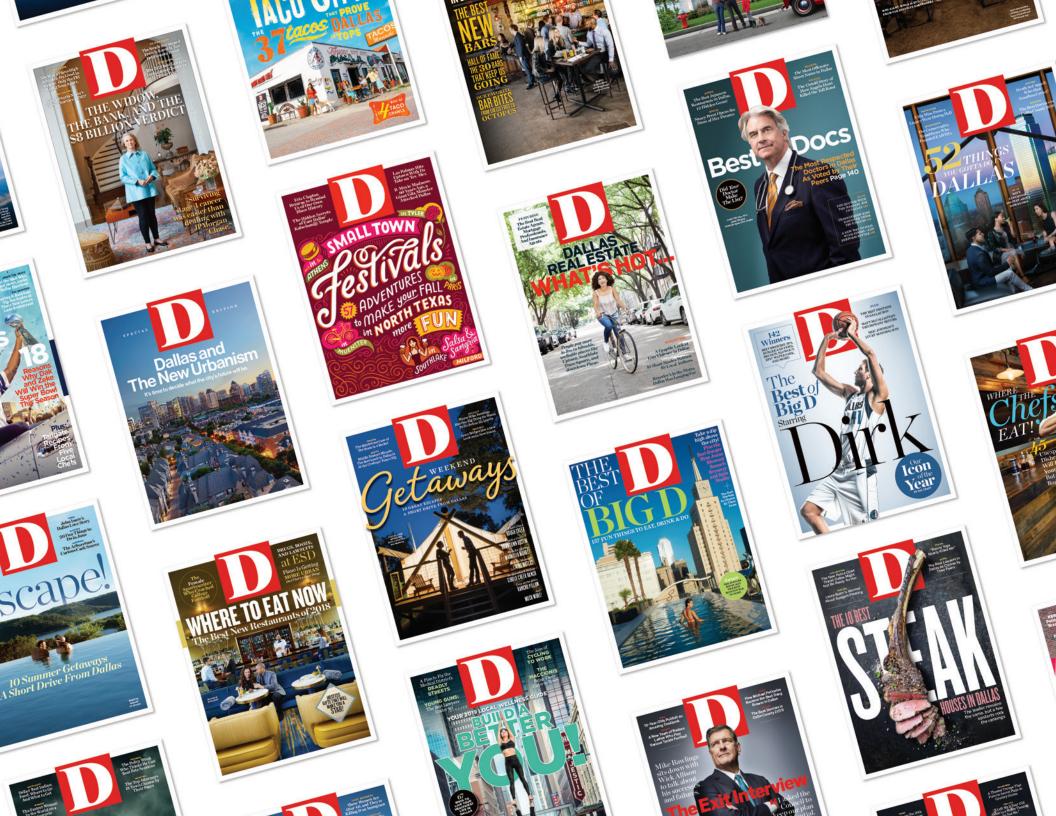


**MEDIA KIT // 2020** 



## Hi, we're D Magazine.

Since 1974, we've dominated the Dallas media market through influential editorial content and a renowned brand. Our business model is simple: **Attract** high-value readers. **Connect** our audience to our advertisers. **Build** our partners' businesses.

Now, see how we can help build yours.

OUR AUDIENCE, AT A GLANCE':	READERSHIP	508,948+		
	NET CIRCULATION	60,598+*		
	AVG. HHI	\$339,749		
	AVG. NET WORTH	\$1,404,000		
	AVERAGE HOME VALUE	\$627,000		
	ATTENDED OR GRADUATED COLLEGE	97%		
	FEMALE	61%		
	MALE	39%		
	AVERAGE READER AGE	51		



D Magazine sells more copies per issue than any other magazine sold in Dallas including Texas Monthly, Luxe, Vogue, and Vanity Fair.<sup>2</sup>

## D Magazine Success Factors

TRUST

ENGAGEMENT

100

93%
of readers
consider
D Magazine
a reliable
resource
when making
purchases
or buying
decisions.\*

79% of readers frequently purchase products seen in D Magazine.\*

98.4%

of D Magazine subscribers regularly read or look through the magazine. (The average for national magazines is 77%.)



