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# SOCIAL-MEDIA MARKETING ON THE RUSSIAN MARKET: FEATURES OF APPLICATION

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Abstract: In this article some features of Social-media marketing application in Russia are considered. First of all, the authors emphasize the urgency of social networks using to promote goods and services (Social-media marketing). The advantages are described of applying this form of marketing in comparison with the traditional one. Further, the main Internet platforms are identified, which are relevant for promoting the company among the Russian-speaking audience, which allow to intensify the activities of organizations, attract new customers. As an example of the Social-media marketing promotion using, the "Sberbank of Russia" (PJSC) activity has been studied and described as a representative of large business in the Internet space. It was revealed that "Sberbank of Russia" is the leader in the number of used social media in comparison with its main competitors. In addition, the Bank is using actively other opportunities of the Internet: online banking "Sberbank Online" and SMS service "Mobile Bank", and also has the world's largest network of ATMs and service terminals. The conclusion is made that the active development of the Internet space is one of the main business technologies, which allows maintaining leadership positions.

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