

### **Franchise Update Media**



Multi-Unit Franchising Conference general session

# Many Channels. Millions of Touchpoints. ONE Resource.

Franchise Update Media (FUM) is the trusted resource for the franchise industry. For 30 years, FUM has been the leader in providing valuable content to franchisors, franchisees and franchise prospects.

We deliver unmatched reach and scale across multiple platforms from print, digital and conferences. Individually, they offer focused targeting with meaningful content. Layered together, they reach the largest audience for your brand.

If you want to reach, influence and motivate the largest audience of franchise executives, owners and franchise prospects, your number one resource is Franchise Update Media.

### Franchise Update Media and Advisory Board Power

For each individual conference, we assemble and work with an Advisory Board of franchising leaders and influencers to develop relevant and timely content each and every year. The Advisory Board involvement and our commitment to quality content is what makes our conferences the must-attend events in franchising.

### **AUDIENCE REACH**

Franchisors Multi-Unit & Multi-Brand Franchisees Franchise Prospects

### Conferences to Inspire



Multi-Unit Franchising Conference exhibit hall entrance.

Our conferences draw thousands of Franchisors, Multi-Unit & Multi-Brand Franchisees and Service Providers. Each individual conference has a specific focus and audience – Multi-Unit & Multi-Brand Franchisees, Franchisors and International Development.

### **MULTI-UNIT FRANCHISING CONFERENCE (MUFC)**

The premier event for multi-unit franchisees

Tuesday, Sept. 1 – Friday, Sept. 4, 2020 Caesars Forum, Las Vegas

The annual Multi-Unit Franchising Conference is the premier event targeting multi-unit franchisees in the food, hospitality, retail and service sectors – along with developers, chain store operators and private investment groups looking to build and expand multi-unit operations. This is the ultimate deal-making event for franchisors, multi-unit franchisees and service providers. Our exhibit hall is the central meeting place for Multi-Unit Franchisees to explore new brands and supplier services. Please visit: www.multiunitfranchisingconference.com

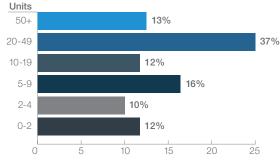
### 2021 Multi-Unit Franchising Conference Advisory Board Meeting

Intimate setting to present your product or service to our Multi-Unit Advisory Board. Date and location TBD.

#### **Sponsorship & Exhibit Opportunities contact:**

sales@franchiseupdatemedia.com 800.289.4232 ext. 202

### Franchisees by Operating Units



Numbers based off MUFC March, 2019

1720+
ATTENDEES

280 EXHIBITORS

16,000+ UNITS 19B REVENUES 75% SEEKING NEW BRANDS

### Conferences to Inspire

## FRANCHISE MARKETING LEADERSHIP CONFERENCE (FMLC)

The only franchise-focused marketing conference

Tuesday, Oct. 14 – Thursday, Oct. 16, 2020 InterContinental Hotel, (Buckhead) Atlanta GA

The evolving circumstances of the COVID-19 pandemic, shelter at home restrictions, and uncertainty about when the country will return to business as usual led to the decision to merge the Franchise Marketing Leadership Conference, originally scheduled for June, with the Franchise Leadership & Development Conference in October. This was done to ensure that marketing leaders who had planned to attend the June conference still have a forum to exchange how they've been affected by the pandemic, spend time with their peers, and share what they are doing to rebuild their brands.

The new conference will focus on the mission-critical roles that franchise sales and development executives and marketing leaders will play post—COVID-19. The conference will cover the most effective ways franchisors are driving system growth as the economy recovers, with an emphasis on franchisee revenue growth and new unit openings. The agenda will feature well-defined tracks with content specific to both marketing and sales executives — an interdepartmental opportunity to come together for education and much-needed inspiration.

