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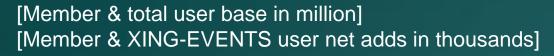
- FURTHER TOP-LINE GROWTH ACCELERATION W/17%
- TOTAL USER BASE REACHES 7.6M
- GROWTH RATE IN NETWORK / PREMIUM BUSINESS DOUBLED
- XING BEST POSITIONED TO BENEFIT FROM MEGATREND "NEW WORK"

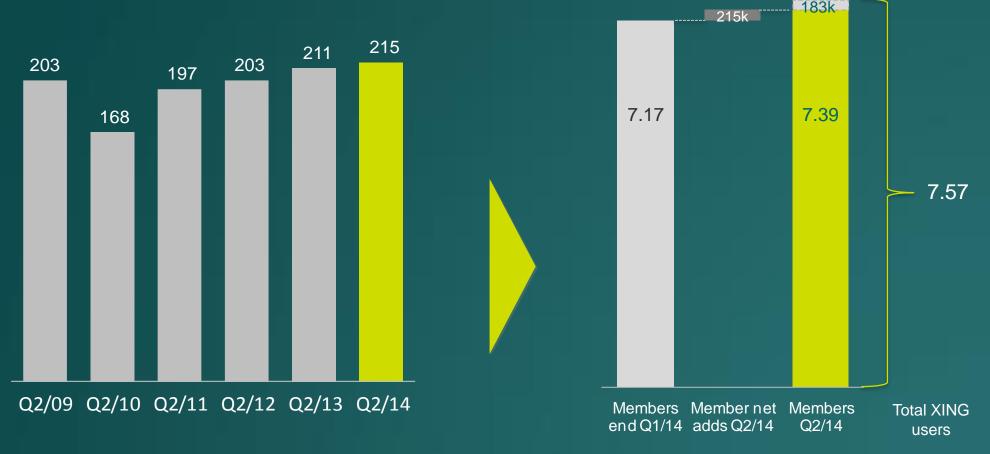
## ANOTHER QUARTER OF ACCELERATING TOP-LINE GROWTH WITH STRONG EBITDA INCREASE



#### **STRONGEST NET MEMBER GROWTH SINCE Q2/09**

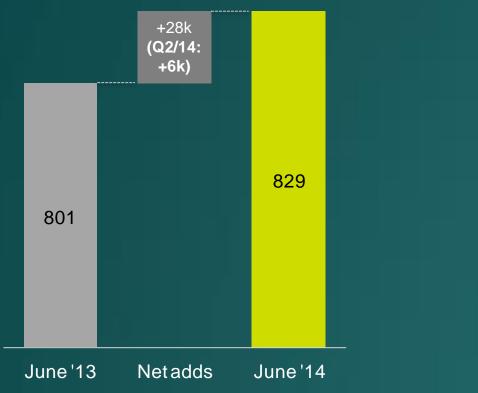
+183k cumulated additional XING Events users





#### **GROWTH RATE IN CORE BUSINESS DOUBLE DIGIT** Network/ Premium: Q2/2014: +10% vs. 5% (Q2/2013)

#### Paying member base D-A-CH [thousands]



# Network / Premium revenues [€m]



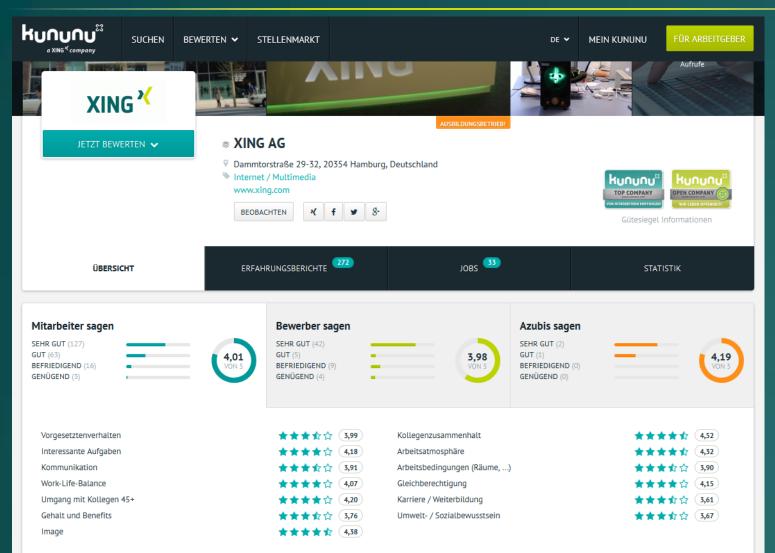
## XING BEST POSITIONED TO BENEFIT FROM MEGATREND "NEW WORK"...

