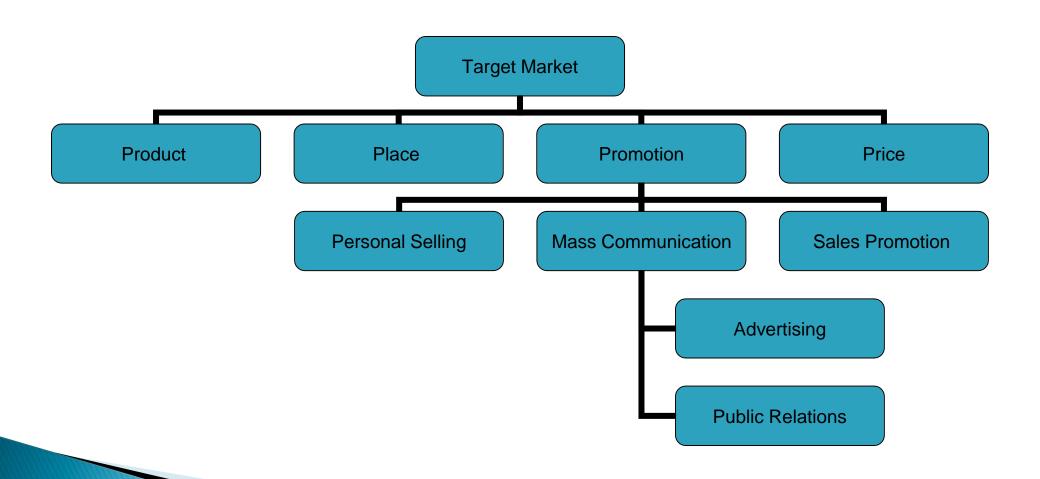
## Marketing Communication

Chapter 3

## Advertising and Public Relations

Advertising and public relations are forms of mass communication used to market a product or service.

### Where Mass Communication Fits



## Anatomy of a Print Advertisement

- In a print advertisement three main elements combine to create the brand personality the marketer wants to achieve.
- These are:
  - Brand elements (name, logo, mascot)
  - Copy or text
  - Visual elements

### **Brand Elements**







Brand name

Logo

lcon or mascot

### Headline

- Command:
  - Your body is over 60% water. Make sure it's the right water. (Evian)
- Offering a benefit:
  - 'Sit back and relax in your extra wide seat. There's nothing like space to make you feel closer to Australia' (Quantas Airlines)
- Word play:
  - Turquoise Calling' (Turkish Culture and Tourism Office)
  - 'Bags of self-confidence' (Selfridges, advertising handbags)

### Headline

- Question:
  - 'How do I find a holiday that's fun for everyone? (Brittany Ferries)
  - 'Why drive an ordinary car? (Subaru)
- Quirky, original:
  - 'hellooo,ooo,ooo! (Sky, claiming one million customers)

## **Body Copy**

- Body copy usually combines rational and emotional appeals
- It should make its point as quickly and simply as possible

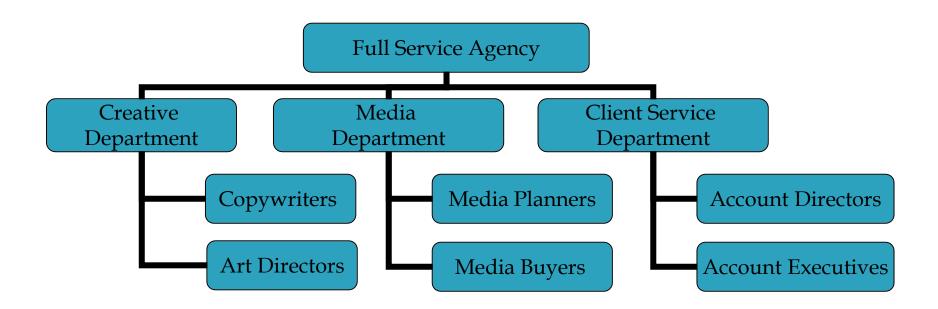
## **Tagline**

- Have a break, have a KitKat'
- 'Because you're worth it'
- 'Red Bull gives you wings'

