



# Online Communities powered by iSense Solutions

Smart solutions for big ideas



# **Online communities on sensecommunities.com**

**- Main strengths and functionalities -**

# Why use Sense Communities?

**Easy** – we do all the work; you don't have to worry

**Professional** – we have expertise at what we do

**Digital** – the platform is available both on laptops/pcs and on smartphones

**Complex** – we can put together different methodologies to acquire well-rounded info

**Agile** – any change of plans can be implemented right away

**Responsive** – we are invested in moderating and keeping in touch with consumers

**Engaging** – all sorts of engagement strategies for participants are available

**Fun** – who said tasks can't be entertaining and insightful at the same time? We like using gamification & creative techniques

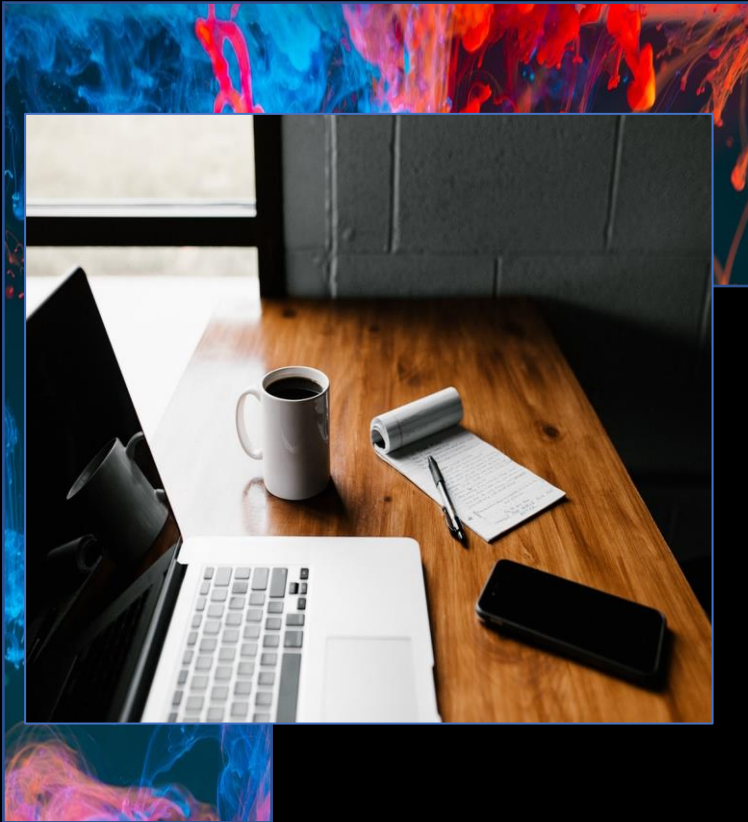
**Adaptable** – the entire platform can be switched to different languages, according to your needs

**Downloadable** – all conversation transcripts are saved and ready to be accessed/downloaded (PDF) whenever you want

**Supported** – by our involved & actionable IT staff who are always available and ready to help

**Personalized** – you can customize it with your logo and color scheme if you rent it

**All yours** – if you want it to be, just rent it!

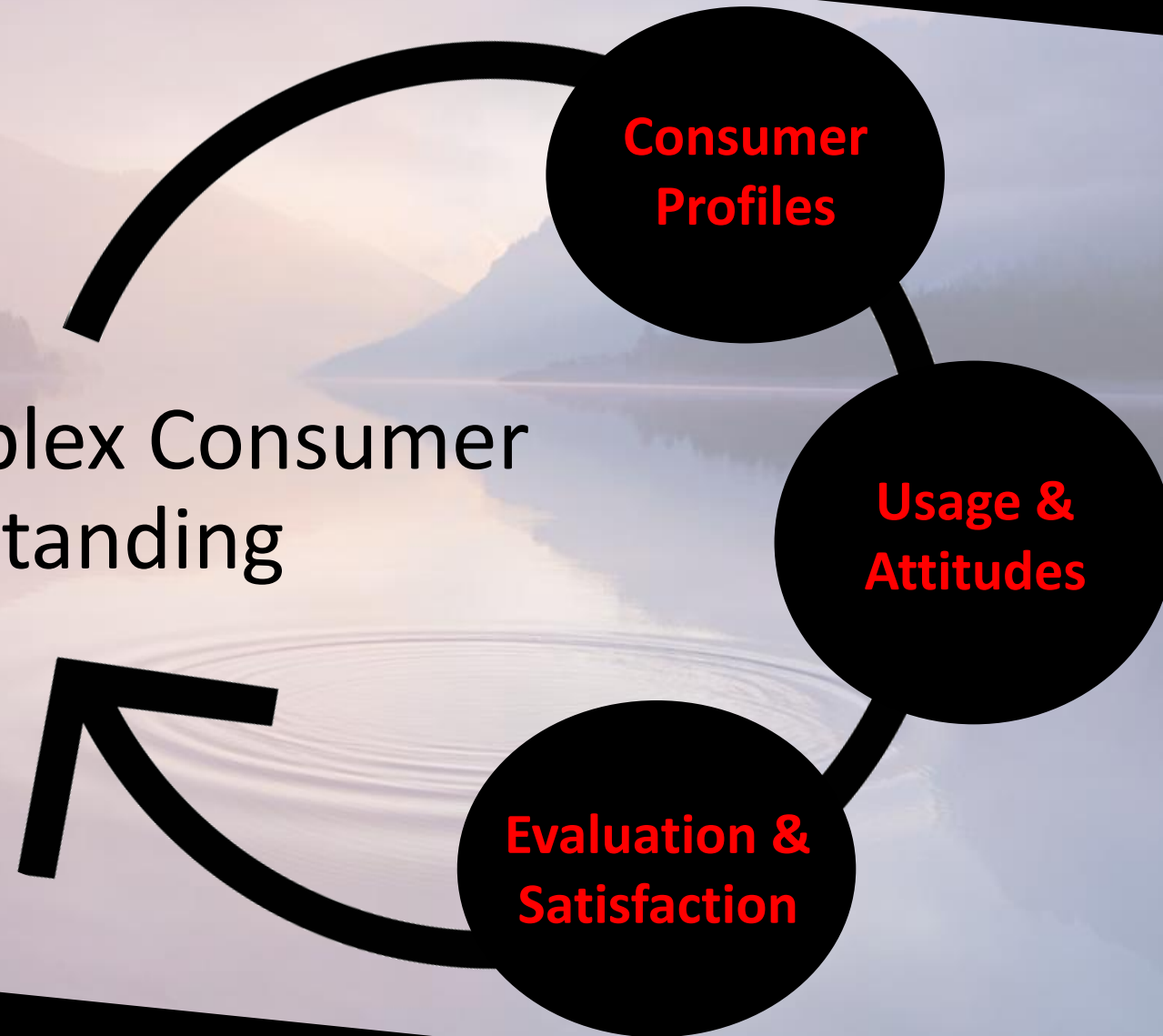


# Sense Communities Answers Your Questions!



- Want to know your consumers' profiles? **Talk to them!**
- Want to know their general opinion? **Ask them!**
- Want to know if they will like it? **Ask them!**
- Want to know the good, the bad and the ugly? **Ask them!**
- Want to know where to improve? **Ask them!**
- Want to compare yourself with others? **Ask them!**
- Want to launch a new product? **Test it!**
- Want to impress from the first time? **Test it!**
- Want to see if it will stick? **Test it!**
- Want to know your competition? **Research!**
- Want to make a marketing campaign? **Research!**
- What to create a new communication strategy? **Research!**

Offers a Complex Consumer Understanding







## Usage & Attitudes

What brands do they buy?  
What are they looking for in a product?  
What do they like? What not?  
What price are they willing to pay?  
What added value are they looking for?  
What types of offers/discounts do they prefer?