Digitalisation	Shortage of skilled workforce	Change in values & Generation Y
<ul> <li>WORK ANYWHERE &amp; ANY TIME</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>CHANGING POWER BALANCES</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>FLEXIBILITY, INDEPENDENCE &amp; SELF-DETERMINATION</li> </ul>
<ul> <li>TRANSPARENCY</li> <li>NETWORKS DEMOCRATISE GOOD CONTACTS</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>WAR FOR TALENT</li> <li>NEED FOR PROACTIVE RECRUITING &amp; EMPLOYER BRANDING</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>ABOLITION OF ARTIFICIAL HIERARCHIES</li> <li>MEANINGFUL &amp; FULFILLING JOB MORE IMPORTANT THAN A CAREER</li> </ul>
<b>XING</b> offers product solutions for modern working life	<b>XING</b> offers the biggest talent pool in D-A-CH	<b>XING</b> offers transparency, choice and opportunities
"For a better working life"	XING X	"Enable professionals to grow"

#### **...AND LAUNCHING SERVICES ON BACK OF OUR NEW POSITIONING** FUTURE.ME – HELP PROFESSIONALS TO IDENTIFY NEW OPPORTUNITIES



#### **TRANSPARENCY, CHOICE & OPPORTUNITIES** KUNUNU: OFFERING A NEW LEVEL OF TRANSPARENCY



#### Folgende Benefits werden geboten:

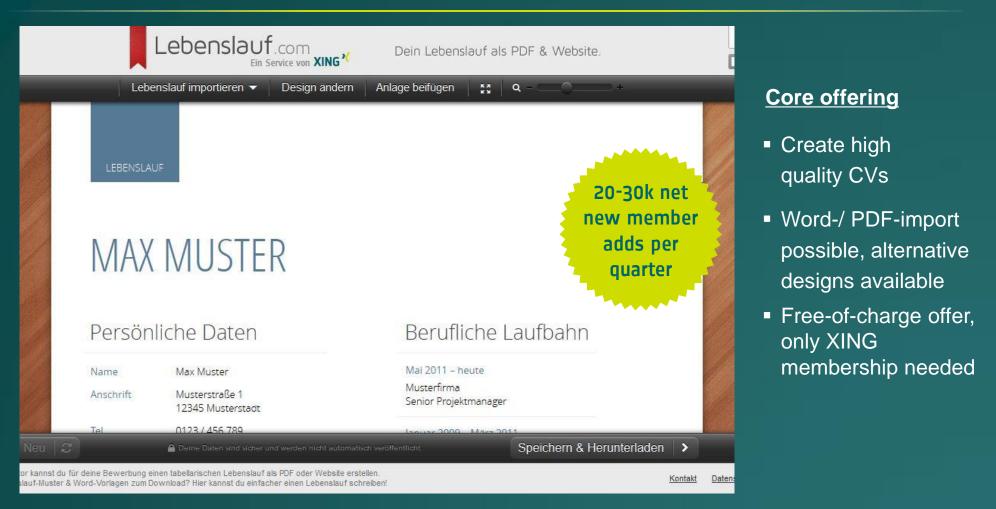
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# "SPIELRAUM" – OUR THEME PORTAL FOR NEW WORK https://spielraum.xing.com/



- XING runs a portal providing content on the new world of work
- Developed on the basis of the print magazine launched in November 2013
- Constant mix of exclusive and selected content for modern knowledge workers:
  - Expert interviews
  - Current studies
  - Interesting facts and figures
  - Tips and best practices
- Close links to the XING community: In-depth discussions hosted in the "Arbeit.Zeit.Leben.," group

