

### CAPABILITIES OVERVIEW

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TAMING TODAY'S TURBULENT BUSINESS AND MARKETING ENVIRONMENTS TAKES MORE.

### IT TAKES DEEPER EXAMINATION,



#### AND THE RIGHT TEAM TO SMOOTH THINGS OUT.

While intimidating to most, the sea represents a vastness not often truly comprehended. The unknown. The seemingly turbulent nature of its constant movement.

To us the sea demands a very specific skill set to master it. Once mastered, it represents endless opportunity. Much of the same is true about your Brand and your Marketing efforts.

The sea is an awesome reminder of how insignificant we may seem yet, simultaneously, represents the limitless opportunities it holds.

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# In a world where marketing and brand services can be seen as a commodity...



## MÉR IS MORE.

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## WHY MÉR IS MORE.

*Mér* is a full-service business and marketing resource helping clients identify, plan and execute successful opportunities. Strategic planning and development are core services. Planning your course is imperative to any brand. However, we don't get off the boat after the course has been planned. Our activation resources are highly skilled in ensuring any strategy is executed to its fullest potential.

Things change.

Unforeseen items are introduced, and unknown forces are exposed. We ensure if these unexpected situations occur, your strategies are still sound. Thoughtful, Knowledgeable, Experienced.



- Show Exhibit Production Services
- Materials Management, Inventory & Logistics •
- Luxury Sales Events
- Exhibitor Services
- Event Marketing & Management
- Meetings & Conferences
- Video & Audio Production Services



- Brand Management & Communications
- Branded Events & Meetings
- Creative & Promotional Services
- Digital Marketing
- Social Media
- Photo & Video Shoot Production



- Printing
- Point-of-Sale
- Premium Items
- Apparel
- Signage
- Specialty Displays

2020 marks our 10 Year Anniversary. Proud and humbled by this achievement,

the **Mér** Team remains driven to finding solutions for your brand's unique challenges others do not consider. It is in these leaps to more creative solutions where competitive advantages are born, and opportunities are seized.



## BRANDS WE'VE SERVED.

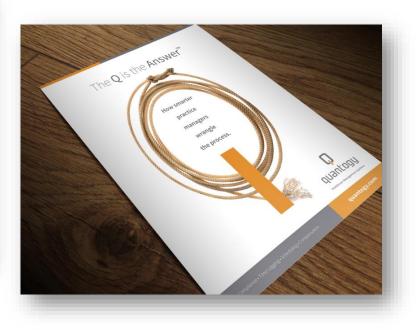




Medical Field Start-up Establish a brand as *"Easy to Use"* Establishing Awareness & Building credibility MÉBICA BRAND SOLUTIONS

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#### **High End Consumer Products Brand**



Rebranding Project Full Line Product Catalog Ad Development Print & Digital Television Ad & Brand Video

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#### **Brand Positioning**



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BRAND SOLUTIONS





Tented, Floating Product Launch Complete Video, Audio & Lighting Production Creating an indoor, climate-controlled environment





Complete Photo & Video Shoot Production Highlighting your Brand best for your targeted audience



#### **Content Capture**



Product Management





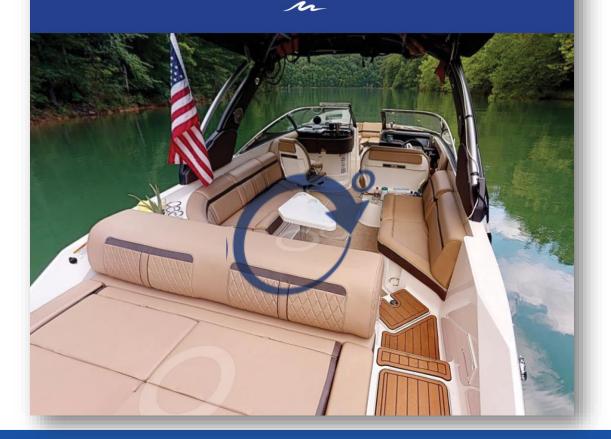
#### INTRODUCING....