Please visit: www.franchisemarketingconference.com

## FRANCHISE LEADERSHIP & DEVELOPMENT CONFERENCE (FLDC)

The conference for forward-thinking sales & development leaders in franchising

Tuesday, Oct 14 – Thursday, Oct 16, 2020 InterContinental Hotel, (Buckhead) Atlanta GA

The Franchise Leadership & Development Conference (FLDC) is all about brand growth and development. FLDC is designed for Franchisor Executives to gain valuable insight to build great franchise organizations and then manage them correctly. If you are a supplier looking to strengthen or create new relationships with Franchisors you do not want to miss this once a year event. Exclusive to franchisor attendees and supplier sponsors.

Please visit: www.franchisedevelopmentconference.com

Exclusive to FLDC is the Franchise CEO Summit and Annual STAR Awards presentation.

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350+
TOTAL ATTENDEES

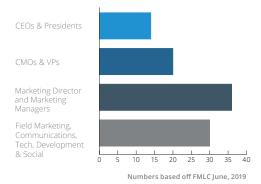


**200** FRANCHISORS



146

FRANCHISE BRANDS





**492**TOTAL ATTENDEES

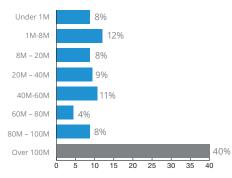


**190** FRANCHISE BRANDS



**301** FRANCHISOR PROFESSIONALS

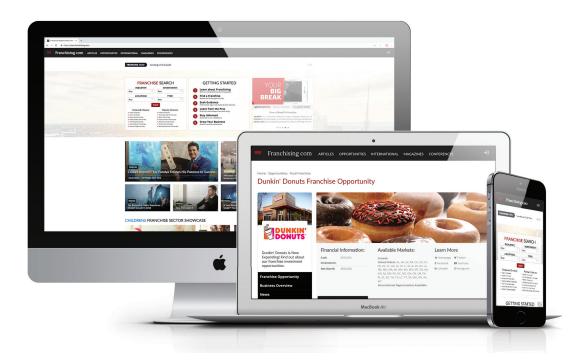
Franchise Attendee System-Wide Gross Sales



Franchise Update

Franchising.com

### **Digital** - Franchising.com



### **Content Site**

Franchising.com, with unmatched original and sponsored content, is the go-to resource for users highly engaged in franchising.

#### **Direct Link**

With Direct Links we drive traffic to your franchise website, social media channels and connect your brand with franchise prospects. Quality candidates prefer to go straight to the source when researching opportunities.

#### Mobile Users Continue to Increase

We've adopted a mobile first approach keeping Franchising.com fast and reliable on all devices. Speed is more important than ever.

#### THE POWER OF CONTENT

116,000+

Google indexed pages

5,000+

articles on franchising

77,000+

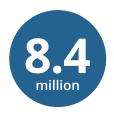
news stories on franchising

Our up-to-date, exclusive franchise content and industry news consistently attracts new visitors and quality prospects.

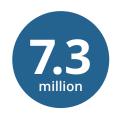
#### **AUDIENCE + REACH**



**ANNUAL VISITORS** 



ANNUAL PAGE VIEWS



PAGE SHARES LAST YEAR



**MOBILE USERS** 

### **Digital** - Sponsored Content



### Franchising.com's Signature Sponsored Content Program

Align your brand's messaging on Franchising.com with the strength, integrity and relevance of Franchise Update Media's editorial content.

#### **Audience**

3.5 million annual Franchising.com visitors and over 47,000 weekly newsletter subscribers

### **Engagement**

Average BRAND*BOOST* articles are read more than 14,000x and shared more than 200x

### **Direct Response**

Direct Link and access to 24/7 management console to track all campaign activity

### PACKAGE DETAILS

\$900 per article. Only available with Franchising.com package.

- Our experienced editorial team conducts an interview with a representative or franchisee of your choosing.
- Once completed, your articles are scheduled for launch on Franchising.com or in our targeted publications.
- We will distribute your article within our content so it takes center stage!



