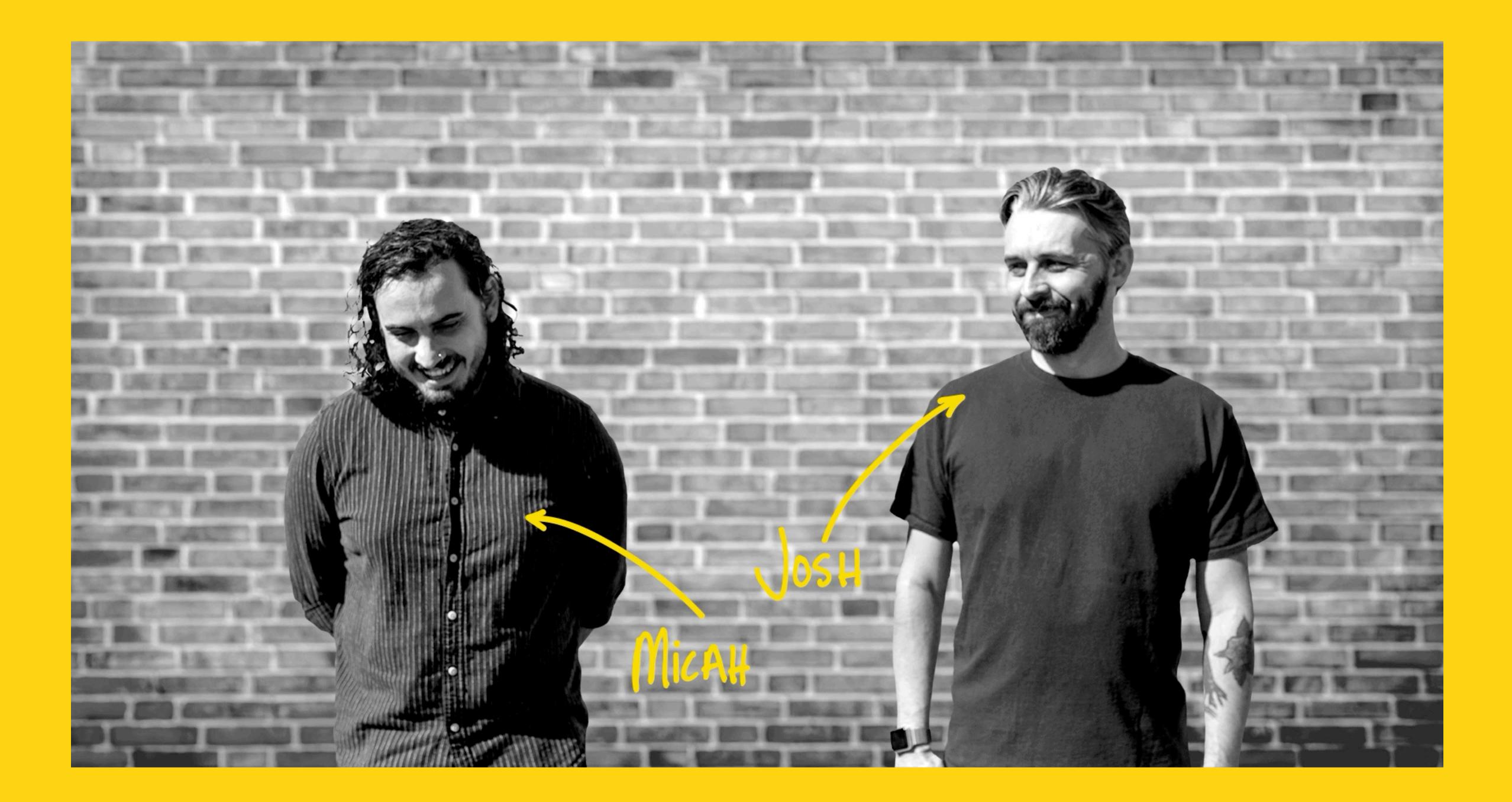
WELCOME TO LISTENING PARTY!









