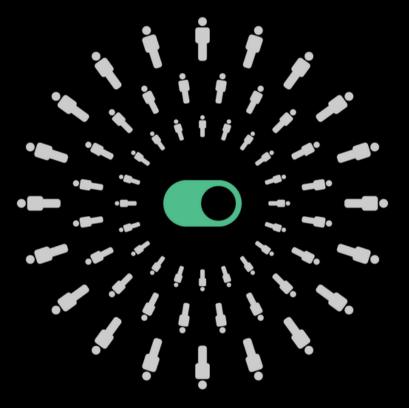
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The Always-On Future of Events



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Charlie McCurdy, Chief Executive, Informa Markets

Thanks for writing this book. It couldn't be more timely. This book elegantly bridges the legacy live exhibition business to what the authors call 'community catalyst'. The challenge is now with us, the exhibitions organizers of the world, to engage.



Simon Kimble, Chairman, Clarion Events

You have nailed it! It held my interest, and it was more than thought provoking. My wholehearted praise and huge thanks for doing this and helping us shape the future in such difficult times.

Michelle Bruno, Publisher, Event Tech Brief

Rankine and Giberti have done a fantastic job presenting the facts and offering a fresh perspective that will leave industry professionals both mindful and optimistic.



Douglas Emslie, Group Chief Executive of Tarsus, Chairman of SISO, Director of AEO

2020 has seen an enormous move to digital for the events industry but in reality it's just an acceleration of changes that the industry has been slow to make. This book is a key read in establishing your strategy for the future of your business.



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Dahlia El Gazzar, Tech Evangelist, DAHLIA+Agency

Every rare once in a while a book comes along that requires you to reset everything you've known. This is the book our events industry and professionals need right now.

Andrés López Valderrama, past President of UFI and current CEO of Corferias, Honorary President of Afida

I found Reinventing Live absolutely enriching as it clearly addresses the challenges and opportunities of our industry and suggests a strategic vision and plan that we should consider.

### REFLECTIONS FROM DENZIL...

Events are integral to how all business is conducted. Reinventing Live looks at how we can modify the event model to accommodate a world that is fast- tracking to the future and pave the way for a new vanguard of Millennial and Gen Z leaders who see the world through a much different lens than the generations before them.

## REFLECTIONS FROM MARCO...

I believe that events will continue to be a powerful marketing and experience channel, as well as the first point of contact between many buyers and brands. But with new buyers and sellers becoming increasingly entrenched in digital technologies, the cravings for better and more productive live event experiences will increase. I sincerely hope that readers will learn from our mistakes, bypass failure, and think differently about opportunities and challenges in their businesses and careers.



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