## Consumer Profiles

Who are your consumers?  
What lifestyles do they have?  
What are their preferences?  
What are their needs? What do they fear?  
How do they interact with touchpoints (ads, website)?  
What do they want different? What to improve?  
How important is WOM?



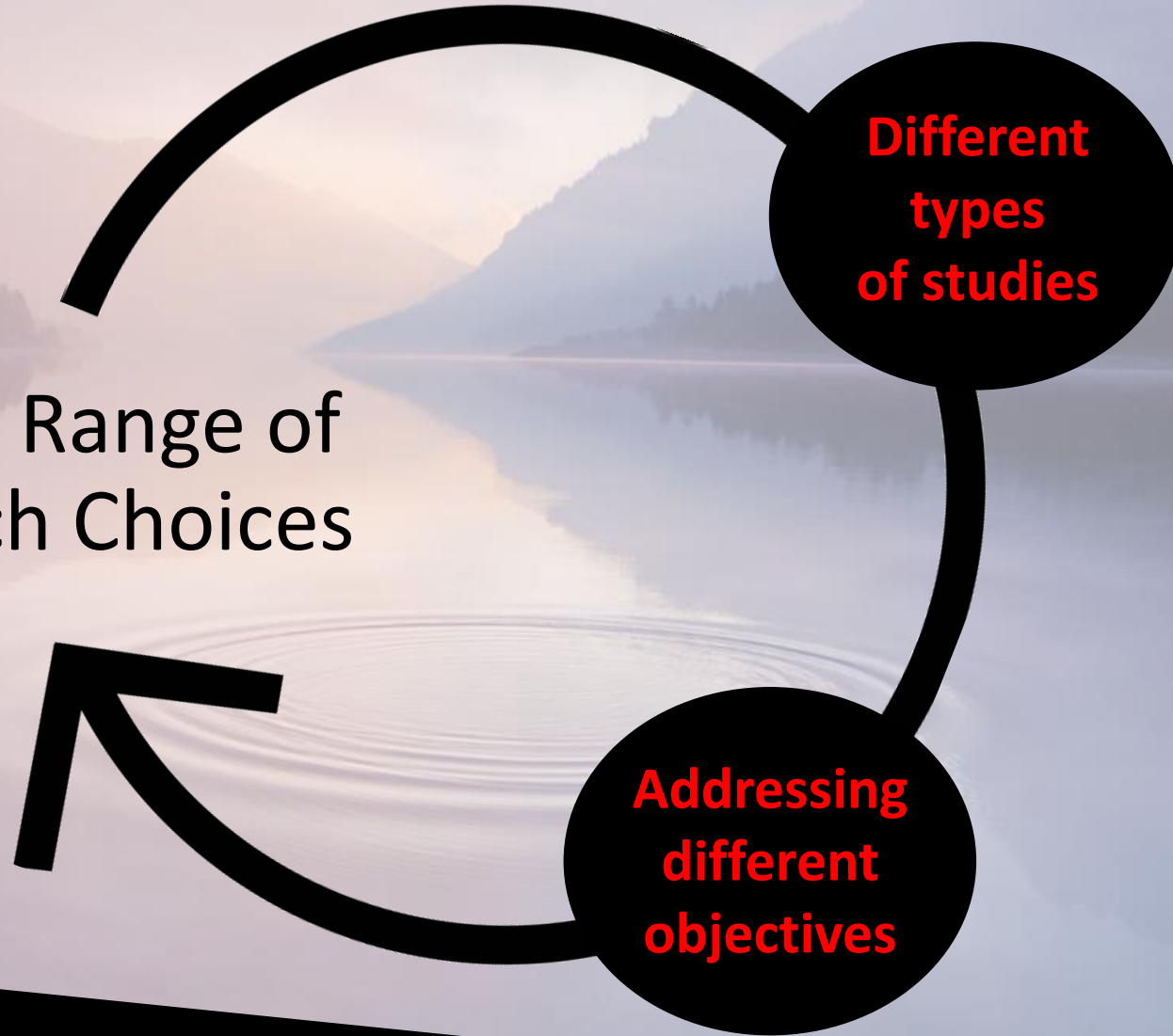
## Evaluation & Satisfaction

How do consumers use your product?  
What is their experience with your brand?  
Are they satisfied with what they got?  
Would they recommend your products/services?  
What do your customers think are your strengths?  
What do they think are your weaknesses?  
How do they evaluate your competition?

# A Wide Range of Research Choices

**Different  
types  
of studies**

**Addressing  
different  
objectives**







## Different Types of Studies

### Strategy & Innovation

Co-creation & Ideation  
Concept testing  
Mystery shopping  
Communication optimization  
Campaign innovation



### Marketing Research

Ad testing  
Media testing  
Brand tracking  
Campaign evaluation  
Communication assessment  
Website User Experience (UX Research)



### Product Management

Prototype testing  
Post-launch feedback  
Assumption challenge  
Market and usage trends





## Addressing Different Objectives

### Employer Branding (Internal Objectives)

Employee satisfaction  
Employee engagement  
Internal communication  
Performance review  
Management Issues



### Marketing

Consumer journey and path to purchase  
Customer satisfaction  
Customer experience  
Shopper insight  
Segmentation  
Web design & usability  
Purchasing trends, triggers & barriers



### Product Research & Development

Concept test  
Co-creation/ ideation  
Package testing  
Crowd sourcing  
Pricing research  
Product test

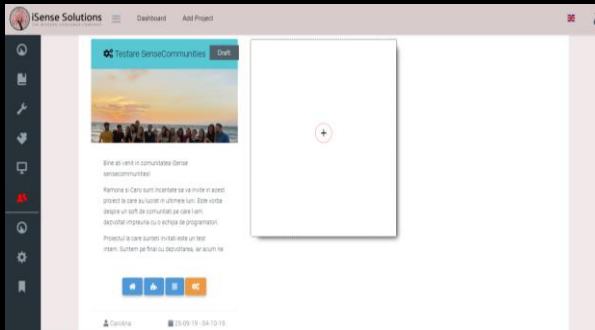
# Sense Communities Functionalities

Customize your online research  
services according to your needs

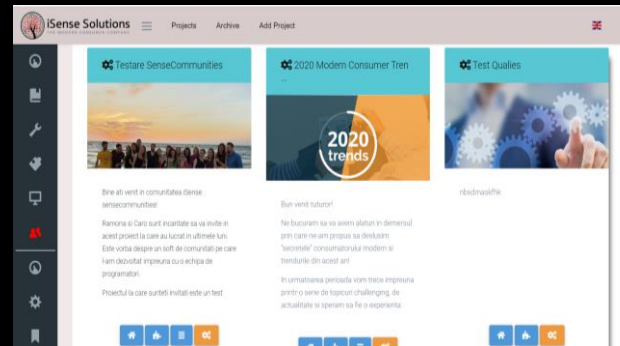
The Sense Communities software provides you with a way to build a research project faster than you expect. Let's see what the research steps are: setup & launch, tasks & content, participants, clients, recruitment.