D MAGAZINE

### 77 minutes

average time spent reading each issue

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of readers keep their copy of *D Magazine* for more than one month.\*

78%

LOYALTY

45 minutes average time



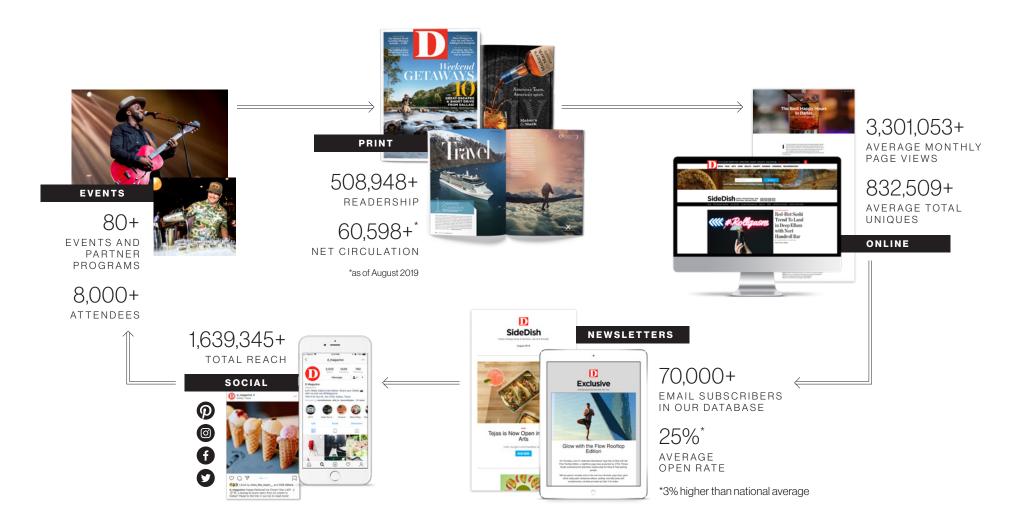


"Ilove *D Magazine*. Ilive my life off *D Magazine*. Literally it's where I found my doctor, dentist, and go-to places to eat. I would've missed out on so many cool events if I didn't subscribe." **SANDEI STRUEBING**, *D* **READER** 

## Tap into D's Brand Footprint

One custom plan for you with many touch points.

*D Magazine* connects its advertising partners to our readers through dynamic multimedia platforms. Whether you're interested in print, events, digital, or special programs, *D Magazine* can customize a program to attract your desired audience and create an innovative campaign that aligns your brand with ours.





## Position yourself in print.

The most powerful medium among consumers.

#### THE LATEST TRENDS

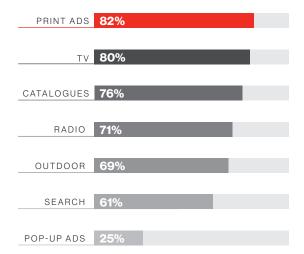
90%

of adults say they have read magazines in the last six months, **the highest of all time**.<sup>1</sup>

advertisers say magazines offer the highest ROI over

any other medium.2

Internet users say they **trust print media the most**.<sup>3</sup>



"We wanted to connect with, and expand, our customer base in the Dallas market through a publication with beautiful creative and top-drawer editorial. We found an outstanding partner in *D*, and look forward to continued success." **THE ORVIS COMPANY INC.** 

SOURCE: GfK MRI<sup>1</sup>; Nielsen Catalina Solutions, 2015<sup>2</sup>; Marketing Sherpa, 2017<sup>3</sup>; Circulation Verification Council 2018<sup>4</sup>



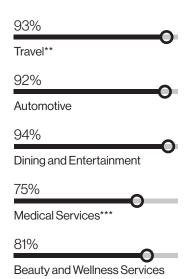
## Leverage the most influential print product in town.

D's high editorial standards and investment in creativity capture local and national recognition

Out of 2,500 entries, *D Magazine* was the only city and regional publication to be considered for the 2018 Folio Magazine of the Year award, and even competed against *ESPN* and *Better Homes & Gardens*.

## Where Our Readers Spend:

D readers plan to purchase the following products or services within the next twelve months.



