#### About my attendance:

I've been to a couple other events.

This is what I like about the events:

Meeting other people and it's in portland

## This is what I haven't liked so much:

Can't always attend and people meet is hit and miss

## If I had one specific suggestion that would get me to attend more events, it would be:

A focused conversation or topic of discussion; having a speaker on a particular topic

## So, in closing...

I'll tell you who I am.

#### Name

John Poelstra

# And, I'm interested in:

• Attending more FizzlePDX events!

#### About me:

I am a Fizzle alumni

About my attendance:

I've been to one event before.

# This is what I like about the events:

venue

free form talking

## This is what I haven't liked so much:

only 3 people total

# If I had one specific suggestion that would get me to attend more events, it would be:

I do not live in Portland so will be unlikely to return to an event

So, in closing...

I'll tell you who I am.

Name

Rob Olson

#### About me:

I am a Fizzle alumni

About my attendance:

I've been to one event before.

#### This is what I like about the events:

I like the people and the casual vibe.

# If I had one specific suggestion that would get me to attend more events, it would be:

Have an introduction session, icebreaker that doesn't suck or way to bring the group together to feel like they are a team of sorts.

I would also love if there was just a topic and some suggested conversation starters.

My observation is that new people aren't exactly sure how to engage or what is going to happen, but for the most part, the informal scene is what is cool. One idea would be to have some key people who acted as the greeters and ambassadors, introducing folks. It feels a little clique-ish sometimes, even if it isn't. As an extrovert, I just walk up and introduce myself, but more could be done to increase the easy familiar vibe that the podcast and forum have. xoxoxo

## I would definitely attend a Fizzle PDX event this year if it was:

a workshop with a specific outcome.

#### So, in closing...

I'll tell you who I am.

#### Name

Kate O'Brien

And, I'm interested in:

- Attending more FizzlePDX events!
- Promoting future events on Social Media!

• Helping to organize future events!

About me:

I've never been a Fizzle member

This is what I like about the events:

location of events, food options, and the connections made at the events with people

So, in closing...

I'm anonymous.

#### About me:

I am a Fizzle alumni

About my attendance:

l'm a regular.

### This is what I like about the events:

Conversations with the fizzle team, meeting new people who think alike or who will poke holes in an idea.

### This is what I haven't liked so much:

The 4-6 timeframe I a little on the early side for those of us with day jobs trying to make things happen on the side.

It's more a me thing but I'd like a better way of determining what areas/things people are working on. I really can't be bothered with lifecoaching, apps, or ebooks.

## If I had one specific suggestion that would get me to attend more events, it would be:

See above, but perhaps matchmaking by affinity areas. Connect those on similar niches or point them out during sign up or beforehand.

I would definitely attend a Fizzle PDX event this year if it was:

A BBQ, dance party, some activity

So, in closing...

I'm anonymous.

#### About me:

I'm a current Fizzle member

About my attendance:

I have never been to a FizzlePDX event.

If I had one specific suggestion that would get me to attend more events, it would be:

make facebook events be more active on the fb page

I would definitely attend a Fizzle PDX event this year if it was:

in SE PDX, posted on FB so I remember to go

So, in closing...

I'm anonymous.

#### About me:

I'm a current Fizzle member

About my attendance:

I've been to one event before.

### This is what I like about the events:

Good people, ability to talk shop. Excuse to get out of the laptop.

The chance to catch up with the Great Caelan!

I also liked the round robin format of this last one. It's good to have a little structure, and to hear people's goings on.

## This is what I haven't liked so much:

They usually fall on times that don't work for me. But eventually, in theory anyway, this won't be a problem!

# If I had one specific suggestion that would get me to attend more events, it would be:

Monday or Friday afternoons, and I like the upscale joints. I would love to make Portland Grill, if that happens again. I like the DF as well. I thought Rontoms worked, too.

### I would definitely attend a Fizzle PDX event this year if it was:

convenient, and presented with gusto!

#### So, in closing...

I'll tell you who I am.

#### Name

Allen Mathews

And, I'm interested in:

• Attending more FizzlePDX events!

About me:

I am a Fizzle alumni

About my attendance:

I've been to one event before.

### This is what I like about the events:

Oh my, it was delightful to meet with other entrepreneurs. Lots of fun and great conversations with a variety of people across several industries. The opportunity to share ideas for marketing, outreach, and social media use is irresistible! My husband and I have been following Corbett since he started his own blog in 2007-ish, and we love how Fizzle evolved with all the guys. The quality of the people I met at the meetup was totally in line with the value we've gotten from Fizzle. :-)

### This is what I haven't liked so much:

Timing hasn't always been good for me. Late afternoon/early evening is awful in the greater PDX area due to traffic. Venues with loud music make it hard to have decent conversations without shouting (which is what it was like at the one meetup I attended).

#### If I had one specific suggestion that would get me to attend more events, it would be:

Not sure if I will be coming back, as I have a new job that I simply LOVE with people who are amazing. My fingers are in other pies now, but thanks for asking.

### I would definitely attend a Fizzle PDX event this year if it was:

Can't think of an enticement. Sorry.

So, in closing...

I'll tell you who I am.

Name

Viki Christensen