

WELT DIGITAL MEDIA KIT

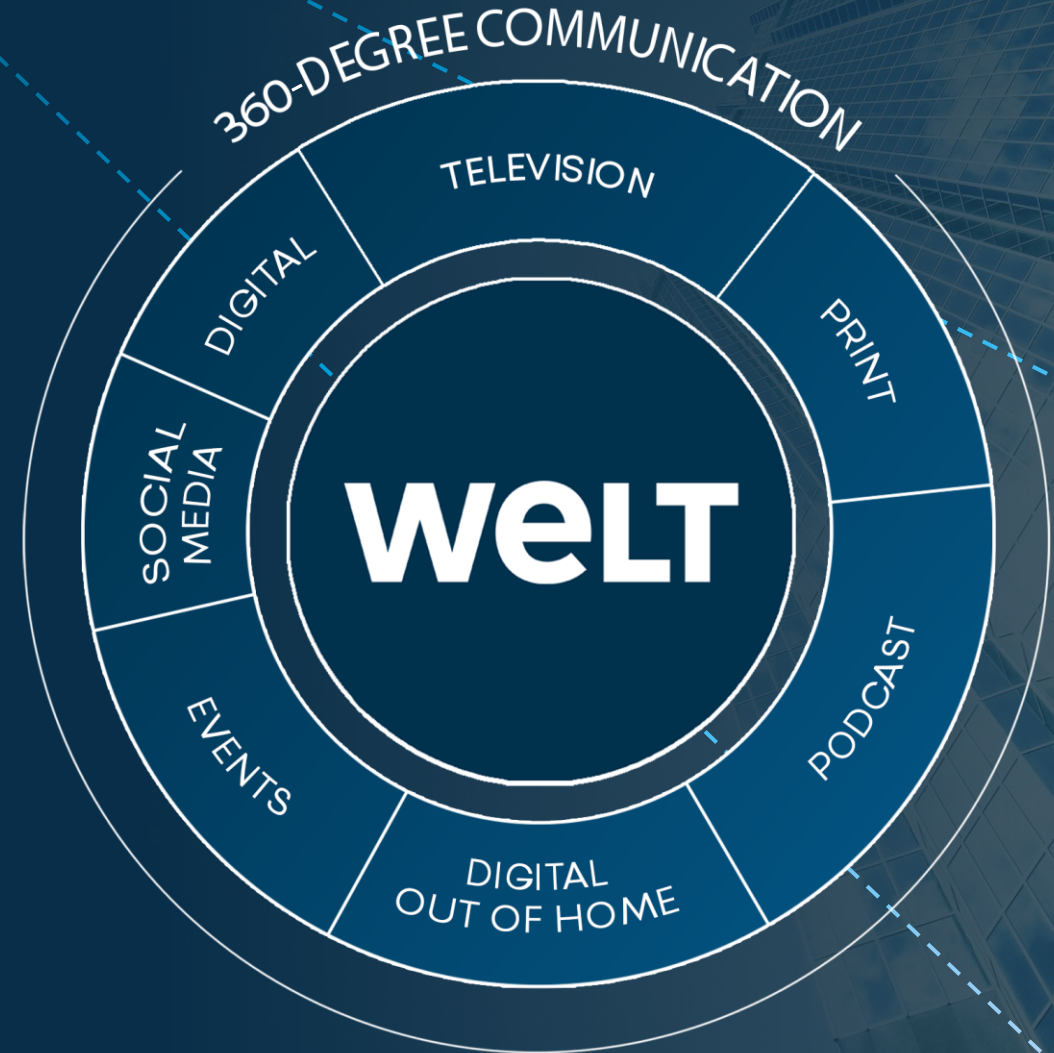
2025

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THE POWER OF WELT

WELT is a **360-degree media brand** that offers reporting in print, digital and TV.

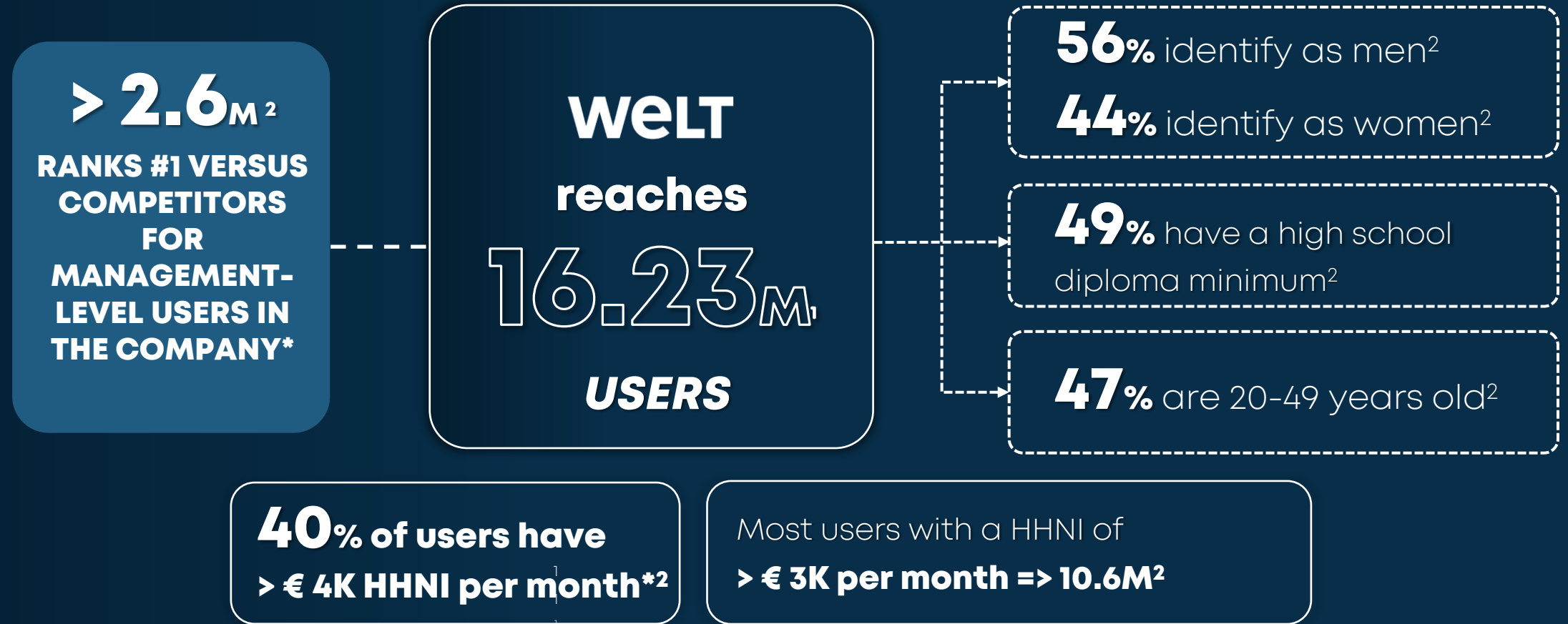
It represents intelligent, high-quality journalism tailored to every usage context.



WITH 16.23 MILLION USERS, WELT DIGITAL...

... IS ONE OF THE MOST VISITED DIGITAL PLATFORMS IN GERMANY

THE WELT DIGITAL AUDIENCE



¹Source: AGF X-Reach July 2025; due to differing methodologies and data collection periods, comparisons of digital reach are not permitted – including with previous b4p waves. WELT currently includes only the web offering, not the apps;

²b4p 2024 III, users per month

* at least sub-department management level

WELT PIONEERS NEW STANDARDS IN REPORTING ON THE ECONOMY, FINANCE AND POLITICS



JAN PHILIPP BURGARD
Editor-in-Chief WELT
Group & bestselling
author



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Publisher WELT, POLITICO
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Chief reporter & winner of
the German Television
Award 2024



ROBIN ALEXANDER
Deputy Editor-in-Chief &
bestselling author

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ICON, ON WELT DIGITAL, CONSIDERS ITSELF AN INSPIRATION FOR A LUXURY-ORIENTED AUDIENCE

...WITH A FOCUS ON FASHION, DESIGN, JEWELRY AND WATCHES

HIGH-QUALITY NEWS WELT DIGITAL

WELT Digital focuses on the core topics of politics, business and debate and one of Germany's leading news websites. As a cross-platform brand, WELT is a well established and strong multimedia platform that covers progressive, high-quality, and dynamic topics across all channels.

16.23 MILLION NET REACH¹

2.44 MILLION DAILY USERS²

123.02 MILLION VISITS³

337.16 MILLION PAGE IMPRESSIONS³

GENDER	56% MALE ⁴
AGE	56% ARE 30 TO 59 YEARS OLD ⁴
EDUCATION	51% AT LEAST HIGH SCHOOL DIPLOMA ⁴
HHNI	45% AT LEAST 4,000 € PER MONTH ⁴

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² Source: b4p 2024 II - structural analysis

³ IVW octobre 2025

⁴ b4p III 2024

WELT DIGITAL AT A GLANCE



WELT Digital has been
climate neutral since 2023⁷

817K
**DECISION-
MAKERS¹**

55%
Millennials²
37%
**Innovators &
Early Adopters²**

225K
DIGITAL SUBSCRIBERS³
25% of whom are heavy
users⁴
170 articles consumed per
month⁴

16.23M
Net reach⁵

2.44M
DAILY USERS⁶

123.02M
VISITS⁸
337.16M
PAGE IMPRESSIONS⁸

Distribution⁴

		
Desktop	MEW	App
20%	45%	35%

HOME (30%)
ARTICLE (52%)
OTHER (18%)⁴


16M
**MEDIA STARTS / DIGITAL
MOVING IMAGE CONTENT**
per month (livestreams
(55%) and video clips (45%))⁴

1) LAE 2024, decision-makers: 3.08 million, digital: NpM
2) Statista Consumer Insights Global as of August 2023
3) IVW 09/2024
4) Adobe Analytics, as of 2024

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6) b4p 2024 II -- structural analysis
7) More at: <https://www.welt.de/verantwortung/>
8) IVW octobre 2025

WELT DIGITAL SOCIAL MEDIA



WELT INSTAGRAM

899K followers¹

Want to reach users on one of the most trend-driven platforms? Use expressive images and videos to connect.

