

# Sponsorship for Real Results

#### Introduction

This case study of a medium enterprise professional services company is based on a October 2014 survey of GIL 2014: Silicon Valley customers by TechValidate, a 3rd-party research service. The profiled company asked to have their name blinded to protect their confidentiality.

# Challenges

- Find that traditional" trade shows and conferences are plagued by the following:
  - Lack of true decision makers in attendance
  - Lack of ROI

## **Use Case**

- Finds the following activities provide the greatest returns:
  - Event sponsorship
- Generated 5 times the return on investment at a Frost & Sullivan GIL event compared to other events.

#### Results

- Leveraged 5 touch points through their sponsorship of Frost & Sullivan's GIL 2014: Silicon Valley.
- Generated 5 relationships as a result of Frost & Sullivan's GIL 2014:
   Silicon Valley.
- Finds that the following aspects make Frost & Sullivan's GIL 2014: Silicon Valley so unique and valuable in comparison to other events their company sponsors:
  - Ratio of decision makers in attendance
  - Relationship fostering environment
  - Nonstop networking
- Would strongly recommend sponsorship of Frost & Sullivan GIL to a peer.
- Would agree that Frost & Sullivan's GIL 2014: Silicon Valley is the best sponsorship investment in the market.

#### Company Profile

The company featured in this case study asked to have its name publicly blinded because publicly endorsing vendors is against their policies.

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Company Size: Medium Enterprise

Industry: **Professional Services** 

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