

PRESENTATION TO WRC
UNIVERSITY CAUCUS
SPRING MEETING
2019

## **AGENDA**

- Video <a href="https://vimeo.com/294311663">https://vimeo.com/294311663</a>
- Alta Gracia Update
  - Re-emergence
  - Investment
    - Operations
    - Factory Culture
    - Product Team
      - College License Product
    - Re-Branding
    - eCommerce
      - Branded Product
  - Q&A



#### **INVESTMENT - OPERATIONS**

**SPEED & QUALITY** 









Overhaul Supply Chain

New Staff Training Engineering New Equipment ERP – Exenta Local Printer

**Build Inventory** 

## Objective

Transition from larger company project to a profitable stand alone business model and example for the apparel industry



## Challenges



Initially launched as one-off project subsidized by Knights Apparel



A sense of entitlement left over from past management style



Historically operated @ 38% of industry average



#### **CULTURE SHIFT**

Collaborate with union to implement

incentives and reward performance

#### **OUTCOME**

Build personal accountability dignity and mutual respect

Focus on Sustainable Business Model with measurement & objectives



Leads to planting LW factories in other parts of world

Demand excellence and manage against International Standards



Shift Status Quo and Become Model for Apparel Industry

#### **RECENT WINS**



Reduced downtime by 50% in March



Set up sample/proto room with FT staff



Hired 40 new sewers on 80 day contract



## INVESTMENT – PRODUCT (150 YRS)

Gina Dubiel - Dir. of. Merch.



Ben King – Design/Technical



Simon Carson – Creative/Design



**Denise Pierce - Technical** 



Sid Mashburn - Advisor



Jen Oleksik - Design



#### MEN'S COLLECTION



MPR001
COLOR BLOCK FULL BUTTON BASEBALL TEE
LEFT CHEST GRAPHIC: VG0088
CENTER BACK GRAPHIC: TBD004



PBR002L CREW NECK SWEATSHIRT WITH POUCH CENTER CHEST GRAPHIC: VG0111



MPR0016
COLOR BLOCK TANK
CENTER CHEST GRAPHIC: VG0111









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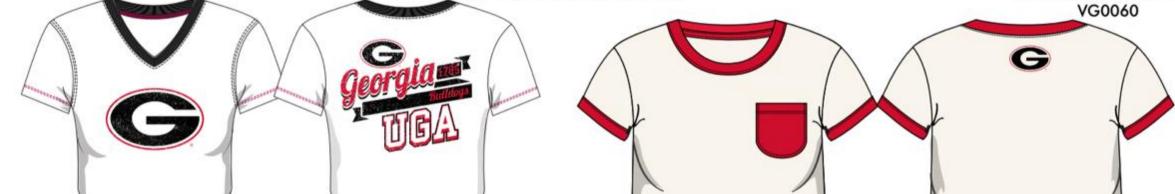
WPR0014
BOXY MUSCLE TANK
LEFT CHEST GRAPHIC: VG0056
BACK NECK GRAPHIC: VG0057



WPR008
FEATHERFEEL ULTRA
BOXY DROPTAIL TANK
CENTER CHEST GRAPHIC: VG0058



WPR0010 FLOWY TANK CENTER CHEST GRAPHIC: VG0060





WPR0021
SHORT SLEEVE CROP WITH REVERSED FABRIC
CENTER CHEST GRAPHIC: TBD010





WPR0021V2 SHORT SLEEVE CROP WITH SIDE VENT + POUCH CENTER CHEST GRAPHIC:CP5019





#### MEN'S COLOR BLOCK TEE



## **MEN'S THERMAL** UCONN UCONN \*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\* AG001STRETCH THERMAL CROSSOVER V-NECK FASHION TEE Cross Dye Waffle Fabric DALO3 STRETCH THERMAL HOODIE Cross Dye Waffle Fabric LET'S CHANGE CLOTHES SPRING | 20 WHITE SERIES

