INSTAGRAM



WELT FACEBOOK

over 1.2M followers²

With co-publishing, you benefit from increased credibility and reach as well as the high engagement rate on social networks!

FACEBOOK



WELT X

over 2.5M followers³

WELT is a major player on X with an enormously wide-reaching account. Utilise the power of our brand with joint sponsored tweets and reach decision-makers effectively with your advertising message!

WELT - X



WELT LINKEDIN

over 78K followers⁴

LinkedIn offers excellent opportunities to reach specific target groups in the B2B sector. Utilise the reach of the WELT brand with joint sponsored posts and reach specialists and managers effectively with your advertising message!

LINKEDIN



OUR HOME

A STAGE FOR

HIGH-IMPACT BRAND

MESSAGING



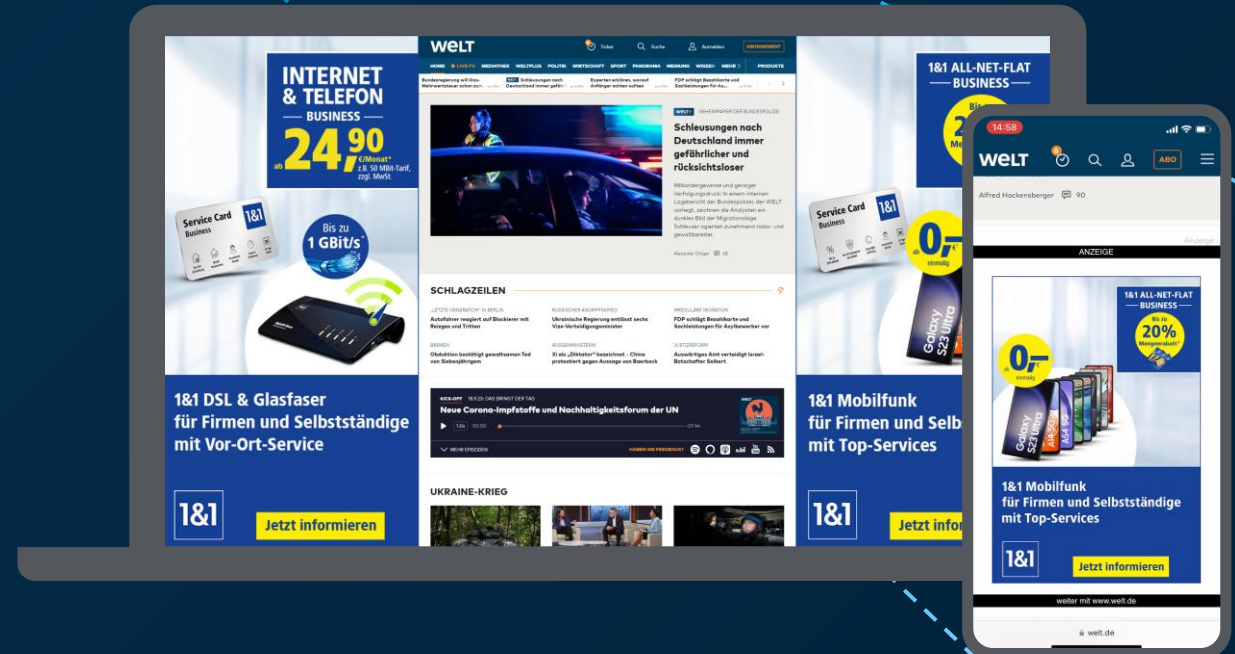
THE WELT HOMERUN THE PERFECT STAGE FOR YOUR BRAND

NEW: MORE REACH

Capture full attention with the 24h fixed placement on the homepage of WELT Digital.

Your brand is prominently placed across all platforms – desktop, MEW and app – for a full 24 hours.

2.25M guaranteed AIs*



THE WELT HOMERUN BTF – MAXIMUM IMPACT ON THE HOMEPAGE

RUNNING TIME: 24 HOURS

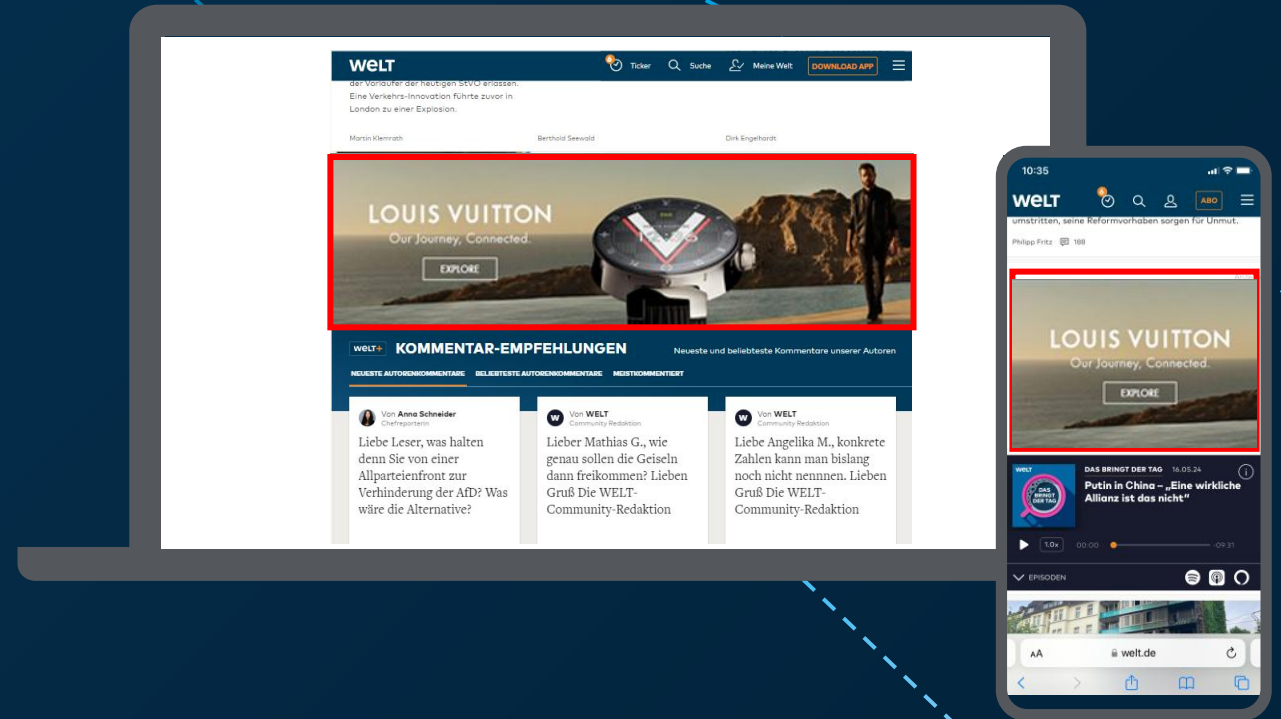
The HomeRun BTF places your brand on the first Billboard BTF slot on the WELT homepage.

Booking options include:

- billboard format (desktop)
- medium rectangle (mobile)

Depending on the news context, the ad appears above the 'comment recommendations' section – ensuring prominent placement on the homepage.

500K guaranteed AIs



THE A-TEASER YOUR PREMIUM STAGE ON THE HOMEPAGE

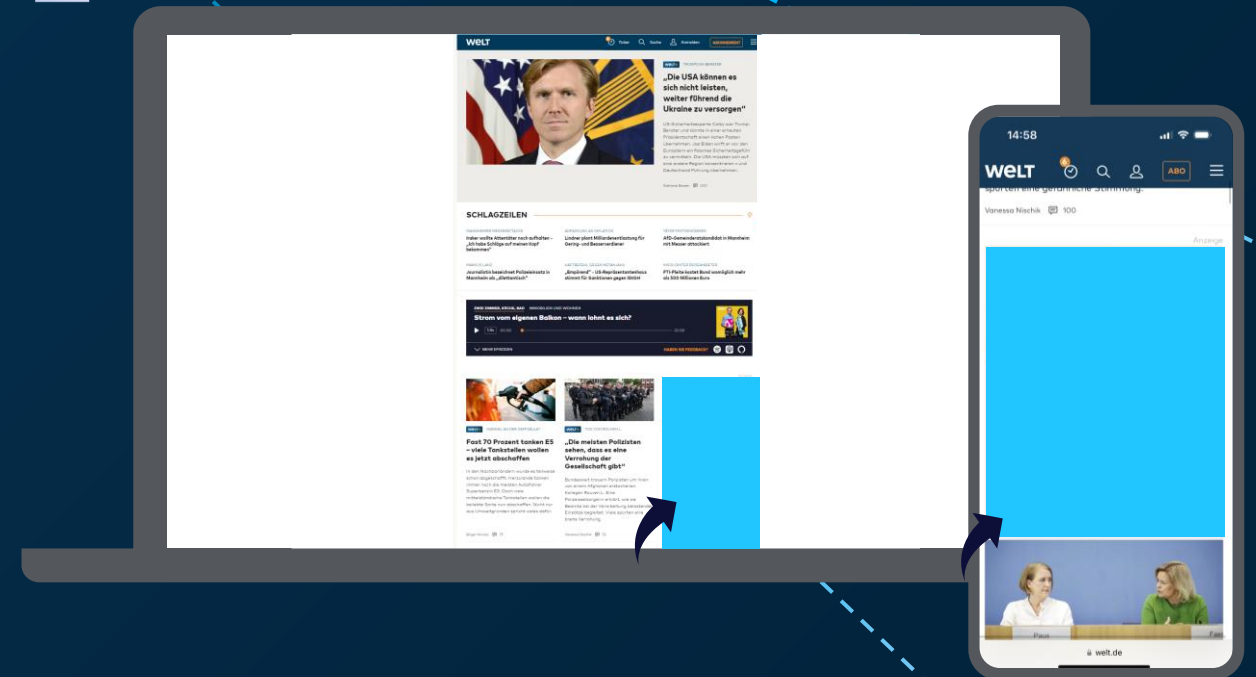
RUNNING TIME: 24 HOURS

The A-teaser is displayed on the WELT digital homepage. Depending on current news, the teaser may appear directly in the initial screen view.