### What an Advertisement Does

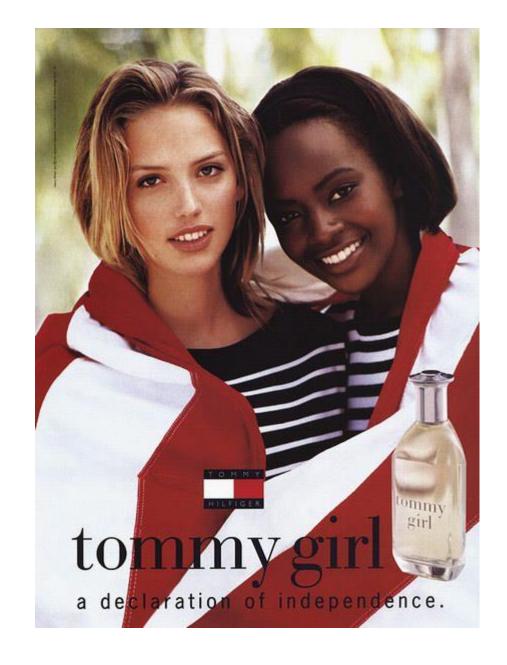
- Attracts attention
- Compels interest
- Creates desire
  - shows benefits
  - fulfils needs
  - identifies unique selling proposition (USP)
- Promotes action

## The Advertising Agency





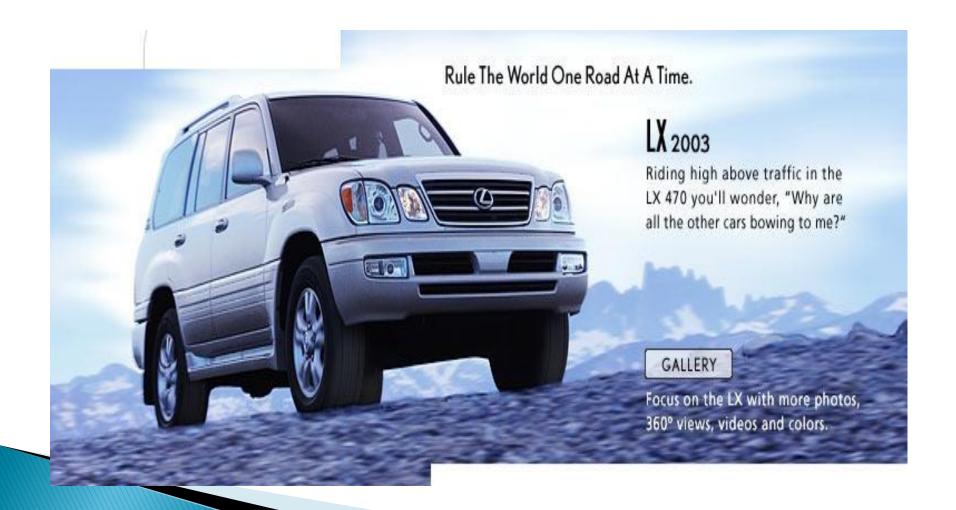








Probably the best beer in the world.



## The Benefits of Advertising

- Brings products to the attention of consumers
- Makes products cheaper by encouraging mass production
- Provides well-paid employment
- Provides entertainment

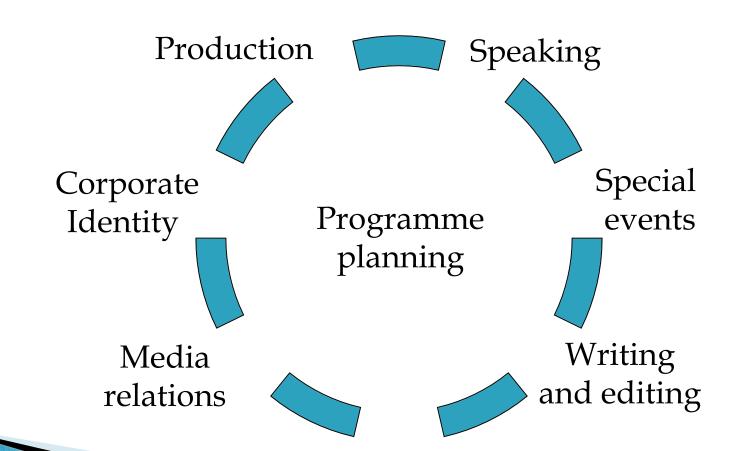
## Criticisms of Advertising

- Encourages consumers to buy products they don't really need
- Helps sell harmful products
- Creates unrealistic lifestyle expectations
- May give misleading information

### Public Relations Is...

"...the planned and sustained effort to establish and maintain goodwill and mutual understanding between an organisation and its publics." (Institute of Public Relations)

### **Public Relations Activities**



## Types of Public Relations

## Customer relations

 To survive a company needs to attract new customers and retain the loyalty of existing customers.

## Community relations

 There is a close interdependence between a company and the communities in which it locates.

#### Media relations

 The media have considerable influence in forming public opinions and attitudes.