# Setup and Launching

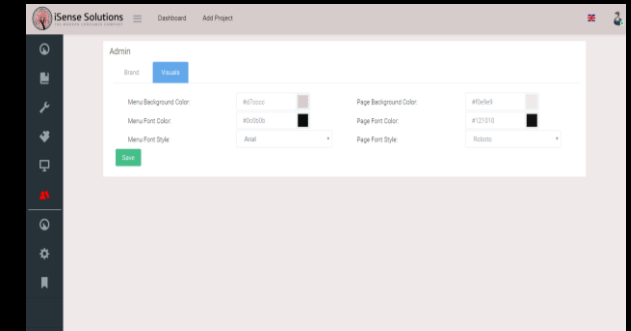
**Quick launch** offers the possibility to create a new platform with just a click



**Multiple different studies** (online communities) can be added at the same time or consecutively. iSense Solutions provides the clients with the opportunity to implement short projects or ongoing online communities.



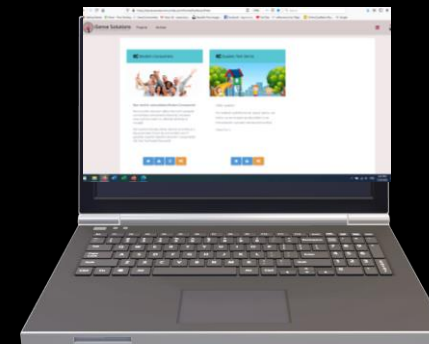
**Branded online and mobile platform**  
Personalize the appearance of the studies according to your and your client's need: fonts, colors & logo can be personalized



The platform provides the option to **choose the preferred language of the interface and topics** throught the duration of the community



The platform can be accessed from both **laptops/PCs and smartphones**

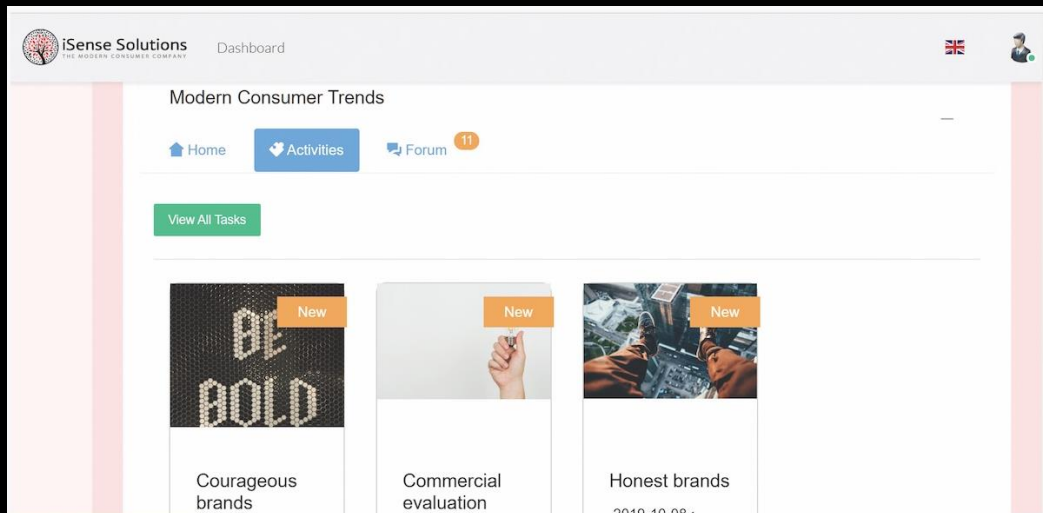




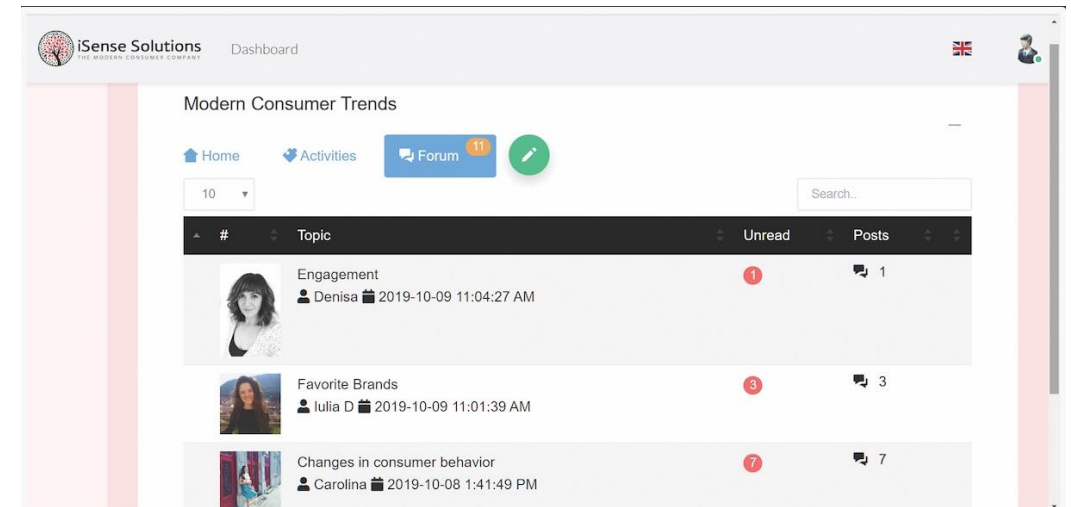
## 2 main areas to help build engagement and get deep insights.

Unlimited number of activities & discussions

**Research area with dedicated tools for intuitive and engaging** simple quantitative studies and fast dashboards



**Ongoing socializing in the free area** where members engage in ways similar with **social media**: allowing 24/7 interaction, sharing of multimedia, creating new topics of discussions. This area is highly important for user generated content (“after study” discussions among participants, their peers’ opinions questioned, etc.)



# A Wide Range of Research Task Types

Foster the engagement with the participants by using different types of tasks and questions.

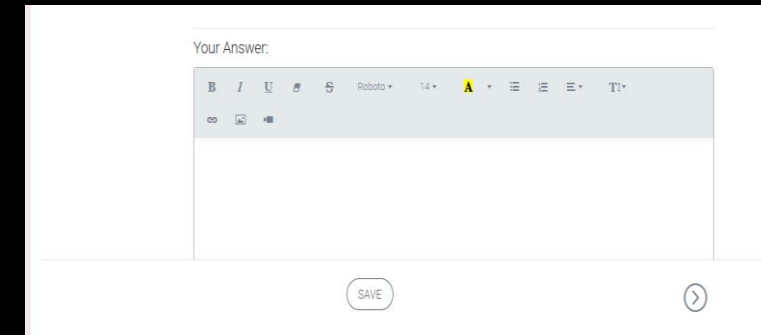
## 1. Interactive testing of stimuli – heatmap and deep dive on visuals

