## MAXIMIZING YOUR CONVENTION EXPERIENCE:



**BEFORE - DURING - AFTER** 



## Maximizing Your International Convention Experience:

By following this comprehensive guide, meticulously designed to optimize your experience at this year's highly anticipated PlanNet Marketing business convention, you will undoubtedly be well-prepared to extract every ounce of value from this extraordinary event. Picture it as not just a conventional gathering, but rather a global family reunion, where you'll forge authentic and lasting connections with diverse attendees hailing from all corners of the world.



Before:
<b>Preparation:</b> Approach the convention with a spirit of expectation. Identify what you want to achieve and come prepared with questions to seek answers during the event.
<b>Mental Preparation:</b> Get excited and have high expectations. Understand that it's a business convention, so maintain a professional attitude.
<b>Dress Code:</b> Dress business or business casual. Dress comfortably as it will be a long weekend with plenty of walking.
<b>Pack Accordingly:</b> Lay out your clothes, bring comfortable shoes (especially for ladies), and consider packing a light jacket, sweater, or scarf in case you get cold.
<b>Finish Strong:</b> Make sure you've worked towards your goals leading up to the convention. Focus on helping your team members achieve their goals too.
<b>Review the Schedule:</b> Discuss the class schedule with your success coach to determine which trainings you should attend. Prepare Questions: Think about what you want to ask certain leaders when you meet them.
<b>Bring Business Essentials:</b> Don't forget your PlanNet Marketing business cards. Bring a journal and pens to take notes. Bring a camera and a portable phone charger to take pictures and videos.
<b>Coordinate with Teammates:</b> Contact your teammates who are attending the convention and plan to meet up with them.
<b>Stay Organized:</b> Bring a calendar to record important events for the coming year.

During:
<b>Register Early</b> : Head to the registration table and register for the convention, and also map out the classes you plan to attend. Plan Your Weekend: Make it a working weekend by attending all the events and classes you qualify for.
<b>Network and Be Present:</b> Bring your business cards and be intentional about networking with others.
<b>Plan Meals:</b> Familiarize yourself with the locations and hours of various restaurants to ensure you don't miss any meals. Bring small snacks to hold you over.
<b>Arrive Early:</b> Get to sessions and classes early to secure good seating, as some may fill up quickly.
<b>Stay Focused:</b> Avoid distractions and stay present during the convention. Don't get sidetracked by unrelated side sessions.
<b>Stay Connected:</b> Communicate and meet up with your team members regularly during the convention. Take advantage of meeting team members you do not know. Network with others you aren't familiar with.
<b>Take Notes:</b> Review information from classes and share notes with your team.
<b>Prepare Questions:</b> Have thoughtful questions ready for top leadership to learn from their experiences.
<b>Meet with Success Coach:</b> Have strategy sessions with your team and set aggressive goals for what you'll achieve after the convention.
<b>Capture Moments:</b> Take lots of pictures and reels and be intentional with your social media posting. Bring backup charger/batteries for cameras and cellphones.
<b>Be Prepared for Opportunities:</b> Keep some extra cash on hand to take advantage of early bird ticket sales for the next convention.

After:
<b>Plan and Review:</b> Use the information from the conference to strategize for the future.
<b>Set Goals:</b> Plan your work and set aggressive goals for your post-convention actions.
<b>Schedule Events:</b> Organize travel parties, exposures, presentations, and attend events to expand your network.
<b>Review and Implement:</b> Review your notes, actions, and activity from the convention, and put the lessons into practice.
<b>Update Your Prospect List:</b> Redo your list of prospects to include new contacts made during the convention.
<b>Review Your Calendar:</b> Make sure you have a clear plan for the coming year. Commitment to Consistency: Recommit yourself to being consistent in your efforts.
<b>Build from Event to Event:</b> Use the convention as a stepping stone for your growth and development.
<b>Share Your Experience with Your Team:</b> Share what you learned and took away from the weekend.
<b>Post your Pictures and Videos:</b> Share your content on Whova, Facebook, Instagram, Tik-Tok, and other platforms you use.

