

Business Recommendations Integration - Complete

Overview

Business Recommendations have been successfully integrated into the archetype assessment system. These personalized recommendations are:

- **Automatically generated** based on the user's dominant archetype
- **Sent to MailerLite** as a custom field
- **Displayed in Email 2 and Email 3** (not on the website results page)
- **Tailored to each of the 12 archetypes**

Files Created/Modified

1. js/business-recommendations.js (NEW)

Purpose: Contains all business recommendations for the 12 archetypes.

Key Components:

- `businessRecommendations` object with recommendations for all 12 archetypes
- Each recommendation includes:
- **Recommendation intro:** Context-setting statement
- **Strategies:** 4 specific business strategies
- **Focus:** Key insight for long-term success

Functions:

- `getBusinessRecommendation(archetypeName)` - Returns recommendation object
- `formatBusinessRecommendationText(archetypeName)` - Formats as plain text for MailerLite
- `formatBusinessRecommendationHTML(archetypeName)` - Formats as HTML (for future use)

Example Recommendation Structure:

```
"The Sage": {
  recommendation: "As a Sage, your business should leverage your analytical mind...",
  strategies: [
    "Consulting & Advisory Services",
    "Educational Content Creation",
    "Research & Analysis",
    "Knowledge Platforms"
  ],
  focus: "Your competitive advantage lies in depth over speed..."
}
```

2. js/app.js (MODIFIED)

Changes:

- Updated `sendToMailerLite()` function to generate business recommendation

- Calls `formatBusinessRecommendationText(archetype)` to get recommendation
- Sends `businessRecommendation` as part of the data payload to MailerLite API

Code Addition:

```
// Get business recommendation for dominant archetype
const businessRec = formatBusinessRecommendationText(this.results[0].name);

const data = {
  email: this.userInfo.email,
  name: this.userInfo.name,
  archetype: this.results[0].name,
  archetypePercentage: this.results[0].percentage,
  top3Results: top3,
  businessRecommendation: businessRec // NEW
};
```

3. index.html (MODIFIED)

Changes:

- Added `<script src="js/business-recommendations.js"></script>` before `app.js`

Script Load Order:

```
<script src="js/questions.js"></script>
<script src="js/archetypen.js"></script>
<script src="js/business-recommendations.js"></script> <!-- NEW -->
<script src="js/app.js"></script>
```

4. api/mailerlite.js (MODIFIED)

Changes:

1. Added new field to REQUIRED_FIELDS:

```
{ key: 'business_recommendation', name: 'Business Recommendation', type: 'text' }
```

2. Updated request data extraction:

```
const { email, name, archetype, archetypePercentage, top3Results, businessRecommendation } = req.body;
```

3. Updated subscriberData:

```
fields: {
  // ... other fields
  business_recommendation: businessRecommendation || ''
}
```

4. Added logging:

```
console.log('💼 Business Recommendation:', businessRecommendation ? 'Included' : 'Not provided');
```

5. mailerlite_templates/email2_archetype_guidance.html (MODIFIED)

Changes:

- Added Business Recommendation section after “Your Next Steps”
- Placed before “The Shadow Work Connection”

HTML Addition:

```
<!-- Business Recommendation Section -->
<div style="background: #2a2d33; padding: 25px; border-radius: 8px; margin: 30px 0; border-left: 4px solid #1A9A9A;">
    <h3 style="color: #1A9A9A; margin-top: 0; font-family: 'Roboto Condensed', sans-serif;">💼 Business Recommendations for {$archetype}</h3>
    <div style="color: #e0e0e0; line-height: 1.7; white-space: pre-line;">
        {$business_recommendation}
    </div>
</div>
```

Uses MailerLite variable: {\$business_recommendation}

6. mailerlite_templates/email3_business_sovereignty.html (MODIFIED)

Changes:

- Added Business Recommendation section before “Personalized Strategies”

