## Innovator of the Year Finalist Loopio's Customer Advocacy Ladder



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#### START WITH THE CUSTOMER





OVER BURDEN





#### WHAT ABOUT MY TEAM?





## UNHAPPY REFERENCE CUSTOMER



#### VAGUE RESOURCES



#### WHY AN ADVOCACY LADDER?



### ADVOCACY DEFINED



- · Tangible Request
  - Drive Business Value

### ADVOCACY DEFINED



Process Drive

Saved Time

Strong Templates

Reduce Risk

Maximize Opportunities

#### BOOTSTRAPPED



High Impact

Low Cost

· Maximize Customer Base



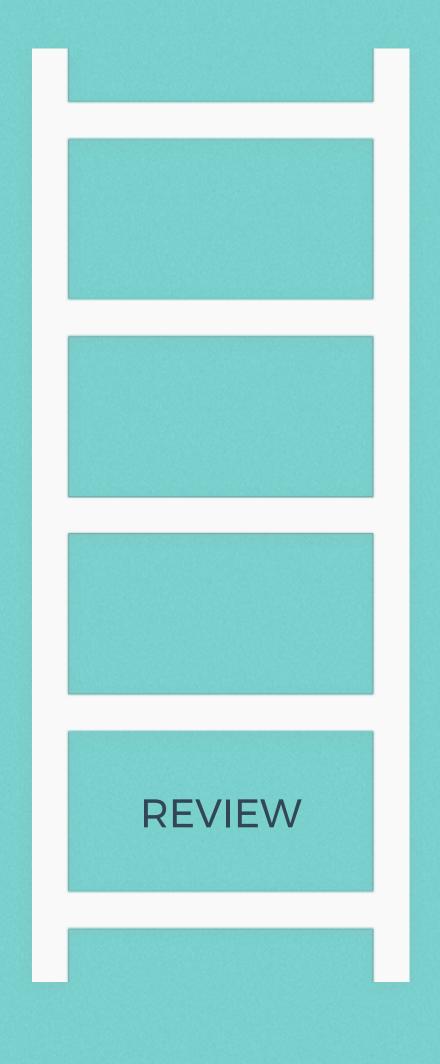
# HOW DOES A CANADIAN ASK A CUSTOMER FOR A REFERENCE?



#### BEHIND THE CURTAIN



### THE FIRST RUNG



#### The Ask

Write a review of your experience with our platform and the team!

#### Risk

Low

#### Timing

90 Days

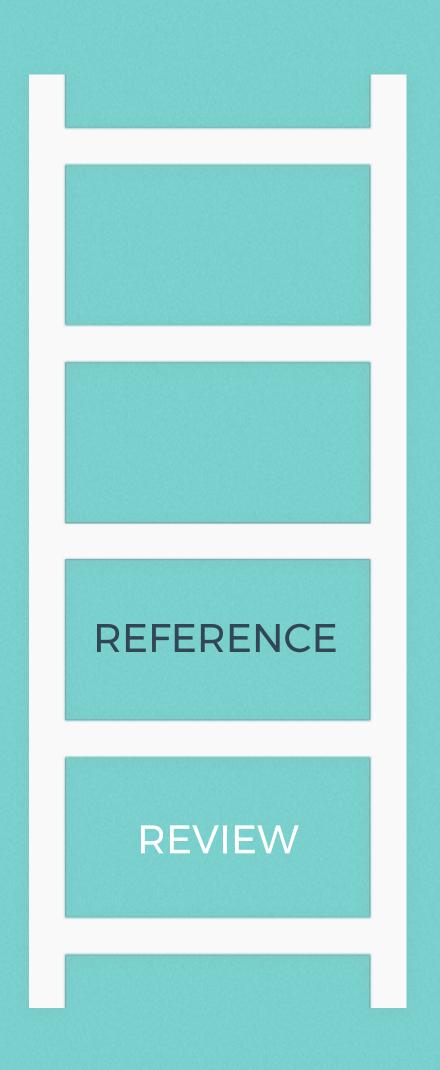
#### The Value

- Lead Generation
- Brand Awareness
- · Trust Building





#### STEPPING UP



#### The Ask

Chat with a prospect

#### Risk

Medium

#### Timing

6 months

#### The Value

- · Trust Building
- · Closing of deals





#### GETTING STUCK

### ELITE TIER

CASE STUDY

REFERENCE

REVIEW

#### The Ask

Be featured in a case study

#### Risk

Medium - High

#### Timing

1 year

#### The Value

- Lead Generation
- · Proof of ROI
- · Thought Leadership



#### THE BIG KAHUNA

SPOTLIGHT

CASE STUDY

REFERENCE

**REVIEW** 

#### The Ask

Co-host a webinar

#### Risk

High

#### Timing

6 months post case study

#### The Value

- · Thought Leadership
- · Prospect education



#### Scaling RFPS

The Journey from Organized Chaos to Multinational Organization

#### 10X RFPS

Managing 100+ RFPs With 200+ Collaborators







#### PROBLEM SOLVED



## WITH ADVOCACY LADDER

- Amplify Loopio's brand awareness
- Position ourselves against competitors
- Move prospects down the sales funnel
- Build customer relationships instead of risking them