#### JOIN THESE BRANDBOOST CUSTOMERS & MANY MORE!







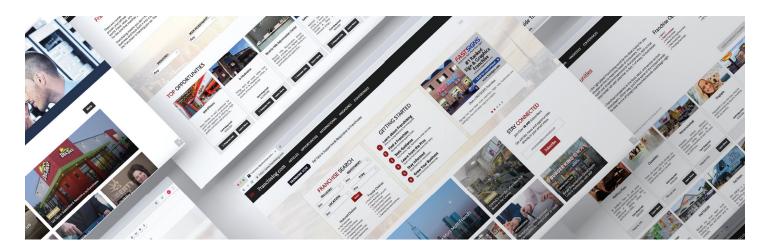








### **Digital** - Ad Packages



### FRANCHISE SPOTLIGHT PACKAGE

\$1,499/month - minimum 6 months (limit 9)

- Rotating home page banner
- Includes all features in the Top Franchise Package

### TOP FRANCHISE PACKAGE

\$999/month - minimum 6 months

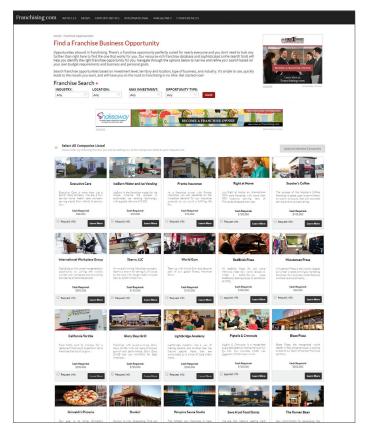
- Top Tier Site Exposure
- · Brand Profile Page
- · Top Franchise Page Listing
- · Hot Franchise Page Listing
- Rotating Listing on Homepage, Articles and Opportunities Page
- Unlimited use of Press Room
- Direct link to website and social media pages

### **HOT FRANCHISE PACKAGE**

\$799/month - minimum 6 months

#### The Value Priced Starter Package

- · Hot Franchise Page Listing
- · Unlimited use of Press Room
- Direct link to website and social media pages





## **Digital** - Ad Packages

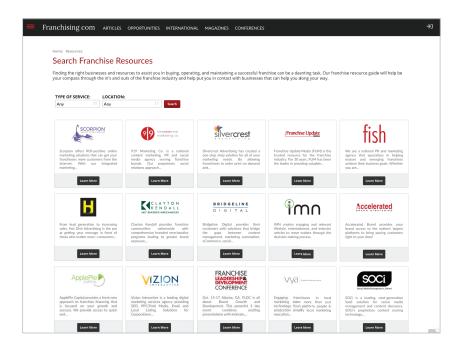


### RESOURCE DIRECTORY PACKAGE

\$1990/annually

The Resource Directory provides the perfect opportunity for you to showcase your product or business service. The Resource Directory Package includes a brand profile page to highlight your product and service features, along with a direct link to your company website.

The Resource Directory categories are included in our weekly newsletters to over 16,600 opt-in Franchisor and Multi-Unit Franchisee subscribers.



### **Resource Directory Categories:**

Accounting

Advertising

Associations

Big Data

Conferences

**Customer Relations** 

Facilities

Financing

**Human Resources** 

Legal

Local Marketing

Loyalty

Marketing

Operations

Payment Processing

Printing

**Public Relations** 

Real Estate

Security

Social Media

Technology

**Telecommunications** 

Wealth Management

### **Digital** - Banners & E-mail Campaigns



### FRANCHISING.COM MULTI-UNIT FRANCHISEE SPOTLIGHT BANNER

\$3,000 total for 6 months / Limit 5

Targeted banner ad with caption on Multi-Unit Franchising pages.



\* 600 x 314px Graphic, Headline: 75 Characters max (Including spaces), Description: 200 Characters max (Including spaces), Link to a desired

### **CUSTOM E-mail Campaigns**

Email remains one of the most effective methods for targeting and reaching potential customers.

#### **Choose Your Audience:**

- Multi-Unit Franchisees (\$3,500 / blast)
- Franchisors (\$2,500 / blast)
- Franchise Prospects (\$2,500 / blast)

### FRANCHISING.COM **DISPLAY ADVERTISING**

Ask us about our on-site and off-site display advertising campaigns.