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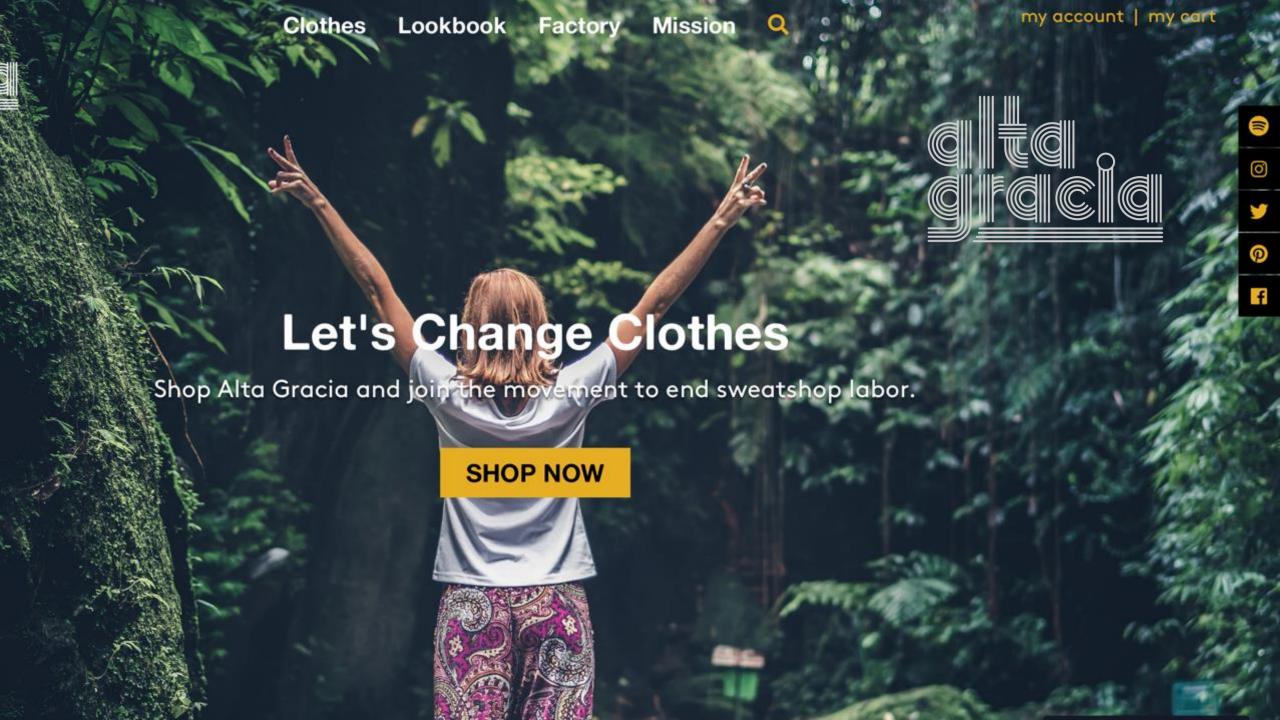
Launch Date: June 1<sup>st</sup>

Phase 1 – Test Phase (Limited Product Offering)

- Alta Gracia Branded Only
- A/B Testing
- Preparation for Fall Launch

Phase 2 – Fall Launch

- Expanded Product Offering
- Alta Gracia Branded Only
- Continued A/B Testing
- Build Customer Database
- Link to B&N, Follett & Independent Sites for Licensing Product





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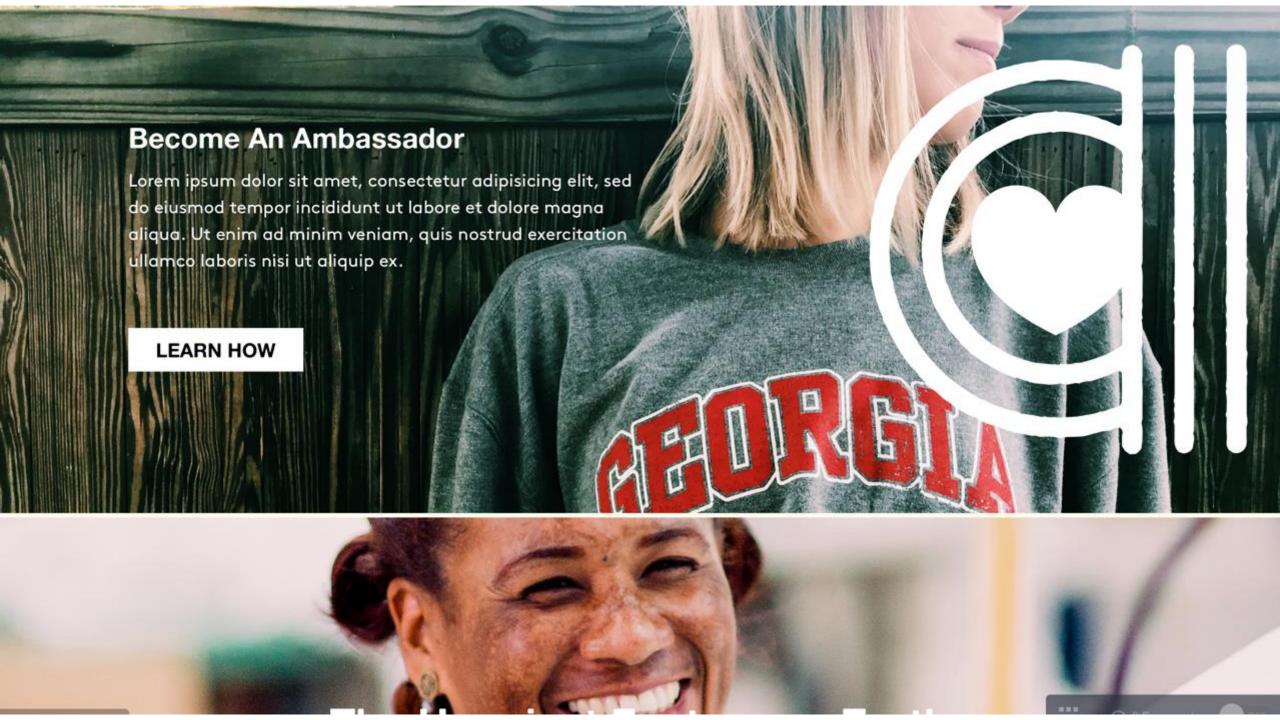




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NAVY

COLLEGE GREEN

MAROON



## Q&A