INFLUENCER CAMPAIGN GUIDE GERMANY ECOHERO



Executive summary

This is a guide for ecohero to apply influencer marketing in their social media strategy. The company has no experience with this until now and therefore asked to create a manual for this. This manual is made with the information from the research justification and follows the recommendation to apply this as soon as people can order from the website.

This report contains information about what the goals of influencer marketing are, and which influencers are suitable for the German market. In addition, an appropriate way to approach the influencers. It shows which products are available and with which influencer what product fits. Finally, this report contains a number of examples to give you an idea of what the influencer campaign might look like.

This is a suitable option for ecohero because it fits with the kind of company they are and with their ambitions to inspire more people to choose for sustainable alternatives. Influencer marketing will help increase brand awareness and performance because more people will hear about ecohero. After presenting the professional product to the management team of ecohero they decided to allocate a part of the budget specifically to influencer marketing, this was approved by the main investor. Influencers offer an opportunity to present the product to the target group and introduce ecohero to the German market. A risk is namely that the target group cannot find ecohero, influencer marketing helps to reduce this risk.

This was suggested to the management of ecohero and received the following feedback The management van ecohero and the investors expect a good return on investment, when choosing the right influencers this will be possible. The incompany supervisor agreed that this would be an accaptable solution

This solution would be feasible because ecohero already has the needed budget and manpower to perform this. Although it will take some practice and experience to learn which influencer work best and what is the best strategy for ecohero. This solution can be integrated as soon as the website and Instagram shop is ready.

In the best scenario, the influencer campaign improves performance on social media. This includes more engagement, more followers and a wider reach. In the best scenario, this increases the number of sales and ecohero gains more brand awareness in Germany. The costs incurred by this way of marketing are recovered and per influencer a profit is made. In the worst scenario, the influencers do not succeed in inspiring their followers to make a purchase or the chosen influencers do not want to promote the products for free. In that case, the strategy will have to be adjusted.

1 Goals of the influencer campaign

Before the plan can be set out, it must be clear what goals ecohero wants to achieve with this campaign. Below are the 4 main goals, once these have been achieved the campaign can be considered a success.

1. Increase brand awareness

Firstly the goal of the influencer campaign is to is to create more brand awareness in the new market (Germany). The influencer has a to be able to reach the target group and let them know about the brand. By increasing brand awareness

2. Increase the amount of followers by 20%

Currently ecohero has quite a lot of followers. However, the problem is that these followers are not real people who are interested in the company and do not result in engagement etc. The influencer will campaign will have to result in new followers who are actually interested in ecohero. These followers will increase engagement on the social media account.

3. Increase the amount of people reached by 40%

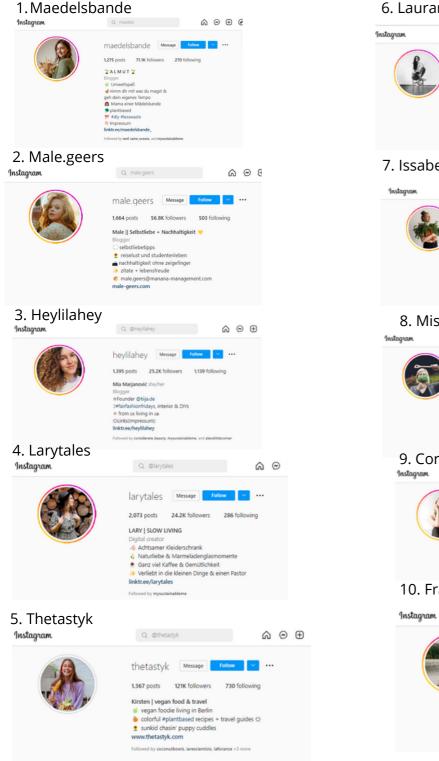
Influencers promoting the brand will generate traffic to the Instagram page. This will help to increase the total amount of people that are being reached by social media. It is important to reach as many people from the target group as possible because they might be a potentional customers for ecohero.

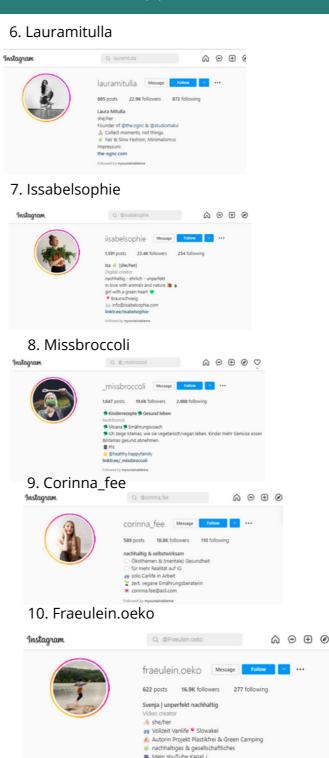
4. Generate sales from each influencer

The main goal of using influencer marketing is to generate more sales, these sales can both be online or offline. The influencer must try to inspire the target audience to become a valuable customer of ecohero.