<sup>\*\*98%</sup> of *D Magazine* readers took at least one trip last year.

98%

of readers consider *D Magazine* a reliable resource when making purchases or buying decisions.<sup>4</sup>

<sup>\*\*\*96%</sup> of *D Magazine* readers have health insurance.

## D's 2020 Editorial Vision



# D Magazine #1 was awarded #1 in General Excellence

IN OUR CIRCULATION CATEGORY IN 2019 BY THE CITY AND REGIONAL MAGAZINE ASSOCIATION.

		AD CLOSE	ART DUE	NEWS STAND
JAN	JOURNALISM FEATURE; BEST LAWYERS UNDER 40  Ad Sections: Annual Retirement Guide for North Texas; Guide to Collin County; Best Lawyers Under 40; Travel  Events: Best Lawyers Under 40	NOV 8	NOV 12	DEC 19
FEB	JOURNALISM FEATURE  Ad Section: Travel; Faces of Influence  Event: Excellence in Nursing	13	DEC <b>17</b>	30
MAR	HOW TO HIKE AND BIKE LIKE A LOCAL  Ad Sections: Excellence in Nursing; Private School Guide; Travel  Event: Best Doctors in Collin County	JAN <b>17</b>	JAN <b>21</b>	<sup>FEВ</sup> <b>27</b>
APR	NEIGHBORHOOD EXPLORER  Ad Sections: Best Doctors in Collin County; Travel  Event: Best Lawyers	<sub>БЕВ</sub> 21	25	MAR <b>26</b>
MAY	TRAVEL MOVED UP TO MAY!  Ad Sections: Best Lawyers; Doctors' Orders: New Primary Care Model; Private School Guide; Travel	MAR <b>20</b>	MAR <b>24</b>	APR <b>30</b>
JUN	HEAT INDEX: WHAT CLIMATE CHANGE MEANS FOR DALLAS AND HOW TO STAY COOL THIS SUMMER  Ad Section: Travel  Events: Best Real Estate Agents and Top Producers; Best Mortgage and Insurance Professionals	APR <b>17</b>	APR <b>21</b>	MAY <b>21</b>
JUL	REAL ESTATE  Ad Sections: Best Real Estate Agents; Best Mortgage and Insurance Professionals;  Travel  Events: Best Dentists; Best of Big D	MAY <b>22</b>	MAY <b>26</b>	<sup>JUN</sup> <b>25</b>
AUG	BEST OF BIG D  Ad Sections: Best Dentists; Leaders in Law; Private School Handbook; Travel	JUN 25	<sup>JUN</sup> <b>29</b>	30
SEP	DALLAS' TEX-MEX CULTURE: NOT JUST TACOS  Ad Sections: Doctors' Orders: Women's Health; Travel  Event: Best Doctors	<b>24</b>	<b>28</b>	AUG <b>27</b>
ОСТ	BEST DOCTORS IN DALLAS  Ad Sections: Best Doctors; Private School Guide; Travel  Event: Best Financial Planners and Top Wealth Managers	AUG <b>21</b>	AUG <b>25</b>	24
NOV	HIDDEN DALLAS  Ad Sections: Best Financial Planners and Top Wealth Managers; Family Law;  Travel; Holiday Dining Guide	SEP 18	SEP <b>22</b>	ост <b>29</b>
DEC	WHERE TO EAT NOW  Ad Sections: Best New Restaurants; Celebrating the Best; Doctors' Orders: Fight Cancer/ New Advances; Holiday Gift Guide; Travel  Event: Best New Restaurants	ост <b>16</b>	ост <b>20</b>	NOV 19



Relevant. Passionate. Credible.

Dmagazine.com's digital presence penetrates niche communities and serves as a necessary resource to more than 3.8 million active and informed locals who stay current on the latest and greatest Dallas has to offer.

#### WHO ARE OUR DIGITAL USERS?1

51% are between 25 and 44 years old.

have a bachelor's or professional degree (MBA, M.D., J.D.).

are female.

have an average household income of \$100,000 and above.

#### **HOW WE DEFINE BRAND LOYALTY**<sup>1</sup>

35,154+

59%

users visit dmagazine.com 9+ times per month.

of dmagazine.com users are more or just as likely to click on an article sponsored by a brand.

of dmagazine.com users trust sponsored or partner content.