HTML Addition:

```
<!-- Business Recommendation Section -->
<div style="background: #2a2d33; padding: 25px; border-radius: 8px; margin: 30px 0; border-left: 4px solid #1A9A9A;">
    <h3 style="color: #1A9A9A; margin-top: 0; font-family: 'Roboto Condensed', sans-serif;">💼 Strategic Business Recommendations</h3>
    <p style="color: #e0e0e0; line-height: 1.7; margin-bottom: 15px;">
        Based on your {$archetype} archetype profile, here are specific business strategies aligned with your natural strengths:
    </p>
    <div style="color: #e0e0e0; line-height: 1.7; white-space: pre-line;">
        {$business_recommendation}
    </div>
</div>
```

MailerLite Custom Field

Field Details:

- **Field Name:** Business Recommendation
- **Field Key:** business_recommendation
- **Field Type:** text (long text)
- **Status:**  Created in MailerLite

Field Usage in Templates:

```
{$business_recommendation}
```

Data Flow

When a User Completes the Test:

1. Frontend (`js/app.js`):

- Calculates results
- Identifies dominant archetype (e.g., "The Sage")
- Calls `formatBusinessRecommendationText("The Sage")`
- Gets personalized recommendation text

2. API Call:

- Sends POST to `/api/mailerlite` with:
 - email, name, archetype, percentage
 - top3Results
 - **businessRecommendation** (formatted text)

3. Serverless Function (`api/mailerlite.js`):

- Extracts `businessRecommendation` from request
- Ensures `business_recommendation` field exists in MailerLite
- Sends all data to MailerLite API

4. MailerLite:

- Creates/updates subscriber
- Populates `business_recommendation` custom field
- Adds to group → triggers automation

5. Email Automation:

- Email 1: Immediate (results only, no recommendation)
- **Email 2: +3 days** (includes `{$business_recommendation}`)
- **Email 3: +3 days** (includes `{$business_recommendation}`)

Business Recommendations for All 12 Archetypes

1. The Sage

- **Focus:** Consulting, Education, Research, Knowledge Platforms

- **Key:** Depth over speed, systematic knowledge capture

2. The Visionary

- **Focus:** Innovation Consulting, Startups, Strategic Foresight, Innovation Labs
- **Key:** Balance vision with execution partners

3. The Builder

- **Focus:** Systems Design, Project Management, Infrastructure, Quality Assurance
- **Key:** Recurring revenue, scalable systems

4. The Guardian

- **Focus:** Risk Management, Compliance, Security Services, Crisis Management
- **Key:** Build trust through reliability and expertise

5. The Sovereign

- **Focus:** Executive Coaching, Organizational Transformation, Premium Services, Empire Building
- **Key:** Quality, authority, strategic oversight

6. The Diplomat

- **Focus:** Negotiation, Partnership Development, Stakeholder Engagement, Community Building
- **Key:** Network is net worth, long-term relationships

7. The Catalyst

- **Focus:** Change Management, Launch Services, Turnaround Expertise, Event Creation
- **Key:** Variety, momentum, shorter engagements

8. The Explorer

- **Focus:** Experience Design, Independent Consulting, Market Research, Personal Branding
- **Key:** Maximum autonomy, authentic voice

9. The Alchemist

- **Focus:** Business Transformation, Executive Coaching, Innovation Facilitation, Rebranding
- **Key:** See hidden potential, trust intuition

10. The Healer

- **Focus:** Coaching/Therapy, Organizational Health, Wellness Services, Support Communities
- **Key:** Sustainable practices with clear boundaries

11. The Warrior

- **Focus:** Performance Coaching, Competitive Strategy, Sales, Challenge-Based Services
- **Key:** Clear goals, competitive markets, perseverance

12. The Artisan

- **Focus:** Premium Craft Services, Boutique Consulting, Teaching, Limited Edition Offerings
 - **Key:** Quality over volume, reputation for excellence
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Testing

How to Test:

1. **Complete the assessment** on the website
2. **Check browser console** for:
 -  Business Recommendation: Included
3. **Check MailerLite:**
 - Go to Subscribers → Find your test email
 - View custom fields
 - Verify `business_recommendation` field is populated
4. **Check Emails:**
 - Email 2 should display the business recommendation
 - Email 3 should display the business recommendation

Expected Output in MailerLite:

For “The Sage” archetype:

As a Sage, your business should leverage your analytical mind **and** quest **for** knowledge. Consider:

1. Consulting & Advisory Services: Position yourself **as** a trusted expert who helps others navigate complex decisions through data-driven insights.
2. Educational Content Creation: Develop courses, workshops, **or** thought leadership content that shares your deep understanding with others.
3. Research & Analysis: Build a business around providing thorough research, market analysis, **or** strategic planning services.
4. Knowledge Platforms: Create tools **or** platforms that help others access, organize, **and** apply information effectively.

KEY FOCUS: Your competitive advantage lies **in** depth over speed. Invest **in** continuous learning **and** build systems that capture **and** share your insights systematically.

✓ Implementation Checklist

- [x] Create `business-recommendations.js` with all 12 archetype recommendations
- [x] Update `app.js` to generate and send recommendations
- [x] Update `index.html` to load `business-recommendations.js`
- [x] Update `api/mailerlite.js` to handle `business_recommendation` field
- [x] Create `business_recommendation` custom field in MailerLite
- [x] Update `email2_archetype_guidance.html` template
- [x] Update `email3_business_sovereignty.html` template
- [] Deploy to Vercel
- [] Test with real email submission
- [] Verify recommendation appears in MailerLite subscriber
- [] Verify recommendation appears in Email 2 and Email 3

 **Deployment****Steps:**

```
cd /home/ubuntu/archetypen_static

# Stage all changes
git add js/business-recommendations.js
git add js/app.js
git add index.html
git add api/mailерlite.js
git add mailерlite_templates/email2_archetype_guidance.html
git add mailерlite_templates/email3_business_sovereignty.html
git add BUSINESS_RECOMMENDATIONS_INTEGRATION.md

# Commit
git commit -m "Add business recommendations to MailerLite integration

- Create business-recommendations.js with recommendations for all 12 archetypes
- Update app.js to generate and send recommendations
- Update MailerLite API to handle business_recommendation field
- Add business recommendations to Email 2 and Email 3 templates
- Create business_recommendation custom field in MailerLite"

# Push to GitHub
git push origin main
```

Vercel will auto-deploy in 2-3 minutes.

Email Template Variables

Available in Email 2 and Email 3:

Variable	Description	Example
{\$name}	User's name	"John Doe"
{\$archetype}	Dominant archetype	"The Sage"
{\$archetype_percent}	Percentage	32
{\$archetype_1}	1st archetype	"The Sage"
{\$archetype_1_percent}	1st percentage	32
{\$archetype_2}	2nd archetype	"The Visionary"
{\$archetype_2_percent}	2nd percentage	24
{\$archetype_3}	3rd archetype	"The Builder"
{\$archetype_3_percent}	3rd percentage	18
{\$test_date}	Test completion date	"1/14/2026"
{\$business_recommendation}	NEW - Business strategies	(See example above)

Design Consistency

- **Color scheme:** Matches Shadow Work design (dark background, teal accents)
- **Typography:** Roboto Condensed for headings, Libre Franklin for body
- **Layout:** Consistent card-style boxes with left border accent
- **Language:** All English
- **Icon:**  for business recommendations

Summary

What was added:

- 12 comprehensive business recommendations (one for each archetype)
- Automatic generation based on dominant archetype
- Integration with MailerLite as a custom field
- Display in Email 2 (Archetype Guidance)
- Display in Email 3 (Business Sovereignty)
- NOT displayed on website results page (email-only)

Result:

Users now receive **personalized, actionable business recommendations** in their email sequence, tailored specifically to their archetype profile. This adds significant value to the assessment and provides practical guidance for applying archetype insights to business development.

Integration complete! 🎉