

9 Landing Page Hacks To Get More Leads INSTANTLY

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Section 1: Introduction & Overview of Findings

Topic: Overview of Conversion Tests

Explanation:

The speaker has tested over 120 landing page tweaks over a 15-year career and found that only 9 had a significant impact on conversions.

Key Insight:

Only a small number of changes (9 out of 120) meaningfully improve landing page conversion rates.

Quotation:

"Out of those 120 tweaks I made, only nine made any real difference."

Tip / Rule:

You can implement these 9 effective tweaks in an afternoon, even without marketing experience.

Section 2: Hack #1 – Social Proof Above the Fold

Topic: Social Proof Placement

Definition:

"Above the fold" refers to the part of the webpage visible without scrolling.

Explanation:

Displaying social proof in this section builds instant trust by showing others already benefit from your service.

Step-by-step Process:

1. Add customer photos in a row.
2. Pair with a 5-star graphic.
3. Use a testimonial as a headline.
4. Highlight number of customers or locations served.
5. Show client or media logos.

Example / Analogy:

- Headline testimonial: "This service saved me hours every week and doubled my leads."
- Stats: "Trusted by thousands" or "Helping businesses in 30+ countries."

Key Insight:

People trust people—not faceless companies.

Tool / Method Mentioned:

- Brand Featured (writes press releases, distributes to major media outlets)

Tip / Rule:

You can buy media placement to legitimately claim features in major outlets.

Repeated Emphasis:

Logos (client or media) significantly shortcut trust-building.

Actionable Task:

Place customer photos, testimonials, or media logos prominently above the fold.

Section 3: Real-Time Social Proof Notifications

Topic: Real-Time Activity Indicators

Explanation:

Live popups showing user actions on the site create urgency and build trust.

Tool / Method Mentioned:

- UseProof for real-time notifications

Example / Analogy:

“John from New York just signed up” makes the site feel active and popular.

Key Insight:

Real-time actions trigger FOMO (Fear of Missing Out), encouraging conversions.

Tip / Rule:

Real-time social proof can increase conversions by 10–15%.

Section 4: Eyebrow Copy for Instant Clarity

Topic: Eyebrow Copy

Definition:

A short line of text above the headline providing context.

Explanation:

Helps visitors immediately understand they're in the right place.

Key Insight:

Removes confusion and builds trust, especially for skimmers.

Tip / Rule:

Use eyebrow copy to set the stage and clarify the offer.

Section 5: Conversational Copy for Human Connection

Topic: Writing Style**Explanation:**

Conversational, empathetic language builds trust and makes content relatable.

Example / Analogy:

Instead of “Low visibility is keeping your product out of reach,” say “People who need your product can’t find it.”

Tip / Rule:

- Use contractions and short sentences.
- Address pain points directly.
- Use “we’ve got your back” style phrasing.

Key Insight:

Human-sounding copy builds emotional connection and drives conversions.

Repeated Emphasis:

Empathy in copy fosters connection, especially in service-based businesses.

Section 6: Hack – Testimonials with Intent

Topic: Strategic Testimonial Placement**Explanation:**

Use testimonials next to the relevant copy they support—not randomly.

Example / Analogy:

Amy Porterfield’s course shows testimonials that match each visitor’s situation.

Key Insight:

Place testimonials where they directly address visitors' doubts or questions.

Tip / Rule:

Integrate testimonials into the narrative flow to make them feel conversational.

Section 7: Video Testimonials + TL;DW Headlines

Topic: Enhancing Video Testimonials**Explanation:**

Not everyone watches videos, so pull out the most compelling quote as a headline.

Example / Analogy:

Headline above video: "Makes your workflows easier, faster, and more efficient."

Tip / Rule:

Provide key takeaways even for non-viewers with "too long; didn't watch" summaries.

Key Insight:

Delivers impact whether or not the video is played.

Section 8: Comparison Tables for Buyer Decisions

Topic: Comparison Tables**Explanation:**

Visually show how your offer stacks up against competitors, old methods, or doing nothing.

Tip / Rule:

- Be balanced, not biased.
- Highlight your strengths without bashing others.
- Compare against inaction or DIY alternatives.

Example / Analogy:

Marketing consultant vs. competitors using generic templates vs. personalized strategies.

Key Insight:

Your main competition may be inertia—not just other companies.

Actionable Task:

Use tables to answer buyers' top decision-making questions.

Section 9: Leading with Benefits, Not Features

Topic: Feature vs. Benefit Framing**Explanation:**

Users care more about outcomes than technical specs.

Example / Analogy:

- Instead of “Contains spinach,” say “Improves digestion and energy.”
- “Helps maintain ideal weight” instead of “low fat formula.”

Key Insight:

Translate features into tangible, meaningful benefits.

Tip / Rule:

Frame everything in terms of how it improves the customer's life.

Repeated Emphasis:

Benefits resonate emotionally; features don't.

Section 10: TL;DR Call-to-Action Panel

Topic: Bottom-Funnel Summary**Definition:**

A short, final summary panel at the bottom of the landing page for quick-deciders.

Explanation:

Captures visitors who scroll straight to the end without reading details.

Example / Analogy:

Divorce attorney's panel summarizing offer and benefit with a call-to-action.

Tip / Rule:

Keep it short and focus on the offer, benefit, and one strong reason to click.

Key Insight:

Captures conversions from readers who skip everything else.

Section 11: CTA Boosters – Small Text for Big Impact

Topic: Call-to-Action Boosters**Explanation:**

Add reassuring microcopy under buttons to reduce hesitation.

Example / Analogy:

“Get set up in 5 minutes” or “No credit card required.”

Key Insight:

Small lines can remove friction and make action feel safe.

Tip / Rule:

Use to combat doubts like “What if this is the wrong choice?”

Actionable Task:

Add trust-building microcopy below your CTA button.

Section 12: Teaser – Editorial Bait Lander Strategy

Topic: Editorial Bait Lander**Explanation:**

An advanced landing page approach deserving its own video due to its effectiveness.

Key Insight:

Can triple traffic and double leads if implemented correctly.

Actionable Task:

Watch the follow-up video for deep dive into this strategy.

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Video Title: 9 Landing Page Hacks That Actually Work

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