2. List of influencer by priority

According to the strategy that has been described in the new social media strategy have these influencers been found. They are listed based on their priority, the criteria for this were the amount of followers, engagement on their account and how much their content was in line with ecohero's brand image. Since the influencer won't receive compensation in the form of money not everyone might be interested to participate in the campaign. For that reason, we will start by approaching the 10 most relevant influencers. The rest will be as back-up, find the whole list in the appendix.





3. How to approach the influencer

The first impression is of great importance therefore it is important to send out a good message to the chosen influencers. Depending on the influencer, they will be contacted via email (if indicated on their account) or via direct message. Depending on the kind of reaction we receive can further communication takes place. But this will be the standard message to send out



ecohero marketing team

Hi (name)

How are you? We came across your account and think you are the right match for our first German influencer campaign. We are looking for influencers who inspire their followers to take better care of the earth in a positive way.

Who are we?

But first, let us introduce ourselves. My name is (name) and I am mailing you on behalf of the marketing team of ecohero. We are a company that sells sustainable alternatives to products you use every day. All our products are made with people and planet in mind. Our mission is to inspire as many people as possible to become an ecohero by taking better care of the earth.

What do we offer you?

We want to gift you with X to choose any product from our website that you think will appeal to your followers and fit your account. We think X product would suit you, but feel free to choose another.

What do we ask in return?

Our mission is to inspire as many people as possible to make more sustainable choices in their lives, so we hope you can help us do that.

1x IG post with the tag @ecohero & #ecohero
1x storypost with the link to our website (here website link)

Feel free to contact us if you have any questions.

We hope to hear from you soon!

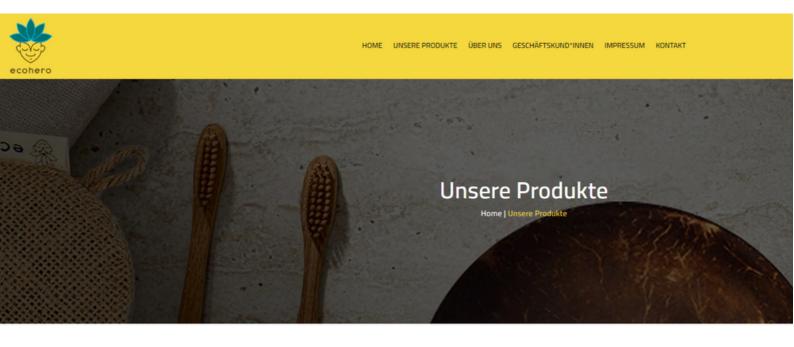
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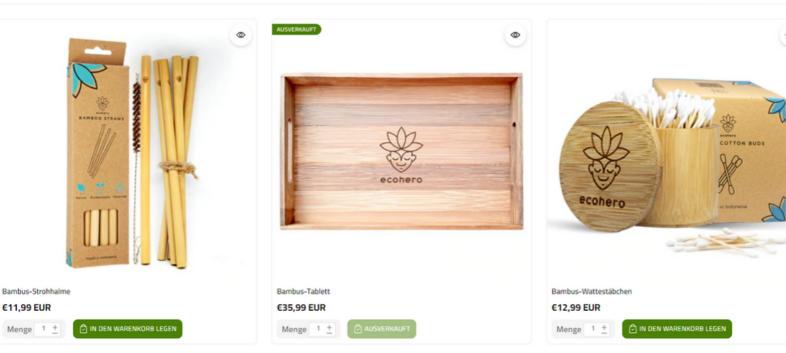
4. Catalogue

The chosen influencers can choose from different products from the website. These are the products available through the site and eventually in supermarkets.



Produkte

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Sortieren nach: Alphabetisch, A-Z