<sup>\*</sup>Spotlight Banners and custom emails available only with a Franchising.com package

### Digital - Newsletters

### MULTI-UNIT FRANCHISEE REPORT (WEEKLY – WEDNESDAYS)

\$1500 per newsletter / minimum of 3

The Multi-Unit Franchisee Report keeps franchisees current with industry news that helps strengthen their systems and grow their brands (16,000+ subscribers, 26% open rate with 12% click rate).

### FRANCHISE LEADERSHIP & DEVELOPMENT REPORT

(ALTERNATING TUESDAYS)

\$1200 per newsletter / minimum of 3

The Franchise Leadership & Development Report is a bi-monthly newsletter, keeping franchisors up-to-date on sales and development strategies and solutions (6,800+ subscribers, 39% open rate with 12% click rate).

### FRANCHISE MARKETING LEADERSHIP REPORT

(ALTERNATING TUESDAYS)

\$1200 per newsletter / minimum of 3

The Franchise Marketing Leadership Report is a bi-weekly newsletter for marketing executives that provides marketing insights, strategies and intelligence for growing franchisors (6,400+ subscribers, 34% open rate with 10% click rate).

### FRANCHISE UPDATE INTERNATIONAL REPORT

(ALTERNATING THURSDAYS)

\$900 per newsletter / minimum of 3

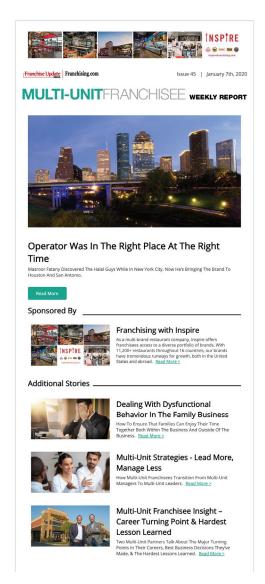
Keeping you up to date on franchising news and trends from across the world (5,200+ opt-in subscribers, 23% open rate with 8% click rate).

### FRANCHISING.COM EXPRESS

(WEEKLY - FRIDAYS)

\$500 per newsletter / minimum of 3

The most comprehensive newsletter for franchise prospects and franchisees (40,000+ subscribers, 11% open rate with 13% click rate).



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## **Print** - Magazines



### Franchise Update Media's Print -Relevant and Effective.

### **Laser-Focused Targeting**

Individual publications for each audience - Franchisors, Multi-Unit and Multi-Brand Franchisees.

#### A Trusted Source

For over 30 years, we have grown to be the #1 media resource in franchising.

#### **Controlled Circulation**

Ensures you are reaching only your desired audience.

### **Engagement**

Our Magazines inspire readers with relevant and meaningful content including peer-to-peer success profiles.

#### **Effective**

Frequency of your brand message to focused readers will drive recognition, interest and action.

















### **Print** - Magazines

### MULTI-UNIT FRANCHISEE MAGAZINE (OUARTERLY)

Targets the largest multi-unit and multi-brand franchise owners

Multi-Unit Franchisee Magazine is the only publication dedicated exclusively to multi-unit franchisees, today's successful drivers of franchise growth. Published quarterly, each issue features content vital to multi-unit and multi-brand growth and success.

### Multi-Unit Franchisee Buyer's Guide - Special annual issue

Showcase your brand in this exclusive guide that targets multi-unit, multi-brand franchisees evaluating new investment opportunities. The Multi-Unit Franchisee Buyer's Guide is the only publication that features full-page brand profiles.

• \$5,990 Full-Page Listing or \$8,990 2-Page Spread (Discounts available to Conference sponsors/exhibitors and Print advertisers. Call for details.)

### Multi-Unit Franchisee Magazine and Buyers Guide Distribution

• Each issue has print distribution to 17,000+ Multi-Unit Franchisees, plus digital distribution and reach.





