

...dare to be different



# Brightstone University Case Study









#### **Brightstone's Mission**

To transform Brightstone into a hub of academic excellence, innovation, and societal impact, where students and staff are empowered to lead in creativity, entrepreneurship, and global leadership.



Fragmented Communication System

→ Widespread of false information

Delay in Information Circulation

Limited access to important updates

Impersonation of accounts



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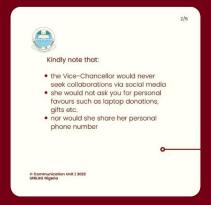
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There are several students around the world whose talents remain unnoticed due to lack of a dedicated platform to showcase their work.

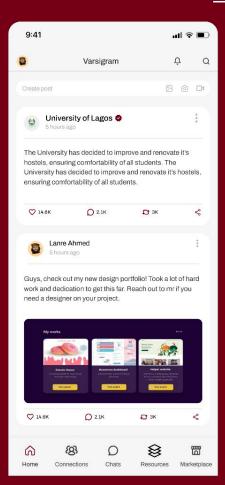




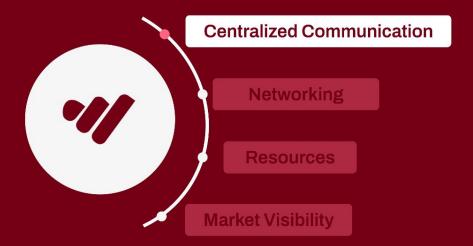
#### This is where Varsigram steps in....

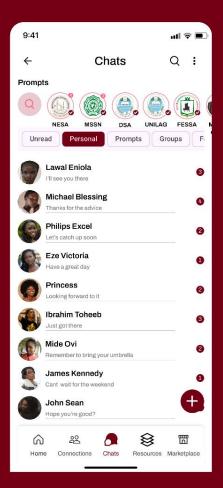
A **social media platform** targeted towards tertiary institutions globally.



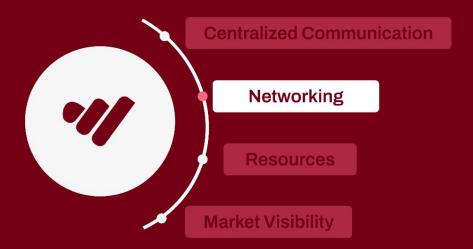


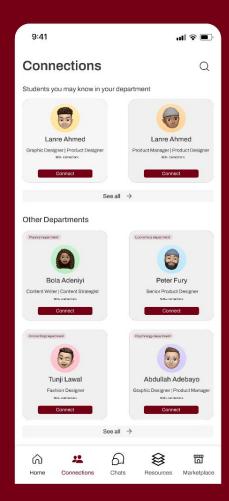






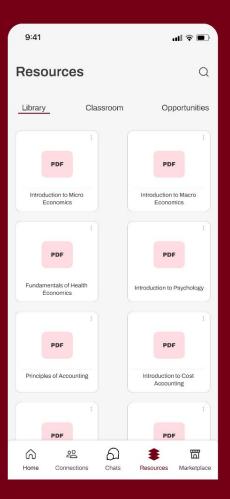






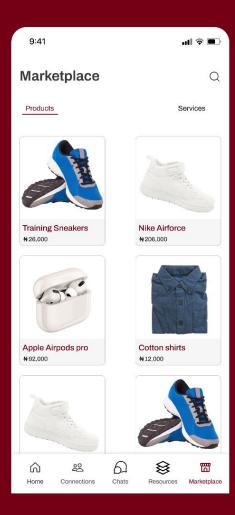






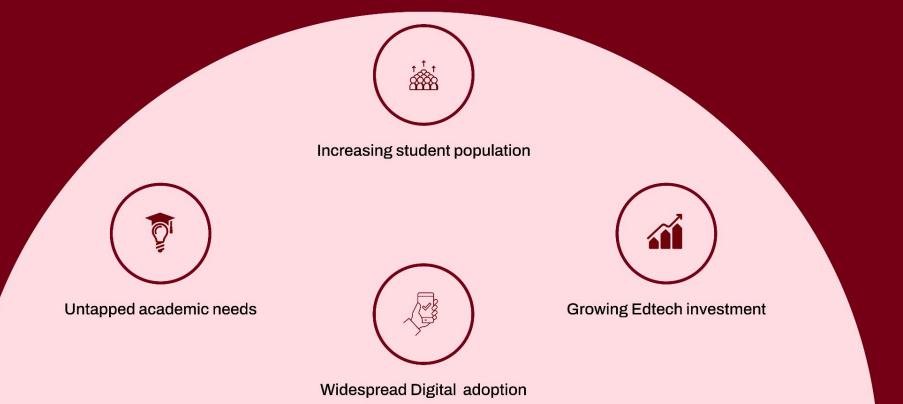






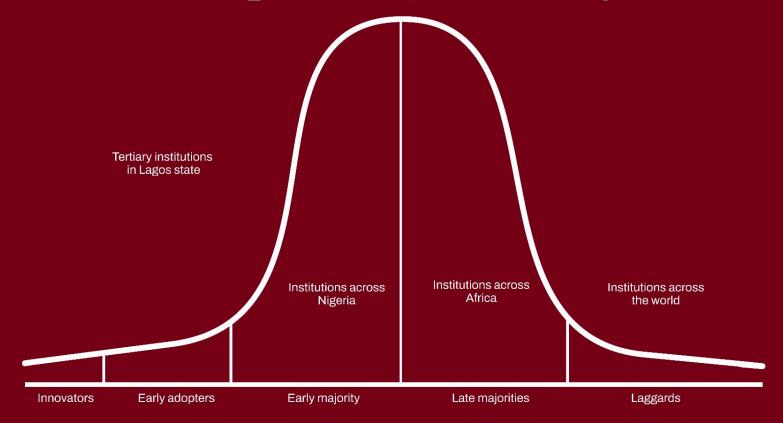


# **Market Opportunity Analysis**





# **Varsigram Adoption Life Cycle**





#### Our Mission

To provide a user-friendly, fast and secure platform that fosters a more interconnected, supportive and well-informed campus – community, where every student thrives academically, discovers and showcases their unique talents, creativity and innovation, and realizes their entrepreneurial potential.