## THE VALUE OF PROCESS

## CUTE PICTURES... BUT SHOW ME THE NUMBERS



#### OUR SUCCESS

- · 36% of customers have written a Review
- 30% of customers are References
- Developed 7 Case Studies
- Hosted 4 Spotlight Webinars



## THANKS TO ADVOCACY LADDER

- Strong Reviews on Capterra and G2Crowd
  - · G2 Crowd: Selected for March SaaSness
  - · G2 Crowd: Named 'High Performer' for our Category

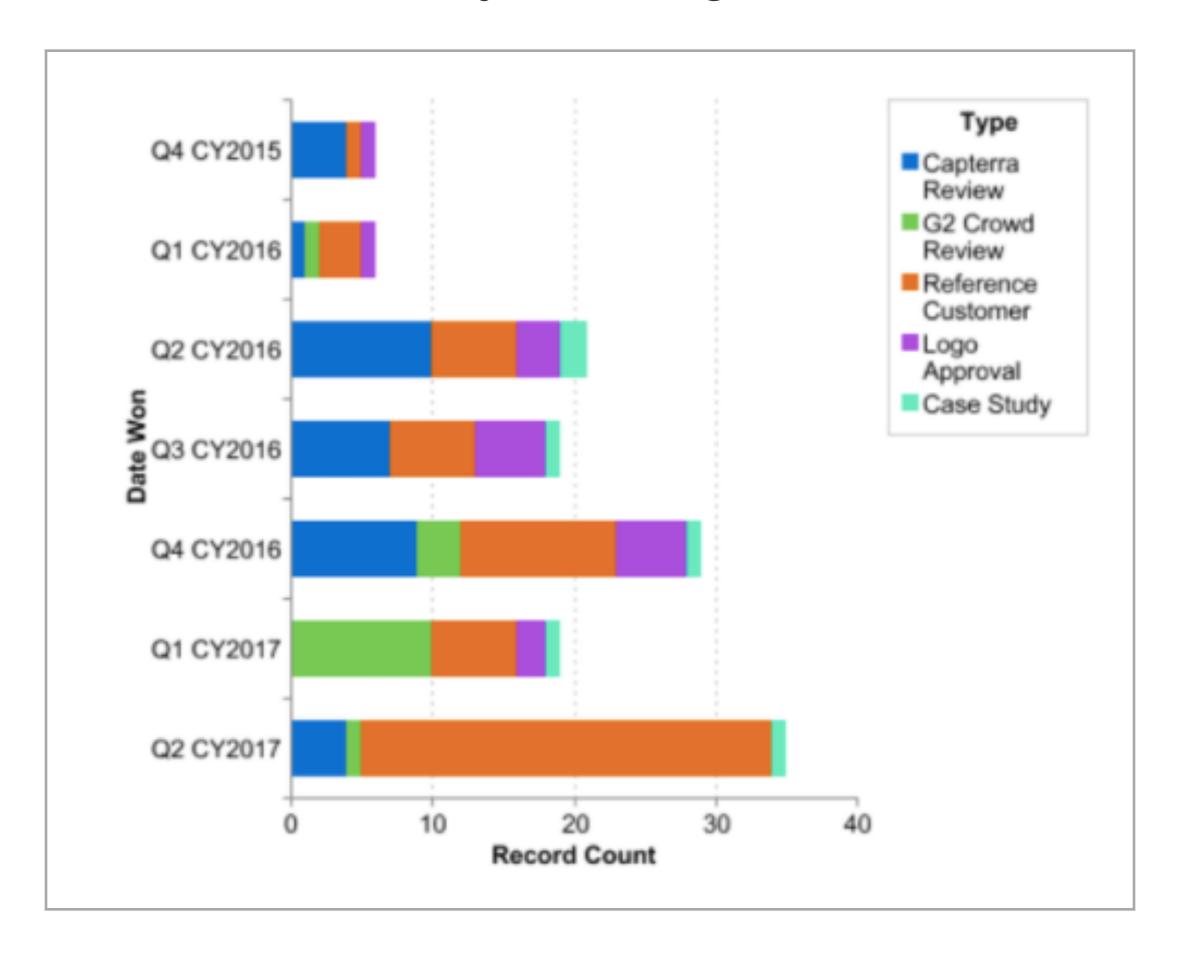


- Reduced load on Reference Customers
  - · Frequency from approx. every 6 weeks to quarterly



### SCALABLE & TRACKABLE

- · Systematic and Scalable
- · Reduced load for CSMs
- · Clear Advocacy tracking





#### CREATING YOUR OWN LADDER



#### PHONES OUT!





# YOUR VERY OWN ADVOCACY LADDER

- 1. Identify advocacy asks
- 2. Rank advocacy activities by risk and investment
- 3. Create email templates
- 4. Create trigger points

Don't forget your existing customer base!



#### NEEDA HAND?



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#### THANK YOU!



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