

The Complete Pinterest Ads Guide

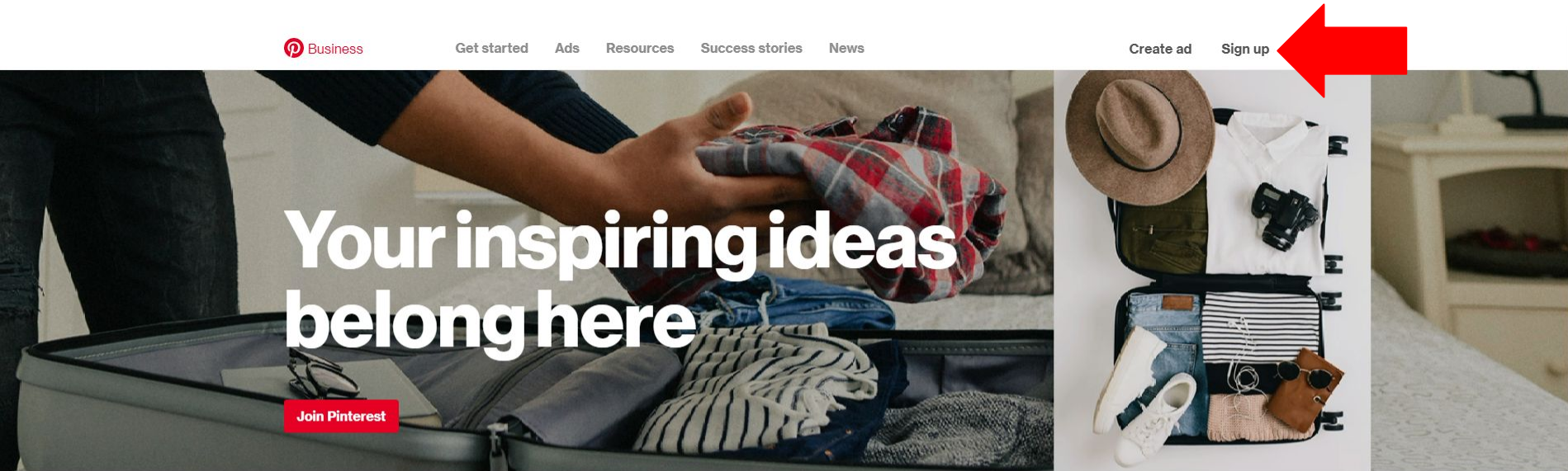
Pinterest Business Profile

- Pinterest Business Profiles enable you to unlock pro tools like Pinterest Ads and Pinterest Analytics.
- Pinterest Ads should be a key part of every online businesses marketing plan!
- Pinterest users are usually in a mindset of getting inspired and trying new things when they come to Pinterest. With Pinterest Ads you can reach these people when they're planning and making decisions!

How to Create Your Pinterest Business Profile

Pinterest Business Profile

- New to Pinterest? Create your Pinterest Business Profile at: business.pinterest.com



What makes Pinterest

Mindset matters

People come to Pinterest to

Timing is everything

Reach people when they're

Pinterest Business Profile

- Already have a Personal Pinterest Profile? Login to your Pinterest account and navigate to your settings page to convert your personal account into a business account.

<https://help.pinterest.com/en/business/article/get-a-business-account>

Convert your personal account into a business account



Creating an account means you accept [Pinterest's Business Terms of Service](#) and [Privacy Policy](#).

1. Log into your [personal Pinterest account](#)
2. From the top-right of your screen, click **▼**, then click **Settings**
3. From the left-side navigation, click **Account settings**
4. Scroll down to **Account changes**
5. Under **Account changes**, locate **Convert to a business account**, then click **Convert account**
6. Click **Convert account**
7. Fill out the fields to **Build your profile**, then click **Next**
8. Fill out the fields to **Describe your business**, then click **Next**
9. Select if you want to run ads, then click **Next**
10. Select where you'd like to start or click **X** to go to your converted Pinterest business account

Pinterest Business Profile

- You will be prompted to enter your Business Name and Website.
- Once complete, you will be redirected to your Pinterest Business Profile page.



Notice the addition of your **Business** menus.



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Pinterest Business Profile

Get the tools, tips, and stats you need to grow your business:

<https://www.pinterest.com/business/hub>

Business ▾ Create ▾ Analytics ▾ Ads ▾



3.1k
Monthly viewers

59
Followers

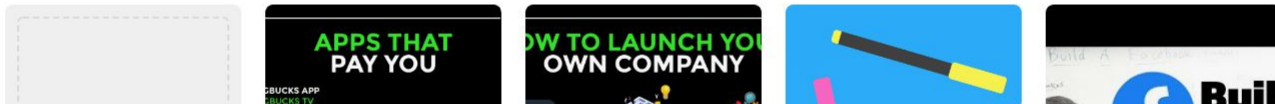
Your Pins

See stats for your latest Pins and promote them to grow your audience

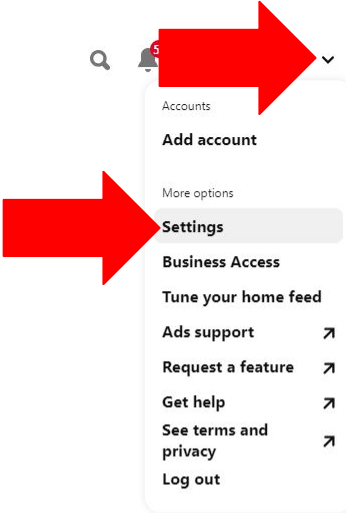
+113%	+350%	+50%
3.6k	63	6
Impressions ?	Saves ?	Link clicks ?

Top Pins Recent Pins

See all Pins See analytics



Click the menu in the top right corner.
In the dropdown menu, select "Settings".



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358 monthly views

Created Saved



Edit Settings Page

www.pinterest.com/settings

 Business ▾ Create ▾ Analytics ▾ Ads ▾

     ▾

Edit profile

Account settings

Home feed tuner

Claim

Bulk create Pins

Permissions

Notifications

Privacy and data

Security

Apps

Edit profile

Add details about your business profile. People on Pinterest will be able to see this information, so don't share anything private!

Photo



Change

Display name

www.Coursenvy.com

Username

coursenvy

www.pinterest.com/coursenvy

Pronouns

Add your pronouns

Choose up to 2 sets of pronouns to appear on your profile so others know how to refer to

Completely fill out your business profile.

Edit Settings Page → Photo

- I like continuity for all social media account profile images, so I am using the same high-quality, 1000x1000 pixel, white background, centered, [Coursevny](#) logo.

The screenshot shows the Pinterest 'Edit profile' settings page. At the top, there are navigation links for Business, Create, Analytics, and Ads. On the right, there are icons for search, notifications (56), messages (1), and a profile icon. The left sidebar lists various settings categories: Edit profile, Account settings, Home feed tuner, Claim, Bulk create Pins, Permissions, Notifications, Privacy and data, Security, and Apps. The main content area is titled 'Edit profile' and includes a sub-header: 'Add details about your business profile. People on Pinterest will be able to see this information, so don't share anything private!'. The 'Photo' section shows a Coursevny logo with a 'Change' button, which is highlighted by a large red arrow. Below this are fields for 'Display name' (www.Coursevny.com), 'Username' (coursevny), and 'Pronouns' (Add your pronouns).

Edit Settings Page → Display Name

- I like to put my brand URL for the “Display name” to raise brand awareness for my website (i.e. letting potential customers know I have a website and what it is).

The screenshot shows the Pinterest Business settings page. On the left is a navigation menu with options: Business, Create, Analytics, Ads, Edit profile, Account settings, Home feed tuner, Claim, Bulk create Pins, Permissions, Notifications, Privacy and data, Security, and Apps. The main content area is titled 'Edit profile' and includes a description: 'Add details about your business profile. People on Pinterest will be able to see this information, so don't share anything private!'. Below this are several fields: 'Photo' with a 'Change' button, 'Display name' containing 'www.Coursenvy.com' (highlighted with a red arrow), 'Username' containing 'coursenvy', and a URL 'www.pinterest.com/coursenvy'. At the bottom is a 'Pronouns' dropdown menu set to 'Add your pronouns'.

Edit Settings Page → Username


- We want continuity across all the social media platforms for our brand... so I want **@courseenvy** on Facebook, Twitter, Pinterest, etc. Sometimes your name will be taken, which is fine, just try to get something as close to your brand name or main keyword.

Business ▾ Create ▾ Analytics ▾ Ads ▾

Search 🔍 Notifications 56 Messages 1

Edit profile

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Photo
 [Change](#)

Display name

Username
 ←

www.pinterest.com/courseenvy

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Edit Settings Page → About Your Profile

Include your brand name, URL, at least 1 hashtag and 2-3 of your top searched keywords/keyword phrases.

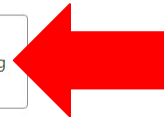
This is your Pinterest profiles **meta description** in Google search results.

- ✎ Edit profile
- 👤 Account settings
- 🏠 Claim
- 🔔 Notifications
- 🔒 Privacy & data
- 🛡 Security
- 📱 Apps

A screenshot of a Google search result for the query "pinterest coursevny". The search bar shows the query and the Google logo. Below the search bar, there are navigation tabs for "All", "Shopping", "Images", "News", "Maps", and "More". The search results show "About 2,940 results (0.41 seconds)". The first result is a link to "www.Coursevny.com (coursevny) on Pinterest" with a URL "https://www.pinterest.com > coursevny". A red arrow points from the "Apps" menu item in the left sidebar to this search result.

About your profile


Over 100,000+ students love our top-rated Coursevny.com online courses! Join learn.coursevny.com to master #FacebookAds #AmazonFBA #SocialMediaMarketing



Location

Los Angeles, CA

Claim Your Website

- Edit profile
- Account settings
- Home feed tuner
- Claim 
- Bulk create Pins
- Permissions
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www.pinterest.com/coursesny

Pronouns

Choose up to 2 sets of pronouns to appear on your profile so others know how to refer to you. You can edit or remove these any time.

About your profile

Over 400,000 students love our top-rated Coursesenvy.com online courses! Join at modMBA.com to master Facebook Ads, Amazon FBA, Social Media Marketing, and more!

You need to claim your website before you can include your URL in Pins you create.

Claim Your Website

- Public profile
- Personal information
- Account management
- Tune your home feed
- Claimed accounts
- Bulk create Pins
- Social permissions
- Notifications
- Privacy and data
- Security and logins
- Branded Content

Claimed accounts

When you claim an account, you can monitor analytics and ensure your name or brand name appears on every Pin created from your sites. [Learn more](#)

Websites

coursenvy.com

Claim

Unclaim

Shopify

Install the free Pinterest app on Shopify to add your name and profile picture to Pins from your Shopify store, automatically connect your catalog and install the Pinterest tag.

Install app

Click the “**Claim**” button next to Websites.

- Edit profile
- Account settings
- Home feed tuner
- Claim
- Bulk create Pins
- Permissions
- Notifications
- Privacy and data
- Security
- Apps

Claim

Get credit for all your content on Pinterest. When you claim your content, your name and profile picture will show up next to any Pins that come from your site or external accounts.

Websites

coursenvy.com

Instagram

YouTube

Shopify

Install the free Pinterest app and profile picture to Pins from your Shopify store, automatically connect your catalog and install the Pinterest tag.

Choose how you want to claim

Add HTML tag

Paste this tag into the <head> section of your website.

[Learn More](#)

```
<meta name="p:domain_verify" content="e6720fe5aee75da00bf83b7f9">
```

Upload HTML file

Upload this HTML tag to your website's root directory.

[Learn More](#)

Download

Add TXT record

Add this verification record to your domain host.

```
pinterest-site-verification=e6720fe5aee75da00bf83b7
```

Cancel

Continue



These are the options for claiming your website.


Adding an HTML tag to your website is the easiest way to claim your website.

Add an HTML tag to your website

An HTML tag is a piece of text that describes a web page's content. You have to add an HTML tag to your website's source code so Pinterest can confirm that you own the website you want to claim. Be mindful that different website hosts have different [instructions](#) for accessing their source codes.

Add an HTML tag to your website



1. Log into your [Pinterest business account](#).
2. Click  in the top-right corner to open your menu.
3. Select **Settings**.
4. Click **Claim** from the left-side navigation.
5. Click **Claim** next to websites.
6. Click the text in the box below **Add HTML tag** to copy it.
7. Click **Continue**.
8. Go to the index.html file of your website and add the tag to the <head> section before the <body> section. The [instructions](#) for this depends on what site your website is hosted on.
9. Go back to Pinterest, enter your website URL into the box and then click **Verify**.

After you click **Verify**, we'll automatically check for the HTML tag and claim your website. Once your site has been claimed, you can remove the HTML tag from your website's source code. This claim will only be removed if you make changes to your website in your Pinterest settings.

Follow the “claim your website” help URL for instructions:
<https://help.pinterest.com/en/business/article/claim-your-website>

Upload an HTML file to your website

Pinterest HTML Tag

- Copy and paste your Pinterest HTML tag into the <head> section of your website before the <body> section (typically in the index.html file or header file).
- As you can see in this example below, I clicked the EDITOR option under the APPEARANCE menu on the backend of our WordPress website. Then I clicked the theme HEADER file and pasted our Pinterest HTML tag right before the closing head tag </head>.

```
15
16 <meta name="p:domain_verify" content="f12da8d5058740ae93"
17
18 <meta name="google-site-verification" content="FnXEYH_V
19
20 </head>
21 <?php flush(); ?>
22 <body id="blog" <?php body_class('main'); ?>>
23     <header class="main-header">
24         <div class="container">
```



Pinterest Ads 101

Pinterest Ads

<https://ads.pinterest.com>

The screenshot shows the Pinterest Ads dashboard. At the top, the navigation bar includes 'Business', 'Create', 'Analytics', 'Ads', and 'Viewing: www.Coursenvy.com'. The 'Ads' menu is open, showing options like 'Create campaign', 'Promote a Pin', 'Overview', 'Reporting', 'Custom reports', 'Bulk editor', 'Conversions', 'Audiences', and 'Ad account history'. A red arrow points to the 'Create campaign' option. A red box highlights the text: 'Now it is time to put your Pinterest business profile to work! Click the Ads menu option in the top navbar and select "Create Campaign" in the dropdown menu.' On the right, there are notification icons (5, 1) and a 'Switch to quick ad creation' button.

