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SoapBoxDad

06-06-2006 06:52 AM

Re: Advantages Conferences / Tim Darnell

Quote:

Originally Posted by **Wishyouknew**
Are you and Tim Threating to sue me?

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Wishyouknew

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SoapBoxDad

06-06-2006 06:59 AM

Re: Advantages Conferences / Tim Darnell

Yossarian, I appreciate your professional post. I know we will not agree and I have been one of the only ones here trying to answer numerous questions. There are always questions that an independent rep cannot answer. I wish you well.

Quote:

Originally Posted by **yossarian**
SoapBoxDad:

I actually think you answered the questions as honestly as you could. As I stated in my post, I was looking for straight and specific answers, and you kindly obliged. Thank you for taking the time to do so.

I don't bear any ill will towards you (I hope my posts don't indicate that I do), but as you know, I strongly disagree with AC's business structure and religious marketing methods. I understand that you believe otherwise.

-Y

SoapBoxDad

06-06-2006 07:02 AM

Re: Advantages Conferences / Tim Darnell

You are so fooling yourself. Greg Abbott is a great AG however and understands what is and what is not a legal business model.

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Wishyouknew

06-06-2006 07:04 AM

Re: Advantages Conferences / Tim Darnell

Quote:

Originally Posted by **SoapBoxDad**

Wishyouknew, it is you who are gambling. This is a business, not a gamble, but making your damaging remarks is a major gamble on your part. You refuse the post where reps are sold out for this company. I for one will welcome the opportunity to share everyone I know to support both Tim and the company. The company had already been reviewed in ensure 100% legality. Do you really think folks with experience in this market would build something that was not?

Do you think Bioperformance was reviewed to ensure 100% legality? I would be willing to bet that some lawyer review their business model..If Not, I am sure all the owners and reps told everyone this. They surely did not plan to get shut down by the AG..

SoapBoxDad

06-06-2006 07:13 AM

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Soapboxdad, no need. You missed the point of my post. But, you seem to miss the point and main idea of most of our post and respond with a bunch of fluff.

Is Advantage Conferences starting to teach "Christian Fluff"?

With Tim's new book and your post. It seems like you guys are getting good at it..

Goodnight..

PS.. do you realize you are averaging 15 post a day on scam.com..

SoapBoxDad

06-06-2006 07:26 AM

Re: Advantage Conferences, is it Legal and ethical in its use of Religion?

Wow, I have a few folks sign on to voice their right to vote and none are interested in posting when you guys just slam anyone who supports AC. We are done here. Back to build a business.

I will share this from an earlier post from Letyourlightshine that is right on target. Nice job.

Wish, your poll had no real value. You see, only the folks who are anti-MLM or someone who decides to blame someone else, will respond to a poll on this site--or at least that will be the overwhelming response. The hundreds of reps building AC are busy building their businesses and not posting or taking a poll on this site.

In of a legal test, there is no product purchase required #1.

Wishyouknew, actually, I have been disgusted by the personal attacks here. I am sorry that AC was not for you, but I have witnessed first hand the lives being changed for the better. It is obvious as I have read through the entire thread that you will not agree with someone pro AC, so I won't try.

Advantage Conferences has changed my life in so many ways and I am also proud to be associated with a company that is boldly sharing the Gospel. We will of course come under attack from the folks like Renloyx and it is not a good fit for everyone--as it was not for you, but it appears that you were not really involved as I read your posts.

For folks to post things about unrelated scams that abused their faith is simply ridiculous. It is like me stating that look at Enron since they had no faith in their business. Just a crazy argument. There are folks that abuse power and their faith in many businesses, AC is not one of them.

As for value, there is no question in my mind there and I have been active for over a year now. This will probably be my last post as almost everyone here has no personal experience with AC and most are anti networking.

Here is just some of what a rep who decides to purchase the MMC-IV receives. It is important as a legal test that there is NO purchase ever required. Your questions or legality are not correct and do not serve your opinion well. I would have paid several times the cost of the conference for what I have already received value wise.

- MMC-IV conference ticket that includes a spouse at no additional charge
- MMC Advantage Program where they can attend all subsequent MMC's for 90% off
- Over 100 Hours of training calls annually
- 52 Millionaire Mindset Conference Calls annually
- A turnkey website and 3 Step System

--A Rep Resource Center for training and access to archived calls
--Full Distribution Rights to Slay Your Giant
--Ongoing mentoring and training

My best to you.