## 2. Open questions

## 3. Multiple answer questions

## 4. Closed questions

## 5. Single answer questions

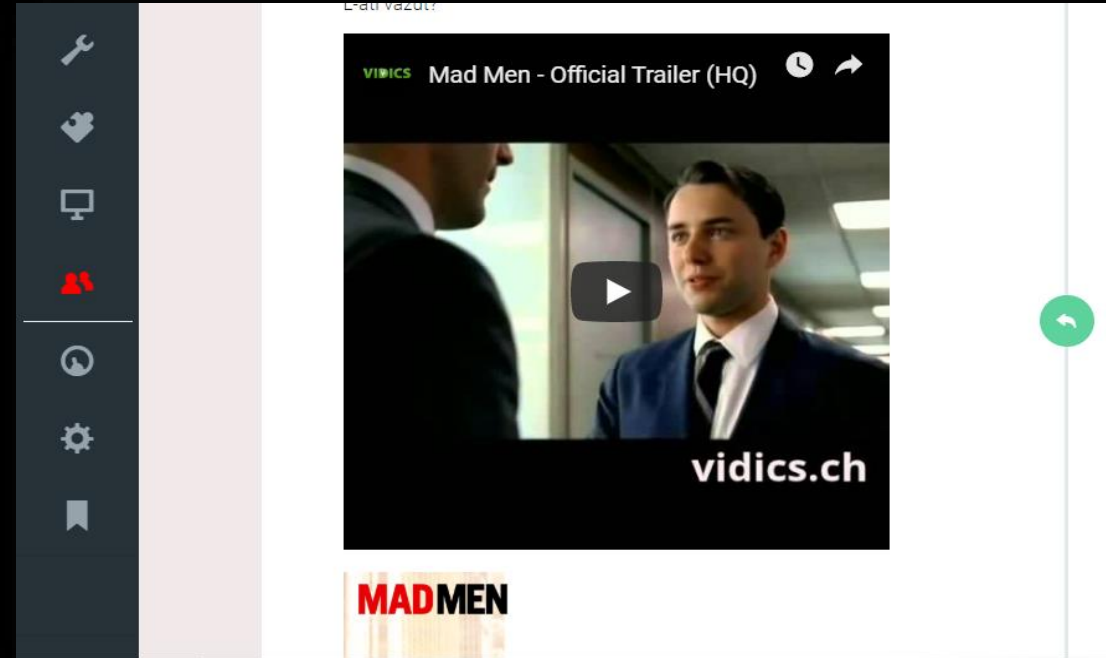


The screenshot shows a web interface for providing an answer. At the top, it says 'Your Answer:'. Below this is a rich text editor toolbar with various icons for text formatting (bold, italic, underline, strikethrough, link, unlink, text color, background color, bulleted list, numbered list, indent, outdent, decrease indent, increase indent, undo, redo) and a font dropdown menu set to 'Roboto'. Below the toolbar is a large, empty text area for typing the answer. At the bottom right of the text area is a 'SAVE' button. At the bottom left of the text area is a circular arrow icon.

# Multimedia Content

The platform allows using **all types of media content**:

- Photo and video uploads
- Quick links
- Gifs



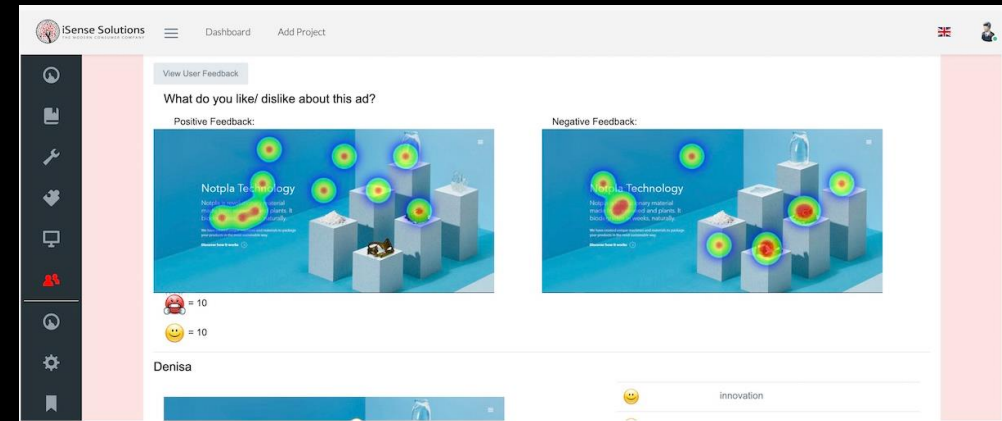
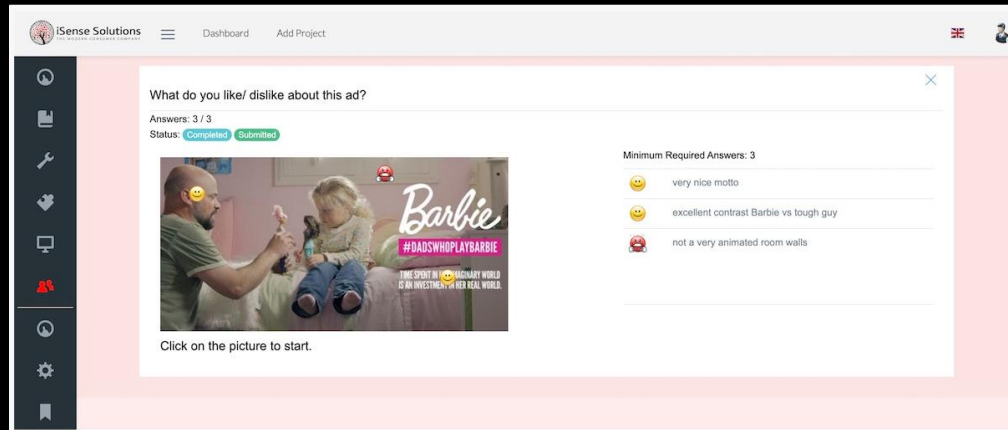
This serves as **added value for more complex types of research**:

- Ethnographies – where participants can upload any relevant media materials
- Diary entries – U&A diaries that participants submit
- Visuals Testing Research (Ads, concepts, packagings etc.) – where clients can test and find

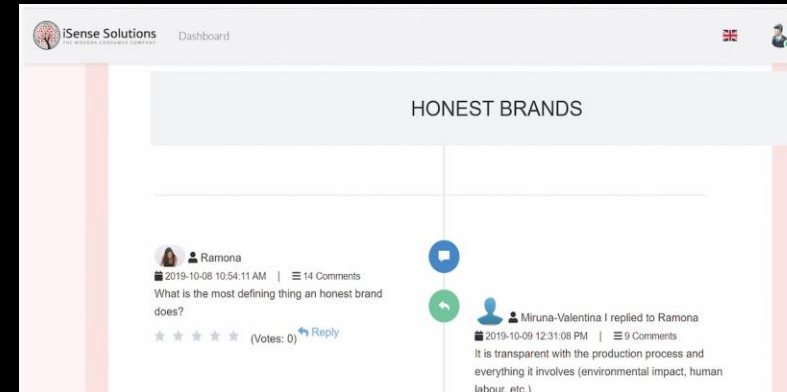
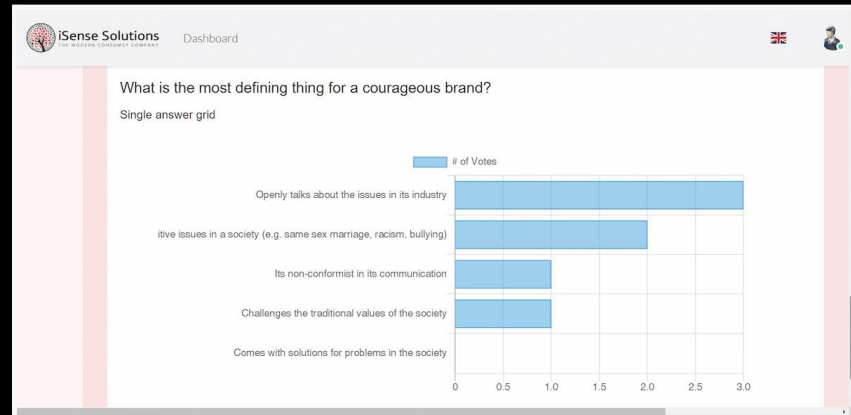