The teaser can occupy the full screen.*

800K guaranteed AIs

The A teaser is only displayed on desktop and mobile. App excluded. Example visualisation. *Only possible as portrait format. Dimensions: 283 x 500px.



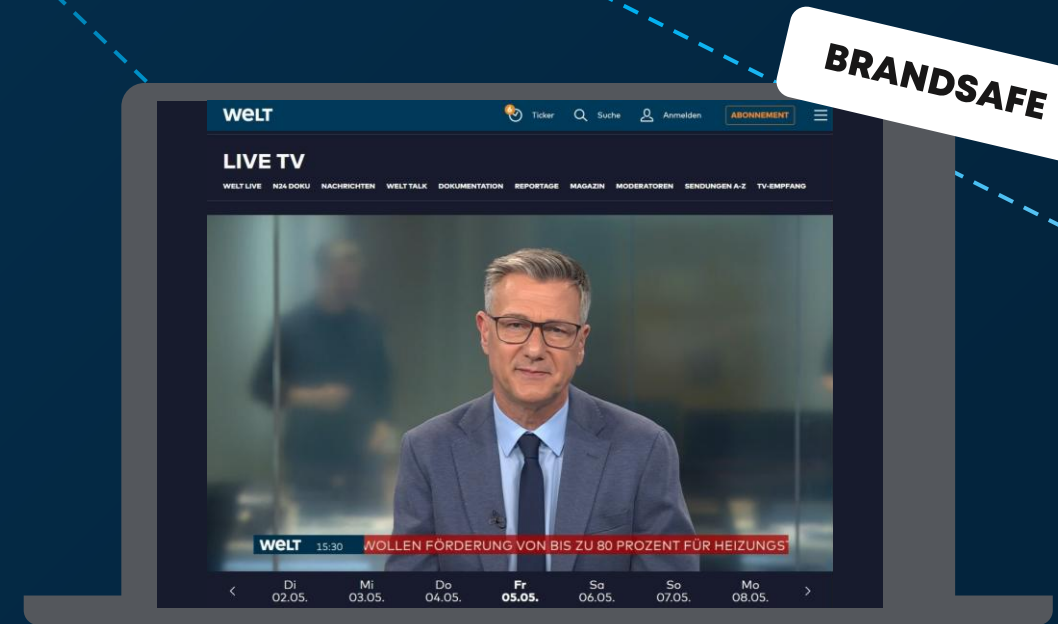
THE LIVESTREAM AD PREMIUM VIDEO PLACEMENT ON THE WELT HOMEPAGE

CAN ALSO BE BOOKED
PROGRAMMATICALLY

The **Livestream Ad** is an ideal opportunity to place your video campaign directly on the WELT homepage.

The WELT TV livestream features news, market analysis and documentaries – and is seamlessly embedded on the WELT homepage. Your video ad is shown during commercial breaks in the livestream.

BRANDSAFE



1.5M Als a day in the WELT livestream

>95% VTR2

Always request a forecast before booking at the following e-mail address:
vlasmivideomarketing@axelspringer.de

THE WELCOME AD XXL – BE SEEN BEFORE THE STORY BEGINS

The Welcome Ad XL¹ is displayed above the editorial content. On mobile, a Halfpage Ad (300x600 px) appears above the site's navigation and disappears upon scrolling (FC=1). Additionally, a 2:1 Content Ad is placed in the MREC slot as a supplementary advertising asset. A 2:1 Lead Ad and a Mobile Interscroller act as reminder formats². Available as part of the Home Run Deluxe package.

2.25M guaranteed Als

**FIRST MOVER:
THE NEW HOME RUN
MOBILE FORMAT**



1) Not available InApp, permitted formats: .png, .jpeg, and .gif; no redirects or html5 files. 2) The same creative as the Welcome Ad can be used.

Technical specifications: <https://mediaimpact.de/de/digital-formate>

All prices are quoted (unless otherwise stated) as CPM or fixed prices, minus standard discounts and agency commission, plus VAT. | Subject to change and errors excepted.

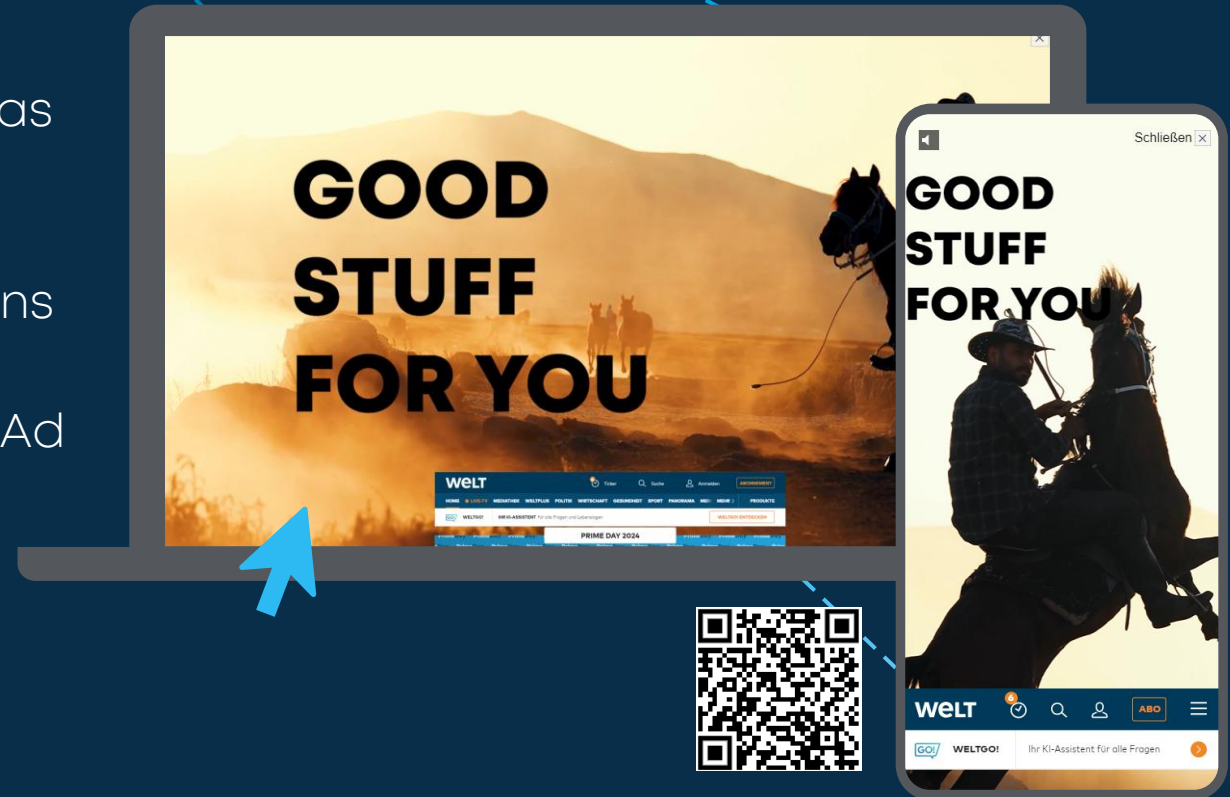
HOMERUN SUPREME BIG STAGE

The BIG STAGE is a premium ad format on WELT Digital. It plays a large-format video as soon as the homepage loads, temporarily pushing down the editorial content. After 8 seconds, the editorial content returns to its original position. A Double Dynamic Sitebar, a Billboard, and a Mobile Content Ad stay visible as reminder formats.

- Also available as prestitial on mobile and app. -

2.25M guaranteed AIs

creation via MI: plus of € 4,800 creation fee; lead time of at least 15 working days from delivery of the assets (video, image material, etc.). Technical specifications of the advertising formats and dimensions at <https://mediaimpact.de/de/digital-formate>, subject to change and errors excepted. FC1/global, not available InApp (in App a medium rectangle is used as fallback); a 2:1 banner, a medium rectangle and a vertical video (incl. poster frame as jpg/png in the same size as fallback) are required; vertical video (9:16) must be delivered as MP4, available in HomeRun Supreme (in combination with First Contact a fallback is played); advertising material is only played on the homepage



HOMERUN DELUXE VIDEO WALL

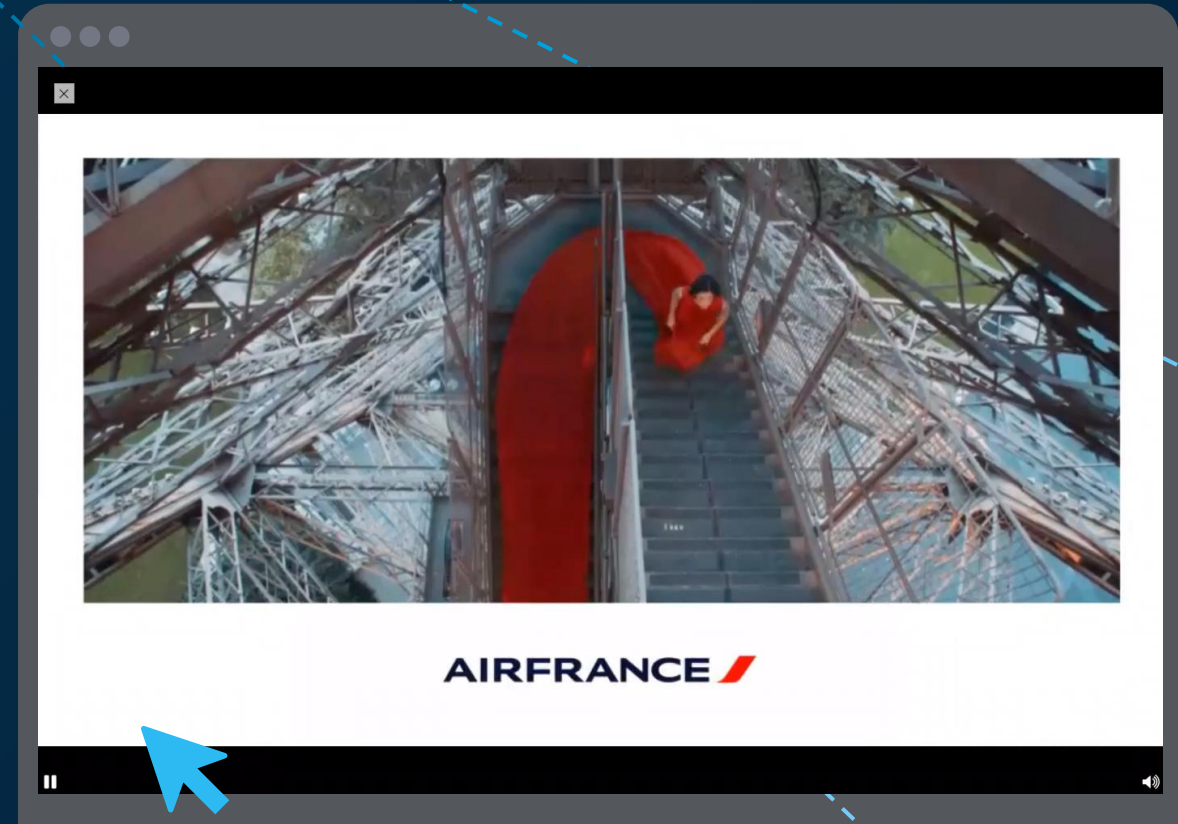
Want to showcase high-quality video content to a broad audience?