Issue	Ad Close	Materials Due	Feature & Segments	Special Ad Section	Bonus Exposure
Q1	12/16/19	12/20/19	Mega 99 List: Ranking America's largest franchisees by number of units  Site Selection & Leases: The art of negotiating  Show Me the Money: Tips for looking your financial best and getting the capital you want	Finance & Real Estate	IFA, MUFC, FES, FEN
MUBG	2/18/20	2/24/20	Annual Multi-Unit Franchisee Buyer's Guide  Overview of Multi-Unit Franchising in the U.S.  How Successful Multi-Unit Franchisees Grow		MUFC, IFE
Q2	2/25/20	3/2/20	Multi-Brand 50 List: Ranking America's top multi-brand franchisees  Online Ordering, Take-Out & Delivery: Creating a program that maximizes sales and profits. (Cost to MUOs, how it's changing the business, 3rd party delivery vs. in-house)a		MUFC, IFE
Q3	6/8/20	6/12/20	Multi-Unit 50 List: Ranking America's top multi-unit brands  Innovative Technology: Martech, POS, HR, loyalty programs, mobile  Pay Pals: How to reward and compensate employees for the long haul  MVP Awards: Interviews with this year's Most Valuable Performer winners  Multi-Unit Franchising Conference: Highlights from franchising's first and best event for multi-unit franchisees	Workforce/ HR Services	MUFC, FEW, IFE, FEN
Q4	9/18/20	9/21/20	Dominators List: Ranking franchising's largest multi-unit operators by state and by region  When the Time Is Right: Making the most of units when you sell  Cost to Sales: Ways to lower marketing costs without affecting sales and foot traffic		

### **Print** - Magazines

### FRANCHISE UPDATE MAGAZINE (QUARTERLY)

### A magazine exclusively for franchisor executives

Published quarterly, each issue provides real-life inspiration, in-depth interviews and content on the most vital issues surrounding franchise growth and success.

### **Special Ad Sections**

Each issue features a mini guide to give Franchisors a deeper look into specific products and services shaping the future of franchising. Quarterly guides will feature full-page brand profiles and display ads.

- · Q1: Advertising, Marketing, Public Relation's Guide
- · Q3: Smart Technology Guide
- · Q4: Franchise Recruitment and Development Guide

### Franchise Update Magazine Distribution

• Each issue has print distribution to 10,000 Franchisor Brand Executives, plus digital distribution and reach.





Issue	Ad Close	Materials Due	Feature & Segments	Special Ad Section	Bonus Exposure
Q1	1/17/20	1/24/20	Consumer Marketing: How leading brands connect with today's consumers  KPIs, Lead Attribution, & Analytics: The latest development in marketing metrics  Female Franchise Leaders – Interviews with women in the C-suite  Lists & Stats: Historical data on the changing roles of women in the C-suite	Advertising, Marketing, Public Relations Guide	
Q2	4/20/20	4/27/20	New COVID-19 Digital Edition  Resources and news to navigate through the coronavirus business situation Franchise leaders tips and advice for your business		
Q3	7/6/20	7/10/20	Innovation in Franchising, Finance & Real Estate  Franchising's most innovative brand awards - our annual recognition for brands leading the way in innovation  Real Estate: Site selection, A-site availability, encroachment and updates on market forces affecting real estate  Finance: How to help poor-performing franchisees	Smart Technology Guide	IFE, FEH, FEN, Franchise Leadership & Growth Conference
Q4	10/26/20	11/2/20	Leadership & Development: Our annual focus on franchise recruitment practices, from lead generation to closing the deal  Annual Franchise Development Report (AFDR): Facts and figures from franchising's most comprehensive sales and lead generation survey (budgets, closing ratios, digital, etc.)  Annual Franchise Marketing Report (AFMR): Facts and figures from the marketing side of franchising  Franchise Leadership & Growth - Conference: Highlights from the inagural event for franchise marketing, sales and development professionals.  Franchise Marketing Leadership Awards Finalists & Grand Winner  STAR Awards: Brands with the best franchisee recruitment processes, practices, and responsiveness  Mystery Shopper Survey: Best practices for recruitment websites, website response, and phone response	Franchise Recruitment & Development Guide	