SoapBoxDad

06-06-2006 07:35 AM

Re: Advantages Conferences / Tim Darnell

Wishyouknew is such a great name for yourself. Nice choice. The feedback from Slay Your Giant has been tremendous with well over 20,000 copies distributed already. That fact that you even discount this shows your true colors.

I have averaged that to get the truth out as you and your basher friends, none of which have been involved in AC, have posted so many lies to refute. Yes, when I know the truth from building for the past year, and people post lies (they and you call them opinions), I will continue to call those out.

Soapboxmom

06-06-2006 07:38 AM

Re: Advantages Conferences / Tim Darnell

Quote:

Originally Posted by **SoapBoxDad**

I was referring to our personal commissions over \$100K, which are much more than that now. You are the liar of liars so you should be able to discern better SoapBoxMom. Very funny to have you question my faith.

To have \$100,000 in personal commissions you must have 14 reps/conference sales at the 10 grand level under you. This is grade school math. If most of the reps have made \$100,000 ($14 \times \$7000 = \$98,000$) they must also have 14 sales to their credit. Are the numbers getting too big for you?

Let's suppose that we have 200 reps. 200×14 sales = 2800 reps who need (2800×14) 39,200 to do the same. The 39,200 reps need 548,800....7,683,200.....107,564,800...1,505,907,200....21,082,700,800..... Now Big Daddio that is the reality of your scheme. Numbers do not lie, but people can and do. How many lies will Timmy boy and Wacko Jacko tell to keep this scheme going? How hard will you battle the obvious and continue in the direction you are going? The massive failure rates for these types of deals are well documented and the mathematics doom almost all the reps to lose their money. Give us some documented earnings from the company or find a mathematician.

Soapboxmom

SoapBoxDad

06-06-2006 07:42 AM

Re: Advantages Conferences / Tim Darnell

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Quote:

Originally Posted by **Wishyouknew**

Dunn & Bradstreet is a worthless organization/company.. Only reason a company would join them is to have their companies credit reviewed for a vender line of credit.

D&B will also sell companies information for sales leads..

90% of businesses fail for the same reason 100% of people die..

Alot of business fail because they spend too much money on marketing that does not work!

SoapBoxDad

06-06-2006 07:48 AM

Re: Advantages Conferences / Tim Darnell

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Soapboxdad,

Are you calling the BBB worthless?

Why does EVERY AG in the United States of America, the FTC all recommend consumers check with the BBB before doing business?

I have done extensive research on the BBB as well.

I guess you and Tim are smarter then the Goverment then huh

I would contend that the BBB is more of a Christian Organization than Advantage Conferences as they hold businesses accountable to a set of standards that many would view as CHRISTIAN STANDARDS..

They take a great tax burden off of the Goverment and prevent a good bit of work load that would utimatly fall to the AG, FBI and FTC. As well as they prevent law suits againts businesses.

They provide this free to consumers and it helps expose scams and frauds.

As we can see from the Advantage Conference report they do, do a business background check on the company and have a certian set of standards.

Legitimate companies don't try and sue the BBB...

In my research the BBB has NEVER been successfully sued.

Soapboxmom

06-06-2006 07:56 AM

Re: Advantages Conferences / Tim Darnell

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It is hilarious to know that you inhabit an alternate reality. When you join us back in this dimension where almost everyone understands grade school math let us know! Walmart does not depend on recruiting for its income. They actually do sell products that are competitively priced. AC is selling downline at an unsustainable price. You cannot ever keep enough recruits coming in to fund the current recruits at the promised \$100,000 per year. With 14 recruits for each recruiting recruiter it mutiplies out of control. Let's suppose that we have 200 reps. $200 \times 14 \text{ sales} = 2800 \text{ reps}$ who need (2800×14) 39,200 to do the same. The 39,200 reps need 548,800....7,683,200.....107,564,800...1,505,907,200....21,082,700,800.....

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Wishyouknew

06-06-2006 07:58 AM

Re: Advantages Conferences / Tim Darnell

Sopaboxdad, let ask you alittle business trivia question. Samuel C. Dobbs the eventual president of this company _____ was credited with the movement that lead to the start of the BBB. This Company also is credited with giving Christians the image we know view as Santa Claus (grey hair and beard and red jump suit) from their markeitng here in the US..