The WELT Video Wall is the ideal format. The video starts automatically in the background when the homepage loads. When users hover over the billboard, your video ad expands over the WELT.de content and can be closed with a single click.

2.25M guaranteed Als

All stationary and mobile formats are relevant for guarantees and billing. If one of these creatives is not delivered, the selected main creatives will be served as ROS placements on the booked day to meet the guaranteed booking value. FC = 1/day; as fallback, a Billboard, Fireplace or DDS may remain in place. On tablet browsers, only the fallback creative, e.g. the Billboard, will be served.

**ALSO AVAILABLE FOR THE
PRODUCTS FIRST CONTACT AND
WORLD RUN**



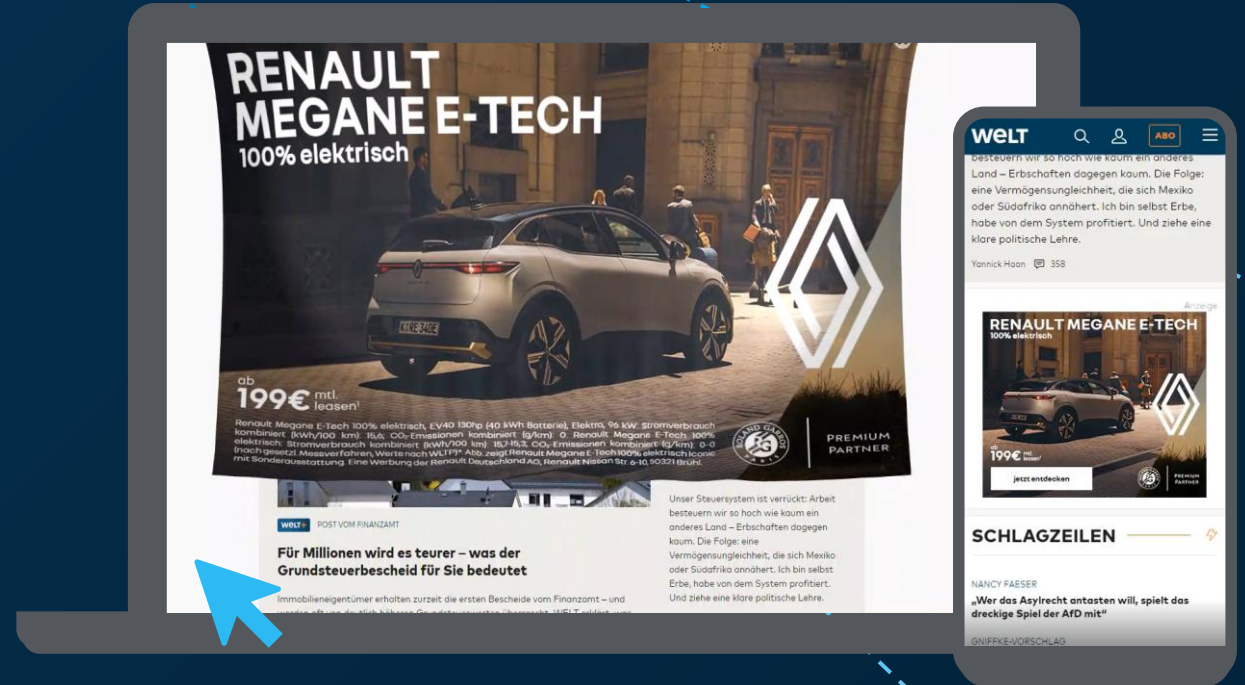
HOMERUN DELUXE CURTAIN DROPPER

Bold. Bolder. Curtain Dropper.

This innovative format leaves a lasting impression. A digital curtain covers the content for 5 seconds to grab full attention. Since frequency capping is set to one impression per user per day (FC=1), an additional Billboard ad ensures continued visibility throughout the day.

2.25M guaranteed Als

All stationary and mobile formats are relevant to the guarantee and billing. If one of these advertising media is not delivered, the selected main advertising media will be delivered as ROS placements on the booked day in order to achieve the booked guarantee amount. FC=1/day, a billboard, fireplace or a DDS can remain as a fallback. Only the fallback advertising medium, e.g. the billboard, is delivered in the tablet browser.



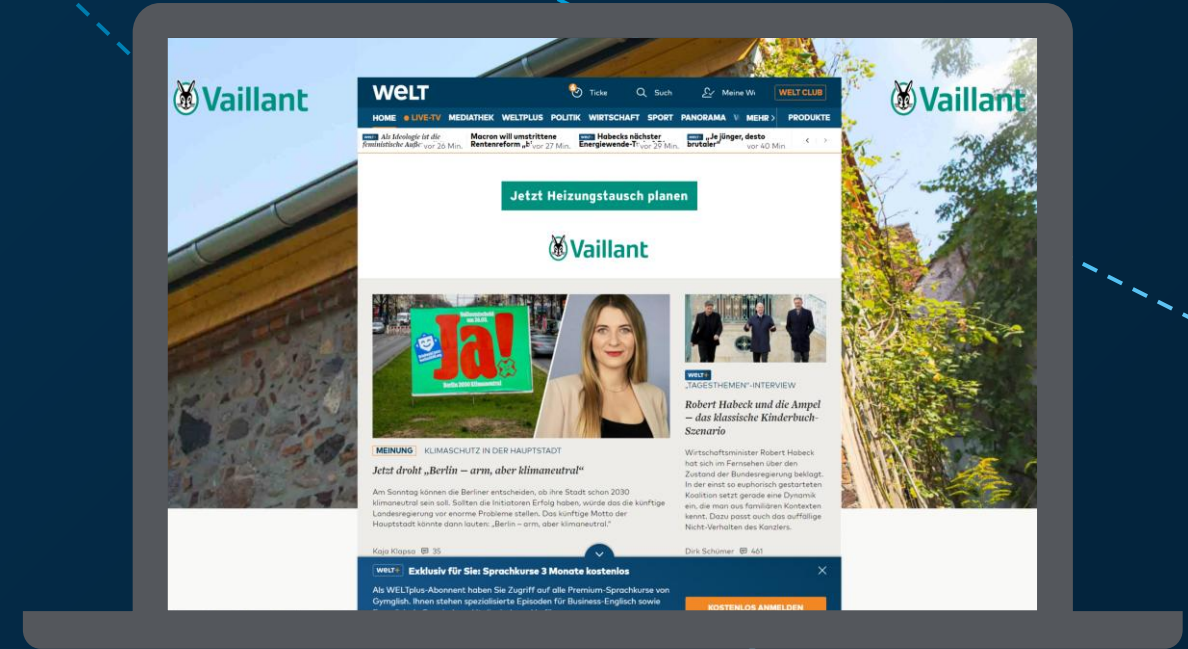
HOMERUN DELUXE BRIDGE AD

This premium ad format guarantees maximum impact.

Supplementary ads appear prominently on the billboard just below the site navigation.

The billboard is shown once per user per day (FC=1). After that, the dynamic format ends.

As users scroll, the Fireplace sidebars remain visible alongside the content.

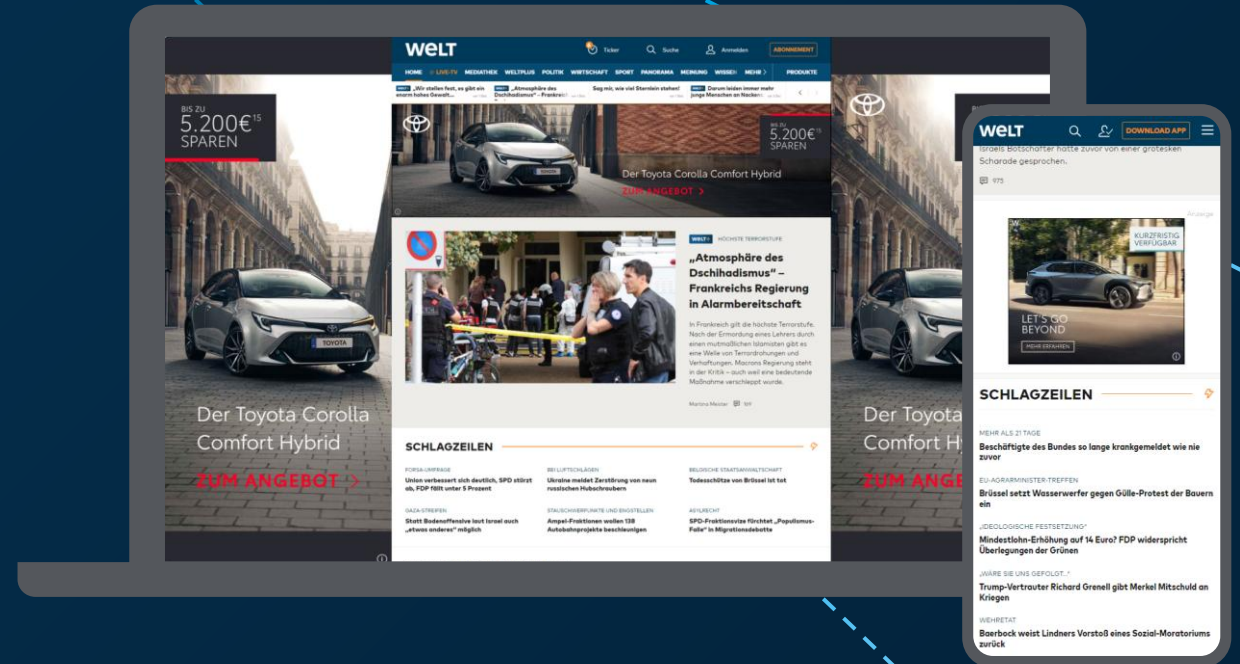


2.25M guaranteed AIs

HOMERUN DELUXE BILLBOARD & DOUBLE DYN. SITEBAR

The Billboard appears directly below the site navigation, instantly drawing the user's attention. Its spacious layout provides ample room for impactful visuals and key messaging.