Business ▾ Create ▾ Analytics ▾ **Ads ▾** Viewing: www.Coursenvy.com ▾

Create campaign ?

Web conversion campaign, 1 ad group

2022-12-13 00:12 UTC | ...

2022-12-13 00:12 UTC | Ad...

New ad group

details

campaign objective ?

Determines how you bid in the ad auction and what ad formats are available to promote. Select an objective that best reflects your business goals.

Drive consideration

Consideration

Get more people to click your ad on Pinterest

Get conversions

Conversions ✓

Drive people to take actions on your website

Video views

Promote videos to help people discover your brand, products and other services

Catalog sales

Promote your product inventory with

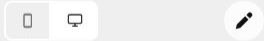
Switch to quick ad creation

Create ad

Switch to campaign creation ⓘ

1 Select a Pin

Select a Pin



2 Fill out ad details

Destination URL ⓘ
Where your Pin links to

Daily budget (USD) ⓘ 0 Duration (days) ⓘ 10

Run continuously

Targeting Expanded targeting ⓘ

3 Promote your Pin

Total budget (USD)
-

Promote

www.Coursenvy.com



The default ad creation view is “Quick Ad Creation”.

We use and suggest clicking “Switch to campaign creation”.

Create campaign ?

Switch to quick ad creation



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Now this option will say **“Switch to quick ad creation”**.

We use and prefer this **“Campaign Creation”** view as all the detailed campaign editing options are available to us in this user interface.

Once the campaign is launched, the campaign may experience some performance fluctuations and take some

Campaign name and status ?

Campaign name

Publish

Campaign Objective

➤ Your first step is to select your campaign objective.

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Here are the Pinterest campaign objectives to choose from for your Pinterest ads.

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First let's discuss **AWARENESS** campaigns.

Publish

Awareness Campaigns

Customers Are In 2 Categories

- 10% are “loyalists” and will only purchase from brands they know and/or have purchased from in the past.
- The other 90% are people willing to “shop around” for the best deal, product, or service. Of that 90%, typically we see 30% go with newly recognizable brands and the remaining 60% of your target market are OPEN to purchasing from you/your brand!
- This is why **Awareness Campaigns** are so important! Consumers must be able to IDENTIFY your brand when it comes time to purchase so you can claim EITHER the 30% that relate to a new brand they are aware of (people need an average of 7 touch points before purchasing from a new brand) OR the 60% willing to try a new brand!

Pinterest

=

The Complete Buying Formula

Inspiration +
Brand Discovery +
Information Evaluation =
Action/Purchase

The Buying Cycle

- Pinterest is typically used as a place to “save” (Pin) an item that the user can refer to at a later time. The consumer may be ready to buy but typically is just seeking inspiration!
- By using **AWARENESS CAMPAIGNS**, you can get your brand and products discovered in this “shopping around”, “planning”, “pinning for later”, or **1st phase** of the buying cycle... **INSPIRATION!** You as brands or marketers want to take this opportunity to **influence** the early stages of consumers buying cycles. Pinterest is the perfect place for this!
- Then we can move these consumers from this brand awareness and discovery/pinning phase into more of an active shopping/evaluation mode! And then ultimately, move them through our sales funnel by getting them to make a purchase or convert!
- **ACTION** (or buying) is always **fueled by inspiration!** And a lot of that inspiration comes in different forms of content users Pin on Pinterest!

Pinterest = The Complete Buying Formula

- People need a mix of inspiration and information in order to make decisions about a purchase.
- While Amazon is great at presenting information in the form of reviews and confidence in the form of 2-day shipping, they are missing an important part of the buying formula... **INSPIRATION!**
- Consumers state the reason for a purchase is based on **inspiration** 75% of the time and **information** 25% of the time. So our goal is to mix these two reasons together to expedite the sales process!

How Do You Inspire Consumers?

Provide your potential customers with content that gives them **ideas/inspiration** on how your product/service will help them solve a problem.

EXAMPLE PRODUCT: Cowboy Boots

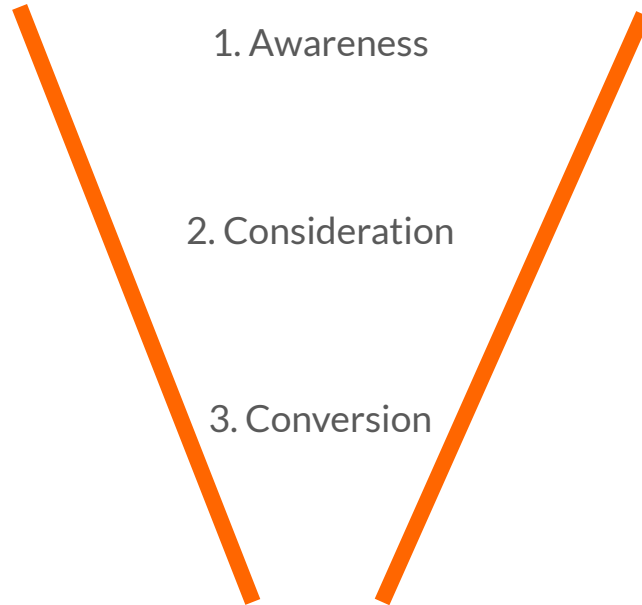
- Show users what outfits go well with cowboy boots.
- Share images of events to wear cowboy boots at via **lifestyle images**.
- Share other relevant country/cowboy topics (country music videos, country wedding images, horse images, rustic home decor, country craft DIY blog links, redneck humor, etc.)
- Become this “country-loving” users all-in-one place for inspiration based around your product and/or service!

Pinterest = Shoppers

Pinterest helps people get inspired, make decisions, and take action!

- Data from our client accounts shows 50-60% of Pinterest users use the platform to **shop around** and **find products...** compared to an UNDER 10% average on Facebook, Twitter, and Instagram!

Pinterest Sales Funnel



Sales Funnel Step #1 → Awareness

Awareness - Inspire and share information with your branded Pins! Make your brand known!

- These ads are the best way to gain awareness for your brand and spark that initial inspiration to get users to Pin your content!

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Sales Funnel Step #2 → Consideration

Consideration - Acquisition, collect leads, create traffic, and build up your Pinterest audiences!

- These ads are for growing your audiences and working your customers down the funnel.

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Sales Funnel Step #3 → Conversion

Conversion - Retarget engaged users and current/past audiences, make the sale/conversion, and retain/remarket to current customers.

- These ads are for converting! Turn that warm lead into a red hot sale!

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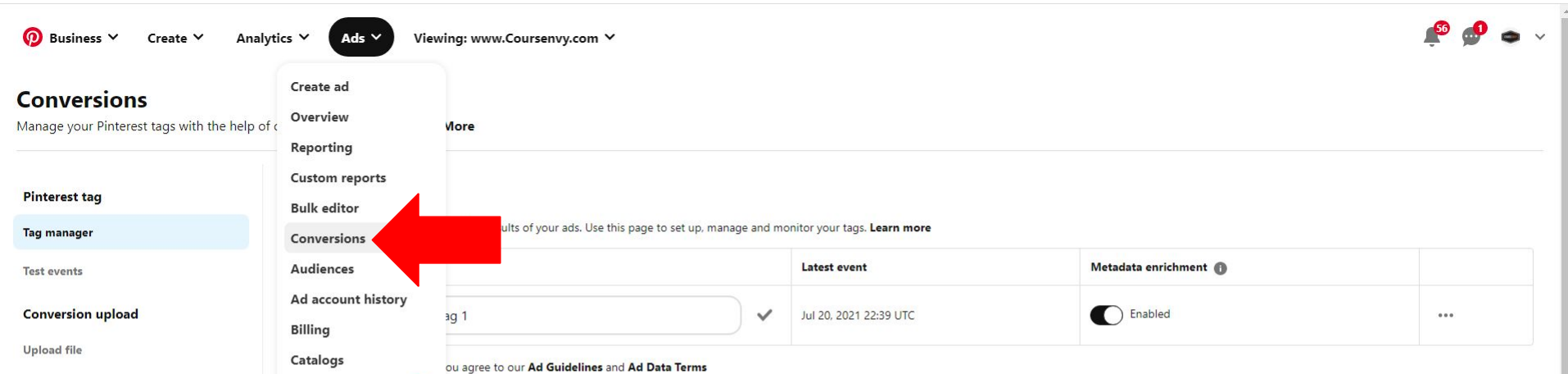
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How to Install a Pinterest Tag

Pinterest Tag

- Before you create Pinterest Audiences and Pinterest Ads, we need to create and install the Pinterest Tag tracking code. The Pinterest Tag also measures the results of your ads.
- In the **Ads** dropdown menu, select the “**Conversions**” option.

<https://help.pinterest.com/en/business/article/install-the-pinterest-tag>



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Latest event	Metadata enrichment
Jul 20, 2021 22:39 UTC	<input type="checkbox"/> Enabled

Base Code + Event Code

There are two main components of the **Pinterest Tag** tracking code you will install on your website:

- **Base code:** The base code is the foundation of the Pinterest tag and has to be placed on every page of your website.
- **Event code:** Event codes have to be placed on pages where you want to track specific conversions, taken by people on your website.

<https://help.pinterest.com/en/business/article/install-the-pinterest-tag>

****NOTE: If you are not an experienced web developer, hire one via Upwork for this task.****

Pinterest Tag → Base Code

On the “Conversions → Tag Manager” page, once your Pinterest Tag has been created, select the “**Configure Base Code**” option in the Pinterest Tag menu.

Conversions

Manage your conversion tracking with the help of our conversions page. [Learn More](#)

Events overview

Event history

Pinterest tag

Tag manager

Test events

API for Conversions

Conversion access token

Deduplication



Conversion upload

Upload file

Upload history

Pinterest tag

The Pinterest tag lets you measure the results of your ads. Use this page to set up, manage and monitor your tags. [Learn more](#)

Tag name	Latest event	Automatic enhanced match ⓘ	
www.Coursenvy.com Tag 1 (2615499399277) 	Dec 12, 2022 23:29 UTC	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Enabled Edit Options	

Using conversion tags means you agree to our [Ad Guidelines](#) and [Ad Data Terms](#)



- Configure Base Code
- Configure Events Code

Select how you want to install your Pinterest Tag.

Conversions

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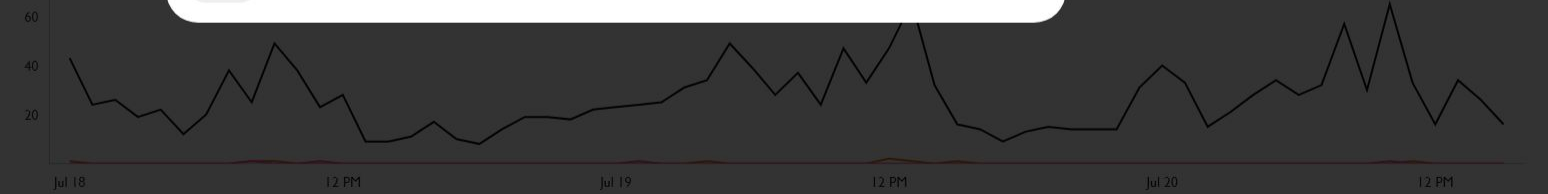
www.Coursenvy.com

Using conversion tags me

Event history


See all the events tracked

Signup X Lead X




Event type	Number of events	Fields	Enhanced match (manual)
Signup	9	Lead Time	9 (100%)

Choose how you want to install
Your Pinterest Tag ID: 2615




Add code using a Partner Integration

Choose



Manually add tag code to website

Choose



Email instructions to a developer

Choose

Cancel

Conversions

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Pinterest tag Pinterest tag

If your website is hosted on one of these “Partner Integration” platforms, I suggest using these easy to install plugins as they auto install the base code and event codes.

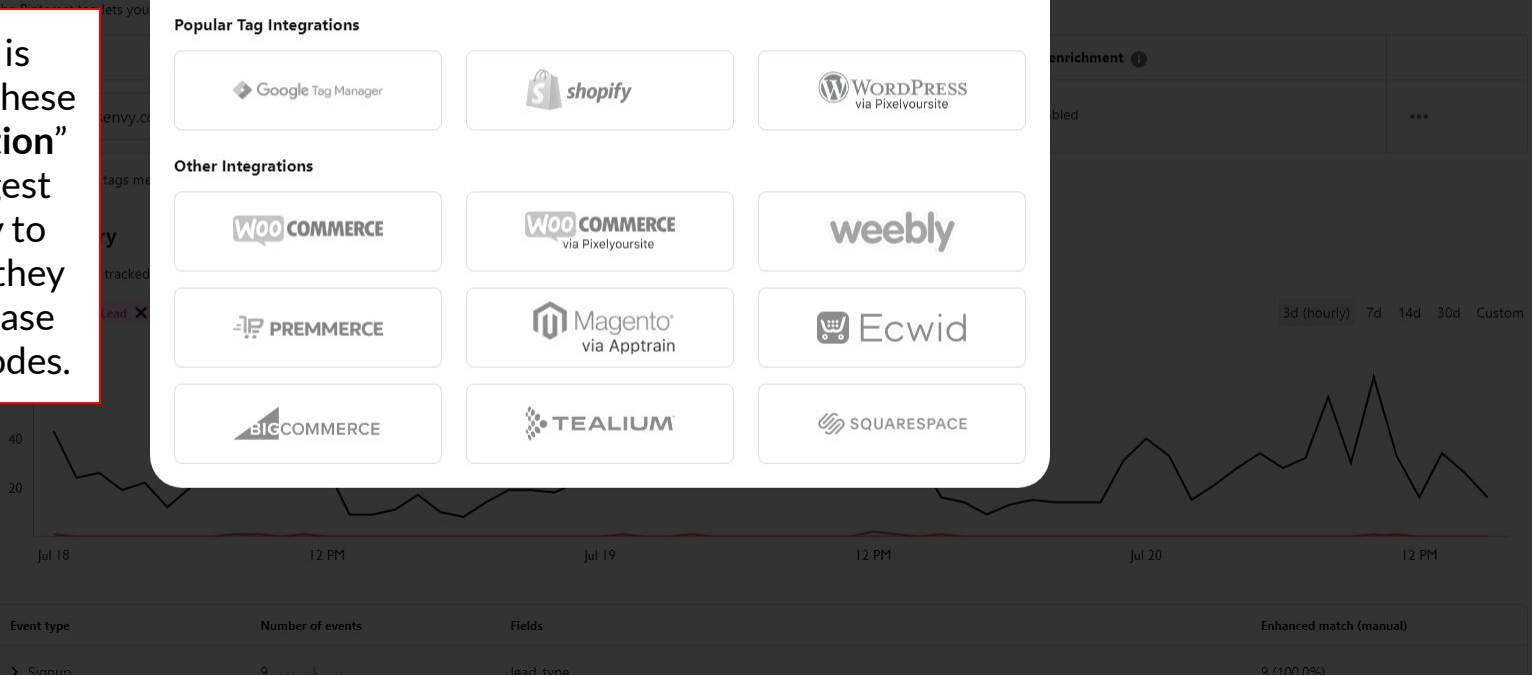
Partner Integration [Close]

Popular Tag Integrations

- Google Tag Manager
- shopify
- WordPress via Pixelyour site

Other Integrations

- WooCommerce
- WooCommerce via Pixelyour site
- weebly
- Premmerce
- Magento via Apptrain
- Ecwid
- BigCommerce
- Tealium
- Squarespace



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If not, you can install the Pinterest Tag base code yourself.

