

# Who We Are

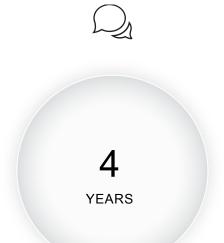


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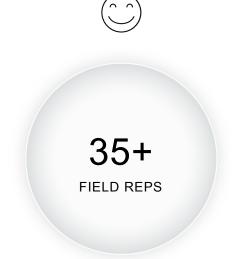


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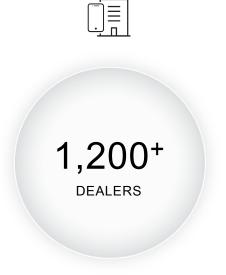
# We've Learned By Living It



3+ years of learning and adjusting based on dealer partner feedback.



We're in dealerships every day & we see it all - the good, the bad & the ugly.



It takes more than our technology to be successful.

With 1,200+ dealers we've certainly learned a ton...

# Flight Plan

- What type of digital retailing are you ready for?
- The Importance of Omnichannel
- Current Inefficiencies
- The Power of Having a Champion
- Implementation Best Practices
- () Q&A

# What Type of Digital Retailing Are YOU Ready for?

# Digital Retailing Flavors





Payments and Product info selected online, pushed into CRM.



#### **Deal Sharing**

Payments and Product info pushed digitally to customers

& finalized online.



#### **Omni-Channel**

Digital Commerce.

All deals presented & finalized digitally whether online, instore, or on mobile.

# Implementation Levels

#### ONLINE UTILIZATION

Online Car Shopping

Offer shoppers an online car-buying experience, including opportunities to capture leads

Lead Engagement

Use Digital Retailing as way to engage with all prospects (third party leads, phone-ups, etc.)

#### SALES STRATEGY DEVELOPMENT

LEVEL 4

LEVEL 3

Sales Tool

Staff using some Digital Retailing capabilities on floor (e.g. inventory search)

Full Sales Floor Adoption

Staff use Digital Retailing platform as an omnichannel experience

Advocate

Omnichannel usage + feedback loop between Dealer and Digital Retailing provider

Enhanced lead quality

 Increased customer engagement, satisfaction, & product penetration

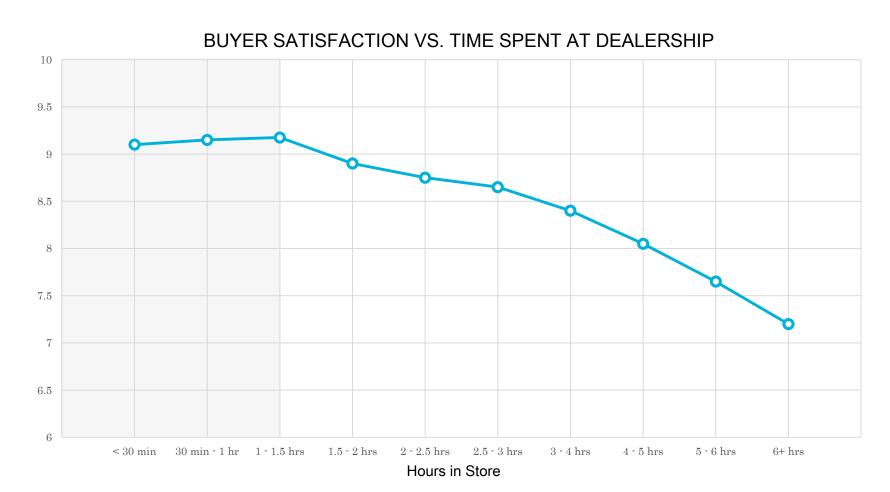
#### EXPECTED RESULTS

Increased showroom efficiency

- Optimized showroom process
- Happy dealer. Happy customer.