9 Produkte

4. Catalogue







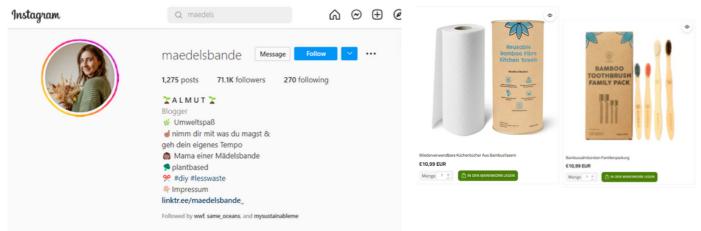




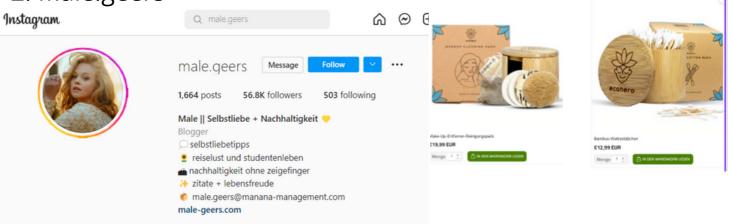


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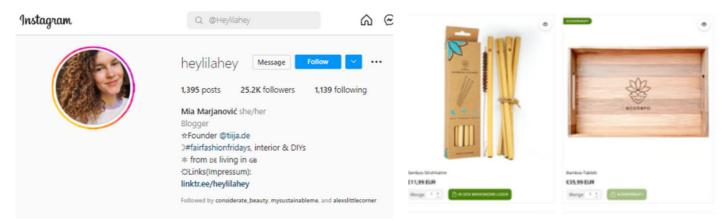
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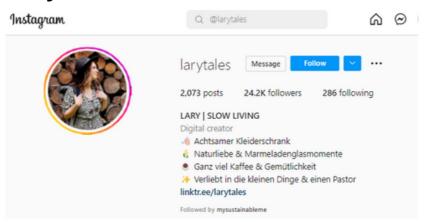
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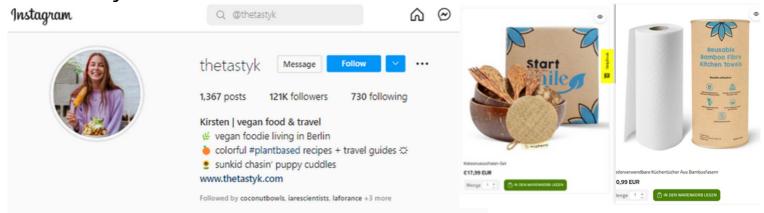
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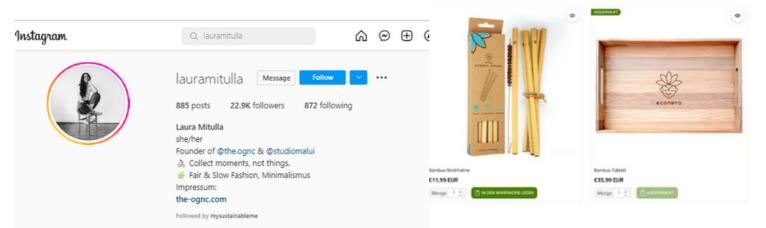


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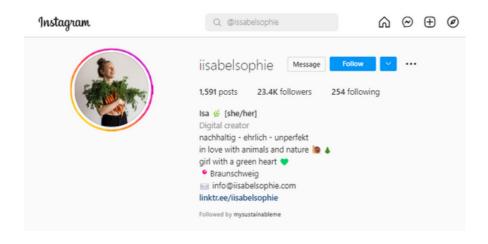
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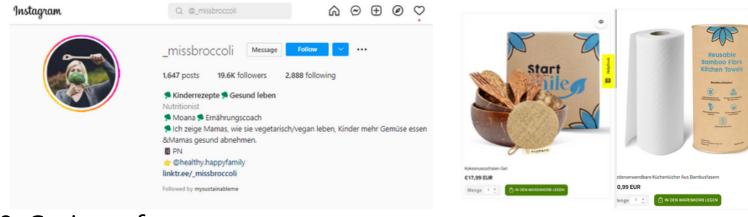
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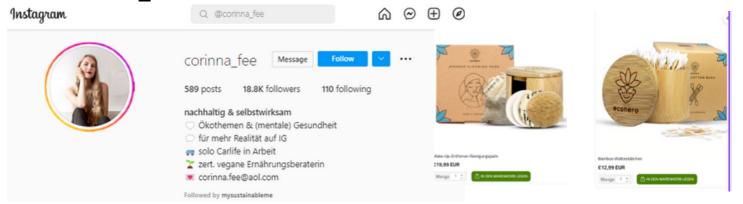


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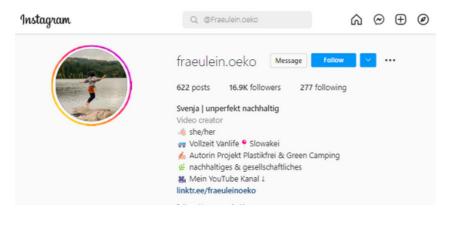
8. Missbroccoli



9. Corinna_fee



10. Fraeulein.oeko





6. Examples of content

To give an idea what kind of content the Influencer could create a few examples have been shared below. This can be used if the influencer asked for more guidelines about what we are expecting from them.

1. Tutorial

People love to go on social media to get inspired and learn new things. One of the content that results in the most engagement are tutorials. The products of ecohero are suitable to create tutorials about.

Picture 6.1: Tutorial example

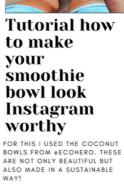


2. Unboxing

The PR package should be a real present. With the unboxing the influencer involves the viewer into the experience of opening the product and showing their first impression.

Picture 6.2: Unboxing example







2. Explain

The influencer can also explain something about the product or about ecohero itself. Showing the viewer more insights behind the product/company

Picture 6.2: Explain example

