Haksoss Café — Customer Journey Mapping: Super Elite

1. Original Client Targeting

- The client initially targeted affluent café visitors broadly, without differentiating between premium and super-elite segments.
- Objectives: Increase loyalty sign-ups and repeat visits among high-value customers.
- No structured journey mapping existed; engagement metrics were tracked superficially.

2. Data Collection & Research

• Primary Research:

- o In-depth interviews with 25 super-elite clientele (income ≥ EGP 1M/year, frequent café patrons).
- Focus groups to evaluate touchpoints, preferences, and loyalty program perceptions.
- In-store observation of interactions, peak times, and service expectations.

• Secondary Research:

- Social media analysis (Instagram, TikTok, LinkedIn) for trends among high-income urban segments.
- Benchmarking competitor luxury cafés and loyalty programs in Alexandria and Greater Cairo.
- Market reports on luxury coffee consumption and premium service expectations.

• Key Findings:

- Super-elite customers value exclusivity, personalized service, and premium experiences.
- Digital channels are critical for awareness; email and SMS for retention.
- o Referral and social recognition strongly drive advocacy.

3. Customer Journey: Stages, Data, & Reformulation

Stage	Client Target	Collected Data & Metrics	Strategic Reformulation
Awareness	General affluent audience	 Instagram, TikTok, LinkedIn, Lifestyle blogs Content tested: Hero visuals, influencer endorsements Metrics: 80,800 unique users reached, 11.3% engagement 	Focus on super-elite audience using high-quality hero visuals, curated influencer partnerships, and premium offers to maximize engagement with VIP prospects.
Consideration	Broad email and social campaigns	 Touchpoints: Social ads, Email campaigns, Landing pages Metrics: CTR 3.8%, Email open rate 35% Content: VIP offers, curated menu highlights, testimonials 	Refine content to appeal to high-income preferences, highlighting exclusivity, curated experiences, and social validation to drive loyalty program interest.
Conversion	General sign-ups	 Loyalty program sign-up, in-store interactions, checkout process Metrics: 1,070 loyalty sign-ups, 6.2% conversion rate, ROAS 4.11:1 Content: Exclusive offers, first-time VIP 	Streamline onboarding with VIP-first experiences, targeted exclusive offers, and high-touch service to maximize conversion among super-elite prospects.

		benefits, premium coffee experience	
Retention	Basic retention efforts	 Touchpoints: Personalized Email, SMS, VIP events, Seasonal menus Metrics: 15% retention rate, 18% re-engagement of dormant members Content: Seasonal offers, personalized recommendations, loyalty rewards 	Implement hyper- personalized loyalty communications and VIP-exclusive events to maintain engagement and long- term retention among super-elite clientele.
Advocacy	General word-of- mouth	 Touchpoints: Social sharing, Referral programs, VIP testimonials Metrics: Positive reviews, referrals, social engagement growth Content: Referral incentives, UGC campaigns, testimonials 	Activate VIP brand ambassadors through referral incentives, curated UGC campaigns, and recognition programs to convert loyal clients into advocates.

4. Methodology & Rationale

- **Primary Research:** Focus groups, interviews, and in-store observations targeting super-elite clientele.
- **Secondary Research:** Social media trend analysis, competitor benchmarking, market reports.
- **Data Sources:** Instagram/TikTok engagement analytics, email campaign metrics, loyalty program analytics, in-store footfall data.
- Strategic Reformulation: Each journey stage was redefined to align with super-elite expectations, focusing on exclusivity, high-touch engagement, and premium digital & in-store experiences.

5. Key Insights for Word-Ready Documentation

- Awareness requires high-quality visuals and influencer partnerships targeting super-elite audiences.
- Consideration should emphasize exclusivity and VIP-level benefits to drive engagement.
- Conversion is maximized through personalized experiences and first-touch VIP perks.
- Retention relies on exclusive communications, seasonal menus, and events for loyalty reinforcement.
- Advocacy is activated via referral campaigns, user-generated content, and public recognition of VIP customers.