# The Importance of Omnichannel

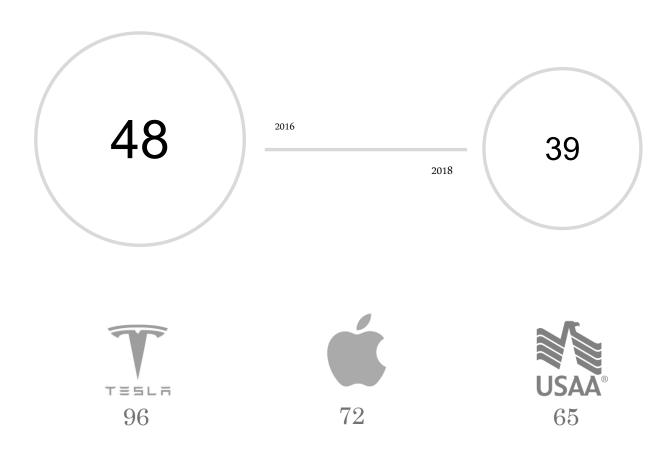
# Time: The Most Valuable Currency



All the while, consumer expectations are shifting as well:

Fast Delivery	Consistency from Online to In-store	Big Ticket Purchases Initiated Online
Groceries Home Products Food	Local Store Delivery & Try Before You Buy	From Matchsticks to Mortgages
amazon	WARBY PARKER	venmo
Blue Apron	BUY	ROCKET MORTGAGE by Quicken Loans
GRUBHUB Uber Eats	Zappos	<b>É</b> Pay

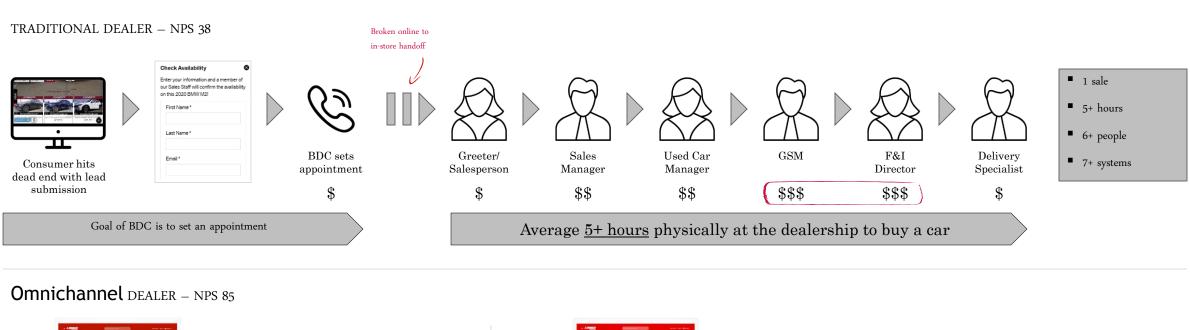
# Dealership NPS is Declining



Net Promoter Score = % Promoters - % Detractors

# The Market is Ripe for Change

Customers are fed up with the legacy model – Omnichannel Commerce provides a better, faster, and more efficient process





Omnichannel – Complete transaction 100% at home



One person selling in-store via shared iPad/kiosk/desktop

OR



Empowered Salesperson



Sales Manager



1-2 people

1 system

Omnichannel – 1-hour Express Buying in-store

# Transforming the Car Buying Process

Dealers see results across retail KPIs, while customers love buying with Roadster

#### **ENGAGEMENT**



- A modern, easy-to-use customer experience that consumers have come to expect
- A richer shopping experience that empowers customers and guides to a sale
- A consistent experience between online and in-store
- Merchandises Service & Protection plans, traditionally sold post-sale

#### **EFFICIENCY**



- ullet Backend reporting and visibility moves the sales process from analog to digital
- Sell cars—literally—while salespeople sleep
- Workflow reduces the number of people who touch a deal reducing time and cost
- Modern software handles the complexity, allowing dealers to hire outside of auto, expanding the talent pool, and increasing employee retention

#### **CUSTOMER SATISFACTION**



- Allows customers to shop on their own time, not when dealer schedules an appointment
- Provides order-ahead capability that customers expect
- Time-savings and transparency demonstrably increases CSI scores
- Happier customers have a viral effect

Time on site >2× with Express Store

Best salespeople: 30+ cars/month

+85 NPS vs. +39 industry average

# Measuring Success (KPIs)

- () Improve CSI
- Less time to sell
- Agent engagement
- Reduced operating cost
- Employee retention
- Volume of cars sold
- Higher PVR

# Current Inefficiencies Within The Dealership

Discussion



### Where the Time Goes





#### SALES PROCESS

The factors affecting the length of the vehicle sales process can be broken down into three primary categories: People, Process, and Technology.





