## MLM Company Profile: U Design Jewelry



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U Design

You design it, we make it

# **U Design Jewelry**

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### **Founding Story**

U Design Jewelry is based out of St. Charles, MO, was founded in 2003 and began direct selling in 2004. U Design was founded by Jennifer and Bret Bonacorsi. Before starting this business, Jennifer was a special education teacher (<u>www.mlmlegal.com</u>) and Bret was a national sales manager and an "ex- retail buyer." The co-founders spent all of 2003 putting together a marketing and pricing plan that was simple for people to follow and valuable to distributors.

### Impact on the Industry

U Design Jewelry is a member of the Direct Selling Association.

### **Discussion of Products**

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U Design Jewelry allows customers to design their own jewelry and the company makes it for them. The products include bracelets, necklaces, watches, earrings, and much more. U Design Jewelry does not make its

customers choose kits, but rather allows them to use their creativity as they wish. The company only uses real sterling silver and semi-precious stones.

#### **Discussion of Opportunity**

To get started with the company, representatives must purchase a starter kit. Both kits come with supplies, which include invitations, tools, beads and supplies. At the Design Representative Level, there are no monthly requirements to sell. The company does not take a percentage of the representatives' sales. Representatives buy all of their own jewelry from the company and sell it at retail prices.

In order to begin with the company, one must purchase one of three starter kits.

U Design Jewelry provides training for the representative's first party and teaches them how to make bracelets, watches, earrings, and an elastic ring that they can keep free. The company states that the average consultant makes between 40-60 percent commissions on the products they sell.

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### Discussion of Distributor Base and Sales Volume in U.S.

U Design Jewelry has over 200 design representatives.

Company website: www.udesignjewelry.com

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