Double Dynamic Sitebars remain fully visible at all times thanks to automatic screen-size adjustment – ideal for all devices.



2.25M guaranteed Als

WELT TAKEOVER – YOUR BRAND IN THE SPOTLIGHT

ALSO POSSIBLE AS A **DIGITAL VIEWER²** VARIANT

The interactive takeover is an exclusive and tailor-made staging of a WELT channel¹ created for you – presented by your brand.

Your staging takes over the channel exclusively – subtly animated, optimized for mobile and desktop, and staged for maximum visibility.

Duration: 4 weeks

12.6M guaranteed AIs



CLICK HERE

- 1) Channel includes matching editorial WELT articles
 - 2) A digital image gallery / exhibition on WELT.de (exclusivity and 100% share of voice only on the image gallery / digital viewer, not on teasers)
- * Plus creation costs: €8,000 (not SR- or AE-capable).

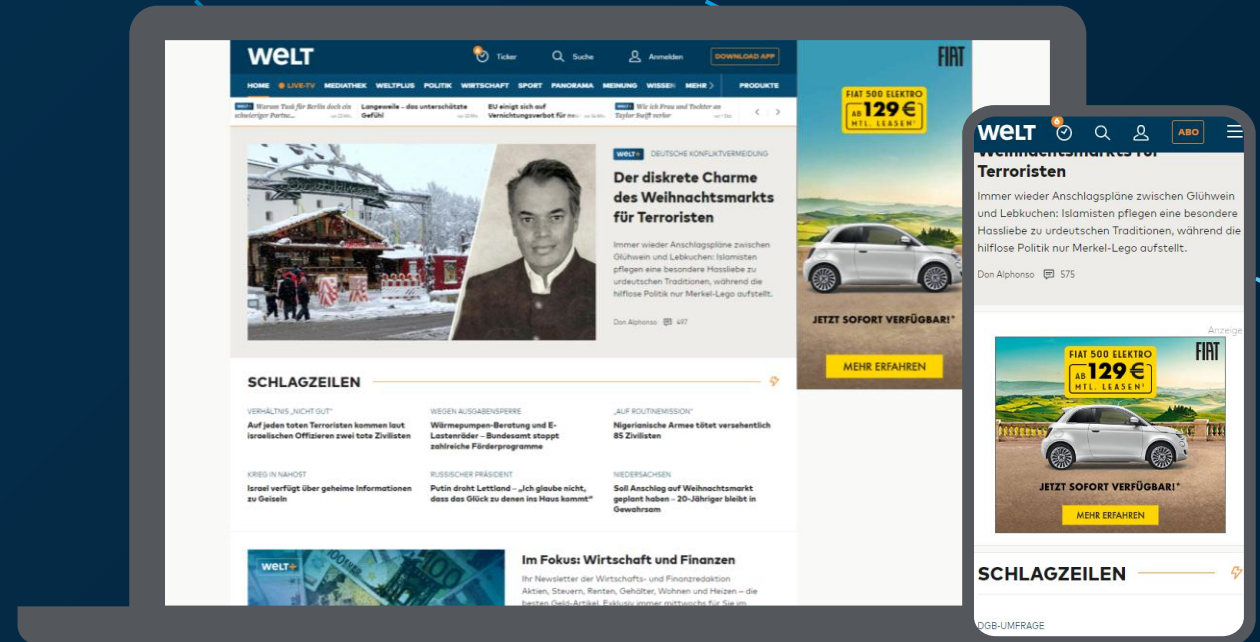
EXCLUSIVE PLACEMENTS

Showcase your brand effectively

EXCLUSIVE PLACEMENTS WELT RUN

The WELT Run combines the highest-reach channel launch and article pages* into a single product. By placing you exclusively where the attention of our WELT users is highest, we guarantee optimal viewability and maximum engagement.

2.5M guaranteed Als



EXCLUSIVE PLACEMENTS ALL IN

Unlock the full power of WELT Digital.

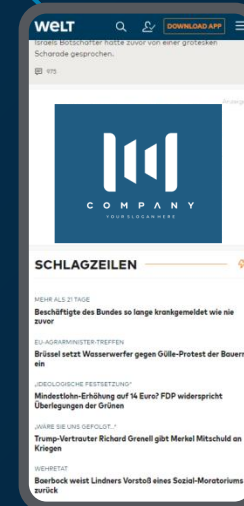
Your ads appear across the WELT.de homepage, all channel homepages and article pages – visible for a full 24 hours. Visible across all devices – desktop, mobile and app.

7.75M guaranteed Als

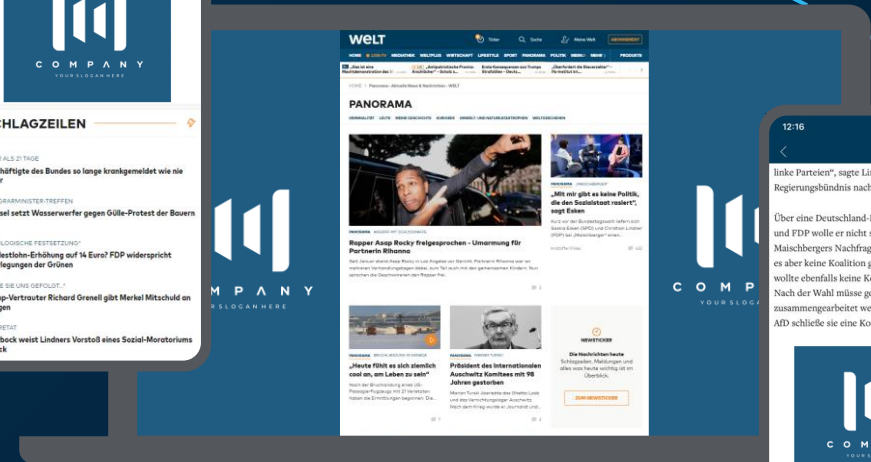
Example visualization.

24h: 10 a.m. – 10 a.m. SR/AR/AE enabled, ad placements in the visible area, excluding the "Alles auf Aktien" channel.

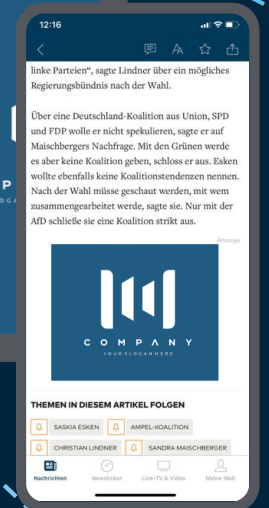
Home mobile



Channel homepage desktop



Article App



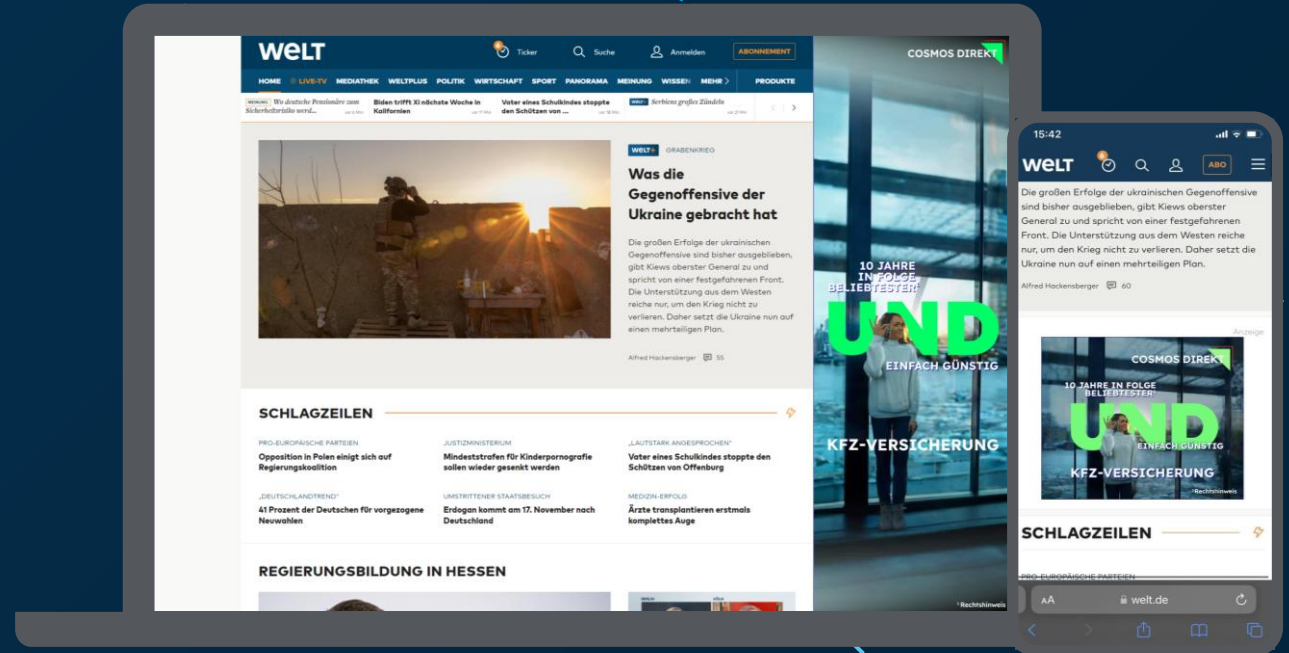
EXCLUSIVE PLACEMENTS FIRST CONTACT

This format targets all users who reach WELT Digital via search engines, such as Google News.