#### TRADE VALUATION

Trade-in pricing negotiations caused re-work and process step repetition. Negotiation took an average of 16 minutes and a maximum of 39 minutes.





#### F&I

Educating the customer and allowing them to reach a decision during the aftermarket pitch took an avg of 28 minutes, making it the longest step in the F&I process.

### It's About Time

During the Sale, Agents Leave Consumers Every 20 Minutes.\*



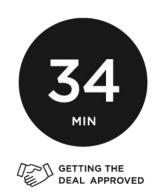
OR IN F&I OFFICE

What are agents doing when they're away from the customer?



COMPLETING THE

CREDIT APP





Consumers left alone three or more times reported a drop in satisfaction of 30%.





1 Time Left Alone

4-5 Times Left Alone











# Time is Money \$\$



Hours Wasted Per Transaction



Per Year

\*based on 135 cars per month, paying \$19 per hour per NADA 2018 Dealership Workforce Study

Roadster Time Study, December 2018







# 5 Reasons You Need a Champion

1 Establish objectives & KPIs

2 Ensure complete team buy-in & utilization (starts at the top)

3 Oversee digital retailing deployment

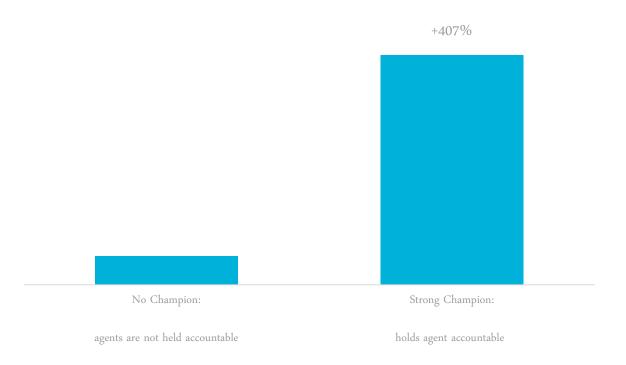
4 Create scalable & repeatable process

Train & monitor your team, make adjustments for success

Remember: you don't know what you don't know...

# Stores with Champions See 4X Performance

# IMPACT OF HAVING A STRONG DIGITAL RETAILING CHAMPION ON PROCESS



# STORES WITH STRONG CHAMPIONS REQUIRE PROCESS ADHERENCE:

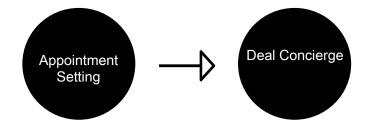
- Showroom Agent utilization
- BDC/Internet utilization
- Strong follow up
- Use technology for in-store presentations
- Share details with be backs
- PERFORMANCE IS GREATER WHEN THERE IS A CHAMPION AT THE MANAGER LEVEL

Source: 250 US Dealerships combining survey data with actual Digital Retailing Measurements, 90 days ending March 20th 2019

