10 FUTURE CHANGES IN EVENTS

THE EVOLUTION OF EVENTS

1. THE EXPERIENCE SHIFT

The complexities of event planning are being fixed by Al. Planners will shift their efforts towards **experience design.**



2. A CEO FOR EACH COMPANY

Chief Events Officers will be part of every boardroom to build and control the business case for events. Eventprofs get a seat at the table.



3. EVENTS ARE FULLY TRACKABLE

As technology advances, events are now fully trackable. The **impact** of each event is immediately evident.

10 KPIs to Track

1/ Pipeline Velocity Rate
2/ Behavioral Change Index
3/ Attendee Retention
4/ Pipeline Acceleration
6/ Churn Reduction
7/ Multi-touch attribution
8/ Advanced lead scoring
9/ Attendee vs Non-Attendee Revenue

5/ Pipeline Generated 10/ SQLs

4. SOLOPRENEURSHIP GROWS

As event professionals' job evolves, they choose more strategic roles and a **more flexible lifestyle**.

Eventprofs still work hard but for themselves.

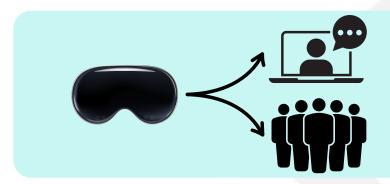
Solopreneurs



- → Can work with clients they like
- → Hustle, but without drama
- → Can be more strategic

5. REALITY IS MIXED

New devices will enable true hybrid events where **online context** is present during the event. Switching between online and offline audiences is seamless.



6. EVENTTECH AND MARTECH BECOME ONE

There is **no more difference** between eventtech and martech. Large tech giants will scoop out vertical tools or build their own.





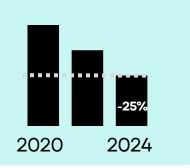
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Tech Giants Enter Eventtech

7. STAFFING SHORTAGE

As new career paths are enabled online, the **struggle to find staff** for in-person experiences hits the industry.

25% of our workforce is likely or very likely to change jobs in 2024. 30% of these want to leave the industry.



8. EVENTS ARE PREDICTABLE

Al helps to identify revenue and impact patterns, **making events scalable** and predictable. Complex event programs are now a reality for every brand.



Take your historic anonymized registration data, upload it to ChatGPT ask it to give you a promotional framework



9. EVENTS = PREMIUM CONTENT

The **only content that will perform** online will be produced at events. As online content becomes Algenerated, event content will feel authentic.



10. MICRO AND MACRO

Small events and large events will thrive. Everything in between will be substituted by virtual. **Large events become umbrellas** for smaller gatherings.

