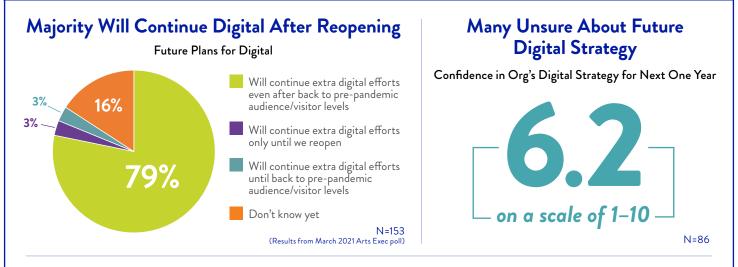


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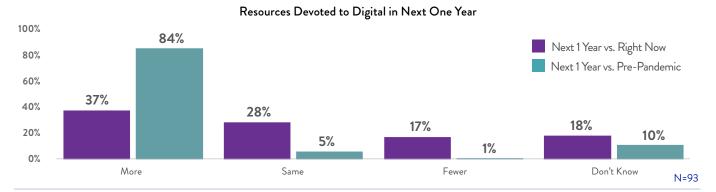
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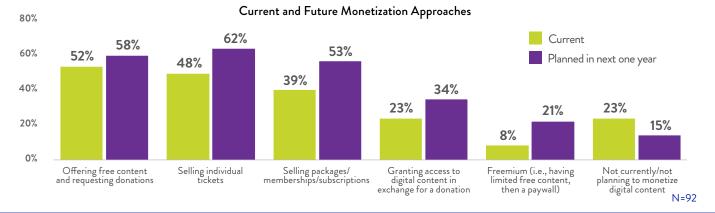
PLANNING FOR THE FUTURE OF DIGITAL



Mixed Plans for Future Digital Resourcing; Nearly All Spending More Than Pre-Pandemic



Most Have Plans for Additional Digital Monetization in Next One Year





return in-person

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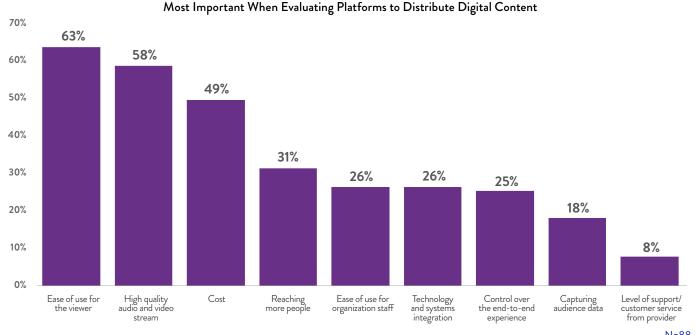
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DIGITAL CONTENT AND DISTRIBUTION

Majorities Planning Digital As an Alternate or Add-On to In-Person Primary Focus of Digital Content Once Back to In-Person 80% 70% 69% 60% 45% 45% 40% 20% 7% 0% An alternate option for those who can't/don't want to A different and/or Don't know yet An add-on or complement A way to attract to in-person (e.g. behind the scenes, special access) stand-alone experience to in-person new audiences to come

Viewer Friendliness, High Quality Stream, and Cost Top Platform Considerations

in person



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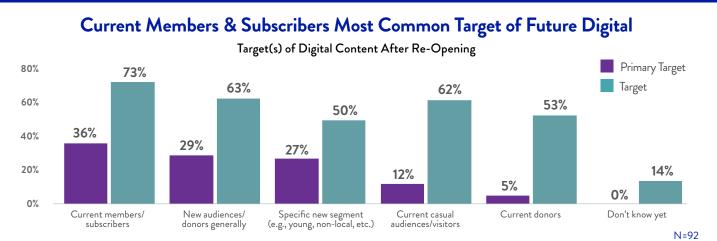


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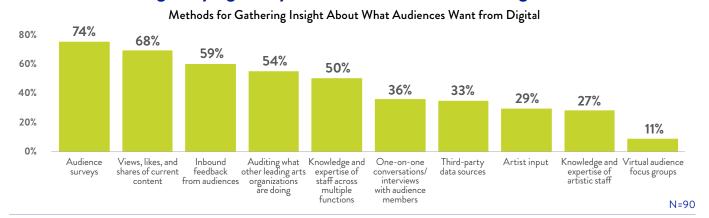
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DIGITAL AUDIENCES AND METRICS



Arts Orgs Relying on Myriad Sources for Audiences' Digital Desires



Views Top Metric for Future Digital Success