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Event history

See all the events tracked by your Pinterest tag

Signup X

Jul 18

60

40

20

Jul 18

Event type

Signup

Add code manually



Install the base code

Configure the base code

Install the event code

Install the base code

Add the base code to any page where you want to track conversions. If you want to use retargeting, add this code to every page of your site to create audiences to retarget later.

Be sure to put the base code between the <head> and </head> tags in your HTML document. It should only appear once on a single page, and before the subsequent event code.

Use Enhanced Match to get improved visibility into your conversion data—passing back email data on a conversion lets us better attribute it to an event on Pinterest. To use Enhanced Match, pass back the converting user's email (or the SHA256 hash of their email) in the em parameter highlighted in blue. For more detailed instructions, [visit our help center](#).

```

<!-- Pinterest Tag -->
<script>
!function(e){if(!window.pinctr){window.pinctr = function () {
window.pinctr.queue.push(Array.prototype.slice.call(arguments));}var
  
```



Copy and paste your **Pinterest Tag** base code before the closing **</head>** tag in your website's coding (typically in the index.html file or header file).

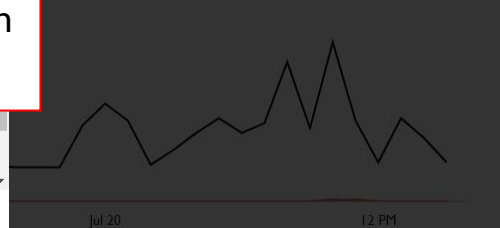
```

</noscript>
<!-- end Pinterest Tag -->
  
```

Continue

enrichment	
bled	...

3d (hourly) 7d 14d 30d Custom



Enhanced match (manual)

Pinterest Tag → Events Code

On the “Conversions → Tag Manager” page, select “Configure Events Code” in the Pinterest Tag menu.

Conversions

Manage your conversion tracking with the help of our conversions page. [Learn More](#)

Events overview

Event history

Pinterest tag

Tag manager

Test events

API for Conversions

Conversion access token

Deduplication


Conversion upload

Upload file

Upload history

Pinterest tag

The Pinterest tag lets you measure the results of your ads. Use this page to set up, manage and monitor your tags. [Learn more](#)

Tag name	Latest event	Automatic enhanced match ⓘ	
www.Coursenvy.com Tag 1 (2615499399277) 	Dec 12, 2022 23:29 UTC	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Enabled Edit Options	⋮

Using conversion tags means you agree to our [Ad Guidelines](#) and [Ad Data Terms](#)

Configure Base Code
Configure Events Code

Select "Manually Set Up Events".

Conversions

Manage your Pinterest tags with the help of our conversions page. [Learn More](#)

Pinterest tag

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Tag manager

Tag name

www.Coursenvy.com

Using conversion tags me

Conversion upload

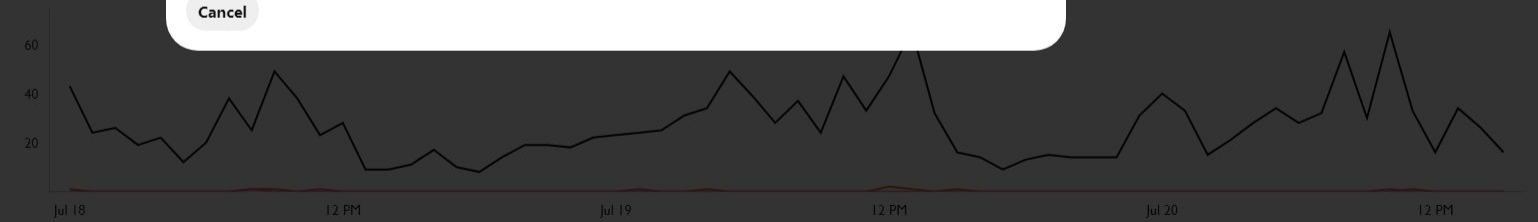
Upload file

Upload history

Event history

See all the events tracked


Signup X Lead X



Event type	Number of events	Fields	Enhanced match (manual)
Signup	9	Last Time	9 (100%)


Choose How to Install Events

Your Pinterest Tag ID: 2615



Install Events Through Google Tag Manager

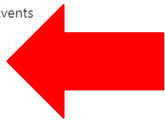
Choose



Manually Set Up Events

Choose

Cancel



Pinterest Tag → Events Code

- After you add the Pinterest Tag base code to your website coding, you can add event codes to track a specific events and conversions on your website.
- The base code has to be placed on every page of your website (e.g. before the </head> tag in the website's HTML header file).
- Event codes only have to be placed on pages where you want to track specific conversions (e.g. the checkout page for eCommerce websites).
- Varying event codes track varying specific events (e.g. Checkout, AddToCart, or PageVisit).

<https://help.pinterest.com/en/business/article/add-event-codes>

Events Codes

- Event codes let you measure Pinterest ads on site actions.
- Event codes are also required to launch campaigns that optimize for specific events (such as Conversion campaigns requiring: **Checkout**, **AddToCart**, or **Signup** events to create a Conversion Objective Pinterest ad).

<https://help.pinterest.com/en/business/article/add-event-codes>

Event	Purpose
Checkout	Track people who complete transactions.
AddToCart	Track people who add items to shopping carts.
PageVisit	Track people who view primary pages, such as product pages and article pages.
Signup	Track people who sign up for your product or service.
WatchVideo	Track people who watch videos.
Lead	Track people who show an interest in your product or service.
Search	Track people who search on your website for specific products or shop locations.
ViewCategory	Track people who view category pages.
Custom	Track a custom event. Use this event name to track a special event that you want to include in your conversion reporting.
[User-defined event]	Add any additional events that you've defined for the purpose of audience targeting. Unique events are not available for conversion reporting. Keep in mind that any spaces in the custom event names passed through the tag will be removed.

Installing Events Codes

<https://help.pinterest.com/en/business/article/add-event-codes#section-16176>

1. Copy the code for the event that you want to add to your website (see the “Event code” list at the link above).
2. Open the coding for the **specific page** of your website that you want to track an event on.
3. Paste the event code on that page, **after the base code**, making sure to replace any example values with the appropriate value for your website. This means the event will fire any time the page is loaded.

EXAMPLE: Tracking newsletter signup leads when a thank you page is visited:

```
<script>  
pintrk('track', 'lead', {lead_type: 'Newsletter' });  
</script>
```

- AdRotate
- Popup Maker
- Simple Pay Lite
- Contact
- Appearance
- Playbook
- Plugins
- MyThemeShop
- Users
- Tools
- Settings
- HTTPS
- SEO 2
- MailChimp for WP
- Floating Social Media Settings
- PixelYourSite

Checkout

Permalink: <https://www.coursenvy.com/checkout/> [Edit](#)

[Add Media](#) [Insert Payment Form](#) Visual Text

b *i* [link](#) [b-quote](#) [del](#) [ins](#) [img](#) [ul](#) [ol](#) [li](#) [code](#) [more](#) [close tags](#)

```
<script>
pintrk('track', 'checkout', {
  order_quantity: 1,
  currency: 'USD'
});
</script>
```

The event code must be below your base code. Websites read coding from top down, so this “checkout” event code in the <body> section of the /checkout page is perfect as the event code will be read **after** the base code located in the <head> section of our website’s coding.



Word count: 5 Last edited by Coursenvy on February 6, 2015 at 3:32 pm

Quick Page/Post Redirect ▲

Make Redirect Active. [?](#)

Publish

[Save Draft](#) [Preview](#)

Status: **Draft** [Edit](#)

Visibility: **Public** [Edit](#)

Publish on: Jan 25, 2015 @ 23:34 [Edit](#)

Readability: Needs improvement

SEO: Not available

[Move to Trash](#) [Publish](#)

Page Attributes

Parent: (no parent) ▼

Template: Default Template ▼

Order: 0

Pinterest Event Audiences

Pinterest enables you to build audiences of users based on the events they fired (e.g. Checkout event code). You can then retarget these users with ads in the future!

EXAMPLE: Retarget warm users who added something to their cart, but never checked out.

Create new audience list [X]

Reconnect with users

- Site visitors**
Retarget visitors from your website
- Engagement**
Retarget users who have engaged with Pins from your claimed domain
- Customer list**
Retarget users from an uploaded list

Find new customers

- Actalike customers**
Target users who behave similarly to your existing customers

Step 2: Select conversion source

To use a conversion source other than a Pinterest Tag, add a filter and configure the source of this event.

- Pinterest Tag
- Mobile Measurement Partners (MMP)
- Conversion Upload
- API

Tag name	Event history
<input checked="" type="radio"/> www.Coursenvy.com Tag 1	Jul 20, 2021 23:38UTC

Step 3: Set filters

Users in the past number of days

30 Include past traffic

Optional filters

Filter 1

Event [v] Equals checkout [v] [trash]

Create

How to Create a Pinterest Audience

Pinterest Audience

- I suggest creating your Pinterest Audiences right away (before creating ads) so your Pinterest Tag can begin tracking/collecting your audiences.
- In the **Ads** dropdown menu, select the “**Audiences**” option.
- Click the “**Create Audience**” button.

The screenshot shows the Pinterest Ads interface. At the top, there are navigation tabs: Business, Create, Analytics, and Ads. The Ads tab is selected, and a dropdown menu is open, showing options: Create ad, Overview, Reporting, Custom reports, Bulk editor, Conversions, Audiences, Ad account history, Billing, and Catalogs. A red arrow points to the 'Audiences' option in the dropdown. Below the dropdown, there is a table of existing audiences. The table has columns for Status, Name, ID, Type, Size, Created on, Last updated on, and Actions. Two audiences are listed: one with status 'Ready' and one with status 'Too Small'. A red arrow points to the 'Create audience' button in the top right corner of the interface.

Audiences
Reach specific groups of people by creating your own audiences.

Search by audience name or ID

Status	Name	ID	Type	Size	Created on	Last updated on	Actions
Ready	modMBAfree SignUp	2542621124309	Visitor	400	07/27/2020	07/27/2020	Edit
Too Small	modMBA purchased Your list is too small to use	2542621122488	Visitor	< 100	07/23/2020	07/23/2020	Edit

Create audience

Business Create Analytics Ads Viewing: www.Coursenvy.com

Audiences

Reach specific groups of people by creating your own audiences. [Learn More](#)

Create a new audience list:

- Site Visitors
- Engagement
- Customer Lists
- Actalike Customers

Search

Status

- Ready
- Too Small
- Ready
- Ready
- Ready

CE ALL - 90 Days	2542620769047
ALL coursenvy.com traffic 90 Days	

Rows per page 10

Using audience manager means you agree to our [Ad Guidelines](#) and [Ad Data Terms](#)

Create new audience list



Reconnect with users

- Engagement**
Target Pinners who have engaged with your content on Pinterest
- Site visitors**
Retarget visitors from your website
- Customer list**
Target Pinners from a list of your customers that you upload

Find new customers

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A newly created audience list can take up to 24 hours to finish initializing. [Learn More](#)

Step 1: Audience list details

Audience name

Name your audience (required)

Audience description

Describe your audience (optional)

Step 2: Select conversion source

To use a conversion source other than a Pinterest Tag, add a filter and configure the source of this event.

- Pinterest Tag**
- Mobile Measurement Partners (MMP)
- Conversion Up
- API

Tag name

Event history

Create

Audiences → Site Visitors

- Site Visitor based audiences are my favorite and most commonly used audience because this is RETARGETING 101!
- You are targeting people who aren't new to your content and they have visited your website/app already.
- Site Visitor audiences will be more receptive to your Pinterest retargeting ads as they have visited your website in the past.

Audiences → Site Visitors

1. When creating your **Site Visitors** based audience on Pinterest, you will first name your audience. Be specific so you can easily identify the Audience List name when creating ads, for example: *“Website URL - Total Days Tracked”*
2. Next, select the conversion source. This is the Pinterest Tag you installed on your website that you want to build this specific visitor audience around (i.e. audiences based on specific events or pages on your website.)

Create new audience list ✕

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- Pinterest Tag**
- Mobile Measurement API
- Conversion Upload
- API

Tag name Event history

Create

Audiences → Site Visitors

- Next you can add specific filters to your audience. First set the “past number of days” to track the most recent X number of days of users.

For the “Site Visitors” audience, we can filter by **Events** or **Destination URL** to track/add **ONLY** those types of users to this audience.

Filter 1

Destination URL

Use commas to separate two or more ...

Create new audience list

- Actalike customers
Target users who behave similarly to your existing customers
- Pinterest Tag
- Mobile Measurement Partners (MMP)
- Conversion Upload
- API

Tag name	Event history
<input checked="" type="radio"/> www.Courseenvy.com Tag 1 2615499399277	Dec 12, 2022 23:29UTC

Step 3: Set filters

Users in the past number of days

Include past traffic

Optional filters

Filter 1

Destination URL

Create

Audiences → Site Visitors → Filters

- **Events** - Create an audience based on one or more specific Event Codes on your site. For example, you might retarget people who've made it to your newsletter confirmation page (e.g. coursenvy.com/thanks that has the Event Code for "leads").
- **Destination URL** - Create an audience based on one or more pages that people have visited on your website. You can include specific URLs or a portion of URL (i.e. category page) or the base URL to create an audience of all users.

