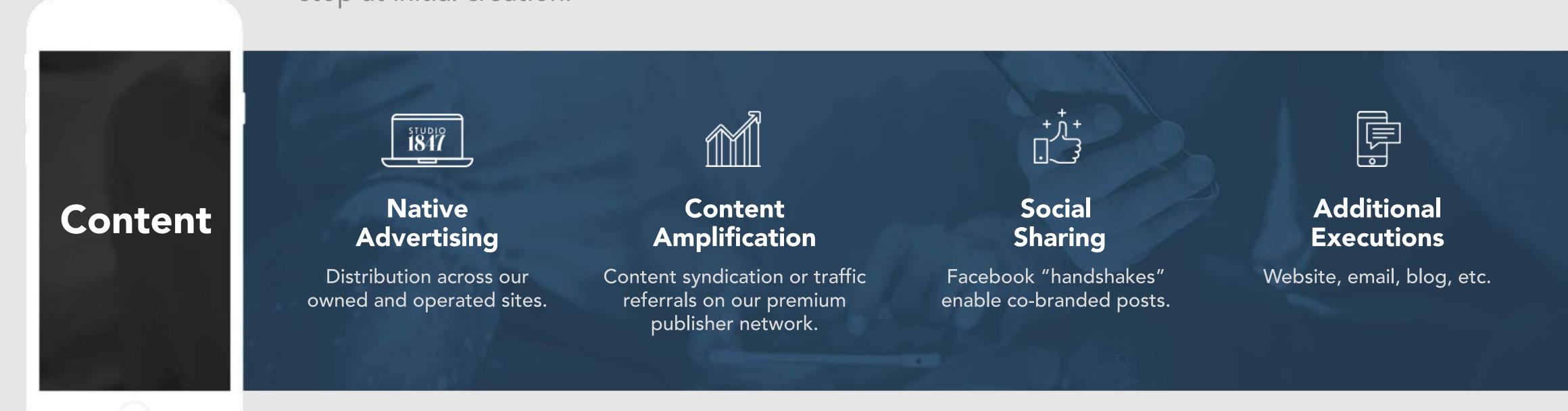
#### Why these markets?

- 2 of the top 3 largest DMAs: New York City and Chicago.
- U.S. financial and business capital: New York City.
- 3 of the top 6 Hispanic/Latin American markets: New York City, Chicago and Miami.
- City with the most purchasing power in the U.S.: Miami.
- No. 1 tourism destination in America: Orlando.
- Insurance capital of America: Hartford.
- Top military markets: Newport News and Baltimore.



## WE EMPOWER A PIECE OF CONTENT

The life of a content piece from our studio doesn't stop at initial creation.