# Output Examples

Complex tools for insightful research experience



Real time results with individual & aggregated answers.  
Real time dashboards for clients



# Engaging Features for the Participants

Edit Account

Home

Name

Profile Picture

Username

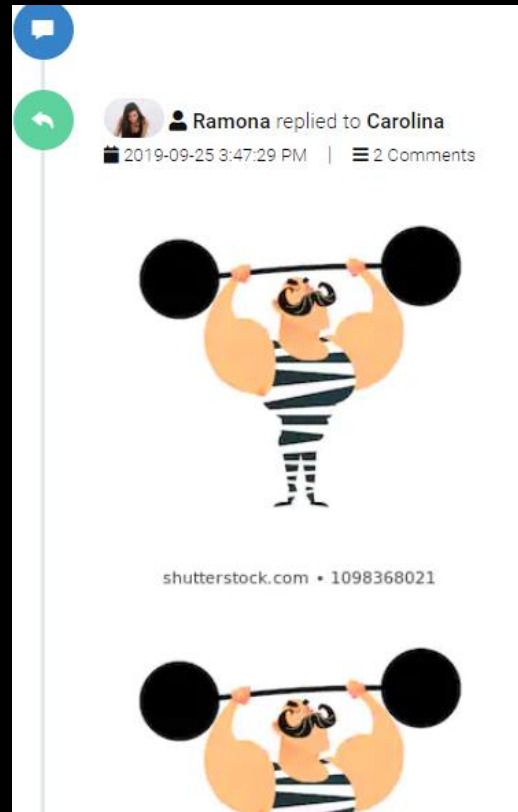
Password

Phone Number

Description

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Participants can **personalize their profiles** by adding profile pictures/avatars, writing personal descriptions etc.

They can **create new topics of discussion** in the free discussion area (forum area)

The platform uses a **gamification system** – a comprehensive incentive system based on points allocation according to task completion, user generated content and other general assignments

Participants can **vote the answers/comments** of fellow participants in the community

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Projects Archive

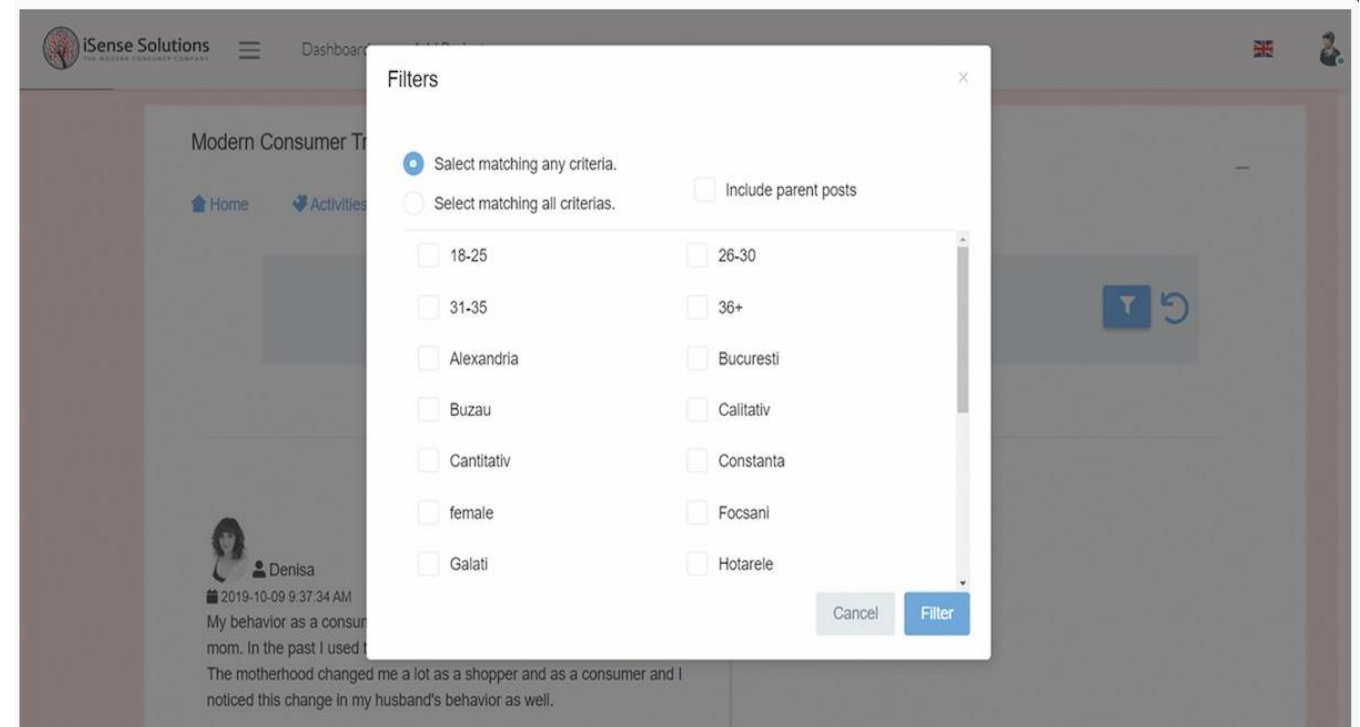
Project Users

Show 100 entries

User	Name	Last Login	Forum Topics / Comments	Questions Answered O / C / S / M / H	Total Points	Project Rank
serena.buca@isensesolutions.ro	Serena Buca	2020-07-29 2:19:57 PM	2 / 4	2 / 0 / 0 / 0 / 0	10	Beginner
denisa.aprutei@isensesolutions.ro	Denisa	2020-06-25 12:56:20 PM	2 / 6	0 / 0 / 0 / 0 / 0	0	N/A
alexandra.nesqu@isensesolutions.ro	Alexandra Nesqu	2020-07-20 12:38:17 PM	0 / 0	0 / 0 / 0 / 0 / 0	0	N/A

# Segmentation

The platform offers the possibility to **filter the participants, according to different criteria**, for relevant & fast analysis.