OUR PERFORMANCE\*

3,301,053+

AVERAGE MONTHLY PAGE VIEWS

832,509+

70,000+

IN OUR DATABASE

**DID YOU** 

KNOW?

Facebook ranks the second

highest among social networks for engagement

## Get social.

and easy to read." HOLLY MASON, D READER

Our digital reach doesn't stop on our website. We are everywhere our audience is, and your business can be too.

#### actions for magazine brands. **GROWING ABOVE AND BEYOND 6** Instagram content of magazine Pinterest 1,000,000+ D Magazine brands yields 37% Twitter 330.100+ more engagement compared to Instagram 165,000+ **Total followers** non-magazine Facebook 144.245+ 1,639,345+ After his first wife's death, Daron Babcock started picking bar fights and snorting rails of coke. Then he did something even crazier. He started a mediums. 5 133,603 across D's social like this channels Hours 9:00 AM - 5:00 PM Paron Babcock Sold His Home to Start Bonton Farms in r Like Commen A Share Pages Liked by This Page (D) d\_magazir "I consistently read D Magazine, follow D on social and visit the website to stay informed about our city. I can trust Das a credible resource for recommendations on restaurants, specialists, stores and other businesses. The high-quality design and writing make it enjoyable

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SOURCE: MPA The Association of Magazine Media

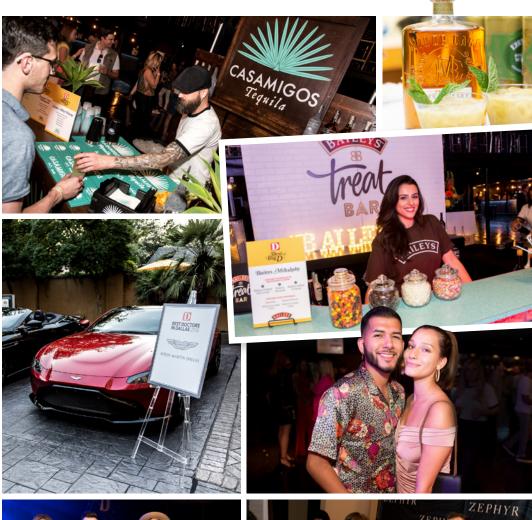
## The D Scene.

Bring your brand to life with memorable and highly targeted experiences across Dallas' mostdesired industries, communities and audiences.

Our marketing and events team will engage and activate your target audience through prepromotion, onsite activation and strategic follow-up.

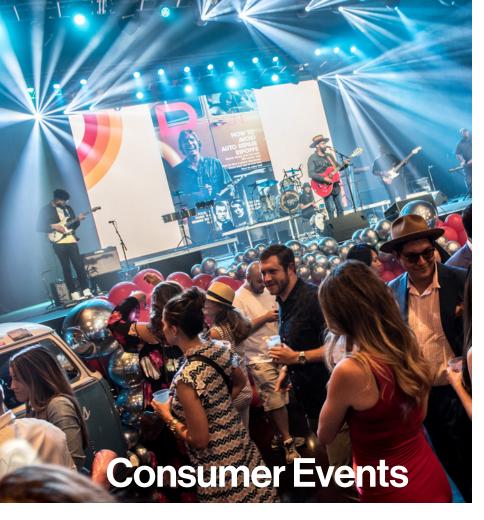


"Our partnership with D Magazine opened up great opportunities for the Topo Chico brand. Being featured at The Best of Big Devent gave us brand recognition among the top influencers in Dallas-Fort Worth." **TOPO CHICO** 









D readers look to us to elevate their experience of living in Dallas. Partner on one of these well-curated gatherings to make a polished impression on our audience.

