Meet the Money

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Topics

Speaker	Торіс	Hotel Example
Marc Hoffman	Union Restructuring via Catering Space expansion	Hyatt Regency Embarcadero, San Francisco
Marc Hoffman	Room Service & Market Concept	Hyatt Regency Embarcadero, San Francisco
JD Barnes	Technology in Labor Optimization (paybacks and savings for different labor technologies)	TBD
Saxton Sharad	F&B Revenue Generation (increase guest checks)	TBD
Ali Kasikci	Management Innovation	Montage Beverly Hills, Rosewood Miramar
Saxton Sharad	Turndown & Linen Alignment	TBD
Ali Kasikci	Revenue Management Enhancement	Sunset Tower
	Importance of the Labor Management System and Proper	
JD Barnes	Scheduling Tools	TBD

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Property Overview			
Location	San Francisco, CA		
Number of Rooms	804		
Square Feet of Meeting Space	72,000		
Ownership Type	Fee Simple		

Acquisition Overview			
Transaction Closed	December		
	2013		
Purchase Price	\$263 million		
Purchase Price per Key	\$327,300		
Multiple on 2014E EBITDA at Acquisition	14.2x		
Cap. Rate on 2014E NOI at Acquisition	6.0%		

Acquisition Rationale

 Opportunity to acquire a high quality property situated in a prime, fee simple location in San Francisco's financial district

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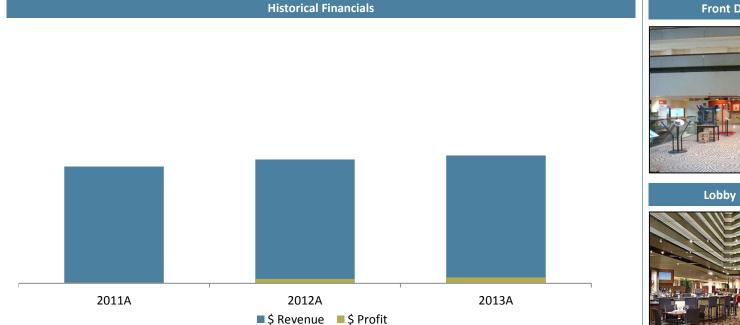
- Hotel located next to numerous corporate and leisure demand generators with additional uplift expected from the construction of 3 million square feet of new office space in immediate vicinity
- Substantial upside opportunities available through renovation, streamlining of F&B offerings and more intensive labor asset management of F&B

Food and Beverage History

- Hotel had severely undersized lobby bar and nondescript hotel B/L/D space generating very low sales per occupied room.
- Hotel atrium catering space not being optimized due to lack of permanent space versus temporary look.
- Room Service profitability was losing \$0.7 million annually on \$1.3 million in total revenue.
- Historically, banquet scheduling and the banquet operating labor cost model had not been challenged operationally through the years.