Audiences → Engagement

- Select the **Engagement** audience to engage with users who have engaged with Pins from your claimed domain.
- Set your filters to the engagement audience you want to target.
- I love to build audiences around a specific Pin engagement. So for this audience I would heavily retarget upselling the product featured in the Pin that these users engaged with. For for this engagement audience I select **Pin ID**.

Create new audience list

Actalike customers
Target users who behave similarly to your existing customers

Step 2: Engagement audience type

Include people who have performed:

Any engagement actions
 Optimized engagement actions

Optional steps:

Select your source type

Select filter type

Pin ID

You can only select one source per engagement audience

Enter Pin ID(s)

Ex: 12345678

For multiple entries, separate each Pin ID with a comma

Select your claimed domain

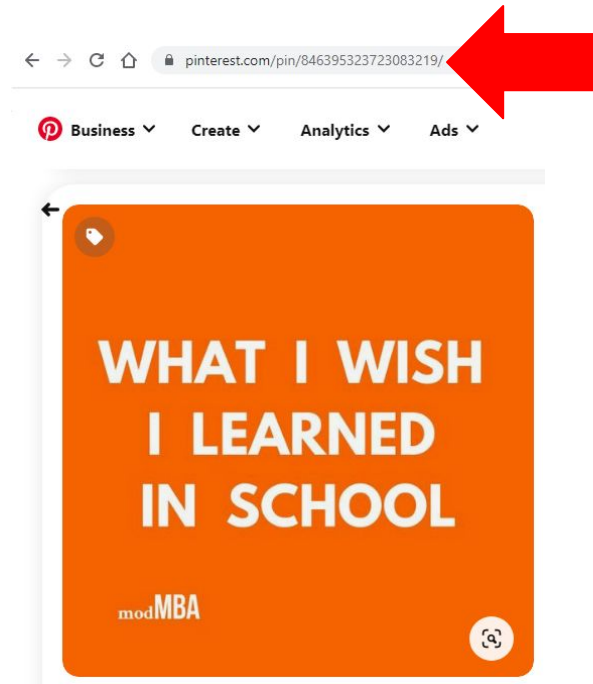
By selecting a claimed domain(s), you can include users who engaged with organic and promoted Pins from your claimed domain(s) in your engagement audience. [Learn more](#)

www.coursenvy.com

Create

Audiences → Engagement

The Pin ID can be found in the website URL of the Pin itself.



Audiences → Customer List

- You can also create an audience by uploading existing customers' emails or mobile ad IDs (MAIDs) via a **.CSV** file.
- Leave out any additional information you have, like names, phone numbers or physical addresses. Simply a .csv file with a column of email addresses is enough to upload.
- Pinterest will then compare that list to people who use Pinterest to create an audience which you can either include or exclude via your Pinterest ad targeting.

Create new audience list

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Step 1: Audience list details

Audience name

Audience description

Step 2: Choose a file to upload

Drag & drop or choose .csv file from computer

By creating this Customer List, I confirm that it meets the **Pinterest Customer List Requirements**

Audiences → Actalike Customers

- Actalike targeting helps you easily reach even more people who are **similar** to an existing audience.
- Pinterest creates Actalike audiences using information they know about Pinners in your “source audience list”. The source audience will not be a part of the new Actalike audience.
- Finally, select the Actalike country you want to find similar users in and then select the Actalike range, 1% = most similar, to 10% = least similar (we see the best results from 1%).

Create new audience list

Describe your audience (optional)

Reconnect with users

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 Retarget visitors from your website

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 Retarget users who have engaged with Pins from your claimed domain

Customer list
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Step 2: Choose a source audience list

Search all audiences lists

List name	List type
<input type="radio"/> CE ALL - 90 Days 2542620769047	Site visitors
<input type="radio"/> LearnCE BUYERS (ALL) 2542621119423	Customer lists
<input type="radio"/> modMBA purchased 2542621122488	Site visitors
<input type="radio"/> modMBAfree SignUp 2542621124309	Site visitors

1 - 4 of 4 rows

Actalike country: U.S. Actalike range: 5%

Create

Audiences → Actalike Customers

These Actalike Customer audiences (or what I call lookalike audiences) are my favorite as they are a great top of funnel audience to target. They are also a great way to take a small existing source audience (e.g. a customer list) and let Pinterest find a bunch of people similar to this source audience for you (Pinterest typically finds ~1,000,000 users in these Actalike Customer audiences)!

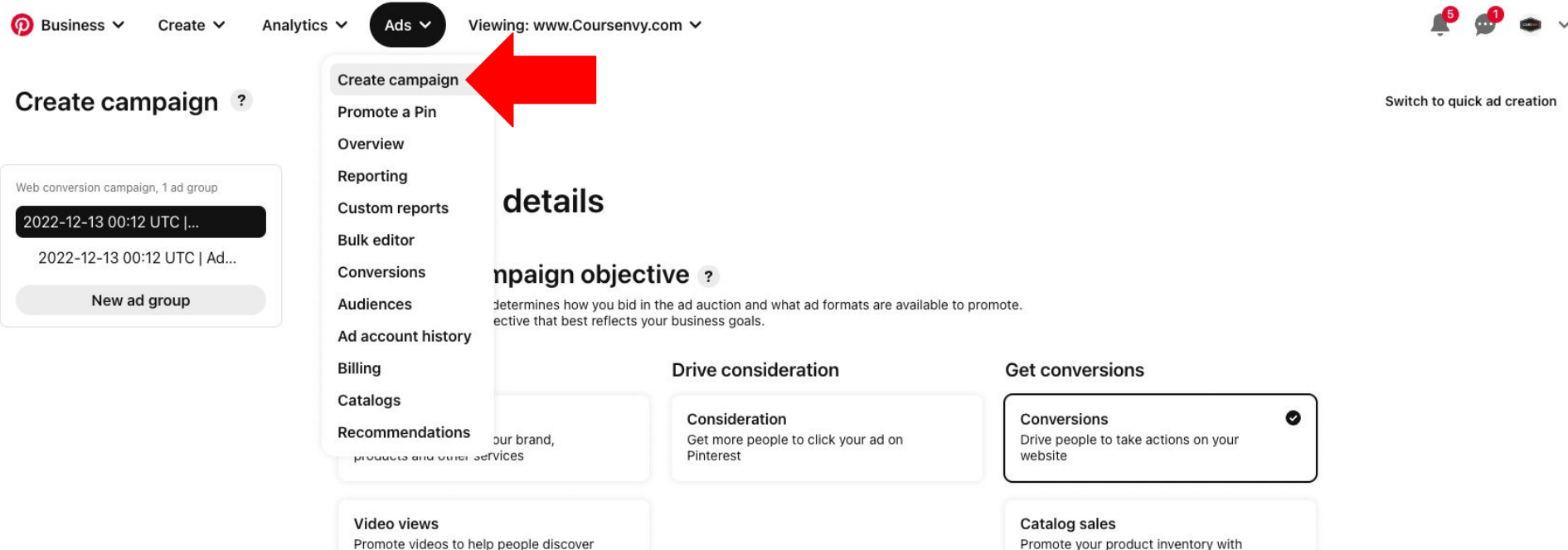
My favorite use is creating an Actalike Customer audience that builds an audience based on my most important Customer List, people who have made a purchase on our website! Just select that source audience list, then select your Actalike target country and 1% for the range.

Make sure you have at least 100 Pinterest users in the source audience list before creating an Actalike audience.

How to Create a Pinterest Ad Campaign

Pinterest Ads

<https://ads.pinterest.com> → In the Ads dropdown menu, select the “Create campaign” option.



The screenshot displays the Pinterest Ads dashboard. At the top, the navigation bar includes 'Business', 'Create', 'Analytics', 'Ads', and 'Viewing: www.Coursenvy.com'. The 'Ads' dropdown menu is open, with 'Create campaign' highlighted and a red arrow pointing to it. Other options in the menu include 'Promote a Pin', 'Overview', 'Reporting', 'Custom reports', 'Bulk editor', 'Conversions', 'Audiences', and 'Ad account history'. The main content area shows a 'Create campaign' section with a 'New ad group' button and a list of ad groups. Below this, there are sections for 'Campaign objective', 'Drive consideration', and 'Get conversions'. The 'Get conversions' section is currently selected, showing 'Conversions' as the objective.

Business ▾ **Create** ▾ **Analytics** ▾ **Ads** ▾ Viewing: www.Coursenvy.com ▾

Create campaign ?

Web conversion campaign, 1 ad group

2022-12-13 00:12 UTC | ...

2022-12-13 00:12 UTC | Ad...

New ad group

details

Campaign objective ?

Audiences Determines how you bid in the ad auction and what ad formats are available to promote. Selective that best reflects your business goals.

Ad account history

Billing

Catalogs

Recommendations Promote your brand, products and other services

Drive consideration

Consideration Get more people to click your ad on Pinterest

Get conversions

Conversions Drive people to take actions on your website

Video views Promote videos to help people discover

Catalog sales Promote your product inventory with

Switch to quick ad creation

Step 1 → Campaign Objective

Ads Manager Create campaign

Switch to quick ad creation ⓘ

Web conversion campaign, 1 ad group
CONV - modMBA

New ad group

Entrepreneur

Choose a campaign objective

Your campaign objective determines how you bid in the ad auction and what ad formats are available to promote. Choose the campaign objective that best reflects your business goals.

Build awareness

Brand awareness

Help people discover your brand, products and other services

Video views

Promote videos to help people discover your brand or drive actions

Drive consideration

Consideration (formerly traffic)

Get more people to click your ad on Pinterest

Get conversions

Conversions

Drive people to take actions on your website

Catalog sales

Promote your product inventory with shopping ads

Once the campaign is launched, the campaign may experience some performance fluctuations and take some days to stabilize. Find out more here.

Campaign name & status

Campaign name

CONV - modMBA

Only you will see this name

Ads Manager

Create campaign

Switch to quick ad creation

Web conversion campaign, 1 ad group
CONV - modMBA

New ad group

Entrepreneur - ad group



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Campaign name

CONV - modMBA

Only you will see this name

Campaign status

Active (recommended)
Your ads can be served

Paused

In the left sidebar you can see the levels of your Pinterest ad, including your Campaign name and Ad Group name below it.

You can also click the “New ad group” button to split test your targeting. Remember, only split test ONE variable at a time to ensure you know which variable creates the best results (e.g. target an “Actalike audience” in one ad group and target a “Keyword” in the second ad group).

Publish

Ads Manager

Create campaign

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Web conversion campaign, 1 ad group
CONV - modMBA

New ad group

Entrepreneur

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Campaign status

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Your ads can be served

Paused

Step #1, select your campaign objective.

Publish

Ads Manager

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CONV - modMBA

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Only you will see this name

Campaign status

Active (recommended)
Your ads can be served

Paused

Next, name your campaign so you can easily identify it in Pinterest reporting.

EXAMPLE:

Traffic - Women - 18 to 34 - Wedding Dresses

Publish

Create campaign ?

Switch to quick ad creation

Web conversion campaign, 1 ad group

2022-12-13 00:56 UTC |...

2022-12-13 00:56 UTC | Ad...

New ad group

Campaign budget and schedule

[Beta] Flexible daily budgets ⓘ

Campaign budget type

Daily

Lifetime

Daily budget (in USD)

20.00

Your campaign can spend no more than \$20.00 per day, across any of its ad groups.

Campaign schedule

Run continuously

Run on specific dates

Continue

Publish

Click the
“Continue” button
to proceed to
editing this
campaigns
“Ad group”.

Next, scroll down to set your **Campaign Budget**.

You can split this campaign budget between multiple ad groups (perfect for split testing varying targeting).

I try to use a minimum of \$20 per campaign, then scale up winners after testing for a few days (or 1,000 ad impression).

Select “Daily” and “Run continuously”. Just remember to toggle off losing campaigns.

Step 2 → Ad Group

➤ First, name your Ad group so you can easily identify it in Pinterest reporting.

Create campaign ?

Switch to quick ad creation

Web conversion campaign, 1 ad group

2022-12-13 00:56 UTC |...

entrepreneur - USA men 18-...

Targeting

Budget and schedule

Optimization and delivery

Ads

Duplicate ad group

New ad group

Ad group details ?

Ad groups allow you to apply the same targeting and bidding strategy to single or multiple ads.

Ad group name

entrepreneur - USA men 18-34

Only you, partners and employees with access to your account will see this name

Targeting details ?

Select a strategy



Reconnect with users

Retarget people who have already interacted with your brand

Select

Potential audience size

Monthly active ads audience
80M+

Narrow

Broad

Step 3 → Ad Group → Targeting

- On the Targeting step, you will select **who** will see your Pinterest ad.
- This includes audiences, interests, keywords, varying demographics and advanced options.

Business Create Analytics Ads Viewing: www.Coursenvy.com



Create campaign ?

Switch to quick ad creation

Targeting details ?

Web conversion campaign, 1 ad group

Conversions - Coursenvy

entrepreneur - USA men 18-

Targeting

Budget and schedule

Optimization and delivery

Ads

Duplicate ad group

New ad group

Select a strategy



Reconnect with users

Retarget people who have already interacted with your brand

Audience lists: Customer lists, Engagement, Site visitors, Dynamic retargeting

Select



Find new customers

Prospect people who haven't interacted with your brand

Audience lists: Act alike customers

Select



Choose your own

Select

Potential audience size

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80M+

Narrow

Broad

Ads Manager

Create campaign

Web conversion campaign, 1 ad group
CONV - modMBA

New ad group

Entrepreneur - ad group

Targeting

Budget & schedule

Optimization & delivery

Ads (0)

Duplicate ad group

Targeting details

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Select

> Details



Find new customers

Prospect people who haven't interacted with your brand

Select

> Details

Choose your own

Make targeting selections for this ad group without guidance.
Recommended for experienced advertisers only.

Select

> Details

Audience lists

Keywords & Interests

Demographics

Ad placement

Potential audience size

Monthly active ads audience
90m+

Narrow Broad

If you want to use the Pinterest guided targeting suggestions, select one of these options.