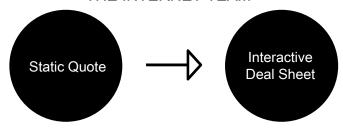
Re-Imagining Roles

# Empower Your Team To Do More

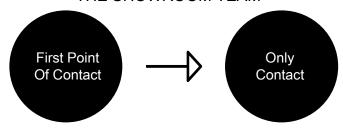
### BUSINESS DEVELOPMENT CENTER



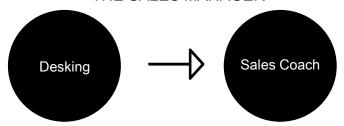
#### THE INTERNET TEAM



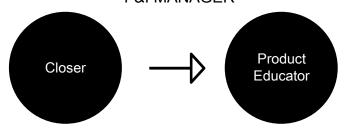
#### THE SHOWROOM TEAM



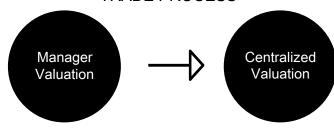
#### THE SALES MANAGER



#### F&I MANAGER



#### TRADE PROCESS



# Aligning Compensation To Objectives

Focusing on efficiency & customer experience?





Bonus on CSI

Want to attract millennials?





Move to salary based approach

Looking to have your sales agents introduce F&I?





Add a Spiff

# Implementation

Best Practices

# Best Practices: Online

- Limit the # of CTAs on the SRP/VDP
- Be transparent and consistent with your pricing online & in-store
- () Incorporate your ability to start online into your marketing message
- Send links proactively to 3<sup>rd</sup> party leads

# **Best Performing CTAs**

#### **Unlock Price**

#### Alternative CTAs:

- Unlock Savings
- See Our Best Price\*
- See Up-front Price
- Instant Pricing
- Get Instant Price

#### **See Payment Options**

#### Alternative CTAs:

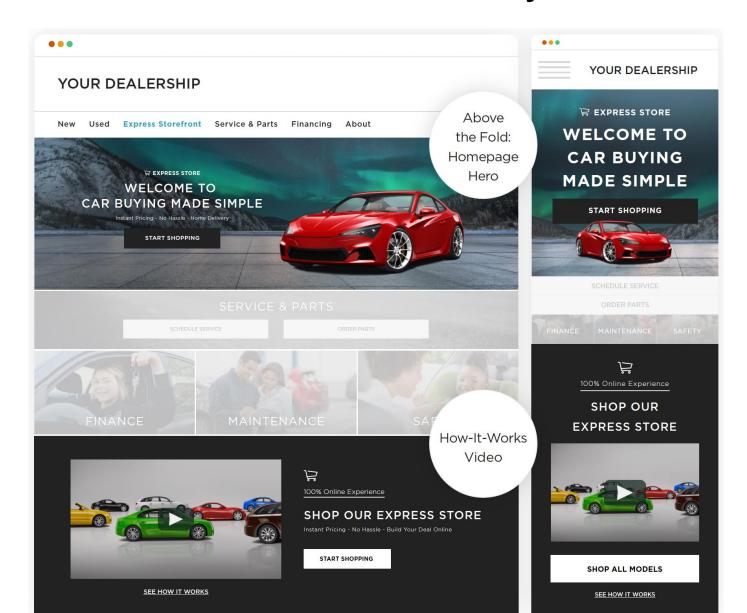
- Build Your Deal
- Personalize Your Payment
- Customize Payment
- Calculate Payment
- Purchase Options
- Finance & Lease Rates