Can you name that company?

Wishyouknew

06-06-2006 08:12 AM

Re: Advantages Conferences / Tim Darnell

Also the BBB has the support of hundreds of thousands business's, business owners here in the United States and have been around for 85 + years.

Some business owners who are "bad apples" probably hate the BBB..

Goodnight..

Have fun trying to find the answer to my trivia question. Here is a hint. You can google it.

SoapBoxDad

06-06-2006 08:57 AM

Re: Advantages Conferences / Tim Darnell

http://www.naas.org/ocr_bbb.htm#Page_1

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renloyx

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Yeah take your skills and get the f out. When AC finally dies dont come back here crying about how the government is on your a\$\$ and youre going to prison.

SoapBoxDad

06-06-2006 09:07 AM

Re: Advantages Conferences / Tim Darnell

<http://www.thebluesmokeband.com/bbb.php>

This is a pretty good read also sense we are talking about sharing both sides.

SoapBoxDad

06-06-2006 09:09 AM

Re: Advantage Conferences, is it Legal and ethical in its use of Religion?

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06-06-2006 09:17 AM

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By the way your 10 fake accounts dont change anything. The score is still 10 sane people vs. 1 brainwashed nut.

Wishyouknew

06-06-2006 04:53 PM

Re: Advantages Conferences / Tim Darnell

Has anyone heard of the NAAS? I am sure this organization is "grasping for straws" in their efforts to get publicity. I don't trust everything I read on the internet..

TheBluesmokeband.com website is one man's opinion on the BBB.

Mr. Tim Darnell sure did use the BBB as a sales tool in efforts to make himself seem more legitimate until he realized that he did not get in. I was a AC rep back then and received many e-mails with "proud member of the Better Busiess Bureau" in his signature line.

I guess he just thought you paid your money and got in.

My personal opinion is that the BBB does more good for the business economy then people realize. I understand the BBB has no legal authority. But, they do effect business decisions and thus, this gets the attention of most Business owners and they often work with the BBB to resolve an issue.

As with any business or organization, I am sure they have to train employees "on the fly"

and are subject to mistakes and saying the wrong thing like any other business. I would not say the BBB is perfect.

One thing I did notice.. After that he sure made some big changes to his marketing, added a earnings disclaimer and toned down his claims, re did his contracts and start up packet.

Mr. Darnell must have felt the BBB was right and that he was under the microscope of the BBB and the authorities.

Wishyouknew

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You are right as with any business there could be a few bad employees.
The Government and God for that matter have been under worse attack then those articles found on the internet.
Case in point, the Divinci Code. I happen to believe that movie is not worth watching. But, others think its a great movie.

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06-06-2006 05:17 PM

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You had to dig pretty deep for this.. I found it but, had to google hard to find it.
Do you believe these articles to be true?

I will see you guys later tonight as I have to go to work.

Soapboxmom

06-06-2006 05:32 PM

Re: Advantages Conferences / Tim Darnell

Folks,

SopBoxDad is desperately trying to justify the lawsuit against the very reputable Dallas BBB. He can't. The BBB asked Timmy boy to remove material off his website that was not trademarked as Tim claimed it was. The BBB nailed Tim for his usual dishonest business practices and of course put the customary warning on the page:

Quote:

Industry Tips**Multi-level Marketing**

Before participating in any multi-level plan, be sure you have a clear understanding of the company's marketing plan. The Bureau recommends that any multi-level marketing plan be reviewed by an attorney to make sure the plan is in compliance with multi-level laws in your state.

Determine whether you will be required to purchase a certain amount of inventory to participate in the plan, and whether company policies allow you to return unsold inventory for a refund. In most multi-level plans, the company does not offer refunds to distributors.

You should personally examine the product or service you would be selling to make sure it has not been misrepresented. You should do research to see if there is a market for the product in your area, and consider your own ability to sell. Be cautious of inflated earnings claims. As an independent distributor, no one can guarantee that you will achieve a certain income level.

Tim does not like this advertising his bum compensation plan and was enraged that they questioned his misrepresentations on his website. Tim is absolute slime and the BBB will bury him in court.

