The Federal Employment Agency conducted a targeted online campaign on XING to position its Faktor A employer magazine as a professional platform for the latest trends in the labour market.

Campaign goals
The aim of the campaign was to boost awareness of Faktor A and increase the website's reach (www.faktor-a.arbeitsagentur.de – in German). An additional goal was to acquire print subscribers as digital readers.

Various sequential media promotions were rolled out to let managing directors, entrepreneurs, recruiters and tradespeople know about the employer magazine.

The Federal Employment Agency positioned Faktor A as an information digital employer magazine for SMEs.

Solution
15 million workers from every industry connect on XING, making it the perfect platform for an effective integrated campaign rolled out in four steps:

• Targeting aimed at managing directors, entrepreneurs and recruiters at SMEs
• Co-branded XING Sponsored Mailing sent as a standalone e-mail to the inbox of the intended target group
• Display ads and content teasers to boost advertising impact
• Inclusion in the XING Industry Newsletter and on XING spielraum.
Integrated campaign in cooperation with the Federal Employment Agency

Billboard on XING members’ homepage

Results

Reach: 1.8 mill. recipients; 4 mill. ad impressions
Unique users: 800,000 targeted mailing recipients
Opening rate: 23.29% Ø for mailings
Click rate: 0.57% Ø in mailings
Term: Four steps, each lasting 4-5 weeks per year

“XING proved to be our most successful channel for reaching employers within a business context. We’ll continue to foster this successful partnership in the future and post content on XING.”

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