#### Our Vision

To become the top go-to platform for all university related activities, a catalyst for academic excellence, talent recognition, and entrepreneurial growth for University of Lagos, other Tertiary Institutions in Nigeria and Worldwide.



MarketingServers

### **Business Model**

#### **VARSIGRAM** Key Kev Value 6 Consumer $(-\sqrt{-})$ Consumer **Partners Activities Propositions** Relationships Segments Co-Creation Academic Stakeholders Marketing · Centralized Communication Advertisers Automated · University Management Partnerships Networking · Faculties and Departments · Platform Management Resources · Clubs, Societies and Associations · Market Visibility · Centres and Organizations · Talent Promotion · Local Businesses $\approx$ **Key Resources** Channels · Tech Infrastructures · Varsigram.com Developers Partners Brand Cost Structure **Revenue Streams** · Web and App Development Targeted Ads Marketplace



# **Competitive Analysis**

PLATFORM	*//	6	in	<u>Q</u>	X	0
PRIMARY FOCUS	Academic networking and centralised communication	Social interaction and global focus	Professional networking and growth	Instant communication and group interaction	Real time communication and public discourse	Visual - storytelling and engagements
TARGET MARKET	Academic institutions	General public	Professionals	General public	General public	General public
TOOLS AND RESOURCES	Built-in library, classrooms, centered - marketplace, internships, verified groups.etc.	Gen. media, group discussion, shared post.	Networks, Professional articles, career insights, industry news.	Files sharing, messaging and group chats	News update, communities, micro blogging.	Visual contents, stories, influencers - driven media.



# **SWOT Analysis**



- Smart communication tools
- Strategic Partnerships
- Academic centric focus



- Limited user base
- Competition from existing platforms
- Limited funding



- Growing need for digitization
- Increasing students population
- · Investments in Edutech industry
- Untapped academic needs

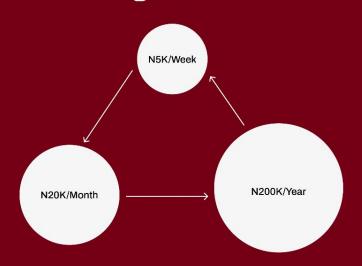


- Global social media platforms dominance
- Competitive Imitation

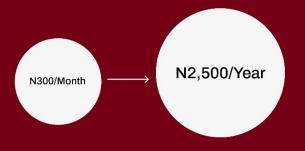


# **Revenue Model**

#### 1. Targeted ads



#### 2. Marketplace

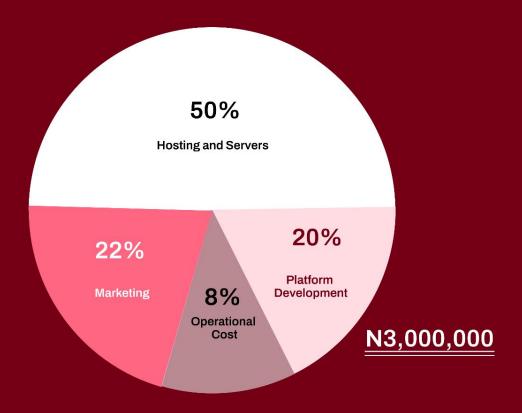


Flat rate basis

Fixed rate basis



# **Cost Model**





#### **5-Year Income Statement**

YEAR	Year 1 (N)	Year 2 (N)	Year 3 (N)	Year 4 (N)	Year 5 (N)
Revenue	0	0	21,700,000	43,700,000	85,000,000
Cost Of Sale	(2,070,000)	(4,830,000)	(8,970,000)	(17,250,000)	(27,600,000)
Gross Profit	(2,070,000)	(4,830,000)	12,730,000	26,450,000	57,400,000
Operating Expenses	(930,000)	(2,170,000)	(4,030,000)	(7,750,000)	(12,400,000)
Net Profit before tax	(3,000,000)	(7,000,000)	8,700,000	18,700,000	45,000,000
Тах	0	0%	0%	10%	10%
Net Profit After Tax	(3,000,000)	(7,000,000)	8,700,000	16,830,000	40,500,000
Gross Margin			58.7%	60.5%	67.5%
Net Margin			40.1%	38.5%	47.6%



# **Revenue Analysis**

SOURCE	QUANTITY	PLAN (N)	MONTH	BALANCE (N)
Ads fee	80(Advertisers)	20,000 (Monthly)	12	19.2M
Marketplace sub.	1,000(sellers)	2500 (yearly)	-	2.5M
TOTAL				<u>21.7M</u>

Year 3 52K+ users

SOURCE	QUANTITY	PLAN (N)	MONTH	BALANCE (N)
Ads fee	130(Advertisers)	20,000 (Monthly)	12	31.2M
Marketplace sub.	1,000(sellers)	2500 (yearly)	-	12.5M
TOTAL				<u>43.7M</u>

Year 4 105K+ users

SOURCE	QUANTITY	PLAN (N)	MONTH	BALANCE (N)
(Ads fee)	200(Advertisers)	25,000 (Monthly)	12	60M
Marketplace sub.	10,000(sellers)	2500 (yearly)	-	25M
TOTAL				<u>85M</u>

Year 5 262K+ users



# **Meet the Team**



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