Soapboxmom

Duck98

06-06-2006 05:48 PM

Re: Advantages Conferences / Tim Darnell

Quote:

Originally Posted by **SoapBoxDad**

Duck, I had corrected my post and you should read it. Dr. King does seminars and other teaching on the power of the network marketing business model and he is also a full professor at UIC.

However, it is taught By Dr. Charles King, who is a full professor at the University of Illinois, who has a doctorate in Business from Harvard Business School.

sorry, I did not see the correction.

Duck98

06-06-2006 05:54 PM

Re: Advantages Conferences / Tim Darnell

Quote:

Originally Posted by **SoapBoxDad**

Your statement here is simply not true. According to D&B, 90% of businesses fail so they are in fact, NOT profitable. BTW, networking and AC are real businesses and provide us with a very real income and an opportunity to mentor and impact lives and add value. I am sorry that is so hard for you and others to understand.

you miss the point entirely.

It is not a question of profitability - well not solely.

It is a question of viability - a wholly different concept. I ran my own consulting business for a year and a half during the great tech downturn. It made a profit, it just did not provide enough of a living to make it worthwhile to continue once I was offered a job. So, as a business it lasted 2 years, it made a profit (and I paid tax on it) and I ended it.

My wife's business lasted 6 years. It had two years of loss, 4 years of profit. Family matters determined that the time spent on the business was not worth the return so we we closed it.

In the MLM model upwards of 95% will lose money in the pyramids. The ones who make money make it out of those lower on the chain who lose it.

That may be a style of making money with which you are comfortable, it ain't something I would care to support .

Duck98

06-06-2006 05:58 PM

Re: Advantages Conferences / Tim Darnell

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Why would something that bills itself as christian be so obsessed with making money?

SoapBoxDad

06-06-2006 06:09 PM

Re: Advantages Conferences / Tim Darnell

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SoapBoxDad

06-06-2006 06:24 PM

Re: Advantage Conferences, is it Legal and ethical in its use of Religion?

Quote:

Originally Posted by **renloyx**

I dont need prayer. Unlike you I dont rely on an imaginary friend to get me through life "dude".

Renloyx, success leaves clues. It is great to know where you stand. You are anti-network marketing and you are anti-Christian. One can click on your screen name to see that as well. You have never been involved with Advantage Conferences to top that off.

We are called to love the unlovable. I have and will pray for you that you begin a personal relationship with a very real Jesus Christ. You can mock Him with your signature file and posts, but He still loves you. The nice thing about the truth vs. misguided opinions here is, it is the truth, whether you chose to accept it or not.

Soapboxmom

06-06-2006 06:45 PM

Re: Advantages Conferences / Tim Darnell

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It takes money to fund ministries, feed and clothe the poor, education children, etc. It is actually a big reason why Advantage Conferences is Christ-centered so the 6 Christian millionaires can share about the responsibility that comes with wealth.

Good! Quit jabbering about the AC charitable endeavors and show us proof that the money is going to legitimate charities that do feed and clothe the poor around the world, such as UNICEF and The Christian Children's Fund. You know real charities with a proven track record. Your program is a proven money loser for almost all the recruits and don't tell us folks out 10 grand + are giving generously to charity. Your recruits are just desperately looking for suckers to buy in at the 10 grand level so they can recoup their investments. If Timmy boy really wanted to minister to the needy he would tell folks to give their 10 grand to UNICEF. So, quit trying to con people and come back with some verifiable facts.

Soapboxmom

openQuestion

06-06-2006 07:06 PM

Re: Advantages Conferences / Tim Darnell

Quote:

Originally Posted by **Soapboxmom**

<http://www.irs.gov/charities/article...=96136,00.html> go there and hit search to check out any charity.

Now, Open I am surprised at you! You know if I said they were bogus I had already checked them out. I have archived most of ACs webpages, but the one with the longest list of charities I don't have. However an attorney that moderates at Quatloos and I checked them all and she wasn't at all surprised they were not listed. Forget the churches on the list and look at the charities. Every one was bogus. They are not registered with the IRS. That is why we see no proof forthcoming and this was brought up months ago on the thread that was accidentally deleted.

That page listing the charities was removed because it was pointed out on here and Quatloos.com that they were non-existent. Now Open I know I am a handful, but really I do check things out. The IRS is the authority here.

