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# Developing Marketing Strategies and Plans

- How is strategic planning carried out at different levels of the organization
  - ? What does a marketing plan include •

# Three V's Approach to Marketing

- Define the value segment •
- Define the value proposition
  - Define the value network •

## What is the Value Chain?

The **value chain** is a tool for identifying was to create more customer value because every firm is a synthesis of primary and support activities performed to design, produce, market, deliver, and support its product.

### **Core Business Processes**

- .Market-sensing process •
- .New-offering realization process
  - .Customer acquisition process •
- management relationshipCustomer .process
  - .Fulfillment management process •

### **Characteristics of Core Competencies**

- A source of competitive advantage •
- Applications in a wide variety of markets
  - Difficult to imitate •

### **Becoming a Vigilant Organization**

- ? Can we learn from the past
- ? How should the present be evaluated
  - ? What do we envision for the future •

# What is Holistic Marketing?

Holistic marketing sees itself as integrating the value exploration, value creation, and value delivery activities with the purpose of building long-term, mutually satisfying relationships and .coprosperity among key stakeholders

# What is a Marketing Plan?

A marketing plan is the central instrument for directing and coordinating .the marketing effort

It operates at a strategic and tactical .level

# Levels of a Marketing Plan

- Tactical •
- Product features
  - Promotion •
  - Merchandising
    - Pricing •
    - Sales channels
      - Service •

- Strategic
- Target marketing decisions
  - Value proposition •
  - Analysis of marketing opportunities

### **Corporate Headquarters' Planning Activities**

- Define the corporate mission •
- (Establish strategic business units (SBUs
  - Assign resources to each SBU
    - Assess growth opportunities •

### **Good Mission Statements**

- Focus on a limited number of goals
  - Stress major policies and values •
  - Define major competitive spheres
    - Take a long-term view •
    - Short, memorable, meaningful •

# **Major Competitive Spheres**

- Industry •
- Products •
- Competence •
- Market segment •
- Vertical channels
  - Geographic •

# Thank you Q & A