Publish

Ads Manager

Create campaign

Web conversion campaign, 1 ad group
CONV - modMBA

New ad group

Entrepreneur - ad group

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> Details



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> Details

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Keywords & Interests

Demographics

Ad placement

Potential audience size

Monthly active ads audience
90m+

Narrow Broad

Reconnect with users = Retargeting people who have already interacted with your brand and have been tracked via your Pinterest Tag installed on your website or app.

Publish

Ads Manager
Create campaign

Targeting details

Web conversion campaign, 1 ad group
CONV - modMBA

- New ad group
- Entrepreneur - ad group
 - Targeting
 - Budget & schedule
 - Optimization & delivery
 - Ads (0)
- Duplicate ad group

Select a strategy

Reconnect with users
Retarget people who have already interacted with your brand Select

> Details

Find new customers
Prospect people who haven't interacted with your brand Select

> Details

Choose your own
Make targeting selections for this ad group without guidance.
Recommended for experienced advertisers only. Select

> Details

Potential audience size

Monthly active ads audience i
90m+

Narrow Broad

Find new customers =
Prospecting
Pinterest for people
who haven't
interacted with
your brand and
have yet to be
tracked by your
Pinterest tag.

Publish

Ads Manager Create campaign

Web conversion campaign, 1 ad group
CONV - modMBA

New ad group

Entrepreneur - ad group

Targeting

Budget & schedule

Optimization & delivery

Ads (0)

Duplicate ad group

Targeting strategy



Reconnect with users

Retarget people who have already interacted with your brand

Select

> Details



Find new customers

Prospect people who haven't interacted with your brand

Select

> Details

Choose your own

Make targeting selections for this ad group without guidance.
Recommended for experienced advertisers only.

Selected

> Details

Potential audience size

Monthly active ads audience
90m+

Narrow

Broad

We always select
"Choose your own"
to have access to all
Pinterest targeting
options.

Audience lists (0)

Add an audience list (optional)

Keywords & Interests

Keywords: None
Interests: None
Expanded targeting: On

Publish

If you are creating a campaign to RETARGET past audiences (e.g. website visitors), adding **Audience Lists** is how you create these retargeting campaigns.

Audiences are perfect for retargeting people who visited your website, but didn't convert. You can work those users down your sales funnels via audience lists!

audience size
ads audience
Narrow Broad

Web conversion campaign, 1 ad group
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- New ad group
- Entrepreneur - ad group
 - Targeting
 - Budget & schedule
 - Optimization & delivery
 - Ads (0)
- Duplicate ad group

Targeting strategy Choose your own

Audience lists (0)

Add an audience list (optional)

Create new audience list Use existing list

Keywords & Interests
Keywords: None
Interests: None
Expanded targeting: On

Demographics
Gender: All genders
Age: All ages
Location: All U.S.
Language: All languages
Device: All devices

Ad placement
Placement: Browse and search
Tracking URLs: None

Publish

1) Create New Audience List

Entrepreneur - ad group

Targeting details

- Targeting strategy
- Audience lists (0)
 - Create new audience list
- Keywords & Interests
- Demographics

Create new audience

Reconnect with users

Site visitors

Retarget visitors from your website

Engagement

Retarget users who have engaged with Pins from your claimed domain

Customer list

Retarget users from an uploaded list

Find new customers

Actalike customers

Target users who behave similarly to your existing customers

Create a new audience based on Site Visitors, Engagement, Customer Lists, or Actalike Customers.

Step 1: Audience list details

Audience name

Name your audience (required)

Audience description

Describe your audience (optional)

When adding this audience list to an ad group:

- Include list
- Exclude list

Step 2: Select conversion source

To use a conversion source other than a Pinterest Tag, add a filter and configure the source of this event.

- Pinterest Tag
- Mobile Measurement Partners (MMP)
- Conversion Upload
- API

2) Use Existing List

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Entrepreneur - ad group

Ads Manager

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Ads (0)

Duplicate ad group

Targeting details

Targeting strategy Choose your own

Audience lists (0)

Add an audience list (optional)

Create new audience list

Keywords & Interests

Keywords: None
Interests: None
Expanded targeting

Demographics

Gender: All genders
Age: All ages
Location: All U.S.
Language: All languages
Device: All devices

Add an existing audience list

Viewing: Actalikes Customer lists Engagement Site visitors

> Selected audience lists (0)

CE ALL - 90 Days ID: 2542620769047	Ready to use updated 1 year ago	6k Site visitors	Select
LearnCE BUYERS (ALL) ID: 2542621119423	Ready to use updated 11 months ago	300 Customer lists	Select
LA - 1% USA - LearnCE BUYERS (ALL) ID: 2542621119635	Ready to use updated 11 months ago	868k Actalikes	Select
modMBA purchased ID: 2542621122488	Too small updated 11 months ago	< 100 Site visitors	Select
modMBAfree SignUp ID: 2542621124309	Ready to use updated 11 months ago	400 Site visitors	Select

1 - 5 of 5 rows

If you have already created the audience, select it via the “Use existing list” button.

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New ad group

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- Targeting
- Budget & schedule
- Optimization & delivery
- Ads (0)

Duplicate ad group

Targeting details

Targeting strategy Choose your own

Audience lists (0)

Add an audience list (optional)

Keywords & Interests

Enable expanded targeting



Add interests Add keywords

Pick topics related to your brand so you can reach people based on other Pins they engage with. Learn more

All interests Selected

Search all interests

- Animals (9)
- Architecture (7)
- Art (24)
- Beauty (7)
- Children's Fashion (4)

Potential audience size

Monthly active ads audience **90m+**

Narrow
●
 Broad

Next, scroll down to the “Add Interests” section.

Interests are great for targeting TOP OF FUNNEL users. Let Pinterest find users related to interests relevant to your brand.

Publish

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CONV - modMBA

New ad group

Entrepreneur - ad group

- Targeting
- Budget & schedule
- Optimization & delivery
- Ads (0)

Duplicate ad group

Keywords & Interests

Enable expanded targeting

Add interests Add keywords

Pick topics related to your brand so you can reach people based on other Pins they engage with. [Learn more](#)

All interests Selected (1)

wedding cakes

- Wedding
- Wedding > Wedding Cake
- Wedding > Wedding Cake > Wedding Cake Topper
- Food and Drinks > Desserts > Cake > Cake Design



Potential audience size

Monthly active ads audience
4.24m-4.7m

Narrow Broad



EXAMPLE:
If you are selling “wedding cakes”, we can add that interest and let Pinterest find users who have engaged with Pins included in your specific interests.

Also, notice your “Potential audience size” as you select targeting option.

Demographics

Gender: All genders
Age: All ages
Location: All U.S.
Language: All languages
Device: All devices

Publish

Pinterest Ad Targeting → Interests

From my experience marketing for clients on Pinterest, I find that for most brands, the “Interest” option alone is a bit too broad and truly only good for top of funnel split testing for targeting.

SPLIT TEST EXAMPLE: Ad Group #1 target “Wedding” interest, Ad Group #2 target “Wedding Cake” interest. After 3-7 days (or 1,000 impressions), I will review this split test to see which Ad Group created better results.

If you have a brand with a wide variety of products all targeting one of these Interests, this is a great variable to test in one version of your campaigns to see if it creates conversions for you.

***One note, I often say “conversions” as the goal... that can mean many things. Whether that is for you... a click, a sale, an email sign up... you want to be always split testing **ONE** variable at a time in these ads to make them more and more optimized for the results you want and the best ROMI (return on marketing investment).

Ads Manager Create campaign

Web conversion campaign, 1 ad group
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New ad group

Entrepreneur - ad group

- Targeting
- Budget & schedule
- Optimization & delivery
- Ads (0)

Duplicate ad group

Publish

Keywords & Interests

Enable expanded targeting ⓘ

Add interests Add keywords



Choose relevant keywords to increase ad impressions in search results and Related Pins. For best results, use a minimum of 25 keywords. [Learn more](#)

wedding cakes

1 keyword



Extend your reach

Search for related keywords

wedding cake

+ Add all results

Keyword	Monthly Searches
+ wedding cakes	5m+
+ wedding cake toppers	5m+
+ weddings cakes idea	5m+
+ cupcakes for wedding	5m+
+ cupcakes ideas for wedding	5m+
+ cake wedding	5m+
+ wedding ideas cake	5m+
+ wedding cakes decorating	5m+
+ wedding cake tabled	5m+

Potential audience size

Monthly active ads audience ⓘ
941k-1.04m

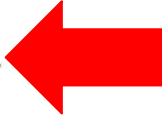
Narrow Broad

Next, click the “**Add Keywords**” option.

Keyword targeting lets you reach people as they search for a specific topic on Pinterest. I see the highest ROMI for my clients using 25+ specific keywords, including “phrase match” and [exact match] keywords.

Format your keywords to indicate: broad match, “phrase match”, [exact match], -[negative phrase match] or -[negative exact match]

[pink wedding cakes]
[pink wedding cake]
"pink wedding cakes"
"pink wedding cake"



Extend your reach
Search for related keywords

🔍 wedding cakes

+ Add all results

Keyword	Monthly Searches
+ wedding cake boxes	< 1k
+ wedding cake tables ideas elegant	1k-10k
+ wedding cakes beautiful	10k-100k
+ cupcakes wedding cake	1k-10k
+ rosegold wedding cakes	< 1k
+ wedding cakes simple	10k-100k
+ 2teir wedding cakes	1k-10k
+ wedding cakes 4tier	< 1k
+ 2017 wedding cakes	10k-100k

4 keywords

Format your keywords to indicate: broad match, "phrase match", [exact match], -[negative phrase match] or -[negative exact match]



EXAMPLE:

If you are selling “pink wedding cakes”, you can add that **EXACT MATCH** [keyword in brackets] and **PHRASE MATCH** “keyword in quotes” to have our ad appear in users search results for these **SPECIFIC** keywords.

Ads Manager Create campaign

Web conversion campaign, 1 ad group
CONV - modMBA

New ad group

Entrepreneur - ad group

- Targeting
- Budget & schedule
- Optimization & delivery
- Ads (0)

Duplicate ad group

Keywords & Interests

Enable expanded targeting

Add interests Add keywords

Choose relevant keywords to increase ad impressions in search results and Related Pins. For best results, use a minimum of 25 keywords. [Learn more](#)

wedding cakes

You can also research the keyword monthly search volume on Pinterest via the keyword search box to see your potential audience size for each keyword.

1 keyword

Extend your reach Search for related keywords

wedding cake

Add all results

Keyword

- wedding cakes
- wedding cake toppers
- weddings cakes idea
- cupcakes for wedding
- cupcakes ideas for wedding
- cake wedding
- wedding ideas cake
- wedding cakes decorating
- wedding cake tabled

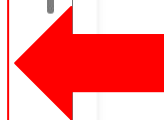
Monthly Searches

- 5m+
- 5m+
- 5m+
- 5m+
- 5m+
- 5m+
- 5m+
- 5m+
- 5m+

Potential audience size

Monthly active ads audience
941k-1.04m

Narrow Broad



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Keywords & Interests

Enable expanded targeting

Add interests Add keywords

Choose relevant keywords to increase ad impressions in search results and Related Pins. For best results, use a minimum of 25 keywords. [Learn more](#)

wedding cakes

Click the "+" sign next to each keyword you want to add to your targeted keyword list.

1 keyword

Extend your reach Search for related keywords

wedding cake

Add all results

Keyword	Monthly Searches
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> wedding cakes	5m+
<input type="checkbox"/> wedding cake toppers	5m+
<input type="checkbox"/> weddings cakes idea	5m+
<input type="checkbox"/> cupcakes for wedding	5m+
<input type="checkbox"/> cupcakes ideas for wedding	5m+
<input type="checkbox"/> cake wedding	5m+
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<input type="checkbox"/> wedding cakes decorating	5m+
<input type="checkbox"/> wedding cake tabled	5m+

Potential audience size

Monthly active ads audience
941k-1.04m

Narrow Broad

Notice the formatting I added to my keywords, including the brackets [keywords] and quotations "keywords". These are match types formats.



Keywords

Choose relevant keywords to increase ad impressions in search results and Related Pins. For best results, use a minimum of 25 keywords. [Learn more](#)

[pink wedding cakes]
[pink wedding cake]
"pink wedding cakes"
"pink wedding cake"

Format your keywords to indicate: broad match, "phrase match", [exact match]

Negative phrase match	Pins will not show on any search that contains the entire keyword phrase within the search term. Word order matters.	-"Bedroom decor"	Kitchen decor	Bedroom decor tips
Negative exact match	Pins will not show on a search that matches your keyword exactly. Order matters.	-[Bedroom decor]	Modern bedroom decor, Kitchen decor	Bedroom decor

Match type	Summary	Example keyword	Eligible search	Ineligible search
Broad match (default)	Pins show for your own keyword as well as for misspellings, synonyms, and other related search terms. Word order does not matter.	Kitchen design	Kitchen decor ideas, wall paper designs	T-shirt ideas
Phrase match	Pins show on search terms that include the entire phrase contained in the specified keyword as well as misspellings and close variations of that phrase. The search term phrase must use the same word order as the keyword.	"Kitchen design"	Kitchen design ideas, Kitchen designs	Kitchen decor idea, Design kitchen
Exact match	Pins show on your exact keyword or on a close variation of that keyword. Word order	[Kitchen design]	Kitchen design, Kitchen designs	Kitchen design idea, Design kitchen, Kitchen decor

Pinterest Ad Targeting → Keywords

Keyword Match Types: <https://help.pinterest.com/en/business/article/keyword-targeting>

- So what do all these keyword match types mean? I use match types to target Pinterest users search terms with even more precision! You can fine tune your targeting with broad, phrase, and exact match keywords. You can also exclude your Pins from showing via negative keywords. These keyword match types will control which searches your ad appears in by using phrase and exact matches to narrow in on specific search results, or you can use broad match to reach a wider audience.
- Negative keywords let you exclude certain search terms from triggering your ads.
- When adding match types, use specific **operators** to indicate the match type. For broad match, leave a **keyword** as is, for phrase match use quotations around your “**keywords**”, and for exact match use brackets around your [**keywords**].