Soapboxmom

So there ya go. Thanks for providing the required proof. Judge Open now rules in your favor on this point.

renloyx

06-06-2006 07:17 PM

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SO WHAT? I dont need to get scammed to know that AC is a scam.

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The nice thing about the truth vs. misguided opinions here is, it is the truth, whether you chose to accept it or not.

Misguided opinion? The fact that AC is a scam is obvious to everyone except you and your brainwashed friends. Thats why the poll was 10-1 until you made 9 more accounts.

You want to know why Im anti-religion? Its because of people like you and your friend timmy. There are too many people out there who use religion for their own scummy purposes.

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In what way is the quote used out of context? I defer to your better knowledge of the bible on this but it appears to me that the quote stands alone in its assertion.

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Any work of charity has to be funded, of course. But I don't see what that has to do with a "christian millionaire" . That is not "funding" anything except for the people concerned is it?

I have no intrinsic problem with anyone being a millionaire, I don't have any problem with someone being a christian. I do have a cognitive difficulty with someone being touted as a "christian millionaire" because it would appear to me to be an oxymoron. The personal

acquisition of wealth does not look to me to be something that is a "christian" thing to do.

Please understand something here - it doesn't matter much to me what christians do between consenting adults and all that but I find it kind of apposite that someone would be touting a "grub for all you can get" money scheme as being "christian". It would be a little like claiming to be an agnostic jihadist.

wheatfromchaff

06-06-2006 09:22 PM

Re: Advantages Conferences / Tim Darnell

I happened on to this thread as I am familiar with Advantage Conferences. A good friend and of mine was a speaker at the one last September.

What has upset me is that references have been made to the 'bogus' charities that Advantage Conferences supports. I am not familiar with the operations of the company. I am however familiar with the FACT that my next door neighbor's son (who happened to be the nephew of my friend) died of Antley Bixler disease, a very rare genetic deformative disease whereby bones are fused together including the skull. This darling little boy was taken home to be with the Lord in 1999.

My neighbor received a check from Advantage Conferences for a considerable amount of money. She was so humbled that they would do that. There is nothing bogus about it. How dare you. It is disgusting to me that someone would denigrate a foundation just because they could not find it listed with the IRS. Shame on you Mam, Sir or whatever you are.

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Once again shame on you!

SoapBoxDad

06-06-2006 09:37 PM

Re: Advantages Conferences / Tim Darnell

Yes, I just checked out The Mustard Seed in Florida which is where AC gave and provided service in Florida in March. They are listed as well. SoapBoxMom really disgusts those who are making a difference in this world.

She is smarter than a Dr. from Harvard which she claims, smarter than the hundreds of reps attending the actually MMC, and smarter of course than anyone here who has shared their experience and truth.

SoapBoxMom, you have no integrity. Of course you do with those who follow you here. Good luck with that. I won't stoop to your level here with name calling. I am back to build my business.

openQuestion

06-06-2006 09:40 PM

Re: Advantages Conferences / Tim Darnell

Quote:

Originally Posted by **wheatfromchaff**

I happened on to this thread as I am familiar with Advantage Conferences. A good friend and of mine was a speaker at the one last September.

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Okay, SBM, we do need a reply to this one. I would certainly like to hear what you have to say about this story. Fascinating.

SoapBoxDad

06-06-2006 09:44 PM

Re: Advantage Conferences, is it Legal and ethical in its use of Religion?

Renloyx, you have a lot of anger and bitterness as one can see from your posts. I will pray for healing for you right now in Jesus name. One does not need to go to a conference to know that it could not be worth the cost? One does not need to experience ongoing training and mentoring to know that it is a scam? Ridiculous statements and you are making our case well. Thank you. I will also pray for discernment and wisdom for you as could use it after clicking on your username and seeing your posts here and on other boards. You just can't stand that some people understand that the marketplace is their ministry. Church is not something that happens between 4 walls on Sunday.

SoapBoxDad

06-06-2006 09:47 PM

Re: Advantages Conferences / Tim Darnell

Open, she can also reply to to single mother's home that had an extreme makeover from monies from AC, as well as representatives last Fall. I personally participated in that Day of Service that extended for weeks. She will state it is all a scam, blah, blah, blah.

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