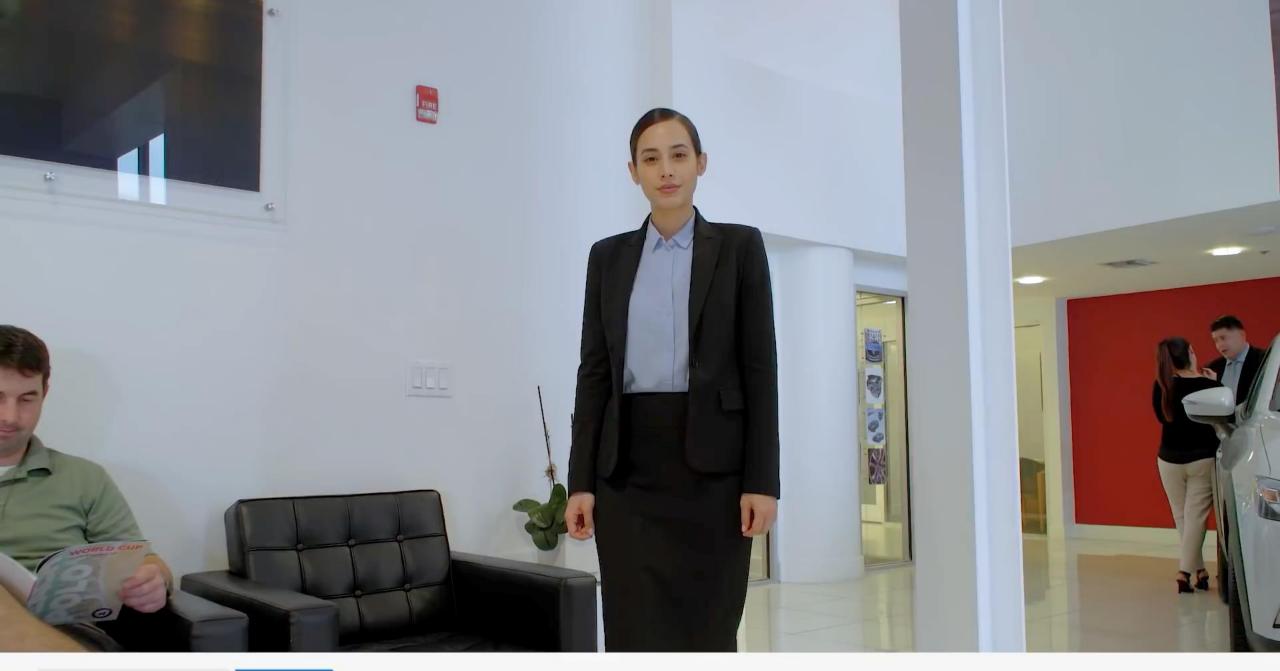
#### **Request Information**

#### Alternative CTAs:

- Ask a Question
- Schedule Test Drive
- Value Trade-In (VDP only)
- Vehicle Details (SRP only)

# Promotion is Key





BrickellHonda.com



# Summary

- Set objectives & KPIs before launching a Digital Retailing Solution
- Map out your ideal sales process based on objectives. There are many different implementation types, make sure you pick a vendor that can deliver on your goals.
- Identify a champion to lead the effort, it is the #1 predictor of success
- Ensure you have buy-in across your entire team through new roles and responsibilities
- Figure out your go to market plan what makes you different and how will you promote that across every customer experience?
- Evaluate roles, skills and compensation structure do you have the right people for the job?

# Demo (if time)

Q&A

## Thank you.

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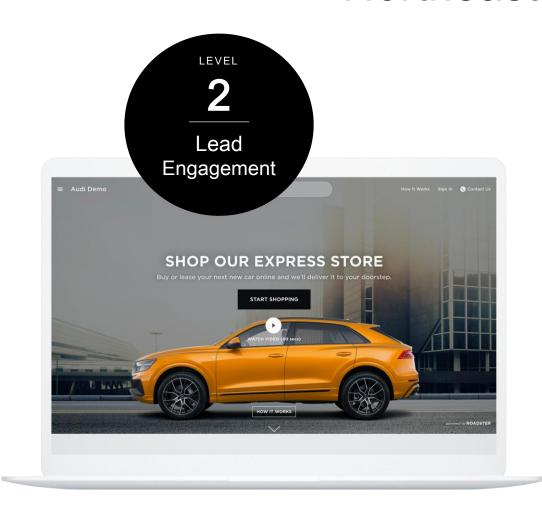
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# Northeast Dealer Group Used Car Marketplace



- Pre-owned Vehicles and Online Only
- Aggregated inventory from 10+ stores
- Gross on digital retailing sales are \$2,900 vs \$1900 traditional sales