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New ad group

Entrepreneur - ad group

Targeting

Budget & schedule

Optimization & delivery

Ads (0)

Duplicate ad group



Keywords & Interests

Keywords: None
Interests: None
Expanded targeting: Off



Demographics



Genders

- All genders
- Pick specific genders

Ages

- All ages
- Pick specific ages
- 21+ (Required for age-restricted advertising)

Locations

- All U.S. locations
 - Pick specific locations
- Use location targeting to help get your ad in front of people in a specific geographic location. [Learn more](#)

Languages

- All languages
- Pick specific languages

Devices

- All devices
 - Pick specific devices
- Need help understanding device targeting? [Learn more](#)

Potential audience size

Monthly active ads audience
90m+

Narrow Broad

Next, scroll down to the **Demographics** section to fine tune your targeting based on gender, age, location, language, and device (e.g. Android, iOS, desktop, or mobile).

Publish

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Targeting

Budget & schedule

Optimization & delivery

Ads (0)

 Duplicate ad group



Keywords & Interests

Keywords: None
Interests: None
Expanded targeting: Off

Potential audience size

Monthly active ads audience
90m+

Narrow Broad

Demographics

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These are great things to split test one variable at a time. To do this, **DUPLICATE** the ad group and adjust the **single** variable you want to test in each ad group.

For example, I will target one country in my first ad group, and then the exact same ad targeting another country in my second ad group to see where my ad performs better.

Publish

Create campaign ?

Switch to quick ad creation

Web conversion campaign, 1 ad group

Conversions - Coursenvy

entrepreneur - USA men 18-...

Targeting

Budget and schedule

Optimization and delivery

Ads

Duplicate ad group

New ad group

Keywords: 1 keyword
Expanded targeting: On

Demographics ?

Gender: All genders
Age: All ages
Location: All U.S.
Language: All languages
Device: All devices

Potential audience size

Monthly active ads audience
< 10k

Narrow Broad

Placement and Tracking

- All (recommended)
- Browse
- Search

Use placement targeting to specify where you'd like your ads to appear on Pinterest.

Ad group tracking URLs

Event Type

URL

Pin clicks

Tracking URL (optional)

Publish

Next, scroll down to the "Placement" section.

Create campaign ?

Switch to quick ad creation

Web conversion campaign, 1 ad group

Conversions - Coursenvy

entrepreneur - USA men 18-...

Targeting

Budget and schedule

Optimization and delivery

Ads

Duplicate ad group

New ad group

Keywords: 1 keyword

Expanded targeting: On

Demographics ?

Gender: All genders

Age: All ages

Location: All U.S.

Language: All languages

Device: All devices

Potential audience size

Monthly active ads audience < 10k

Narrow Broad

Placement and Tracking ?

All (recommended)

Browse

Search

Use placement targeting to specify where you'd like your ads to appear on Pinterest.

Ad group tracking URLs

Event Type	URL
Pin clicks	Tracking URL (optional)

Select where you want your Pinterest ads to appear.

Publish

Campaign Placement

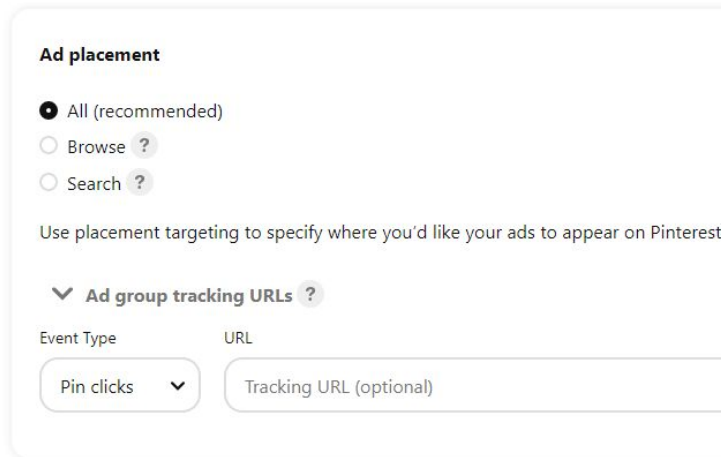
All = Your ads will appear in both Browse and Search areas.

Browse = Your ads will appear as people browse their home Pinterest feed and related Pins.

Search = Your ads will appear in search results and related Pins.

In certain niches for our varying clients (specifically very keyword specific products), I have found higher conversion rates for SEARCH placement only. Think about it, search = HIGHER intent compared to browsing!

PRO TIP: While I see the highest return on ad spend from SEARCH placement as it is more targeted, this is a great area to split test your campaigns (i.e. ALL vs SEARCH only)!



The image shows a screenshot of the Pinterest Ad placement settings interface. It features a section titled "Ad placement" with three radio button options: "All (recommended)" which is selected, "Browse" with a question mark icon, and "Search" with a question mark icon. Below this is a text label: "Use placement targeting to specify where you'd like your ads to appear on Pinterest". Underneath is a collapsed section "Ad group tracking URLs" with a downward arrow and a question mark icon. This section contains two columns: "Event Type" with a dropdown menu currently showing "Pin clicks" and a downward arrow, and "URL" with a text input field containing "Tracking URL (optional)".

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New ad group

Entrepreneur - ad group

- Targeting
- Budget & schedule
- Optimization & delivery
- Ads (0)

Duplicate ad group

Audience lists (0)

Add an audience list (optional)

Keywords & Interests

Keywords: None
Interests: None
Expanded targeting: Off

Demographics

Gender: All genders
Age: All ages
Location: All U.S.
Language: All languages
Device: All devices

Ad placement

- All (recommended)
- Browse ?
- Search ?

Use placement targeting to specify where you'd like your ads to appear on Pinterest. [Learn more](#)

Ad group tracking URLs ?

Add 3rd party click and impression trackers for ad group-level reporting. [Learn more](#)



Event Type

URL

Pin clicks

Tracking URL (optional)

Potential audience size

Monthly active ads audience
90m+

Narrow

Broad

The next option is “Ad group tracking URLs”. The Pinterest Tag is installed on your website for tracking. This “Tracking URLs” field is optional for 3rd Party Tracking software:

<https://help.pinterest.com/en/business/article/third-party-and-dynamic-tracking>

Publish

Expanded Targeting

Business ▾ Create ▾ Analytics ▾ Ads ▾ Viewing: www.Coursenvy.com ▾

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Create campaign

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New ad group

Entrepreneur - ad group

- Targeting
- Budget & schedule
- Optimization & delivery
- Ads (0)

Duplicate ad group

Targeting details

- Targeting strategy
- Audience lists (0)
Add an audience list (optional)
- Keywords & Interests**
 - Enable expanded targeting**

Add interests Add keywords

Pick topics related to your brand so you can reach people based on other Pins they engage with. [Learn more](#)

All interests **Selected**

Search all interests

- > Animals (9)
- > Architecture (7)

When you want to JUST target a specific audience that you selected on this Targeting page, do NOT turn on this “**Enable expanded targeting**” checkbox. We have set and know who we want to exactly target with this ad, so we will uncheck this box.

Expanded Targeting is great for when you are looking to reach a broad, top of funnel audience. Or if you are still uncertain of your target market. Pinterest will automatically target your ads to people searching topics relevant to your current targeting and Pin.

Step 4 → Ad Group → Budget & Schedule

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Create campaign

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Targeting


Budget & schedule

Optimization & delivery

Ads (0)

Duplicate ad group

Budget & schedule

 This ad group is part of a campaign that is using campaign budget optimization. Changes to schedule or budget must be made at the campaign level.

Campaign budget: Daily budget of \$20.00

Campaign duration: Run continuously starting on 7/20/2021

Potential audience size

Monthly active ads audience 1
90m+

Narrow Broad

We use **Campaign Budget Optimization**, which is setting the budget for this entire campaign, ad groups, and ads at the Campaign Objective level. Pinterest will automatically optimize and allocate the budget towards the best performing split test when using Campaign Budget Optimization.

I am not creating a split test for this ad, so I am allocating \$20 daily to the campaign and letting it run continuously (via a Daily Budget) until I choose to turn off the campaign.

Step 5 → Ad Group → Optimization & Delivery

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Ads Manager
Create campaign

Web conversion campaign, 1 ad group
CONV - modMBA

New ad group

Entrepreneur - ad group

Targeting

Budget & schedule

Optimization & delivery

Ads (0)

Duplicate ad group

Optimization & delivery

Pinterest tag

www.Coursesvny.com Tag 1

Select conversion event

Lead

Bidding

- Automatic (recommended)
Pinterest aims to get the most conversions for your budget
- Custom
You control your target average cost per conversion

Potential audience size

Monthly active ads audience 1

90m+

Set your bidding for this campaign.

If you know your target Cost Per Action, select Custom. If not, I suggest using **Automatic** as Pinterest has a ton of data available to optimize your bidding for you to compete for the best Pinterest ad auction price.

Ads

Select Pins

All Pins Boards Sponsored

The Pins below are eligible for your campaign setup. Click the filter button to the right and choose the ad format to view Pins of different creative types. [Learn more](#)

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New ad group

Entrepreneur - ad group

Targeting

Budget & schedule

Optimization & delivery

Ads (0)

Duplicate ad group

Optimization & delivery

Pinterest tag

www.Coursenvy.com Tag 1

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You control your target average cost per conversion

Potential audience size

Monthly active ads audience 90m+

Narrow Broad

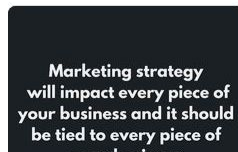
If you are creating a Conversion objective campaign, you will select the Conversion Event you want to track for this campaign in this dropdown menu.

Ads

Select Pins

All Pins Boards Sponsored

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Step 6 → Ad Group → Ads

Create campaign ?

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Conversions - Coursenvy

entrepreneur - USA men 18-...

Targeting

Budget and schedule

Optimization and delivery

Ads

Duplicate ad group

New ad group

Bidding

- Automatic (recommended)
Pinterest aims to get the most conversions for your budget
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You control your target average cost per conversion

Ads

Add Pins to promote ?

Choose Pins from your boards or create a new one.



Select Pins
Choose from your boards or paid partnership



Create a Pin
Standard, video, collections and carousel



Create an Idea Pin
Single or multi page image and video media

Click the “Select Pins” button to choose a past published Pin or click the “Create a Pin” button to create a Pin for this ad campaign.

Potential audience size

Monthly active ads audience
< 10k

Narrow Broad

Set up details

Create campaign ?

Web conversion campaign, 1 ad group

Conversions - Coursenvy

entrepreneur - USA men 18-...

Targeting

Budget and schedule

Optimization and delivery

Ads

Duplicate ad group

New ad group

PRO TIP:
Split test several Pins for this ad campaign by clicking the checkbox next to each Pin you want to test (2-4 Pins perform best).

Ads ?

Add Pins to promote ?

Choose Pins from your boards or create a new one.

Select Pins
Choose from your boards or paid partnership

Create a Pin
Standard, video, collections and carousel

Set up details - ad 1 of 1

Publish

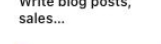
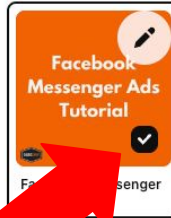
Choose a format

Select Pins

Ad groups with 2-4 Pins perform best.

All Pins Boards

The Pins below are eligible for your campaign setup. Click the filter button to the right and choose the ad format to view Pins of different creative types.



Add 1 Pin

Create campaign ?

Bidding

- Automatic (recommended) NEW
Pinterest aims to get the most conversions for your budget
- Custom
You control your target average cost per conversion

Ads ?

Add Pins to promote ?

Choose Pins from your boards or create a new one.

- Select Pins
Choose from your boards or paid partnership
- Create a Pin
Standard, video, collections and carousel

Set up details - ad 1 of 1

Choose a format

If your Pin isn't already posted, click the **Create a Pin** button and **Publish** your new Pin image or video.

AD FORMATS:

<https://business.pinterest.com/en/advertising/#ad-formats>



Pin builder



Publish



Select board



Title

Pin title

Description

Tell everyone what your Pin is about

Add alt text

Destination link

Add a destination link

Drag and drop or click to upload images or a video

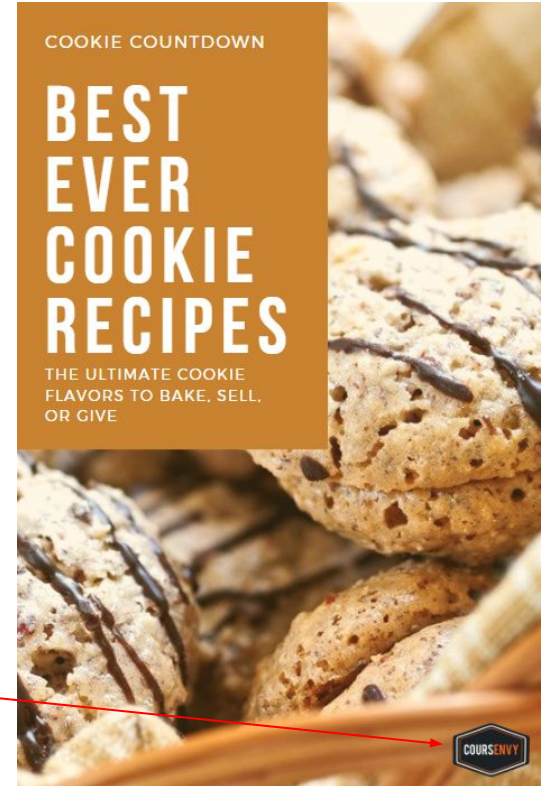
Recommendation: Use high-quality .jpg files less than 20MB or .mp4 files less than 2GB

See guidelines for high quality Pins

Save from site

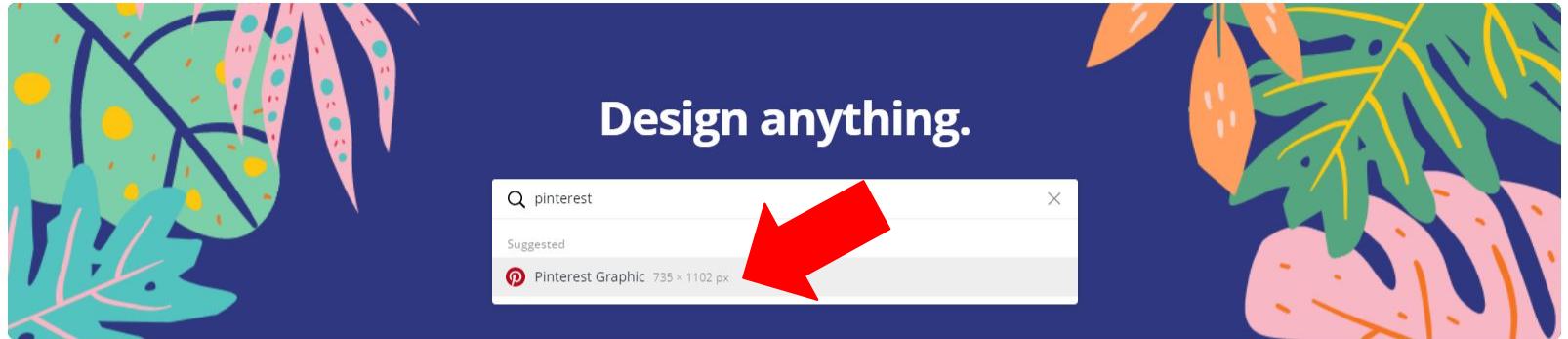
Pinterest Ad Pins

- The highest percentage of Pinterest users are on mobile devices, so it is important to make sure your images are mobile friendly and easily understood when viewed in a vertical screen (remember, the ideal aspect ratio is 2:3 or 1000px x 1500px).
- Take advantage of the **visual aspect** of the platform by **SHOWING** your value proposition. Use compelling images and videos!
- Include your logo/brand name within the Pin to grow your brand awareness!