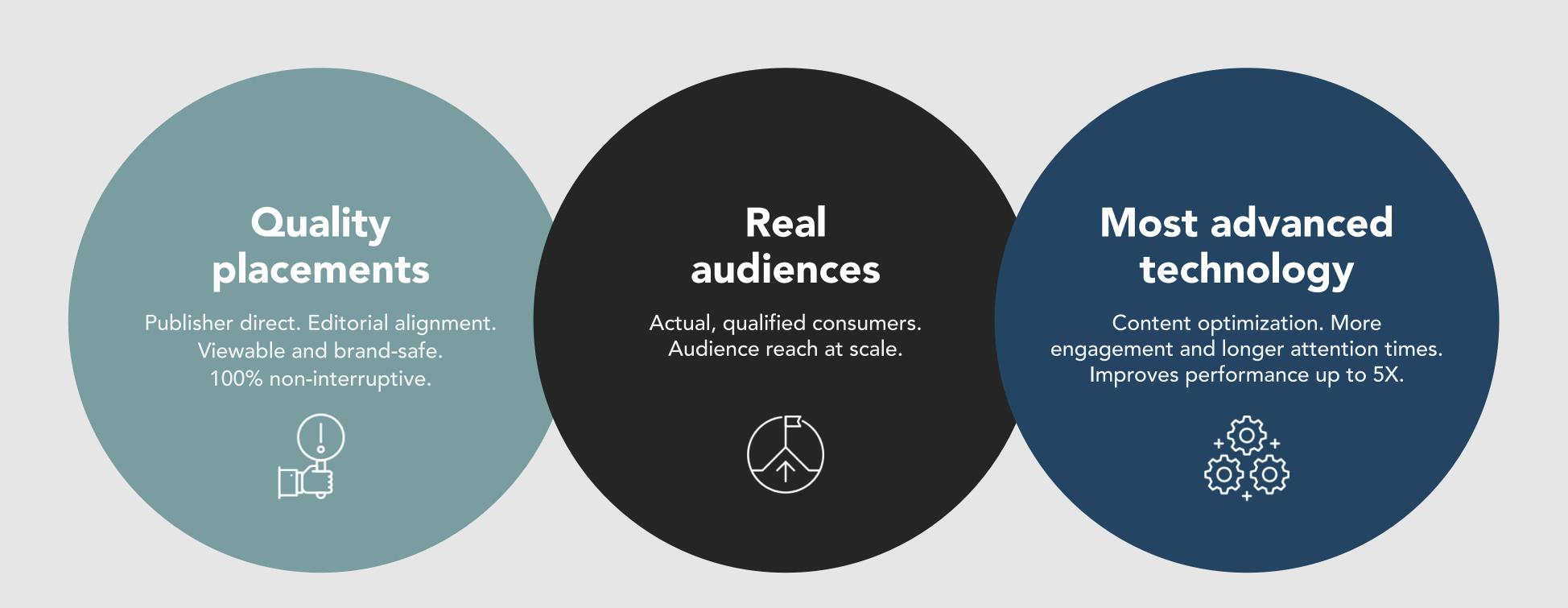




## NATIVE ADVERTISING

## Our native platform

We excel where it makes the most difference.