### Northeast Audi Dealer



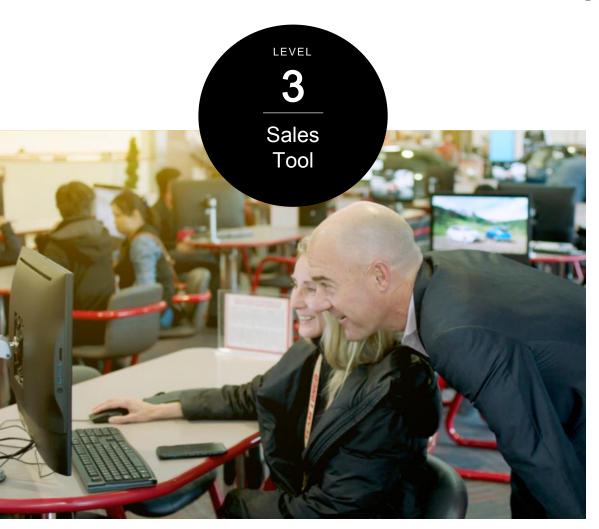
- New point for group, opened in May 2019
- One team, no separate BDC or Internet group
- Use Express Store to follow up with all 3<sup>rd</sup> party leads who haven't responded
- Level 2 with the goal of level 4
- Results:
  - Bounce rate decreased
  - Time on site increased
  - Lead volume up 310% Y/Y
  - 33% Y/Y increase in sales

# Galpin Ford



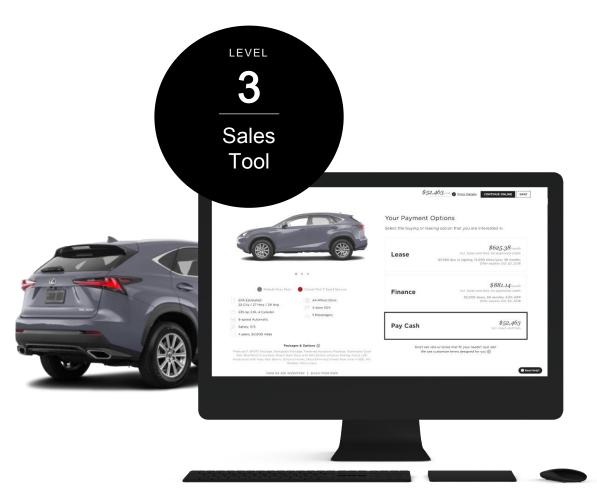
- ) #1 Ford store in the U.S. for 29 years
- Moving to a centralized BDC across group
- Use Express Store to follow up with all 3<sup>rd</sup> party leads who haven't responded
- Level 2 with the goal of launching a group marketplace and used car marketplace in Q1
- Results:
  - Internet close rate up from 11% to 13%
  - 16% lead conversion vs. 2% industry avg
  - 8+ minutes on site; < 30% bounce

# Longo Toyota



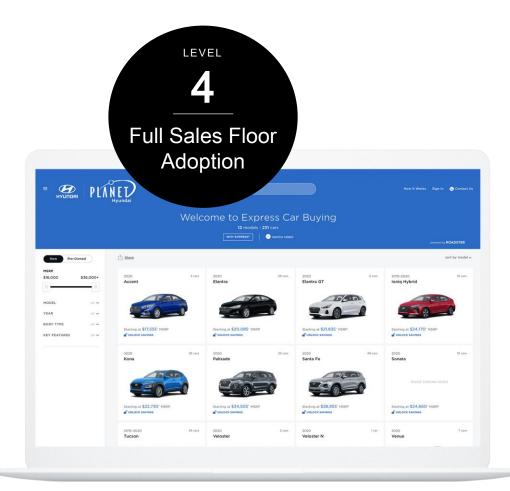
- ) #1 Toyota Store in the world
- Heavy focus on sales process efficiency
- Uses Express Store with every customer to pencil first deal
- Lot's of after hour activity, Internet team calls online orders "gifts"
- Results:
  - 300% more online engagement
  - 15% of online visitors build deals
  - 2x closing rate

# Lexus of Lehigh Valley



- First store to be Lexus Plus certified
- One price, one-person sales process
- Had tried other DR tools, realized he needed to connect online with in-store
- Uses Express Store on iPads and 55" screens
  For needs assessment and presentations
- Results:
  - 85% of calls reference website
  - 3x close rate of traditional dealers
  - 52% increase in sales