Creating Pinterest Ad Pins

➤ I use [Canva.com](https://www.canva.com) for all my social media image and video creation!



Create a design >

Custom dimensions

📁 Folders

🗑️ Trash

Folders you open will be pinned here so that you can quickly access them.

Pinterest Ad Pins

Detailed descriptions in your Pins are also very important in order to enhance the story behind the Pin.

- When someone clicks a Pin, they'll will see your description. A good description can make your image or video more compelling and actionable. Plus this is an area to increase your Pins SEO (search engine optimization) by using relevant keywords.
- **EXAMPLE:** If your objective is to increase traffic to your website, use the description to add a call to action—like “shop,” “join,” “find,” “buy,” or “click” to encourage people to **take action!**

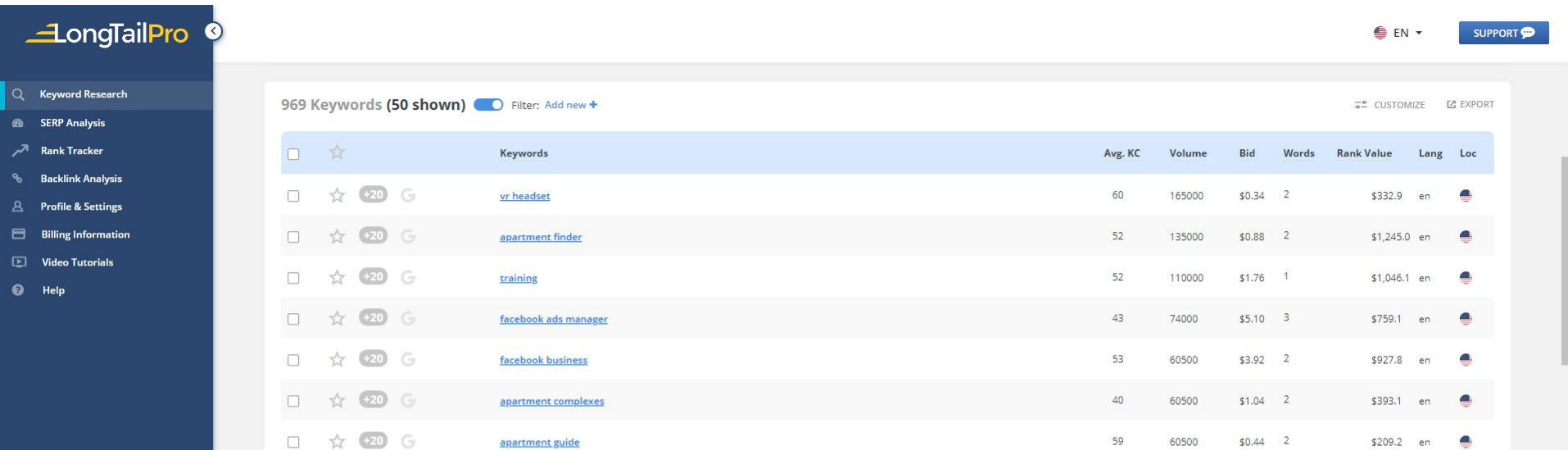
Pinterest Ad Pins

Optimize your Pins for search results on Pinterest.

- Make sure your Pins will show up in relevant searches by having a title and description that match the keywords you are targeting. Think about when you want your Pin to appear and who you want to see it. Avoid keywords that aren't **relevant** to the Pin.
- **EXAMPLE:** If you have a jewelry company that wants to appear in bridal jewelry searches, make sure you use keywords like “bridal jewelry”, “wedding”, and “bride” in the Pin description and title.

PRO TIP: Research Keyword Search Volume

- When creating Pins, I will have another tab open on my Long Tail Pro software. I will search varying keywords to be inspired by other keywords suggested and select varying search volume keywords to include in my Pins! Learn more at: www.coursenvy.com/longtailpro



The screenshot displays the Long Tail Pro software interface. On the left is a dark blue sidebar with navigation options: Keyword Research, SERP Analysis, Rank Tracker, Backlink Analysis, Profile & Settings, Billing Information, Video Tutorials, and Help. The main area shows a list of 969 keywords, with 50 displayed. The table includes columns for checkboxes, star ratings, keyword names, average keyword count (Avg. KC), search volume, bid price, word count, rank value, language, and location. Several keywords are marked with '+20' in a grey circle, indicating a high volume of suggestions.

<input type="checkbox"/>	☆	Keywords	Avg. KC	Volume	Bid	Words	Rank Value	Lang	Loc
<input type="checkbox"/>	☆ +20	vr headset	60	165000	\$0.34	2	\$332.9	en	🇺🇸
<input type="checkbox"/>	☆ +20	apartment finder	52	135000	\$0.88	2	\$1,245.0	en	🇺🇸
<input type="checkbox"/>	☆ +20	training	52	110000	\$1.76	1	\$1,046.1	en	🇺🇸
<input type="checkbox"/>	☆ +20	facebook ads manager	43	74000	\$5.10	3	\$759.1	en	🇺🇸
<input type="checkbox"/>	☆ +20	facebook business	53	60500	\$3.92	2	\$927.8	en	🇺🇸
<input type="checkbox"/>	☆ +20	apartment complexes	40	60500	\$1.04	2	\$393.1	en	🇺🇸
<input type="checkbox"/>	☆ +20	apartment guide	59	60500	\$0.44	2	\$209.2	en	🇺🇸

Pinterest Ad Pins

Make your Pins: **Beautiful**, **Helpful**, and **Actionable**

Pin Ideas:

- **How To's** (**EXAMPLE:** Show step by step how to do XYZ with varying images in a vertical 1000px wide x 1500px high layout)
- **Lists** (**EXAMPLE:** Top 5 XYZ, 10 Best Ways XYZ)
- **Text Overlay** (**EXAMPLE:** Use a “clickbait-esque” title on a high-quality, lifestyle photo)
- If you need some great “clickbait” title inspiration, just go to websites like DailyMail or BuzzFeed. These news sites have teams split testing titles for the most clicks! **EXAMPLE:** “You’ll never believe these 3 little tips help us make \$5000/mo with Amazon!”



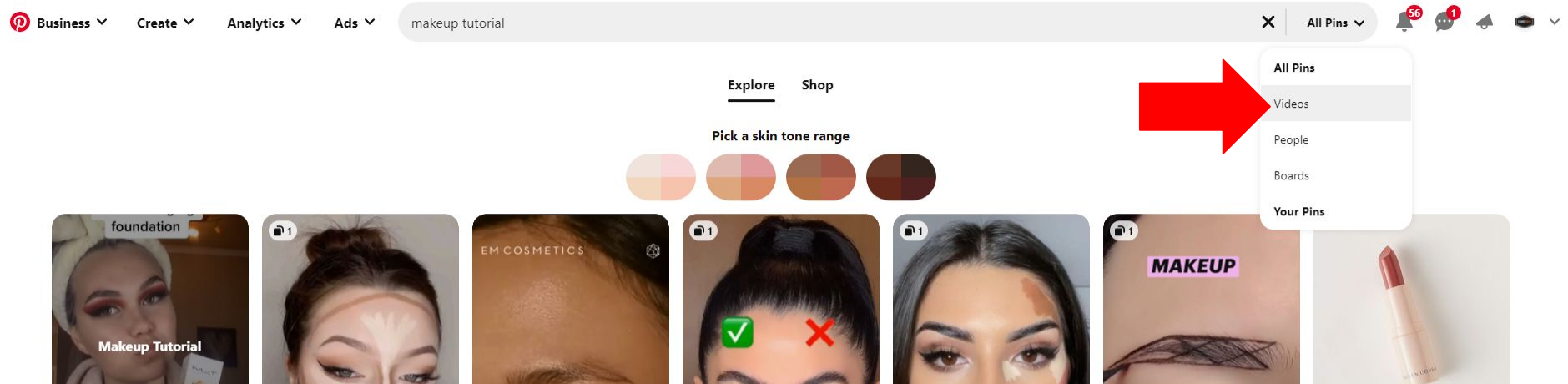
50 IDEAS
for birthday parties

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Videos on Pinterest

- Pinterest videos autoplay (without audio) when they come into view in a user's feed and GRAB ATTENTION at much higher rates than our client's images do.
- Users can click the video to watch it in a larger view, replay it, or watch it with audio.



Videos on Pinterest

Assume the Pinterest user will **NEVER** click to turn the sound on!

SHOW, don't tell!

- Show your brand's message through motion and text overlay versus relying on audio/dialogue.
- **START STRONG!** Users are scrolling their feed quickly... you have 2-3 seconds to visually grab their attention so they watch the entire video. Think of old infomercials format... present common **PROBLEM**, then your product/service as the **SOLUTION**.
- Again, just like still images, include your brand name, website URL, and/or logo throughout the video... even a watermark of your logo in a corner works! This pays dividends with long term brand awareness as people share and Pin this... your logo will always be in the video or image!

Videos on Pinterest

Make sure the videos you plan to use on Pinterest are designed for mobile. They should be:

- Square (1:1)
- Portrait (2:3)
- Widescreen (16:9)

Pinterest Image and Video Specs: <https://business.pinterest.com/en/Pinterest-product-specs>

- Min: 4 seconds, max: 15 minutes. Recommended: **6-15 seconds**
- Shorter length videos (6-15 seconds) tend to work best when you want Pinterest users to discover your idea quickly – perfect for your **AWARENESS** ads!
- Longer length videos are better for retargeting warm audiences via **TRAFFIC** ads when you want to provide education, a how to, or a tutorial in video format.

Step 6 → Ad Group → Ads

Create campaign ?

Switch to quick ad creation

Select Pins
Choose from your boards
or paid partnership

Create a Pin
Standard, video,
collections and carousel

Create an Idea Pin
Single or multi page image
and video media

Web conversion campaign, 1 ad group

Conversions - Coursenvy

entrepreneur - USA men 18-...

Targeting

Budget and schedule

Optimization and delivery

Ads

Duplicate ad group

New ad group

Set up details - ad 1 of 1



Influencer Marketing

Choose a format

Standard ad
Ad features a single image

Ad details

Ad name ⓘ

Conversions | Influencer Marketing

Destination URL ⓘ

https://www.coursenvy.com/post/influencer-marketing

Select a Pin (or multiple Pins to split test) for this Pinterest ad campaign.

As you can see, I selected 1 Pin for this campaign.

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Publish

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Set up details - ad 1 of 1



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Ad tracking URLs

Remove Pin

Preview Pin

Once selected, name your Ads for easy identification in Pinterest reporting.

Next, input the destination URL for Pinterest users to access once they interact with your Pinterest ad.



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Ad tracking URLs

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Preview Pin

Once you are ready, click the "Publish" button.



Publish

Billing address



First name

Last name

Business name (optional)

Billing email

Phone number (optional)

Building number (optional)

City

Zip/postal code

For your first Pinterest ad campaign you launch, you will need to add your Billing and Payment information.

Payment type

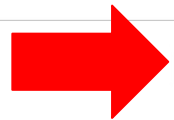


We accept Visa, MasterCard and American Express issued by **supported countries**. We do not accept pre-paid cards.

Card number

Expiration date

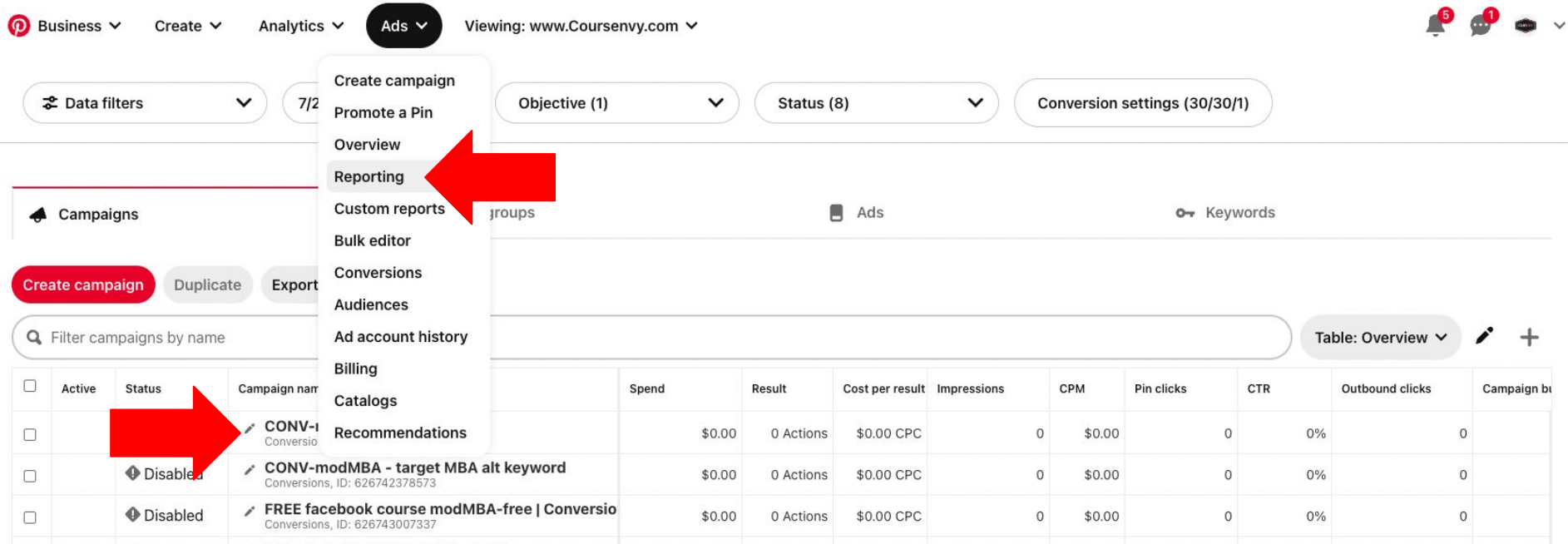
CVC / CW



Save

Pinterest Ad Account Reporting

➤ Click the **Ads** menu option in the top navbar and select “**Reporting**” in the dropdown menu.