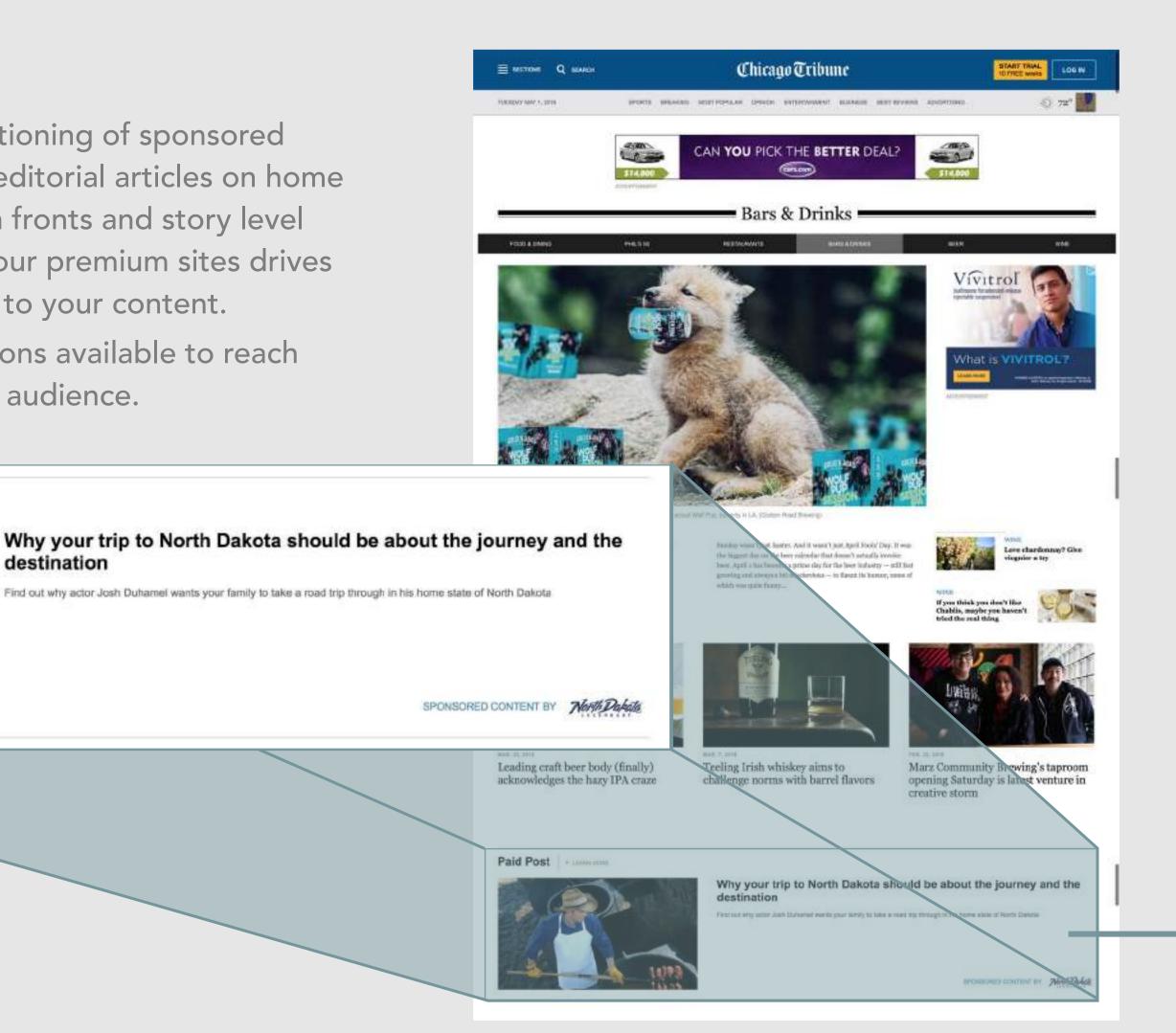
## HOW IT WORKS

Exclusive positioning of sponsored posts among editorial articles on home pages, section fronts and story level pages across our premium sites drives organic traffic to your content.

Targeting options available to reach your intended audience.

destination

Paid Post | \* LEARN MORE





## STANDARD CONTENT FEATURES

#### SPONSORED CONTENT LABEL-

"Paid Post" label is used to clearly establish that the content is paid for by an advertiser.

#### FEATURED CONTENT.

A variety of content types can be hosted within landing pages — including articles, infographics, listicles, slideshows and video.





### Why your trip to North Dakota should be about the journey and the destination

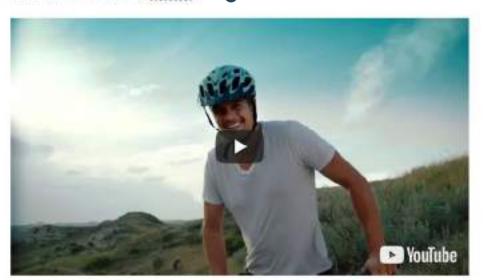








PONSORED CONTENT BY MAN DAGS



A family road trip through North Dakota is the best way to experience the state's breathtaking scenery, quirky photo ops and exciting attractions.

... That's right — we're talking about North Dakota. Our pastoral northwesterly neighbor makes for the ideal getaway from Chicago after months of traffic battles, icy patches an grayscale urban grind have worn the nerves thin. North Dakota is perfect for disconnecting from the trappings of modern life and reconnecting with the people who matter most.

Actor and North Dakota native Josh Duhamel says he makes some of his favorite memories road tripping there with his son. "To me, there's nothing better than just hopping in the truck and driving down those open roads — the smell of fresh hay and the biggest blue skies you've ever seen," Duhamel says,

As winter finally gives way to the welcome warmth of spring, now is the perfect time to pack up the family and set out for the wild blue yonder of the Roughrider State. Read on for a guide to the many adventures that await you on the ultimate road trip through a place whose scenic byways and backroads make for beautiful views and peaceful drives en route to numerous unique can't-miss destinations.

Getting started is as simple as hopping on I-90 west out of town and then cruising through Minnesota on I-94 until you hit Fargo, your official welcome to North Dakota. From there, take the scenic byways and backways for beautiful views and peaceful drives. Or, if yo want to get out of town even more quickly, hop on a daily direct flight from Chicago to North Dakota and rent a car when you land. All roads lead to one-of-a-kind experiences, and we've compiled a list of some of the can't-miss stops along your trip.