## LEBENSLAUF.COM: A PERFECT FIT FOR XING AND NEW SOURCE FOR MEMBER ACQUISITION



#### Product vision: establish most user-centric place to go for job seekers



# **Q2 FIGURES**

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- CONTINUED ACCELERATION OF OVERALL TOP-LINE GROWTH
- NETWORK / PREMIUM REVENUE GROWTH DOUBLE-DIGIT AGAIN
- E-RECRUITING REVENUES ACCELERATING GROWTH TO 34%
- EBITDA AMOUNTS TO €7.0m
- OPERATING CASH-FLOW €6.4m

## STRONG TOPLINE GROWTH; EBITDA €7.0M

	Q2/14	Q1/14	Q2/14 vs. Q1/14	Q2/13	Q2/14 vs. Q2/13
(1) Including other operating income	Abs.	Abs.	%	Abs.	%
Total revenue <sup>1</sup>	24.4	22.8	7%	20.9	17%
Costs	(17.4)	(18.3)	5%	(15.0)	(15%)
EBITDA w/o kununu earn-out	7.0	4.5	56%	5.9	20%
Margin w/o kununu earn-out	29%	20%	9%pts	28%	1%pt
Non-operating costs from kununu earn-out	(0.5)	(0.5)	0%	0.0	N/A
EBITDA incl. kununu earn-out	6.5	4.0	63%	5.9	11%
Depreciation (incl. PPA)	(2.2)	(2.2)	1%	(1.9)	(14%)
Financial result	0.0	0.0	(80%)	0.0	(93%)
Taxes	(1.6)	(0.8)	(106%)	(1.3)	(23%)
Net result incl. kununu earn-out	2.8	1.0	166%	2.7	3%
Net result w/o kununu earn-out	3.3	1.5	112%	2.7	21%

New IFRS rules: earn-out now accounted for in personnel expenses instead of goodwill

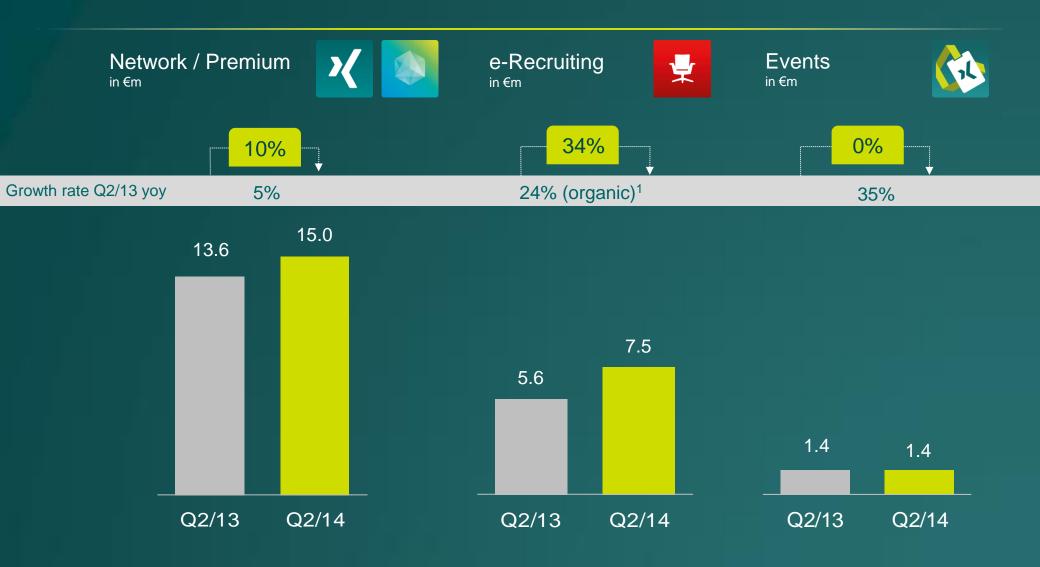
## **DEVELOPMENT OF SEGMENT EBITDA**

		Segment EBITDA	Margin
Network / Premium	× ]	€ 9.7m	65%
E-Recruiting <sup>1</sup>	<b>*</b>	<b>€ 3.5m<sup>1</sup></b> € 3.0m <sup>2</sup>	<b>46%</b> <sup>1</sup> 40% <sup>2</sup>
Events		(€ 0.6m)	N.A.
Tech, Central Services & Other		(€ 5.6m)	N.A.
Total EBITDA w/o kununu earn-out		€ 7.0m	29%
<sup>1)</sup> W/o kununu earn-out			