# Planet Hyundai



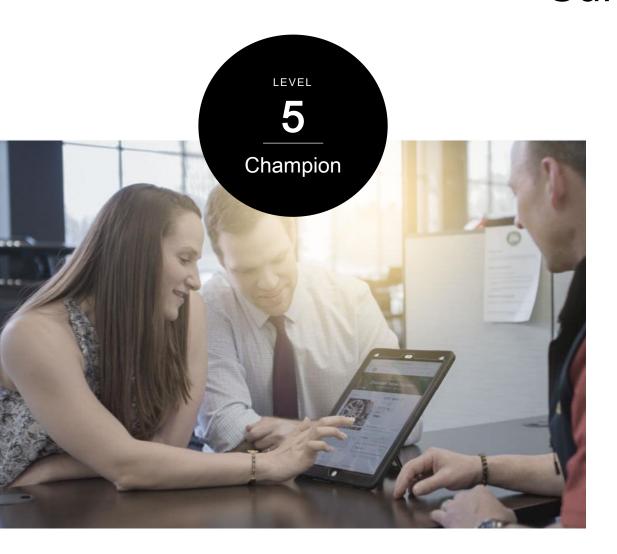
- One price, one-person sales process
- Wanted a tool to give more autonomy to staff
- Salespeople use Roadster on iPads with every customer, empowered to adjust numbers as needed
- Sales managers are coaching on the showroom vs desking deals
- Results:
  - Reduced write ups/transaction time
  - Selling more in less time
  - So efficient, causing backup in F&I
  - NPS score +85

### Audi Omaha



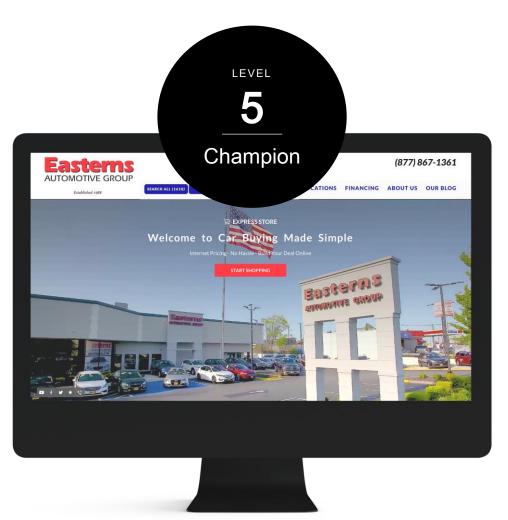
- First beta partner as part of the Audi Partner program. 2018 Magna Elite award winner.
- Wanted to be on the front line of change. Hates the back and forth behind the scenes.
- Salespeople check-in customers in Roadster, walk them through inventory, let them play with numbers & plant the F&I seed.
- Took a while to get veteran team on board, but results convinced them to embrace it
- Results:
  - Increased customer satisfaction
  - Backend gross up by \$173 and front end up by \$984 YoY

### Sun Auto



- AKA the Used Car King, dealerships in Syracuse, NY looks like a modern new car franchise
- December 2018 went 1-price, one person removed the entire F&I office, and hired "customer service advisors" on salary vs commission.
- Salespeople use Express Store with every customer in the showroom, either on tablets or 60" touch television screens throughout.
- Results:
  - Better reviews
  - \$400k+ in cost savings
  - Maintained F&I

# **Easterns Automotive Group**



- One of the top 50 independents in the U.S.
- Wanted to expand beyond subprime customer base
- Centralized BDC, encourages customers to do most, if not all, of the process online, including F&I treats store like delivery center
- Heavily uses the backend tool to see what customers did online & takes action
- Results:
  - +60% increase in sales; best salespeople 30+cars/month
  - Reduced transaction time by 60 minutes
  - F&I Penetration up to 68% from 30%
  - +83 NPS score vs. +39 industry average