Treasures along U.S. Highway 2





#### **CALL-TO-ACTION UNITS**

Multiple ad units available to drive call-to-action messaging, delivering 100% share of voice surrounding the content.

#### **SOCIAL MEDIA SHARING WIDGETS**

Embedded widgets encourage consumers to share content via social media.

#### **DUAL DISCLOSURE & ADVERTISER LOGO**

Dual disclosure used for clear labeling of paid content. Advertisers also get additional branding with logo inclusion.



# CONTENT AMPLIFICATION

TYPE

### **Content syndication**

Content and traffic drivers live on publisher partner sites, functioning as they would on our owned and operated properties.

## **Boost campaign reach & increase performance**

Extend the reach of your content beyond our owned and operated sites, without sacrificing brand safety, via native advertising on our premium publisher network. Studio 1847 offers two types of native content amplification.

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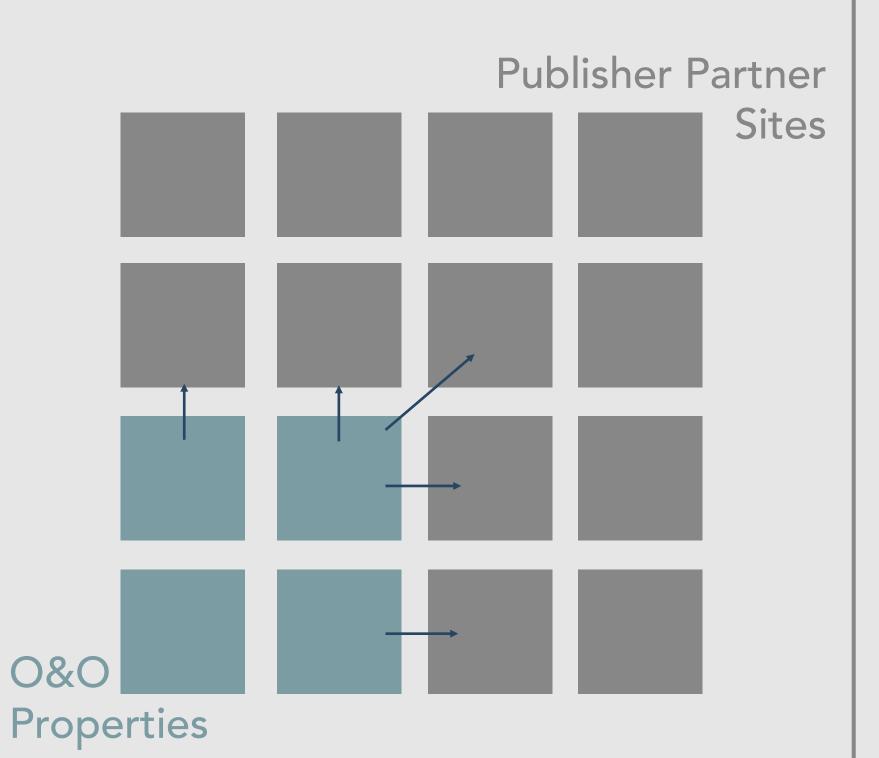
### **Traffic referral**

Traffic drivers live on publisher partner sites and click out to your custom landing page or refer back to your content on our owned and operated sites.