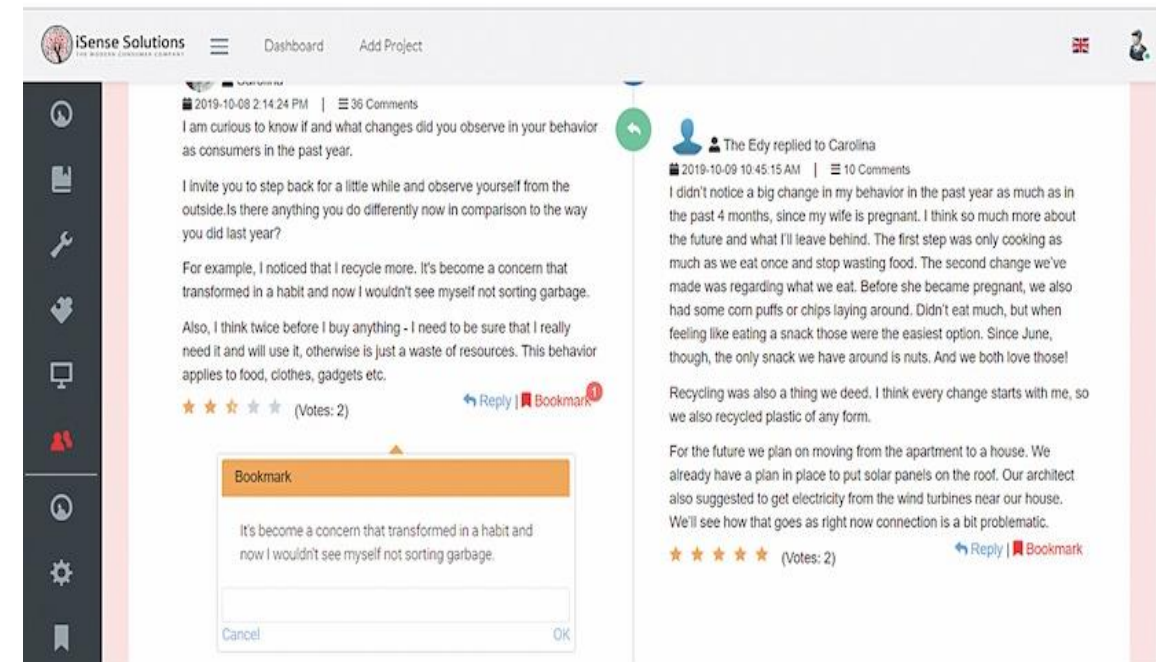


# Observational Accounts For Clients

## Clients will have access to:

- **Online real time dashboards with participants' answers**, as well as moderator's notes done in the platform backroom are available.
- **Backroom conversations between themselves and the moderator** that are not visible to participants.

Therefore, you will receive real time insights from the participants and real time analysis from the moderator.



# Fast Recruitment, Anywhere in the World

## iSense International Research Panels

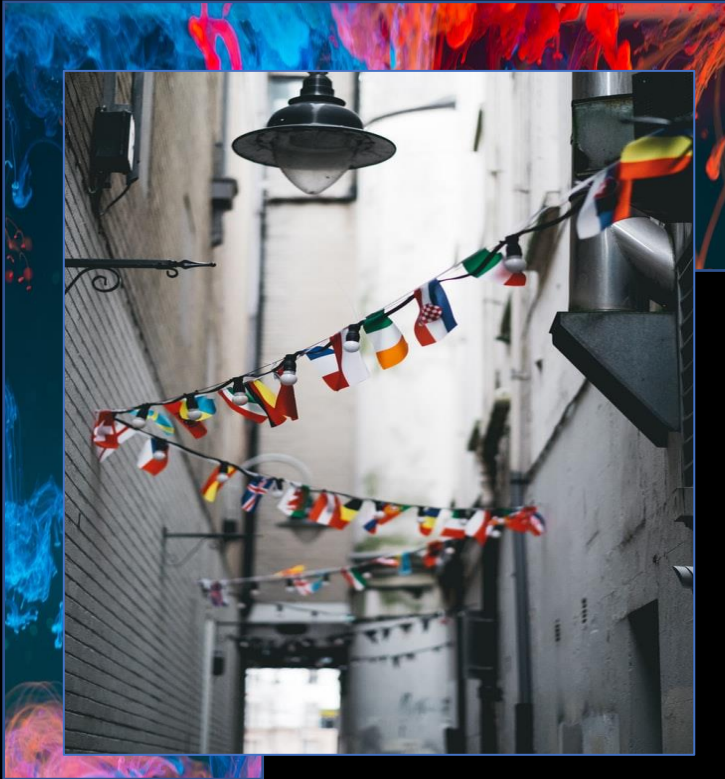
Studies performed in over 20 countries with project management and consultancy from Romania

### iSense International Research Panels

- 🌐 More than 100k panelists recruited in iSense Panels
- 🌐 Additional access to over 40 million online respondents in 80 countries through partner panels
- 🌐 Detailed information about panelists for precise audience selection
- 🌐 Reliable and superior feasibility

### Our International Panels:

- |           |            |            |
|-----------|------------|------------|
| ✓ Germany | ✓ Bulgaria | ✓ Slovenia |
| ✓ US      | ✓ Croatia  | ✓ Albania  |
| ✓ UK      | ✓ Serbia   | ✓ Romania  |



# **sensecommunities.com**

## **Triple functionality:**

**1. Online  
Community  
- Full Research  
Projects -**

**2. Online  
Community  
- Soft rental -**

**3. Modern  
Consumers  
Community  
- Fast answers -**





# **1. Online Community - Full Research Projects -**



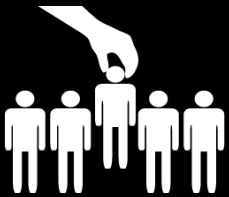
# 1. Sensecommunities - Full Research Projects -

iSense Solutions Online Communities provide you with more than just a modern and agile research tool.

The full services we offer include:



Research design  
advice



Recruiting services &  
incentives



Project management  
support, moderation  
and report



Platform & IT  
support



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# We have extensive experience with managing online communities

Some of our clients:



# Dedicated team for online communities



**Denisa Apreutesei**  
**Qualitative Research Director**

- Over 9 years experience in qualitative marketing research.
- 9 years experience in marketing research, all classic and online methods, cross-industries experience. methodologies employed: communities, bulletin boards, mobile ethnography (pre-tasks/ diaries), customer journey mapping etc.



**Alexandra Neagu**  
**Qualitative Research**

- Over 4 years experience in qualitative marketing research
- 4 years experience in conducting both classic qualitative studies and online communities



**Mara Folcic**  
**Qualitative Research**

- Over 3 years experience in qualitative marketing research
- 3 years experience in conducting both classic qualitative studies and online communities



**Serena Buica**  
**Qualitative Research**

- Over 2 years of experience in qualitative marketing research
- 1 year experience in moderating both classic qualitative studies and online communities



**Ionela Gancea**  
**Qualitative Field**

- Over 2 years of experience in qualitative recruitment process
- Both for classic qualitative studies and online communities

A close-up photograph of a hand holding a crystal ball. Inside the crystal ball, a glowing heart shape is visible, symbolizing insight or vision. The background is dark, and the lighting is warm, highlighting the hand and the crystal ball.

## **2. [sensecommunities.com](https://sensecommunities.com)**

### **- Soft Rental -**



## 2. Sensecommunities - Soft Rental -

The iSense Solutions Online Community Platform provides you with more than just a modern and agile research tool.

Choose the services according to your needs:



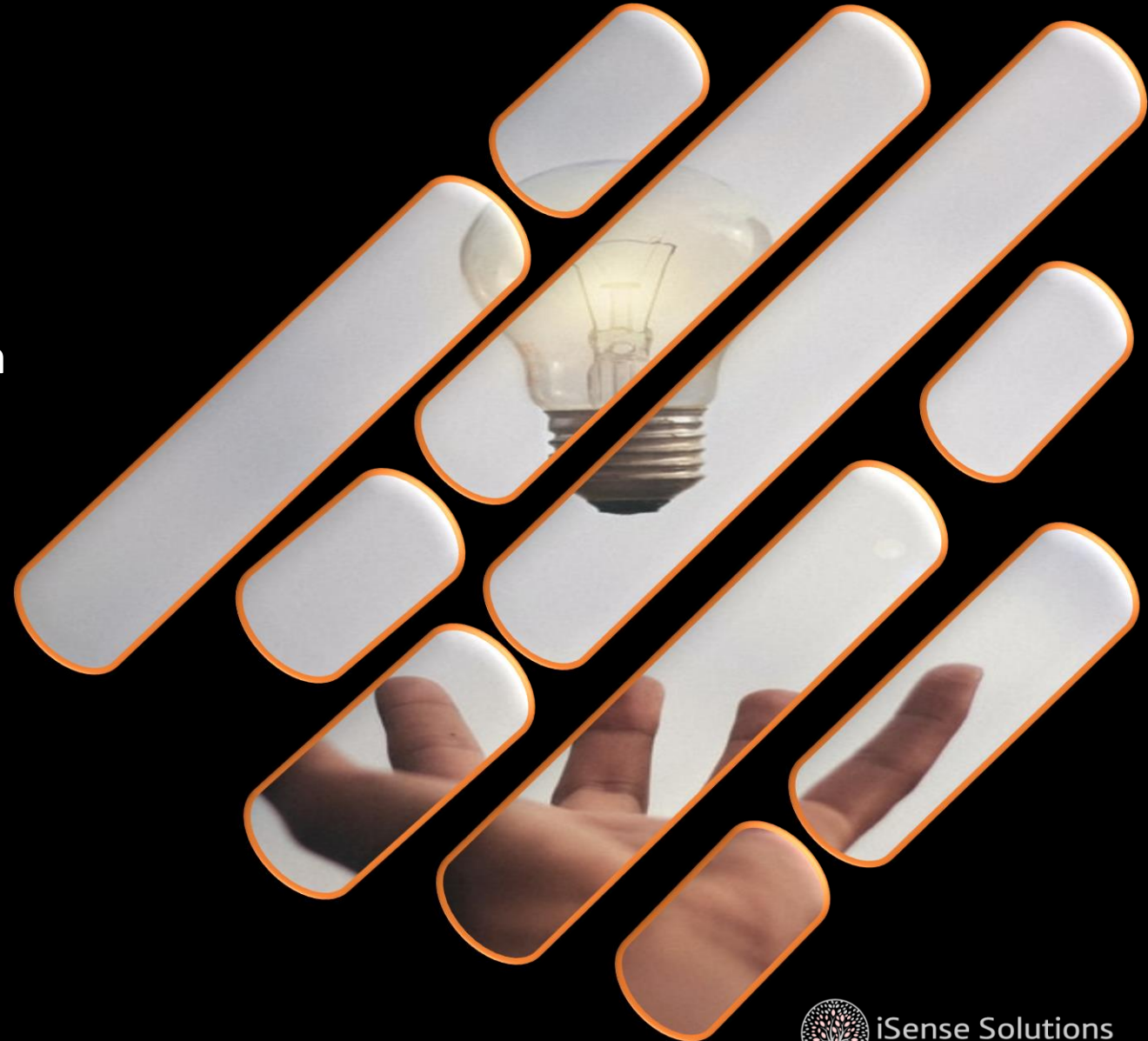
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for autonomous research**

Internal research –  
communities for employees  
Brainstorming sessions



**Platform support**

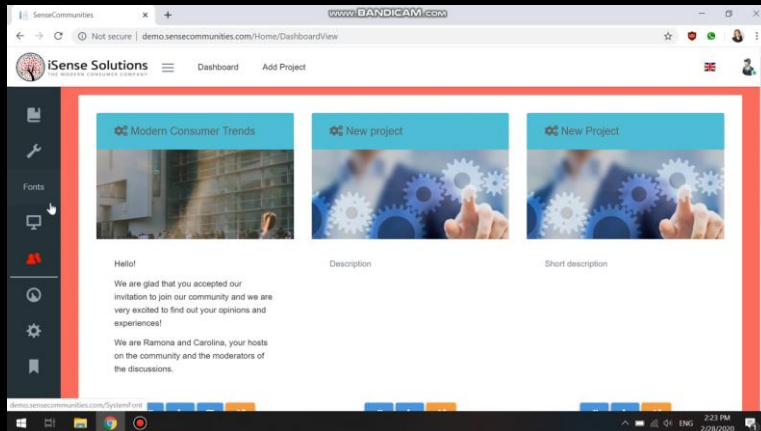
Video demos  
Full training  
Helpdesk support  
Full IT support



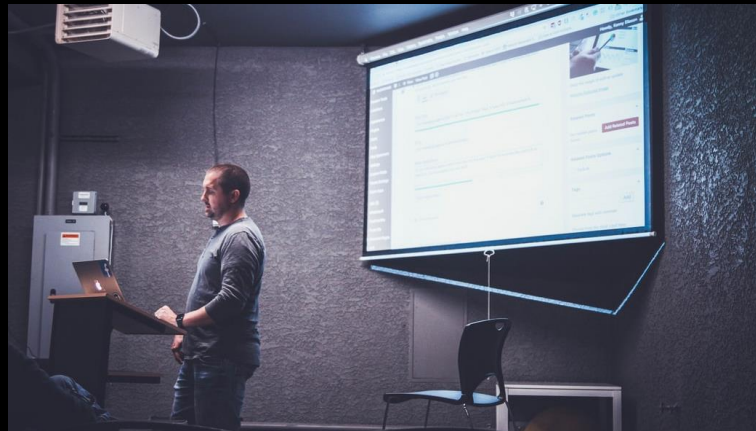
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# SENSE COMMUNITIES Soft Rental

**Get a Demo**

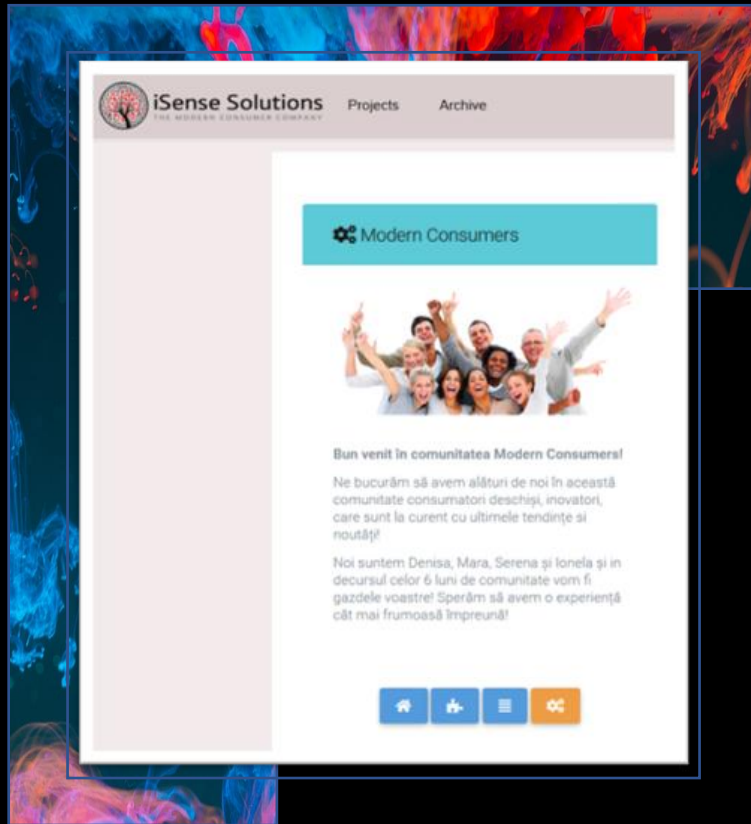


**Get a Full training**



**Get Helpdesk support**





## SENSE COMMUNITIES is an online qualitative research tool

- A fully equipped research platform, ready to support any kind of tasks: open discussions, quick polls, grids, image and video mark-up, journals, pictures and video uploads and more.
  - We know that keeping participants engaged can be challenging, so we used our expertise in designing a tool that solves this issue.