Each article page serves as a potential landing page and initial brand touchpoint.

First Contact expands the reach of your HomeRun placement without any overlap – making it the perfect complementary format.

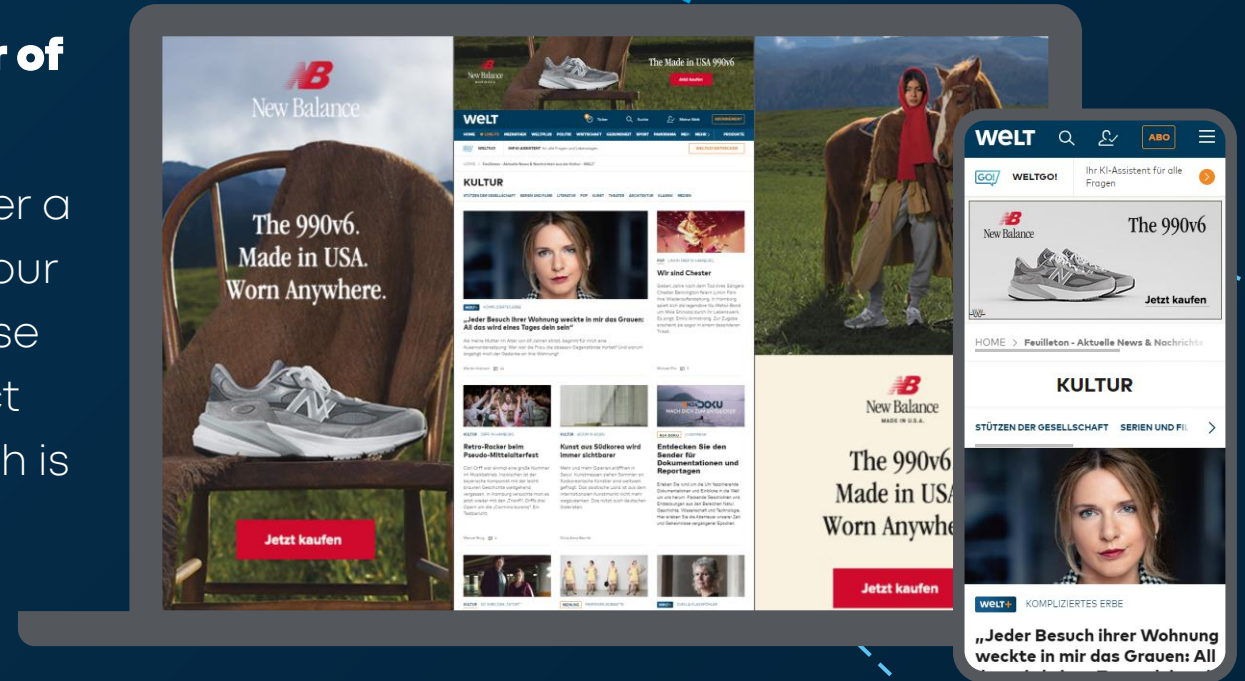
2M guaranteed Als



EXCLUSIVE PLACEMENTS CONTENT PRESENTING

Showcase your brand as the exclusive sponsor of one of our premium channels.

With a Content Presenting, your brand takes over a dedicated channel of your choice – featuring your logo and custom ad placements. You can choose between the Basic, Deluxe and Supreme product variants. Billing is on a CPM basis, while the reach is calculated individually – depending on the selected channel and duration.



OUR DECISION MAKER BRANDS

WELT

18.91M Unique Visitors¹

WELT Digital focuses on key topics like politics, economics and public discourse – and is one of Germany's leading news platforms.

BUSINESS INSIDER

6.51M Unique Users²

Business Insider delivers high-quality business journalism for a committed generation – focusing on business, finance, politics and technology.

¹ Source: AGF X-Reach, beta test, single month July 2024

² AGOF May 2022

OUR PRODUCTS FOR DECISION MAKERS

DECISION MAKER HOME BUNDLE

2.45M Als per day

DECISION MAKER HOME BUNDLE ADVANCED

4.45M Als per day

DECISION MAKER ROADBLOCK

11.04M Als per
day¹

INDIVIDUAL INTEGRATION

Customised to your needs



DIGITAL TOPIC SPECIAL

In a topic special, editorial content is curated on a dedicated landing page focused on your topic.

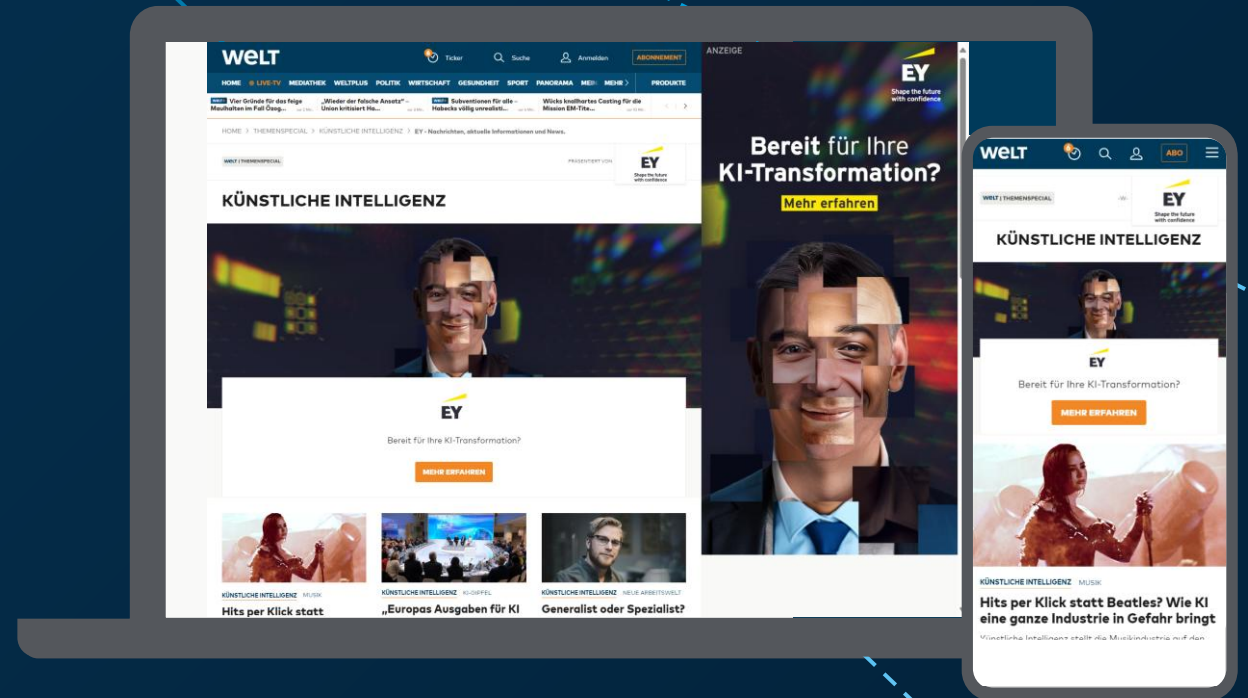
As the exclusive sponsor, your brand appears throughout the editorial environment, including:

- a Header and Footer
- a Sitebar and mobile with a Medium Rectangle².

Key benefits:

- Navigation entry
- Your logo appears on the WELT homepage for 2–3 days.³

Targeted ad placements drive readers to the special.⁴



¹ MEW + app

² Other formats on request

³ Logo integration within your own stage. Home stage only possible from theme special M

⁴ Sitebar Medium Rectangle

Case: Client: EY. Special topic: Artificial intelligence. Playout 2024. Topics can be taken from: https://www.mediaimpact.de/data/uploads/2024/01/welt_themenspecial_2024.pdf. Further topics on request.

LEARN MORE

INDIVIDUAL INTEGRATION WELT BRAND CONCEPTS

WELT brand concepts give you access to WELT's premium audience. Leverage our integrated cross-media solutions to showcase your brand with impact – and benefit from WELT's reach and expert support.

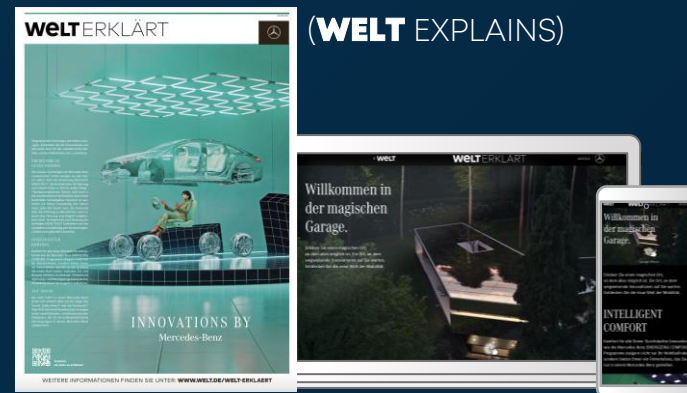
WELT PREMIERE



We present your product launch in a visually impactful and high-profile way across the WELT Group.

WELT ERKLÄRT

(WELT EXPLAINS)



We explain complex topics or products across all channels – in a way that speaks to our readers.

WELT TIPP

(WELT TIP)



We put your product in the spotlight – backed by a credible recommendation through co-branding with WELT.

DEEP INTEGRATION BRANDING AND PERFORMANCE

Custom editorial integration with performance-driven features

We ensure visibility in relevant editorial environments and integrate your content seamlessly into the WELT brand experience.

Integration is fully tailored to your needs – via advertorials, thematic stages (with partner content, widgets, videos, etc.), or via full-site embedding of your content within the WELT ecosystem (your website content is embedded into the WELT platform).

