

Panelists debate on how leveraging data can transform SMB marketing at the Oracle OpenWorld 2018

MOUNTAIN VIEW, CALIFORNIA, USA, November 8, 2018 /EINPresswire.com/ -- In a panel discussion held at <u>Oracle OpenWorld</u> 2018, the latest edition of Oracle's annual business and technology conference held in San Francisco between the 22nd and 25th of October, luminaries from different fields debated on how leveraging data can transform SMB marketing. Among the panel members was Vikas Sharan, CEO of <u>Regalix</u> Inc.

The discussion, titled 'How Leveraging Data Can Transform Your SMB Marketing', revolved around the significant role that SMBs play in the B2B economy, both in terms of revenue and employees, and the challenges associated with marketing to them in the digital economy. Other panel members who participated in the discussion included Krista Panoff (VP, Digital Partnerships, Transunion), Jeremy Parker (Global Digital Marketing Lead, Dell), Niraj Deo (VP Product & Data Strategy, Oracle Data Cloud)



and. The panel discussion was moderated by Pierce Hasler (VP, Oracle Data Cloud).

Talking about trends in the transition to digital, Vikas spoke about the role of the subscription economy and how the rise of such an economy has changed the responsibilities of marketers and shifted their area of focus. "Where cost-effective acquisition was once viewed as the primary goal, retention, re-selling and upselling are now considered equally important," he said.

On Oracle Data Cloud's new SMB 2.0 solution and the importance of customized messaging, Vikas noted how we can now predict which business is likely to switch services and possibly why, and what they are considering. "Based upon this, I can create very personalized messaging and offers for those accounts," he said. "I can present these when they are researching their options online or customizing the contact center script when they call in," he added. Asked to predict the future course of B2B Marketing, Vikas was of the opinion that "the future lies in predictive technologies that are based upon the aggregation of good data and customization of content."

Oracle OpenWorld seeks to help businesses adopt and leverage cloud technology for growth and advancement. At the event, industry experts explore the latest trends, innovations and possibilities surrounding the cloud, through guest lectures, demonstrations and panel discussions.

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