<sup>2)</sup> Incl. Kununu earn-out

Margin dilution by Events: 4%pts

#### CORE NETWORK / PREMIUM BUSINESS GROWING 10% AGAIN



#### Q2 2014 COST BREAKDOWN

Personnel in €m in % of total revenue



#### Q2/13 Q1/14 Q2/14

 Investment in product/technology organization & sales/marketing
 Q1/14 and Q2/14 including nonoperating costs from kununu earn-out

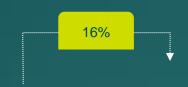
#### Marketing in €m in % of total revenue



#### Q2/13 Q1/14 Q2/14

- > TV branding campaign in Q1/14
- > Online display & social media adv.
- Search engine marketing (SEM)
- Offline marketing expenditure (conferences & events, print, sponsoring)
- > Affiliate marketing

#### Other expenses in €m in % of total revenue





Q2/13 Q1/13 Q2/14

- External services, legal, audit & consulting
- Payment processing, server hosting
- Rent & other costs

# Q2/14: Operating cash flow: €6.4m

	Q2/14	Q1/14	Q2/14 vs. Q1/14	Q2/13	Q2/14 vs. Q2/13
	Abs.	Abs.	Abs.	Abs.	Abs.
EBITDA	6.5	4.0	1.5	5.9	0.6
Interest/tax & kununu earn out	(0.5)	(0.2)	(0.3)	(1.2)	0.7
Change net working capital	0.4	3.8	(3.4)	2.3	(1.9)
Operating cash flow excl. organizer cash	6.4	7.6	(1.2)	6.9	(0.6)
Investment – operating	(2.9)	(2.3)	0.6	(2.7)	(0.2)
Investment – acquisitions	(0.6)	0.0	(0.6)	(0.1)	(0.6)
Financing incl. transaction of own shares	0.0	0.0	0.0	1.7	(1.7)
Free cash flow excl. organizer cash & dividends	2.8	5.3	(2.5)	5.9	(3.1)
Regular & special dividends	(23.4)	0.0	(23.4)	(3.1)	(20.3)
Free cash flow excl. event organizer cash & incl. Dividends	(20.6)	5.3	(25.9)	2.8	(23.4)
Effects organizer cash	(1.0)	3.6	(4.6)	0.0	(1.0)
Free cash flow incl. event organizer cash & dividends	(21.6)	9.0	(30.6)	2.8	(24.4)



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4)	Consensus from 8 brokers	2014e	2015e	2016e	Average trading volume per day (XETRA) & Market Cap
CONSENSUS (Analyst estimates as of May, 2014)	Total revenues EBITDA Margin Depreciation EBIT Margin Net income EPS in € DPS in € (regular)	94.3 28.3 30% (8.7) 19.6 21% 12.9 2.33 0.79	105.8 35.3 33% (9.2) 26.0 25% 17.9 3.36 1.05	121.3 42.1 35% (9.8) 32.3 27% 21.6 4.05 1.35	6.989 6.537 3.683 254m 6.621 15.143 6.621 6.621 15.143 8.669 12.066 6.469 6.46
Ar	nalyst coverage	С	lose Brothers, Hau efferies, JP Mo	, Commerzbank, Deutsche Bank, ck & Aufhäuser, organ Cazenove, ırburg, Montega	Burda Digital GmbH2,824,74450.51%Deutsche Asset & Wealth Mngt372,6606.66%Schroders282,4215.05%Union Investment173,2843.10%Treasury Shares12,8320.23%
Sh	ares			5,592,137	Rest       1,828,696       34.45%         Numbers based on last filing – actual shareholdings can differ
Те	cDax ranking end	of April 2	2014		
Μ	arket Cap.			27	
Tu	rnover			28	

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as of August 1, 2014



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