The screenshot shows the Pinterest Ads dashboard. The top navigation bar includes 'Business', 'Create', 'Analytics', and 'Ads'. The 'Ads' menu is open, showing options like 'Create campaign', 'Promote a Pin', 'Overview', 'Reporting', 'Custom reports', 'Bulk editor', 'Conversions', 'Audiences', 'Ad account history', 'Billing', 'Catalogs', and 'Recommendations'. A red arrow points to the 'Reporting' option. Below the menu, there are filters for 'Objective (1)', 'Status (8)', and 'Conversion settings (30/30/1)'. A table of campaigns is visible, with columns for 'Active', 'Status', 'Campaign name', 'Spend', 'Result', 'Cost per result', 'Impressions', 'CPM', 'Pin clicks', 'CTR', 'Outbound clicks', and 'Campaign budget'. A red arrow points to the 'Status' column in the table.

Business ▾ Create ▾ Analytics ▾ **Ads ▾** Viewing: www.Coursenvy.com ▾

Data filters ▾ 7/2 Objective (1) ▾ Status (8) ▾ Conversion settings (30/30/1)

Reporting

Active	Status	Campaign name	Spend	Result	Cost per result	Impressions	CPM	Pin clicks	CTR	Outbound clicks	Campaign budget
<input type="checkbox"/>		CONV-1 Conversions, ID: 626742378573	\$0.00	0 Actions	\$0.00 CPC	0	\$0.00	0	0%	0	
<input type="checkbox"/>	Disabled	CONV-modMBA - target MBA alt keyword Conversions, ID: 626742378573	\$0.00	0 Actions	\$0.00 CPC	0	\$0.00	0	0%	0	
<input type="checkbox"/>	Disabled	FREE facebook course modMBA-free Conversions, ID: 626743007337	\$0.00	0 Actions	\$0.00 CPC	0	\$0.00	0	0%	0	

Data filters 7/21/2021 Objective (1) Status (8) Conversion settings (30/30/1)

Click the Campaigns tab.
Select the checkbox next to a Campaign Name you want to edit. Click the **Edit** button.



Campaigns

1 Ad groups for 1 campaign

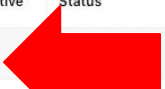
Keywords for 1 campaign

Create campaign Duplicate Export Activate Edit

Filter campaigns by name

Table: Overview

Active	Status	Campaign name	Spend	Result	Cost per result	Impressions	CPM	Pin clicks	CTR	Outbound clicks	Campaign budget
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>		CONV-modMBA - gift ideas Conversions, ID: 626742378132	\$0.00	0 Actions	\$0.00 CPC	0	\$0.00	0	0%	0	
<input type="checkbox"/>	Disabled	CONV-modMBA - target MBA alt keyword Conversions, ID: 626742378573	\$0.00	0 Actions	\$0.00 CPC	0	\$0.00	0	0%	0	
<input type="checkbox"/>	Disabled	FREE facebook course modMBA-free Conversio Conversions, ID: 626743007337	\$0.00	0 Actions	\$0.00 CPC	0	\$0.00	0	0%	0	
<input type="checkbox"/>	Disabled	CONV - modMBA BB comp - 3-30 Conversions, ID: 626743745500	\$0.00	0 Actions	\$0.00 CPC	0	\$0.00	0	0%	0	
			\$0.00			0	\$0.00	0	0%	0	



Rows per page 10

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Data filters Last 7 days Objective (1) Status (12) Conversion settings (30/30/1)

1 selected conversions campaign

Last 7 days (07/13/2020 - 07/19/2020)

Spend Impressions

Click this slider button to toggle Campaigns on and off.

Campaigns 1 Ad groups for 1 campaign Ads for 1 campaign Keywords for 1 campaign

Create campaign Duplicate Export Pause Archive Edit See history

Filter campaigns by name

Table: Overview

Off/On	Status	Campaign name	Spend	Result	Cost per result	Impressions	CPM	Link clicks	CTR
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Active	CONV-modMBA Conversions, ID: 626742378132	\$0.00	0 Actions	\$0.00 CPM	0	\$0.00	0	0%
			\$0.00			0	\$0.00	0	0%



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Launch ads with expert help

Daily data is recorded in UTC.

Data filters Last 7 days Objective (1) Status (12) Conversion settings (30/30/1)

1 selected conversions campaign

Last 7 days (07/13/2020 - 07/19/2020)

Spend Impressions

To create a split test of a campaign, simply select the campaign checkbox of your choice, then click the **Ad Groups** tab.

Campaigns 1 Ad groups for 1 campaign Ads for 1 campaign Keywords for 1 campaign

Create campaign Duplicate Export Pause Archive Edit See history

Filter campaigns by name

Table: Overview

Off/On	Status	Campaign name	Spend	Result	Cost per result	Impressions	CPM	Link clicks	CTR
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Active	CONV-modMBA Conversions, ID: 626742378132	\$0.00	0 Actions	\$0.00 CPM	0	\$0.00	0	0%
			\$0.00			0	\$0.00	0	0%

Rows per page 10

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Data filters Last 7 days Objective (1) Status (12) Conversion settings (30/30/1)

Select an Ad Group checkbox, then click the Duplicate button.
PRO TIP:
Only change ONE variable at a time in each split test so you can clearly see what variable resulted in the better ad performance.

Campaign: CON
Last 7 days (07/13/2020 - 07/19/2020)

Impressions

Campaigns 1 Ad groups 1 Ads for 1 ad group Keywords for 1 ad group

Create ad group Duplicate Export Pause Archive Edit budgets Edit bids Edit See history

Filter ad groups Targeting: None Table: Overview

Off/On	Status	Ad group name	Recommendations	Spend	Result	Cost per result	Impressions	CPM	Link clicks	CTR	Billing type	Budget	Budget type	Bid strategy type
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Active	Ad group - LA - 2% USA - LearnCE BUYERS (ALL)	0	\$0.00	0 Actions	\$0.00 CPM	0	\$0.00	0	0%	Impression	\$20.00	Daily	Automati
Totals				\$0.00			0	\$0.00	0	0%				

Rows per page 10

Launch ads with expert help 1 - 1 of 1 row

Daily data is recorded in UTC.

Data filters Last 7 days Objective (1) Status (12) Conversion settings (30/30/1)

Campaign: CONV-modMBA: 1 selected ad group

Last 7 days (07/13/2020 - 07/19/2020)

Spend Impressions

Duplicate ad group

Same campaign
 Different campaign
 New campaign

How many copies?
1

Cancel Duplicate

Campaigns 1

Create ad group Duplicate Export Pause Arch

Filter ad groups by name

Off/On	Status	Ad group name	Recommendations	Spend	Result	Cost per result	Impressions	CPM	Link clicks	CTR	Billing type	Budget	Budget type	Bid strategy type
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Ad group - LA - 2% USA - Local BUYERS (ALL) Automatic

Depending on how many variables you want to test will determine how many copies you want to make. Do you want to test the location of this ad in 3 countries total? That will be 2 copies (remember we have our original Ad Group for testing the first country as a location for this ad).

Rows per page 10

1 - 1 of 1 row

Data filters Last 7 days Objective (1) Status (12) Conversion settings (30/30/1)

Ad Group: Ad group - LA - 2% USA - LearnCE BUYERS (ALL): 1 ad

Last 7 days (07/13/2020 - 07/19/2020)

Spend Impressions

Toggle between the tabs to view more data for each: Campaigns, Ad Groups, Ads, and Keywords

Campaigns Ad groups Ads for 1 ad group Keywords for 1 ad group



Create ad Export

Filter ads by description

Targeting: None Table: Overview

Table with columns: Off/On, Status, Ad name, Pin i..., Spend, Result, Cost per result, Impressions, CPM, Link clicks, CTR, Pin description, Ad format. Row 1: Conversions | \$99 On! Conversions, ID: 687207184653, \$0.00, 0 Actions, \$0.00 CPM, 0, \$0.00, 0, 0%. Row 2: Totals, \$0.00, 0, \$0.00, 0, 0%.

Rows per page 10

1 - 1 of 1 r Launch ads with expert help

Daily data is recorded in UTC.

Data filters Last 7 days Objective (1) Status (12) Conversion settings (30/30/1)

Ad Group: Ad group - LA - 2
Last 7 days (07/13/2020 - 07/19/2020)

After running split tests for 3-7 days (or when my campaign hits 1,000 impressions... whichever comes first), I will review the performance of my ad and toggle off any losing split tests.

Spend Impressions

Campaigns 1 Ad groups 1 Ads for 1 ad group Keywords for 1 ad group

Create ad Export

Filter ads by description

Targeting: None Table: Overview

Off/On	Status	Ad name	Pin i...	Spend	Result	Cost per result	Impressions	CPM	Link clicks	CTR	Pin description	Ad format
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	ersions \$99 Onl sions, ID: 687207184653		\$0.00	0 Actions	\$0.00 CPM	0	\$0.00	0	0%	Join the #1 rated Online MBA Alternative, the modM	Static
Totals				\$0.00			0	\$0.00	0	0%		



Impressions

Rows per page 10

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Daily data is recorded in UTC.

Pinterest Campaign Dashboard

- You can also view multiple Campaign Objectives at once via this campaign dashboard's "Objective" dropdown menu.

The screenshot displays the Pinterest Campaign Dashboard interface. At the top, there are navigation links for Business, Create, Analytics, and Ads, along with the current viewing URL: www.Coursevy.com. Below the navigation, there are several filter buttons: Data filters, Last 7 days, Objective (5), Status (15), and Conversion settings (30/30/1). The 'Objective (5)' dropdown menu is open, showing a list of objectives: All, Awareness, Traffic, Catalog sales, Conversions, and Video views (CPV). A red arrow points to the 'Objective (5)' dropdown menu. Below the filters, there is a section for '1 selected campaigns' with a date range of 'Last 7 days (07/13/2020 - 07/19/2020)'. To the right, there is a legend for campaign objectives: Awareness, Traffic, Catalog sales, Conversions, Video views (CPV), and Spend. Below the legend, there is a bar chart with the text 'No activity for your applied filters.' At the bottom, there are navigation tabs for Campaigns, Ad groups, Product groups for 1 ad group, Ads for 1 ad group, and Keywords for 1 ad group. Below the tabs, there are buttons for 'Create campaign', Duplicate, Export, Pause, Archive, Edit, and See history. At the very bottom, there is a search bar for filtering campaigns by name and a 'Table: Overview' button.

Business Create Analytics Ads Viewing: www.Coursevy.com

Data filters Last 7 days Objective (5) Status (15) Conversion settings (30/30/1)

1 selected campaigns
Last 7 days (07/13/2020 - 07/19/2020)

All
Awareness
Traffic
Catalog sales
Conversions
Video views (CPV)

Awareness Traffic Catalog sales Conversions Video views (CPV) Spend

No activity for your applied filters.

Campaigns 1 Ad groups 1 Product groups for 1 ad group Ads for 1 ad group Keywords for 1 ad group

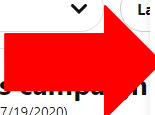
Create campaign Duplicate Export Pause Archive Edit See history

Filter campaigns by name

Table: Overview

Data filters

- Create ad
- Overview
- Reporting**
- Custom reports
- Bulk editor
- Conversions
- Audiences
- Ad account history
- Billing
- Catalogs



You can navigate back to this ad campaign reporting dashboard again via:
ads.pinterest.com → **Ads** menu → select **Reporting**

1 conversions campaign
Last 7 days (07/13/2020 - 07/19/2020)

Spend Impressions

Campaigns

Ad groups

Ads

Keywords

Create campaign Duplicate Export

Filter campaigns by name

Table: Overview

Off/On	Status	Campaign name	Spend	Result	Cost per result	Impressions	Link clicks	CTR	CPM
<input type="checkbox"/>	Active	CONV-modMBA Conversions, ID: 626742378132	\$0.00	0 Actions	\$0.00 CPM	0	0	0%	\$0.00
			\$0.00			0	0	0%	\$0.00

Rows per page 10

1 - 1 of 1 row

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How to Add Employees to Your Pinterest Business Profile



Currently in

Business Access

www.Coursenvy.com
Business ID: 846395461127412335

Your dashboard

Users

Employees

Partners

Assets

Ad accounts

Profiles New

History

Click the dropdown menu in the top right corner. Select **“Business Access”**.

Select **“Add partners”** (you can add Pinterest ad agencies like Coursenvy) or **“Add employees”** to add your own workers.

Set up your team

Manage who works in your business and which ad accounts they're assigned to

Add employees

Create partnerships

Collaborate with external businesses on ad accounts and tools

Add partners

Recently added

You're all caught up!

No new employees or partners have been added in the last week

www.Coursenvy.com

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Role ⓘ

Account owner

Email

info@coursenvy.com

Business Access m

Settings

Business Access

Pinterest TV Studio Beta

Tune your home feed

Your privacy rights

Ads support ↗

Request a feature ↗

Get help ↗

See terms of service ↗

See privacy policy ↗

Log out