Unique Features:

- 360° experience of any product
- Controlled by the user; at the user's pace
- Puts **YOU** in the product!
- From Production to Completion in only **36 hours**!

Announcing a New Spin On 360° Product Experiences: **36 Hours to Shoot, Edit, and Deliver.** 







Announcing 360° Virtual Product Experiences Ready in Virtually No Time.

#### **36 Hours From Shoot to Delivery.**

















Work Samples:







2018 Sea Ray 280 SLX



#### An Innovative Meeting & Event Solution Helping people adapt to todays business climate



- A production like no other
- Applying objectives of an in-person event to today's more restrictive environment
- The audience's experience is as close to in person as possible, bringing comfort and confidence back into meetings eliminating frustrations



Here's How It Works:

- Create a location to host the event
- Live audience for local attendees
- A directed event ensuring everyone experiences the meeting as if they were on location
- Real time / impromptu Q & A
- Remote presenters
- Unlimited amount of attendees from unlimited places around the globe

Getting People Connected. For Real.

Live Experience Demonstrations Available





Meetings – Events and More...

- Training Sessions
- Product Introductions
- Awards Ceremonies
- Sales Meetings
- Other...

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Budget Planning & Management Live Music Full Video Presentations Hotel Accommodations Ground Transportation Food & Beverage Entertainment Functions



Our work is memorable, impactful and relevant. Much of how we accomplish this is behind the scenes work. We extend these qualities into the work we produce for private events, Show exhibits, conferences and luxury consumer events. We bring your brand's personality to life – strengthening its bond with your customers

Global Dealer Conference Production 550 people from around the world for an annual meeting Complete Turnkey Services

Brand Launch Production A new brand launching in a Key Industry Event





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**Turnkey Production Management** 

Press Event | Hostesses | Concierge | Catering Services | Customer Prospect Engagement



#### Luxury Meetings

#### Brand Launch





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Destination Weekend Consumer Event - Luxury at its finest



A day and a half of Over The Top Service and Catering to consumers invited to demo product and experience the branded lifestyle

#### *RESULTS:* \$48,000,000.00 of Sales contracted in a 36-hour period







The Work Behind the Scenes

Materials Management Inventory Tracking Warehouse & Asset Maintenance Programs





Freight & Logistic Services Transportation Services Seamless Load-In Know How



All of this doesn't just happen. Events take months of planning and know how. Our Experience, Capabilities and Best Practices enables us to pull off productions like this without issue.

## TANGIBLE RESULTS.

Much of what we do revolves around tangible deliverables. From signage to printing, specialty displays and premium apparel, we manage these brand touchpoints for maximum integration with your brand's voice.



Interactive Point of Sale Kiosks

Unique Advertising Solutions



**Collateral Material** 

- Merchandising
- Full Line Product/Brand Brochures



### AN UNCOMMON DIVERSITY OF SERVICES.

#### MÉR COMPANIES

provides key service areas that well exceed the scope of typical marketing or branding providers. *Anything but Typical.* We approach our clients as partners. Serving them with long-term solutions that help drive bottom line results.

#### **BRAND DEVELOPMENT**

- Brand Audit
- Brand Definition
- Naming
- Logo Development
- Brand Standards

#### **STRATEGIC PLANNING**

- Marketing Plans and Brand Launches
- Marketing Communications
- Market Research
- Media Planning
- Public Relations
- Media Relations

#### **SHOW & EVENT MANAGEMENT**

- Full Scope Trade Show Services
- Luxury Sales Events
- Materials Management
- Logistics Management
- Production Management

#### **CREATIVE & DESIGN SERVICES**

- Integrated Marketing Campaigns
- Sales Promotions
- Direct Marketing
- Photography, Videography and Editing
- Meeting and Trade Show Theming and Support

#### **DIGITAL MARKETING**

- Website Development and Maintenance
- Social Media Management
- Email Marketing and Analytics

#### **HIGH-LEVEL BUSINESS DEVELOPMENT**

- Market Assessment
- Strategy Definition
- Capital Resources Planning

#### **DISTRIBUTION CHANNEL MANAGEMENT**

- Go To Market Assessment
- Multi-Tier Channel Assessment
- Distribution Development and management