**SENSE COMMUNITIES** is a research tool suitable for developing research studies of any duration and length, not being limited by a certain number of participants or page uploads.

- Available on mobile and desktop in English and Romanian, SENSE COMMUNITIES makes it easy to use anywhere in the world. The platform can support any languages, on request.

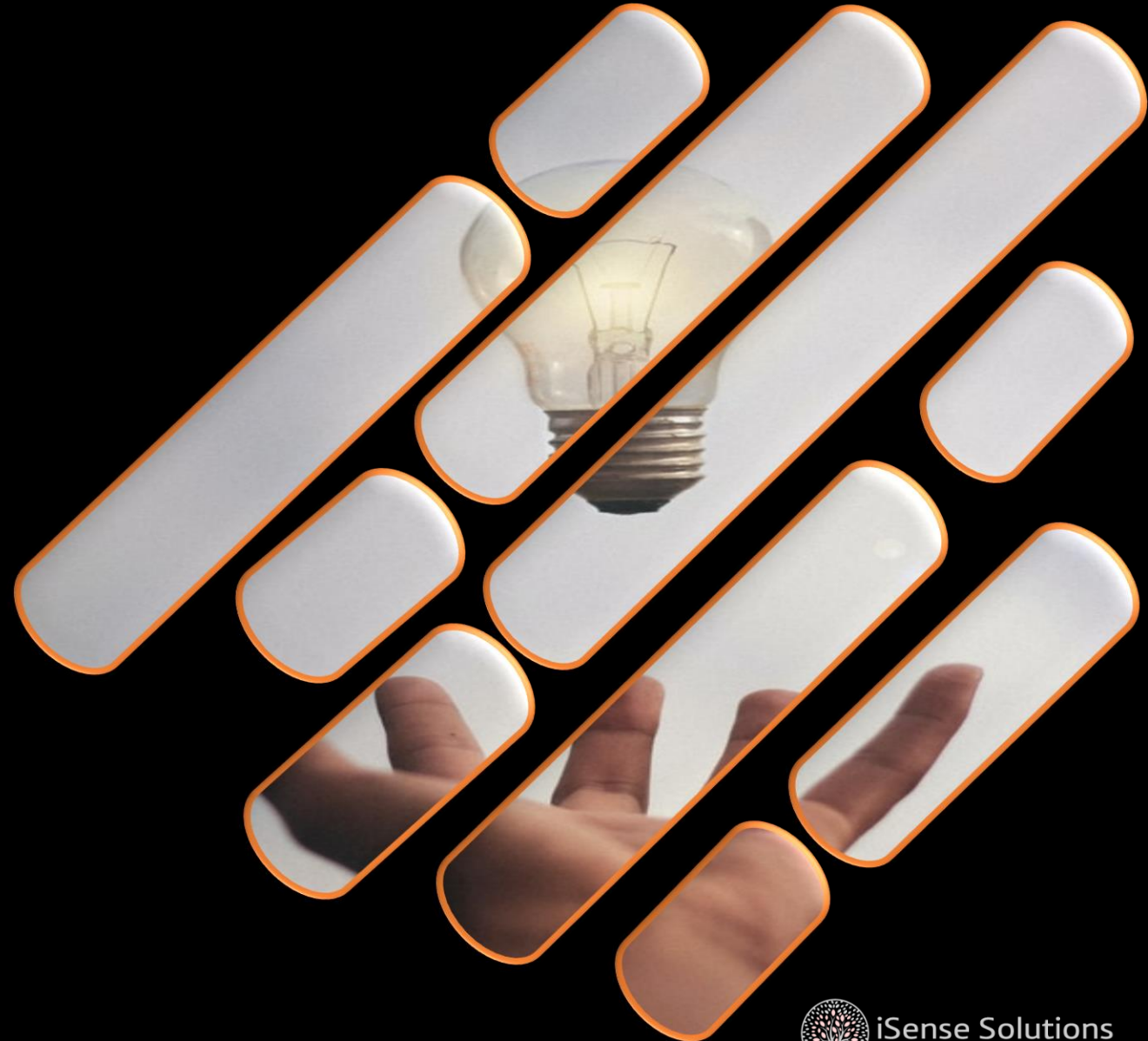


### **3. Modern Consumers Online Community by iSense**



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**Our own ongoing online community**  
with 50 participants in which you can  
add tasks according to your needs and  
purposes.



## Why do we have an online community?

- To stay connected with our consumers
- Find out in real time the hottest topics and trends among consumers

## Who is part of our community?

- 50 participants
- Mix of women and men
  - 18-55 years old
  - National spread
- Sociable, creative and curious people



## Modern Consumer Powered by:



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## What do we get from our community?

- Over 30% answers in the first 24 hours
- Full week discussions on the proposed questions/tasks
- Moderation of all interactions within the community, by the researcher

## How does our community work?


- On our own iSense Solutions community platform
- Weekly questions, tasks and challenges
- Opened questions, closed questions, picture analysis, journals etc.

# Testimonials of participants about SENSE COMMUNITIES




*„I would like to thank you one more time. I'm very excited about the prize I won after the raffle. It was a pleasant and interesting experience and I hope my answers will help to create the marketing strategy for the potential products that are going to be launched.” (Participant in sensecommunities.com studies)*

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*„Thank you for all your support, for the clear information we have received and for your prompt responses.” (Participant in sensecommunities.com studies)*

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A grayscale photograph of several hands of different skin tones reaching up from the bottom and sides to form a heart shape in the center. The background is a solid dark gray.

**ALONG WITH GETTING DEEPER INSIGHTS,  
ONLINE COMMUNITIES BUILD  
BRAND ADVOCACY  
AND CO-CREATE IDEAS**



# MAIN TEAM:



**Dr. Traian Nastase**  
Managing Partner  
Experience: 15 years



**Dr. Andrei Canda**  
Managing Partner  
Experience: 14 years



**Denisa Apreutesei**  
Qualitative Manager  
Experience: 10 years



**Ana-Maria Nastase**  
Mkt Manager  
Experience: 12 years



**Alina Zelezneac**  
Research Manager  
Experience: 8 years



**Andrei Elvadeanu**  
Client Service Manager  
Experience: 10 years



**Alex Dudau**  
Data Analysis Manager  
Experience: 15 years



**Alexandra Pintilie**  
Sr. Researcher  
Experience: 13 years



**Laura Nastase**  
Quantitative Res.  
Experience: 2 years



**Diana Farcas**  
Quantitative Res.  
Experience: 2 years



**Vlad Suta**  
Quantitative Res.  
Experience: 4 years



**Simona Vlasie**  
Field Manager  
4 years experience



**Madalina Soroiu**  
Online Dev. Specialist  
Experience: 2 years



**Alexandra Neagu**  
Qualitative Research  
Experience: 4 years



**Mara Folcic**  
Qualitative Research  
Experience: 3 years



**Serena Buica**  
Qualitative Research  
Experience: 3 year



**Raluca Caplescu**  
Senior Data Scientist  
Experience: 8 years



**Miruna Ilie**  
Data Analyst  
Experience: 3 years



**Irina Moise**  
Data Analyst  
Experience: 2 years



**Ionela Gancea**  
Qualitative Field  
Experience: 1 year



**Andra Dobroiu**  
Researcher



**Angela Stolnicu**  
Operations Manager  
Experience: +15 years



**Mihaela Tincu**  
Operations Specialist



**Georgiana Pipan**  
Panel Manager  
Experience: 3 years



**Thank you!**