Lobby - Before



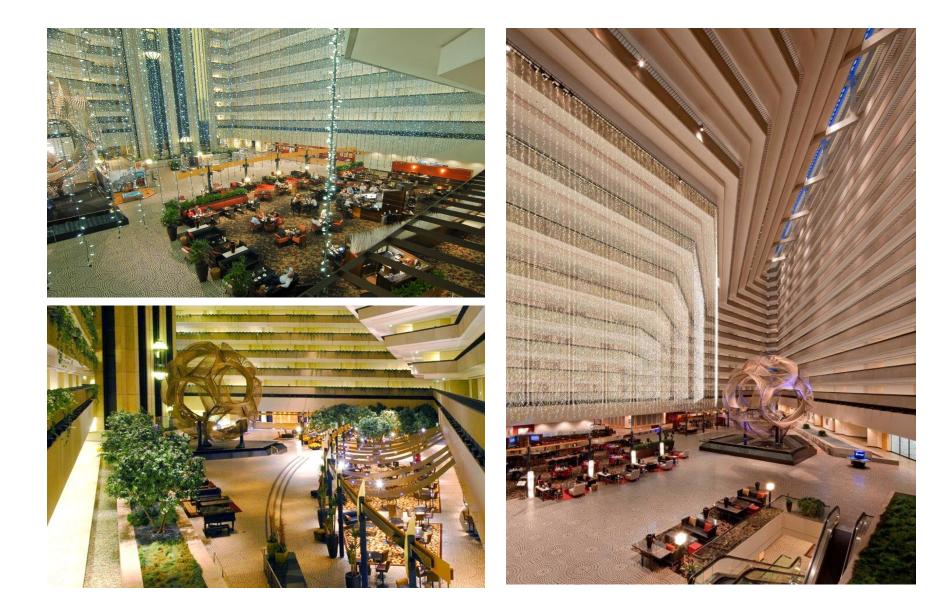


Front Desk - Before



Lobby Bar - Before

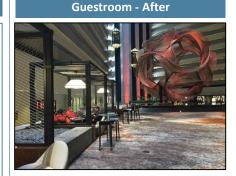




Union Restructuring via Meeting Space Expansion & Room Service & Market Concept

Food and Beverage Profit Improvement Plan

- Re-concept 7,000 sqft. of makeshift lobby meeting space to modern permanent flex space with nano walls which created seven 1,000 sqft. partitions.
- Demolish 25-year old tired lobby F&B restaurant and bar concepts to build new 2-story feature bar and dining concept with private spaces enclosed in public location (SPOR growth of ~50%).
- Combine Room Service with new Grab & Go Market concept. The transition from Room Service to Grab & Go reverses a loss leader to a profit center.
- Time and motion study and significant work with management on scheduling.

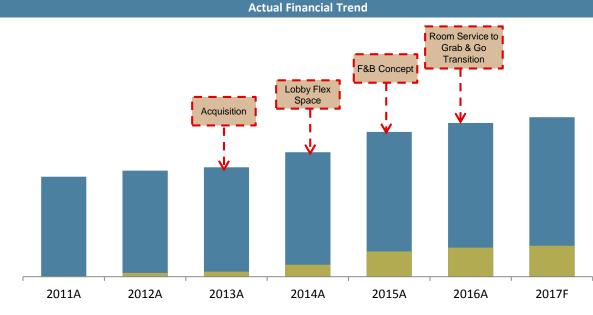


Front Desk - After



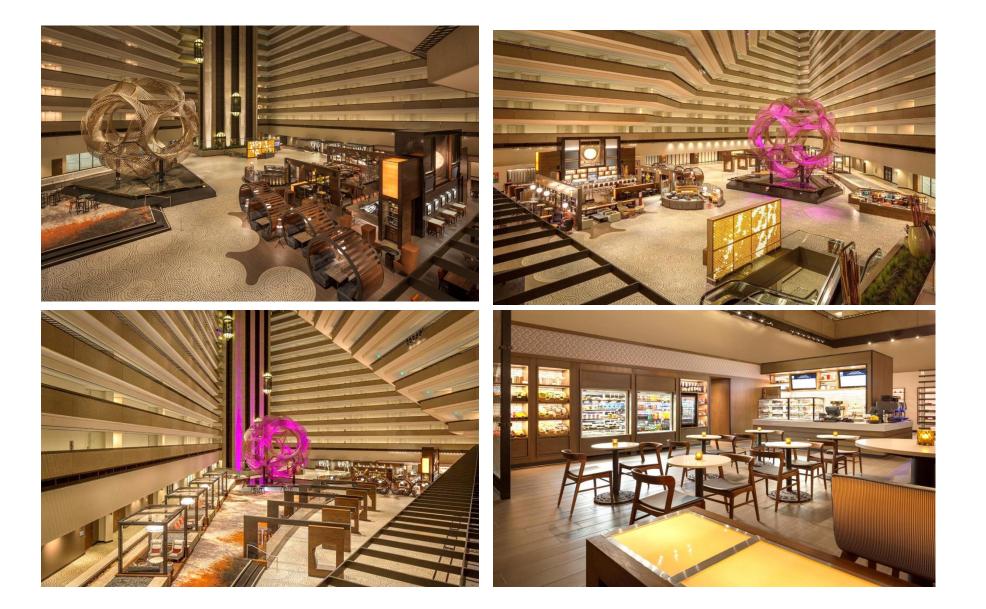
Lobby Bar - After





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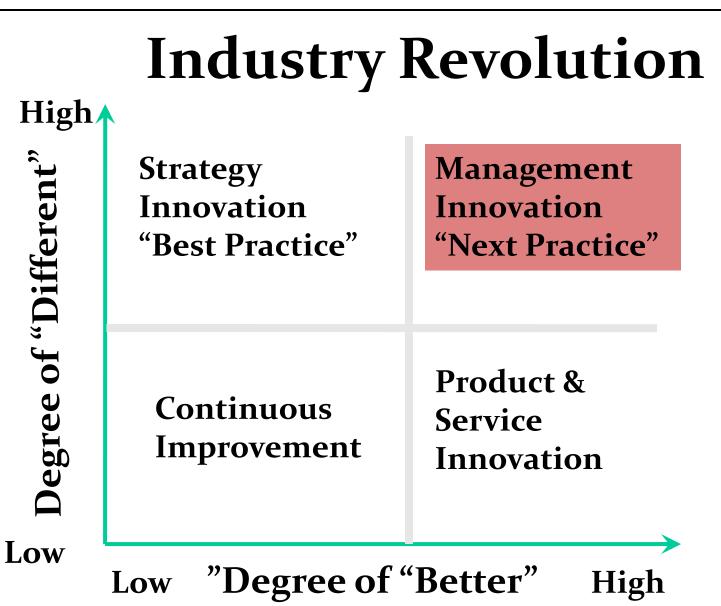
Does the tool compliment your business?