### NAVIGATING A BRAND'S COURSE TAKES A CREW THAT'S UP TO THE CHALLENGE.



#### PAUL CHERNEY Managing Director

Paul founded  $M\acute{E}R$  HOLDINGS in 2010 with a singular vision to help other businesses get to market. Paul's intrigue with consumers and their behavior is at the center of  $M\acute{E}R$ 's mission. Prior to founding  $M\acute{E}R$ , Paul was charged with bringing a new brand of yachts to market. He led a cross-functional team and

successfully built the business by relentlessly observing – and serving – consumer needs; resulting in the achievement of 5-year business objectives in the third year of operations. By 2006 the new brand achieved a global footprint and quickly grew to the #1 market share position in North America. Paul believes in open engagement with the marketplace thereby eliminating unnecessary barriers. He continues to employ a few simple business principals every day at *MÉR* International. These principles are based on internal drivers and tendencies while accommodating external, market forces with intuitiveness, ingenuity and agility.



#### TOM CALABRESE Creative Director

Tom brings nearly 30 years of strategic and creative direction experience to the team at  $M\acute{E}R$ . A native of Wisconsin, he started his career as a copywriter and account executive, giving him a combination of strategic and creative thinking that is rare among creatives today. Tom's category experience is quite varied including

marine products, healthcare, homebuilding/development, retail, financial, automotive, hospitality, tourism, sports management and many others. He has been involved in planning dozens of large-scale business meetings, trade and retail shows, and other branded events. Understanding how to dovetail these into a brand's overall marketing efforts, he has successfully themed, written, and produced all aspects of them. A believer in examining a brand from all angles prior to putting any finished ideas on paper, Tom often likens doing anything on a knee jerk to malpractice–and with his Italian heritage, legal entanglements are things he avoids.

#### STEPHEN TROELL Graphics Director

Stephen has been in professional Graphics Design since 1998. He has both worked with end user and managed a full service, creative arm

of a design agency. In addition to his oversight of our Graphic Design business, Stephen also manages our middle east graphic design operation. He is integral in the creative development necessary to drive a strategic position or to fulfill and support a strategic plan. Stephen works directly with our clients to drive projects with a wide array of creative services, capabilities and strengths. Stephen continuously brings unique perspectives to our clients maintaining bottom line, business effects.



#### ASHLEY SMITH Account Executive

Ashley is a valued and trusted marketing professional with over 15 years experience. She began her career by collecting and analyzing market research for voice of the customer initiatives. She continued with field work gaining experience in delivering marketing services aimed at multiple channels within the luxury, marine and environmental space. Her career focus has been delivering influence aimed at consumers, dealers, partners,

suppliers and internal stakeholders. A champion at delivering on promises, Ashley is attentive to our clients' needs and is able to conceptualize ideas, develop action plans and execute the plans. Her service mindset and thorough communication skills keeps her nimble enabling her to quickly get teams aligned for success, no matter the timetable or unexpected roadblocks. Her passion is customer satisfaction and event management through creating and managing unforgettable business events and getaways continuously executed to the last detail. It is this meticulous work that has earned her clients unilateral trust.



#### MIKE HUNGERFORD Project Manager

Mike began his career in the marine business through technical writing and staff captain. With an engineering background, Mike manages technical writing, documentation and layout for collateral material ensuring accuracy and on time information sharing. Mike supports the development of the materials services business and drives site execution throughout the world. Mike is often seen on location managing projects and

executing through many unique roles – both passive and in a more managerial role. He has been around customers for more than three decades and continuously employs the customer perspective on a daily basis.



### Mér INGENUITY

Ingenuity is defined as "A skill or cleverness that allows someone to solve problems, invent things."

We focus on bringing ingenuity to your operations. While innovation can be a game changer, it is infrequent and very costly. *INGENUITY* in problem-solving translates to a way of life – a culture to secure success in an ever-changing marketplace.

> THANK YOU! We Appreciate your time.



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