### 2020 Rates & Specs

### **MULTI-UNIT FRANCHISEE MAGAZINE**

Frequency	1x	2x	3x	4x
Sponsored Content Combo	\$6,690	\$6,590	\$6,490	\$6,390
Back Cover	\$6,490	\$6,290	\$6,090	\$5,890
Inside Front Cover	\$6,290	\$6,090	\$5,890	\$5,690
FTOC or Editor's Note	\$5,790	\$5,590	\$5,490	\$5,390
Full Page	\$5,290	\$5,190	\$5,090	\$4,990
1/2 Page	\$3,490	\$3,390	\$3,290	\$3,190
1/4 Page	\$2,590	\$2,490	\$2,390	\$2,290

### FRANCHISE UPDATE MAGAZINE

Frequency	1x	2x	3x	4x
Sponsored Content Combo	\$3,990	\$3,890	\$3,790	\$3,690
Back Cover	\$3,390	\$3,290	\$3,190	\$3,090
Inside Front Cover	\$2,990	\$2,890	\$2,790	\$2,690
FTOC or Editor's Note	\$2,990	\$2,890	\$2,790	\$2,690
Full Page	\$2,390	\$2,290	\$2,190	\$2,090
1/2 Page	\$1,990	\$1,890	\$1,790	\$1,690
1/4 Page	\$1,490	\$1,390	\$1,290	\$1,190

#### **READY TO PLACE AN AD?**

Call: 800-289-4232 ext. 202

or email: sales@franchiseupdatemedia.com

#### HIGH-IMPACT COVER CARD

Call for more details and pricing.

#### **CUSTOM 8" x 8" INSERT CARD**

Advertiser-provided artwork for full-bleed, twosided, 100# cover weight insert. Call for additional specs and magazine bind-in position details.

#### POLYBAG PROGRAM AVAILABLE

Call for more details and pricing.

### **Ad Submission Requirements**

- Press Ready (Non-compressed, 300 dpi or higher) PDF or PDFx1A in CMYK color profile mode, any/ all transparency effects flattened.
- Word, Publisher or PageMaker files not accepted.
- Franchise Update Media does not accept responsibility for color shifting when converting RGB color modes to CMYK.
- Gutter safety for spreads: Allow 1/4" on each side of gutter, 1/2" total gutter safety.
- For ad spread, please provide as single pages and supply 1/16" duplicated image on both sides of the centerline.
- Safety: Keep all LIVE matter, not intended to trim, 1/4" from TRIM edges.

### **Ad Sizes**

Trim Size	8.375" x 10.875"		
Full Page (with bleed)	8.875" x 11.375"		
1/2 Page	7.375" x 4.625"		
1/4 Page	3.5" x 4.625"		

<sup>\*</sup>Files smaller than 6 MB may be emailed to: production@franchiseupdatemedia.com For larger file submissions, please send via link.

### **Reach** - Your Targeted Audience

### Multi-Unit & Multi-Brand Franchisees

- Annual Multi-Unit Franchising Conference (MUFC)
- Annual European Multi-Unit Franchising Conference (EMUFC)
- Franchising.com
- BrandBOOST Sponsored Content
- · Multi-Unit Franchisee Report Newsletter
- Franchise Update International Report Newsletter
- Custom eBlasts
- Multi-Unit Franchisee Magazine
- Multi-Unit Franchisee Buyer's Guide



### **Franchisors**

- Annual Franchise Marketing Leadership Conference (FMLC)
- Annual Franchise Leadership & Development Conference (FLDC)
- Franchising.com Resources
- Brand*BOOST* Sponsored Content
- Franchise Update Sales Report Newsletter
- Franchise Marketing Leadership Report Newsletter
- Franchise Update International Report Newsletter
- Custom eBlasts
- Franchise Update Magazine



### **Franchise Prospects**

- · Franchising.com
- Franchising.com BrandBOOST Sponsored Content
- Franchising.com Express Newsletter
- Franchise Update International Report Newsletter
- Custom eBlasts



# Conferences. Digital. Print.