Reach

Runtime

Performance

Visibility

Optimisation

Service

From 3.5 million promotion impressions/month

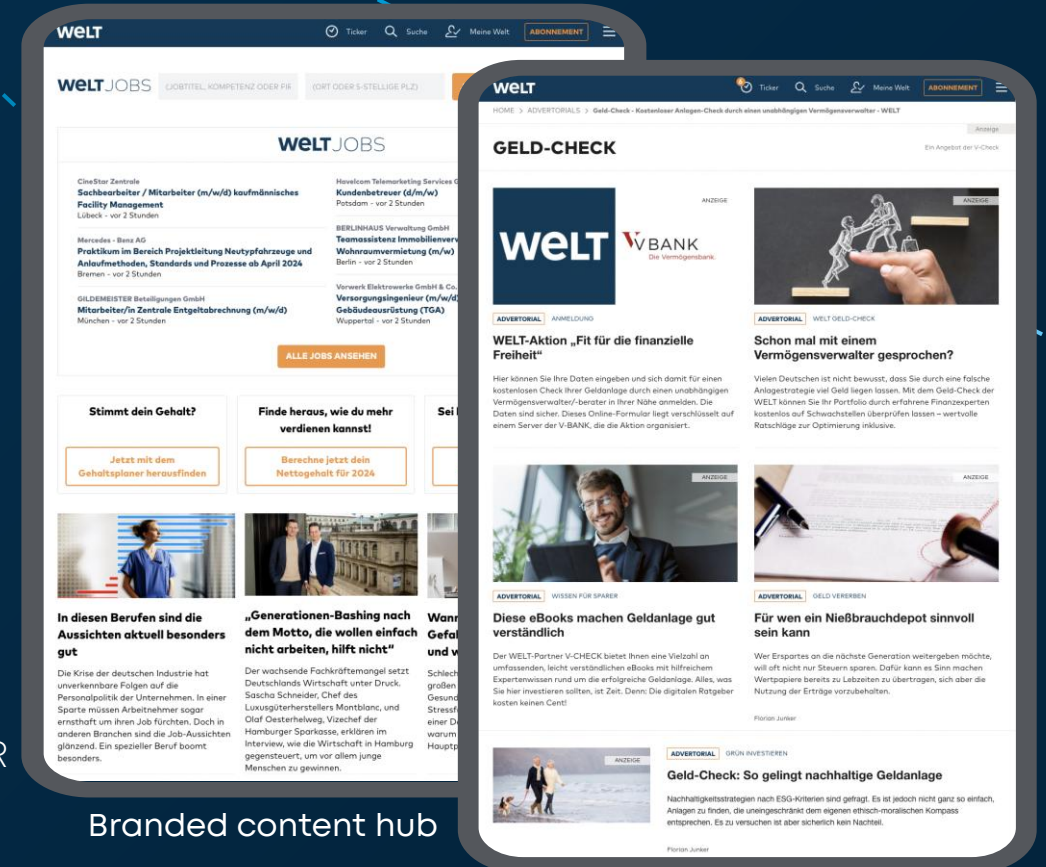
From 3 months

Customised CPX component

Exclusive editorial advertising material

Continuous optimisation according to CTR and CR

Full service/ personal key account



Branded content hub

Special topic page

NATIVE PRODUCTS BRAND STUDIOS

We create your success stories

WE BRING YOUR BRAND STORIES TO LIFE

We tell your success stories across our trusted brands – and support you every step of the way. Our guiding principle is simple: user first.

Every campaign is tailored to your target audience. KPIs are guaranteed, continuously optimized, and fully transparent.

We deliver full-service support – from premium production quality to extensive feedback loops and detailed reporting.



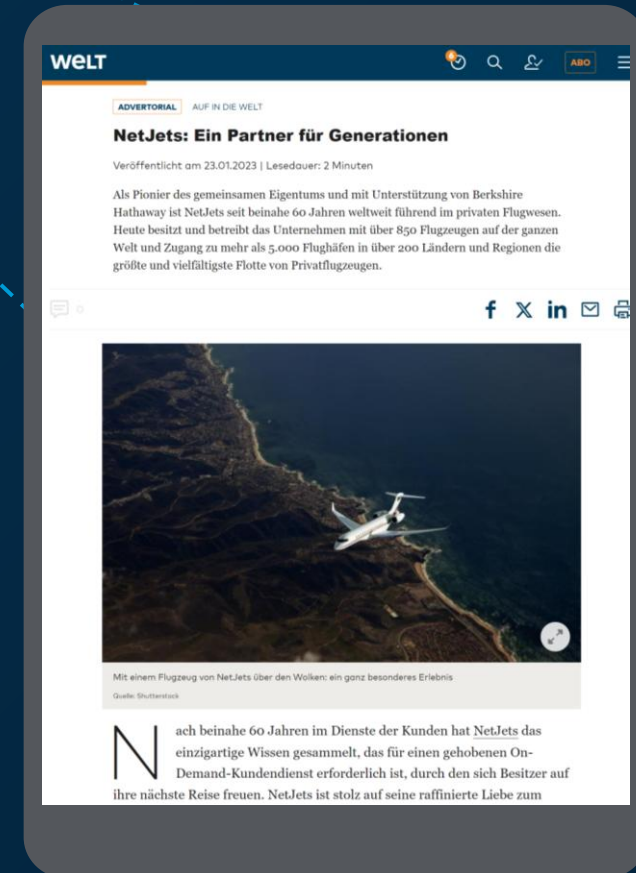
YOUR CONTENT AT WELT ADVERTORIAL

CAN ALSO BE BOOKED
CROSS-MEDIA

YOUR CONTENT, IN WELT'S LOOK AND FEEL

Your content is seamlessly embedded into editorial-style stories around products and purchasing messages.

The advertising materials you provide are presented in WELT's signature design, building trust and brand credibility – while also delivering strong traffic performance.



Advertorial for NetJets

YOUR PRODUCT IN FOCUS

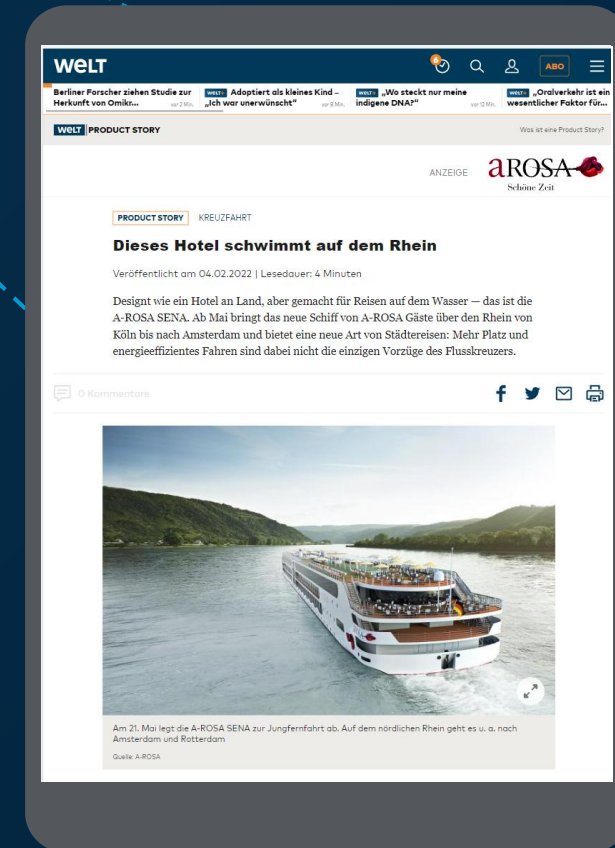
PRODUCT STORY

CAN ALSO BE BOOKED
CROSS-MEDIA

YOUR PRODUCT TAKES CENTRE STAGE

Tell your product's story – whether it's a new feature, special offer, or something that needs a little more explanation. We present it clearly and in the distinctive WELT style.

We craft your individual story and teaser based on your materials – always in close consultation with you.



BRAND NEW

REACH TARGET GROUP THE TARGETING PRODUCT STORY

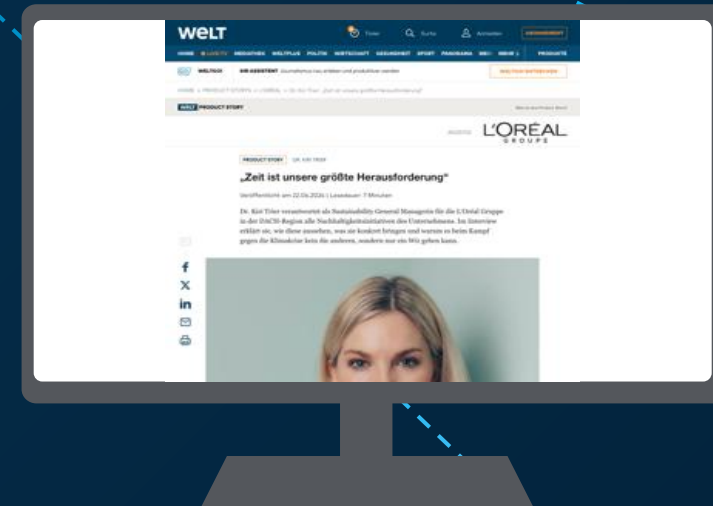
COMBINE NATIVE ADVERTISING WITH SMART DATA – NOW EVEN MORE TARGETED

Ideal for products that need explanation, showcase new features or current offers. Your content is presented authentically.

We create teasers and ads for you and deliver them as RoS placements and on social media – with targeted distribution.*

Reach and inspire your selected target group with the Targeting Product Story.

The focus is on the performance and awareness of your product.



Our targeting product story	Guaranteed page views	Guaranteed ad impressions
WELT	12,000	4,700,000

*Only selected Interest/Combination TGX + Context-Targetings included in the package! This includes age, gender and interests. **Plus creation costs: €6,000 (not SR- or AE-eligible).

BRAND NEW

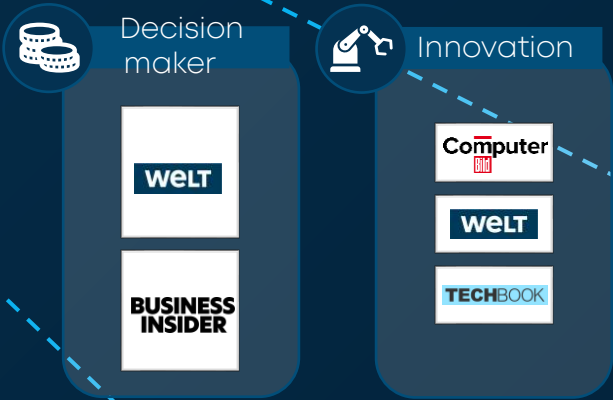
THE STORY KOMBOS: TOLD ON SEVERAL MEDIA

REACH MULTIPLE TARGET GROUP TOUCHPOINTS
ACROSS OUR MEDIA BRANDS – WITH JUST ONE
STORY!