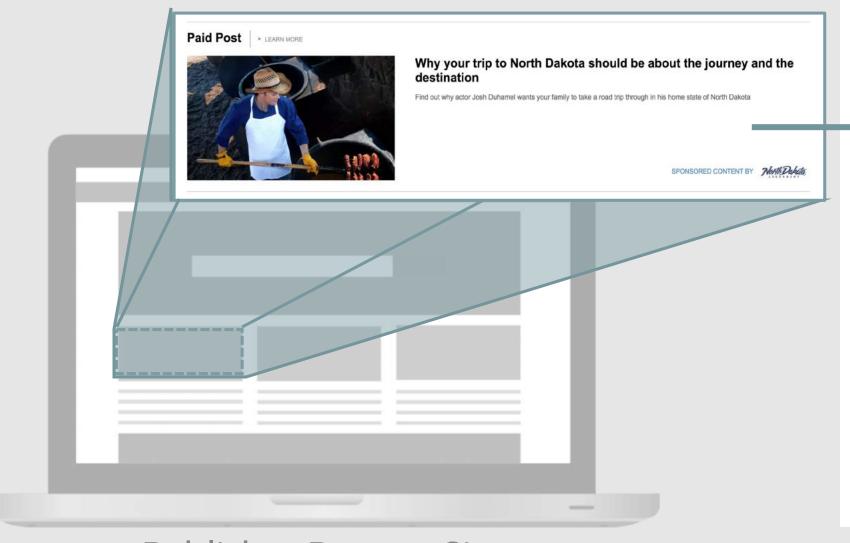


## CONTENT AMPLIFICATION EXPLAINED

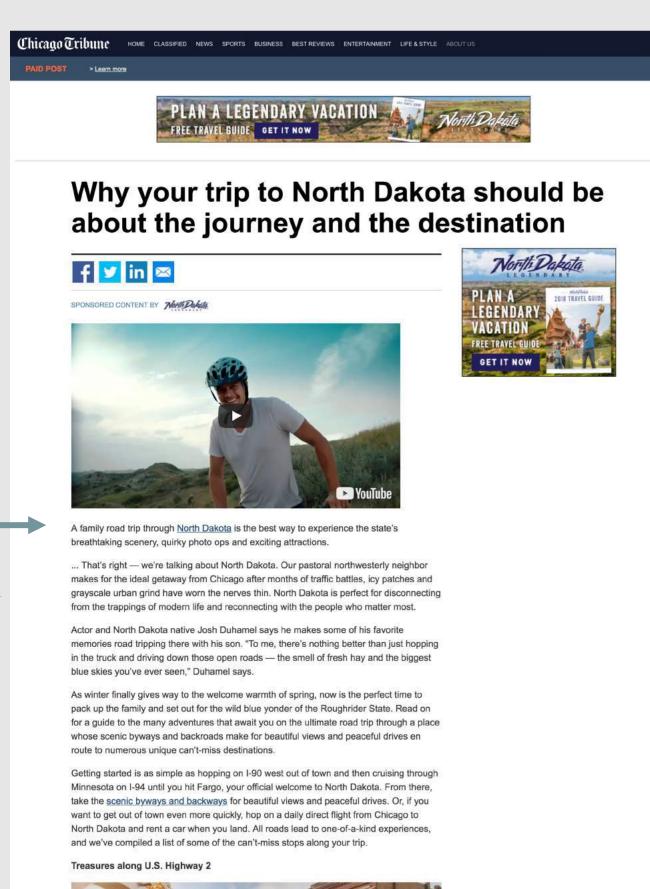
## **SYNDICATION**



### TRAFFIC REFERRAL



Publisher Partner Site





## SOCIAL SHARING & ADDITIONAL EXECUTIONS

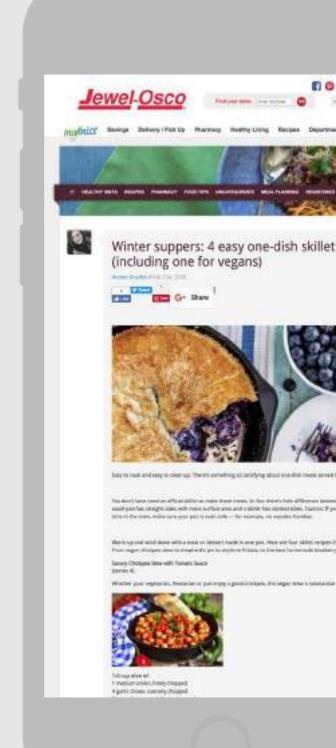


Drive views to your content socially with co-branded Facebook Paid Posts. Posts show a partnership between your brand and one of our owned and operated sites.

In addition to social sharing, there are multiple ways in which you can distribute content: your own or your client's channels, email, website, blog, print, etc.









Credibility

Creativity

Distribution

Strategy Audience Talent

Best in class

## STUDIO 1847 THANK YOU

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