



**Massively priviledged position:** 

- Inspire
- Influence
- Entertain

# Elements of public speaking



Opening statement	System: MAPTAS	Watch your body language	Space
<ul> <li>3 seconds (!) to make people love or hate you</li> <li>Be creative, and start with a short story before you introduce yourself</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Make A Point Tell A Story</li> <li>Timing: 80% Vignette, 20%</li> <li>Make a Point</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>ONLY move with purpose</li> <li>When you gesture with your hands, hold the gesture in place for at least two seconds before pulling back</li> <li>Facial expression, voice, tone, movement, gestures, modulation</li> </ul>	Make a pause before and after an important piece in order to highlight your best material
Introduction	Let me give you an example	l don't know	Commedy Callback
<ul> <li>VERY important as it gives you credibility with the audience, max 60s</li> <li>"It hasn't always been that way"</li> </ul>	These words are the bridge between content, information, wisdom or lesson and the story that backs it up	<ul> <li>Even if you know, ask the audience for a name you can't remember.</li> <li>The idea is to connect with the audience.</li> </ul>	Deliver a humerous statement, story or situation in your vignette and draw laughter from the audience. Later on in the speech you make reference to the humerous story and the audience laughs again
Short Stories (vignettes)	Pause – Scan – Nod	Slowdown and repeat twice	Self deprecating humor
<ul> <li>Premise: the concept, the idea</li> <li>Problem: the conflict to resolve</li> <li>Pay off: the resolution of the conflict, context of learning, the "big jewel"</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>The pause allows the audience a chance to do a psychological evaluation of the speakers point</li> <li>Scanning room helps a speaker to connect with the audience.</li> <li>The nod might be the best kept secret of professional speakers.</li> </ul>	Become aware of the speed in which you speak. Slowing down helps to engage with the audience	<ul> <li>humor is the ultimate payoff.</li> <li>One of the most effective forms is self deprecating humor, where we poke fun on ourselves. This type of humor creates huge payoffs because it takes the audience by surprise</li> </ul>

## Gestures





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#### The Leveller

"This is the way it is, it is true"



#### The Blamer

'Its your fault, it's down to you'.



#### The Placator

please you'.



#### The Computer

'I'm reasonable, logical and sensible, here are the facts'.



entertaining 'joker' style exchange to



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## Summary speaking elements, gestures



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### **Gestures**

- Use gestures
  - The Leveler
  - The Placator
  - The Distractor
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- Modulate voice, tone, pitch, speed
- Use questions instead of statements to engage with the audience
- Make use of the speaking elements to connect with the audience



### **Metaphors & Storytelling**

- The art of storytelling is a critical element in keynote speeches, presentations, or sales conversations.
- Storytelling helps to communicate with a compelling narrative, with a vision and a purpose.
- Metaphors can be used to illustrate specific topics and themes of a conversation or to get difficult messages across in a smart way.
- Overall, metaphors
  - help to get and to maintain attention
  - build an appropriate relationship with the customer
  - · enables the customer to perceive the relevance of what is shared with him
  - pitch the communication in a way that relates to the customer's map of the world and their reality.
- Learn to use a story where the themes and ideas will expand during the presentation or conversation. At this point, it is worth noting that the customer is entertained that way, aren't they? Telling a story always attracts attention, and it is a sales rep's responsibility to find the balanced mix of providing facts and to entertain.
- Questions instead of statements help you to connect with the audience.
- Please remember, you want to create a positive environment. You will not disagree to the fact that
  when asked for how a meeting went, your answer might be typically an emotional one, like "quite
  nice" or "very inspiring" or "awful." Emotions are what the customer remembers first about a
  meeting, right?



## Your Need-Narrative

Question	Your text
For [target audience], it's a constant challenge to [general problem]. Every [time period], these people [perform a key activity] in order to [achieve a primary goal]. This is especially true if you're a [niche].	
The main problem they face is [primary functional problem relating to activity] which leads to [bad/worst case outcomes].  Today, their best option is [substitutes], but of course, they [the most common complaints of each substitute]. With [key trend], the problem will only get worse over time.	
If only there was a easier/better/cheaper way to [perform a key activity], then customers could [quantifiable impact on their primary goal] which would lead to [positive outcomes / emotions]. With [number of potential customers], there is a clear opportunity to meaningfully impact a huge number of people.	



Milton Language Pattern	Example	
• And	And as you become more familiar with the topic…	
Because	Because you understand the principles	
■ I know	I know you wondered how this is possible.	
■ That's right	That's right, viewing it that way.	
■ Means	That means you can improve.	
■ You can	You can, < <name>&gt;, do that.</name>	
■ Imagine, just imagine …	Imagine, just imagine what it would be like if you succeeded?	
What would it feel like, if	What would it feel like if performance improves by 10%?	
■ It's as if	It's as if you enter a new level of performance.	
■ The more, the more	The more you improve the more you gain.	
<ul><li>Just pretend for a moment</li></ul>	Just pretend for a moment that this new system is in place.	
<ul><li>You may be wondering</li></ul>	You may be wondering how easy the solution fits into your system?	
You may notice	You may notice how simple the solution is.	
■ It is a fact,	It is a fact, better performance means higher productivity.	
■ When you realise	When you realise the true potential of the solution you want to have it.	
■ There is no need to until	There is no need to act until you fully grasped the concept.	
• You wouldn't disagree to the fact, would you? You wouldn't disagree with the fact, you need oxygen to live, would you?		

## **Summary Course #3**



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#### **Need-Narrative**

- outlines a thesis on how to make peoples' lives better.
- A clear need narrative helps you prioritise features, communicate the product effectively, and hone in on the most

- important niche.
- Deliver a vision and a purpose

#### Milton Language

- Milton Language
   Patterns have a very positive perceptual impact in daily conversations.
- the customer could take the meaning that is most appropriate for him, i.e., he can better hear the proposed solution and see the resulting potential.
- Milton Language is also handy for gaining rapport, especially if used together with Clean Language.