This is possible with the story combos!

We'll create a product story based on your content and publish it on one of the media pages in your selected combo. The story will be promoted across all listed platforms to drive high-quality traffic.*

Advantages: Benefit from traffic across multiple platforms in one package – with lower production costs compared to booking each channel individually.



Our combo packages	Guaranteed page views	Guaranteed ad impressions
Decision maker <i>(Business Insider + WELT)</i>	28,000	13,400,000
Innovation <i>(Computer BILD + Techbook + WELT)</i>	15,000	4,050,000

*Content will be delivered via ad server placements and social media on the pages included in the combo.
**Plus creation costs: €8,000 (not SR- or AE-eligible). Interactive design costs €4,000 extra.

YOUR STORY BRAND STORY

A CUSTOM, ENGAGING AND INFORMATIVE STORY ...

... written by our Brand Studios journalists in the tone of Germany's leading media brands.

We create your unforgettable story – from concept to execution, every step is aligned with you.

A key advantage: your story receives premium visibility on placements that aren't available for standard content.

CAN ALSO BE BOOKED
CROSS-MEDIA



PARTICULARLY INTERACTIVE STORY

YOUR STORY IN SPECIAL
GLAMOUR

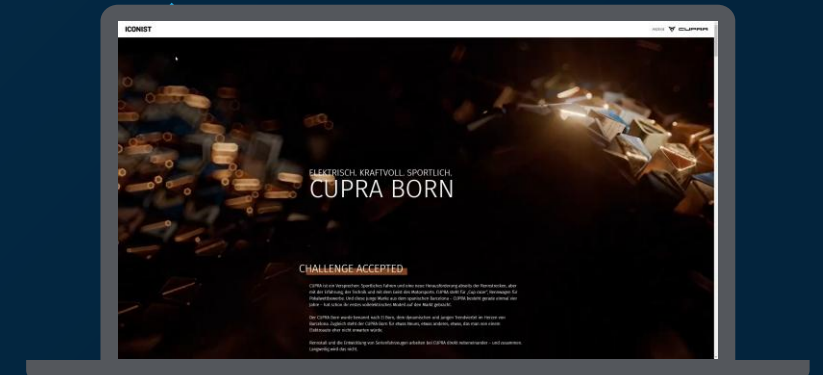
LET YOUR USERS INTERACT

What makes interactive stories stand out is the use of rich visuals and video elements that allow users to fully immerse themselves in the experience.

Users value interactivity – that's why we combine various formats such as videos, image gallerie and sliders. The result: higher engagement and stronger brand recall – thanks to a compelling, interactive experience.



EXPERIENCE THE MCDONALD'S INTERACTIVE STORY LIVE WITH OUR SWIPE STORIES



CUPRA INTERACTIVE STORY

1) Plus extra creation costs: €4,000 in addition to the classic brand or product story creation costs (not eligible for SR or AE)

INNOVATIVE SWIPE STORY

INNOVATIVE AND VISUALLY POWERFUL READING EXPERIENCE

This mobile-first storytelling format helps you present your message to potential customers in a fresh and engaging way.

It's effective, structured, and easy to read – inspired by the swipe format familiar from Instagram, now in a premium WELT setting.

Tell your story in up to 15 engaging parts.

**EASY TO READ AND CLEARLY
STRUCTURED!**



Diversity in MCDONALD'S

POINTED & SERIOUS THE STATEMENT STORY

AN APPEARANCE AT A WELT EVENT
CAN BE EFFICIENTLY REINFORCED
WITH THIS TYPE OF
STORYTELLING.

YOUR AGENDA IN A CONTEMPORARY FORMAT

The statement story communicates your position with clarity and authority in a serious journalistic environment. Your message reaches decision-makers, opinion leaders and consumers within the WELT audience.

PERFORMANCE DATA*:

- Up to ten slides
- Graphic teaser with 4.7 million AIs
- Two sponsored posts on LinkedIn via WELT (> 74,000 followers)
- Minimum of 8,000 guaranteed article views

*Including creation, project management, technical set-up, photos, infographics.



OPTIONAL: PRINT ADD-ON

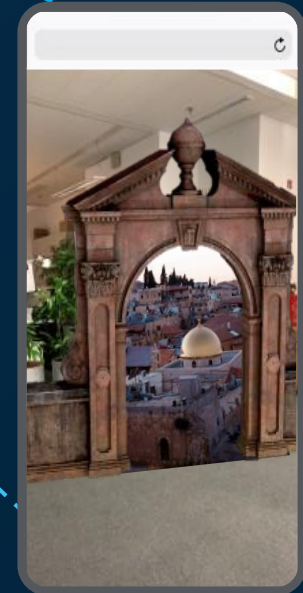
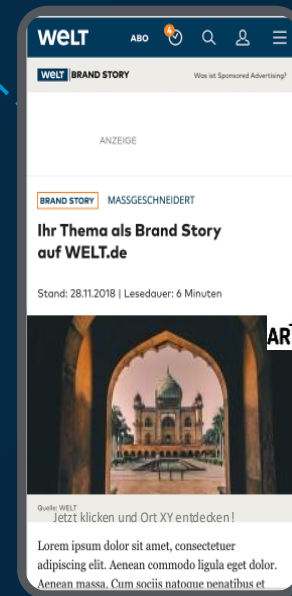
1/4 page advert with photo, statement, short text and QR code/link to the statement story on WELT.de.

IMMERSE YOURSELF IN A VIRTUAL WORLD IMMERSIVE STORY

**3D MODELS AND INFORMATION
ARE SUPERIMPOSED ON THE REAL
WORLD AT THE CLICK OF A BUTTON**

Want to present your topic with innovative storytelling and cutting-edge technology – and take users on a visual journey? We offer the ideal format to do just that. With just one click, users enter an interactive virtual experience. Explore 360° environments, virtual rooms and more – fully tailored to your brand. This experience integrates seamlessly with your brand or product story.

Authentic storytelling with emotional impact – driven by deep user involvement.



Exemplary visualisation

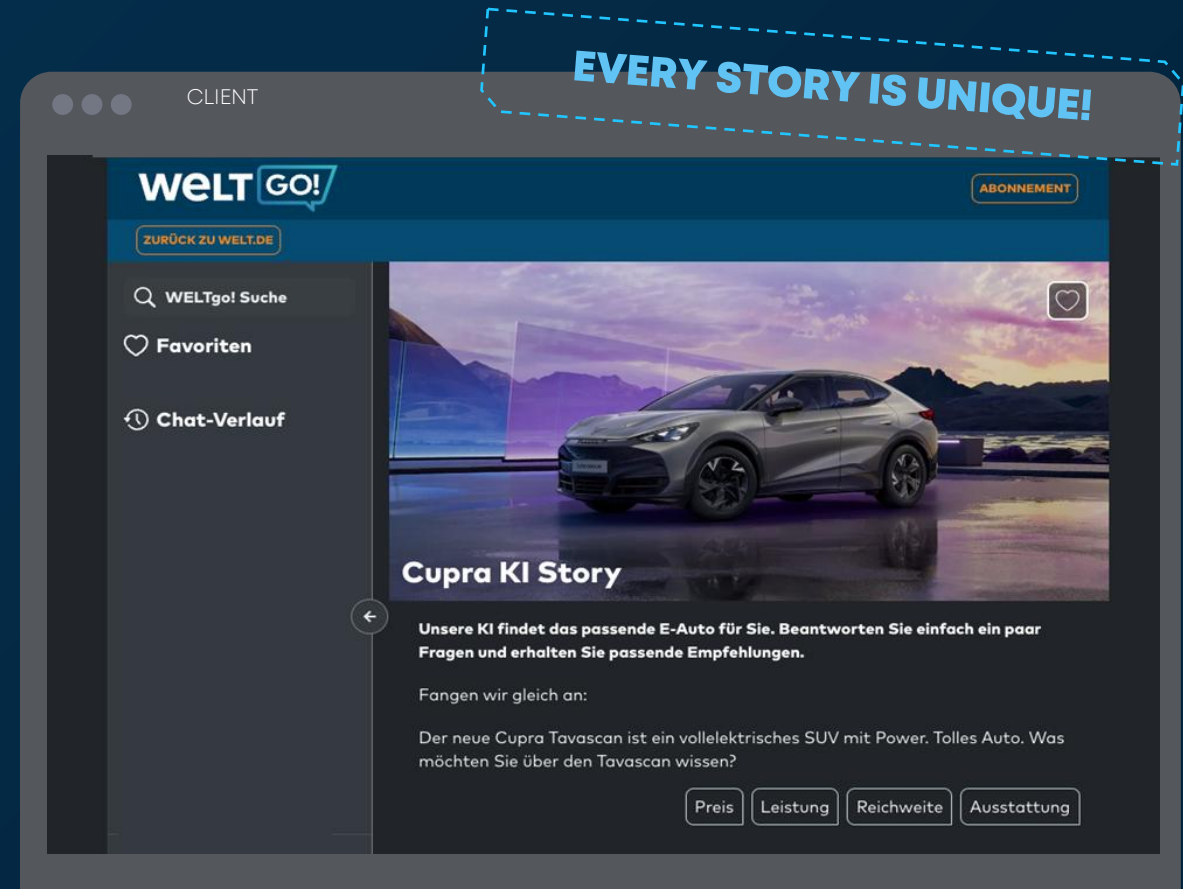
STORYTELLING RETHOUGHT

THE AI-STORY

The interactive AI story powered by WELTgo! responds to each user individually, just like in a personal conversation.

Together with you, we work out the most important questions about your brand/your product. From this, we create a **story journey** with questions and answers that truly interest users and are exciting for your target group.

Personal consulting through the AI talk is more than advertising – it is personal, interactive, and different – leading to longer dwell time, active engagement, product integration and know-how.



Example questions for the user as a starting point

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