Housekeeping	Front Office	Food & Beverage	Engineering
REX ProStar Pulse OnVation	Digital Key HotSOS KIPSU Virtual Concierge	Guest Metrics Mobile POS InfoGenesis Lobster Ink	Synergy HotSOS Tool Vending

Technological installations require:

- An understanding of the culture of the environment you are implementing it into
- A firm definition of the business case, and a ruthlessness in defending it. Once you start undermining the "raison d'être" of the business case you have just undermined the ROI
- The technology must be new and something that is going to teach the business
- The technology must gather data that is meaningful, and clear. If the data is ambiguous, then everything else is noise
- Ensure you are installing all the features. If you start picking and choosing you are loosing out on accountability
- Remember technology can get in the way of good management practices if you are not careful. Don't loose sight of first principles

Pre-Setting Dessert Opportunity Example			
	Total F&B Dessert Revenue Dessert Revenue		
	Revenue	(\$)	(%)
Base Period	\$1,502,838	\$51,199	3.41%
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Potential Pre-Setting Dessert Revenue \$68,190			\$68,190
Revenue Opportunity	\$16,991		
Opportunity Percentage	33.19%		
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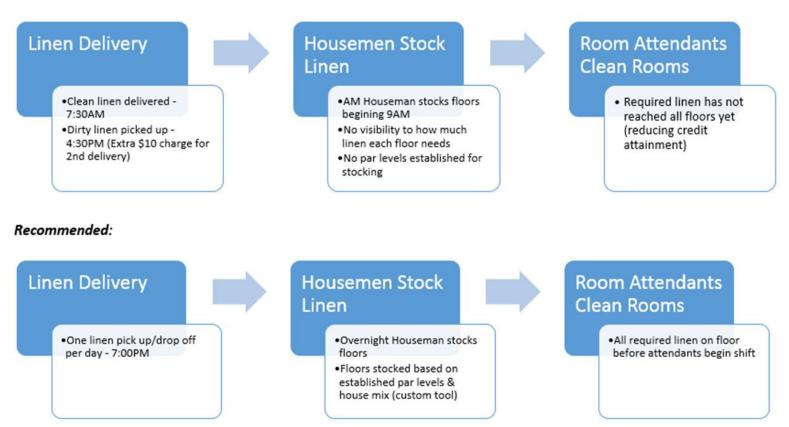
Turndown Acceptance Rate By Property Type			
Outcomes	Full Service	Lifestyle	Luxury
There was a Do Not Disturb Sign on the door and turndown service was NOT provided	12%	17%	8%
The room was empty and turndown service was provided whether or not the guest wanted the service (Occupied Room)	29%	33%	44%
The room was empty and turndown service was provided whether or not the guest wanted the service (Vacant Room)	n/a	n/a	23%
The guest was in the room and refuses and turndown service was NOT provided	53%	44%	20%
The guest was in the room and accepted or asked for the service later and turndown service was provided	6%	6%	5%

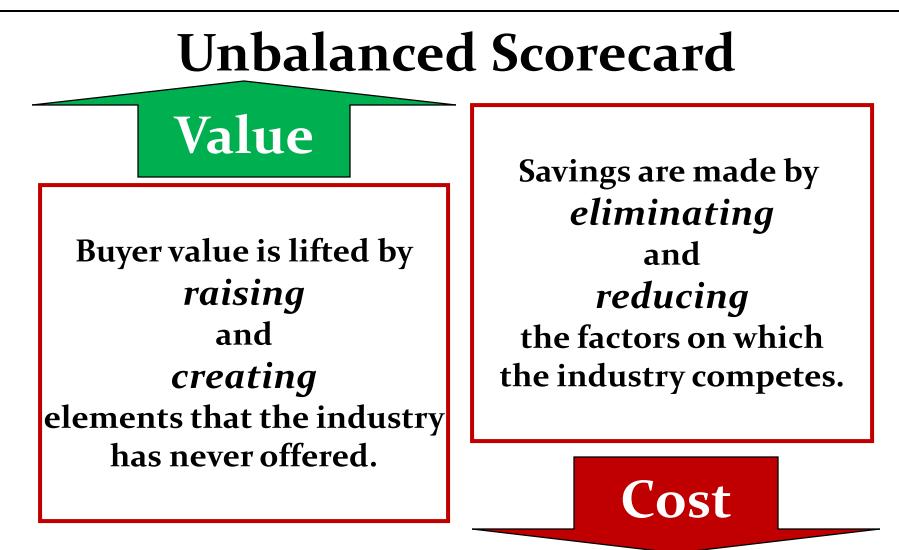
	Turndown Cost Example	
	Rooms	390
	Labor Cost	\$543,756
	Other Associated Expenses*	\$273,341
	Total Cost	\$817,097
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	*Other expenses include linen, guest supplies, and water.	