#### **Women Makers**

**EVENT:** Spring

ATTENDANCE: 500+

**FORMAT:** Two-day event, celebrating female entrepreneurs through industry panels and an artisan marketplace

**AUDIENCE:** Dallas' entrepreneur community; consumers interested in high-end goods

#### **BrunchFest**

**EVENT:** May

ATTENDANCE: 500+

**FORMAT:** Half-day festival highlighting Dallas' hottest brunch spots; ticket holders will enjoy live music, craft cocktails and brunch items from 15+ restaurants **AUDIENCE:** foodies and socialites

#### Best of Big D

**EVENT:** July

ATTENDANCE: 2,000+

**FORMAT:** The biggest and best party of the year, celebrating Best of Big D winners, accompanied by sweet and savory bites, craft cocktails, beer, wine and live entertainment

**AUDIENCE:** Dallas VIPs, influencers and socialites

#### **Best New Restaurants in Dallas**

**EVENT:** December

ATTENDANCE: 120+

**FORMAT:** Plated, multi-course meal, celebrating new additions to Dallas' restaurant scene

**AUDIENCE:** Affluent, charitable Dallas foodies (a portion of ticket proceeds are donated to Café Momentum)













## Awards & Recognition

Be introduced to the best and brightest of Dallas. Attendance is limited to award winners in each category, as selected by their peers. Elevated food, craft beverages and live entertainment set the stage for your brand to form dynamic connections.





#### **Best Lawyers Under 40**

**EVENT:** January

ATTENDANCE: 75+

**AUDIENCE:** Up-and-coming legal professionals, across specialties

#### **Excellence in Nursing**

**EVENT:** February

ATTENDANCE: 200+

**AUDIENCE:** A range of high value and influential healthcare professionals

#### **Best Doctors in Collin County**

**EVENT:** March

ATTENDANCE: 150+

**AUDIENCE:** Top physicians from one of the fastest growing regions in the United States

#### **Best Lawyers in Dallas**

**EVENT:** April

ATTENDANCE: 200+

**AUDIENCE:** High-powered, affluent attorneys across legal specialties

## Best Real Estate Agents and Top Producers in Dallas

**EVENTS** 

**EVENT:** June

ATTENDANCE: 450+

**AUDIENCE:** Top-producing realtors with exceptional customer service, integrity, and market knowledge

### Best Mortgage and Insurance Professionals in Dallas

**EVENT:** June

ATTENDANCE: 250+

**AUDIENCE:** Top-producing mortgage lenders and insurance agents

#### **Best Dentists in Dallas**

**EVENT:** July

ATTENDANCE: 125+

**AUDIENCE:** Sought-after dentists across

multiple specialties

#### **Best Doctors in Dallas**

**EVENT:** September

ATTENDANCE: 400+

**AUDIENCE:** Highly esteemed members of

the Dallas medical community

## Best Financial Planners and Top Wealth Managers in Dallas

**EVENT:** October

ATTENDANCE: 100+

**AUDIENCE:** Esteemed local wealth managers, with at least \$100 million total assets under management and a 95% client retention rate over the past 2 years



# D Magazine has the audience, offerings and innovations, and one of the most trusted and influential brands in the city. Be a part of it.



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MARTHA MORGULOFF, EBBY HALLIDAY REAL ESTATE, INC.

"Closing on a deal next week with buvers from out of town [who] found me on the Donline directory. They said they use the directory for everything here in Dallas I appreciate the partnership and look forward to continued success."

BRADLEY MARSHALL, MANAGING PARTNER, DEN PROPERTY GROUP What I love about *D Magazine* are the insights it gives into health, restaurants, travel...I love reading about the top ten getaways or top ten steakhouses to try and truly plan my life in congruence with these suggestions. Felix Lozano, Reader and Advertiser



"Year after year D Magazine delivers a steady stream of new business from both our print and online advertising. We find D Magazine to be productive and an important part of our overall mix."

JEFFREY WHITMAN, KEY-WHITMAN EYE CENTER "WE VALUE OUR ONLINE PROFILE AS A WAY FOR ALL YEAR REPRESENTATION OF OUR DENTAL PRACTICE [AND IT] PROVIDES A USEFUL TOOL FOR OUR WEBSITE AND SOCIAL MEDIA PAGES. IT'S DEFINITELY A COST-EFFECTIVE WAY TO PROMOTE OUR OFFICE AND SERVICES." DR. SARAH TEVIS POTEET, DDS, PA

We can't wait to build your brand, and together make Dallas an even better place to live.