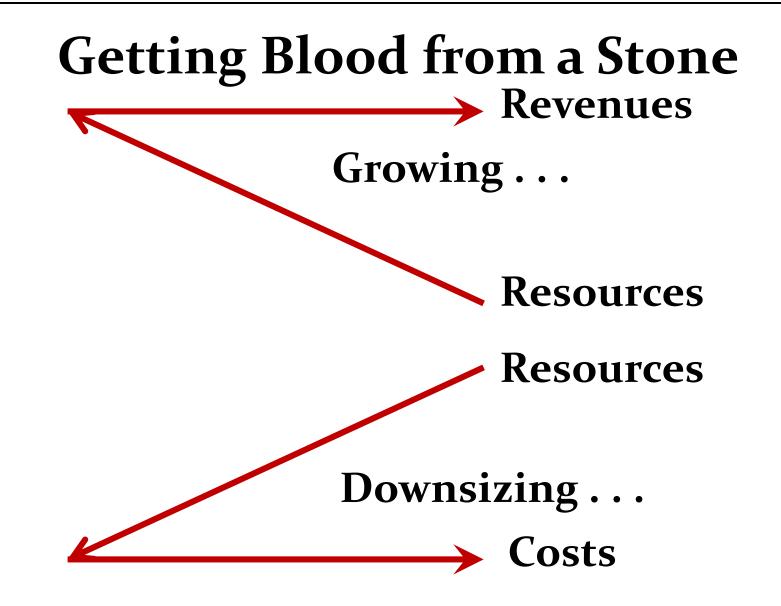
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Existing:

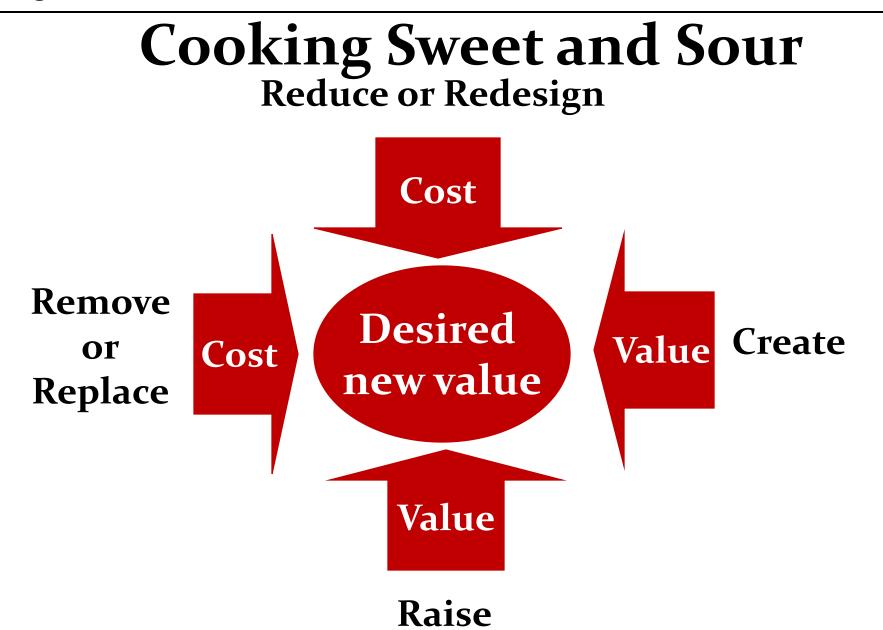








Revenue Management Enhancement



Importance of the Labor Management System and Proper Scheduling Tools

- Taking advantage of technology is an important part of a successful labor management program, but effective labor management isn't just about buying the best time-and-attendance system or labor management software
- It requires a holistic management approach that ensures that you have the right people working when you need them and not working when you don't need them
- If you define metrics that are fair and transparent you will create not just the proper expectations but a confidence and understanding in the system that will lead to improved ownership and accountability
- Use it as a platform to improve scheduling behaviors, but more importantly to get strong and clear data that will allow managers to assess opportunities in their areas

Installing a labor management	1.8% Labor Cost Improvement
software	<i>Measured across 175 hotels</i>
Optimizing labor management	\$225 MM Labor Cost Improvement
system standards	<i>Measured across 35 hotels and through 5 years</i>

Question & Answer Session