Exercise

What are you most excited about? What are you building? What are you creating? What's your big idea?





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10 Reasons to Start Blogging

- 1. Express Your Thoughts and Opinions
- 2. Market or Promote Something
- 3. Help People Educate
- 4. Establish yourself as an expert
- 5. Connect with people like you
- 6. Make a Difference
- 7. Stay Active or Knowledgeable in a Field or Topic
- 8. Stay Connected with Friends and Family
- 9. Make Money
- 10. Have Fun and Be Creative



- Research
- Provide a competing solution
- Make sure it stays up-to-date
- repeat





- Research the market and existing WordPress podcast landscape
- I had to ask, "how will we make the same content better?"
- "How do we stay relevant?"
- And, "How do you make something that's sustainable?"





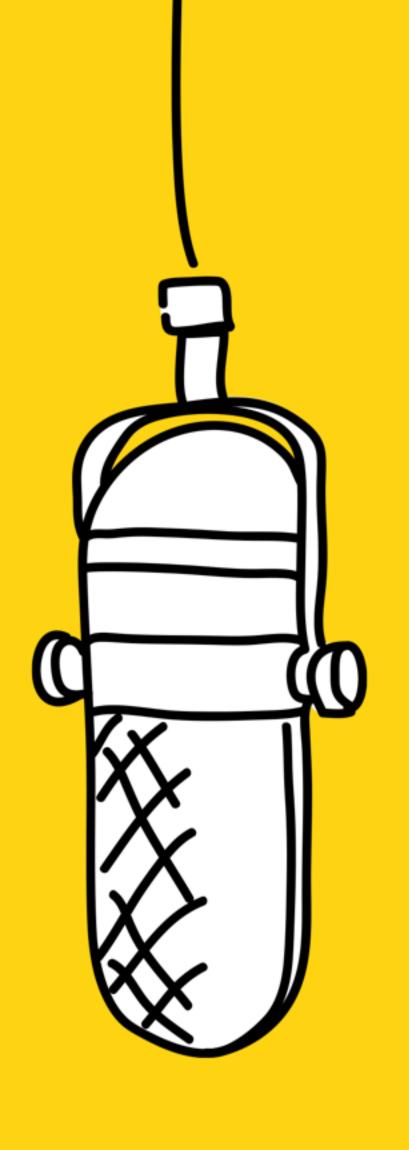
How do I add value to the existing conversation?





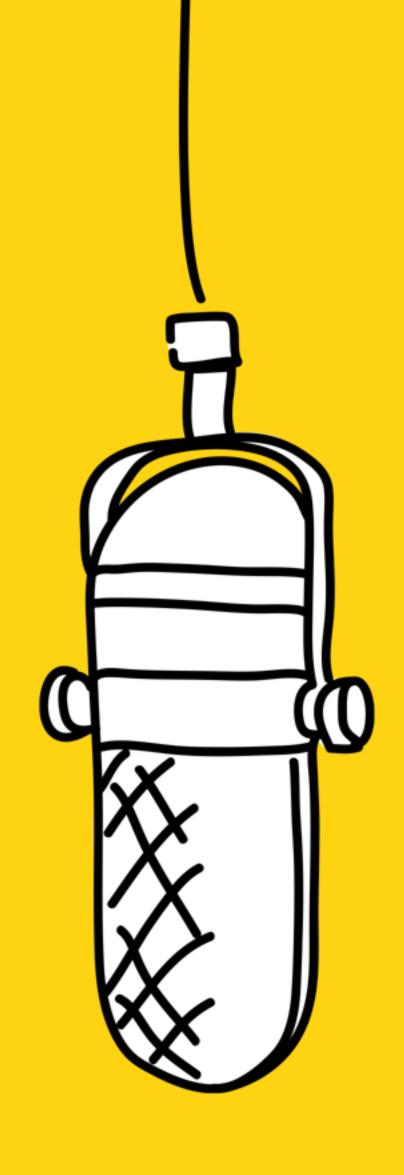
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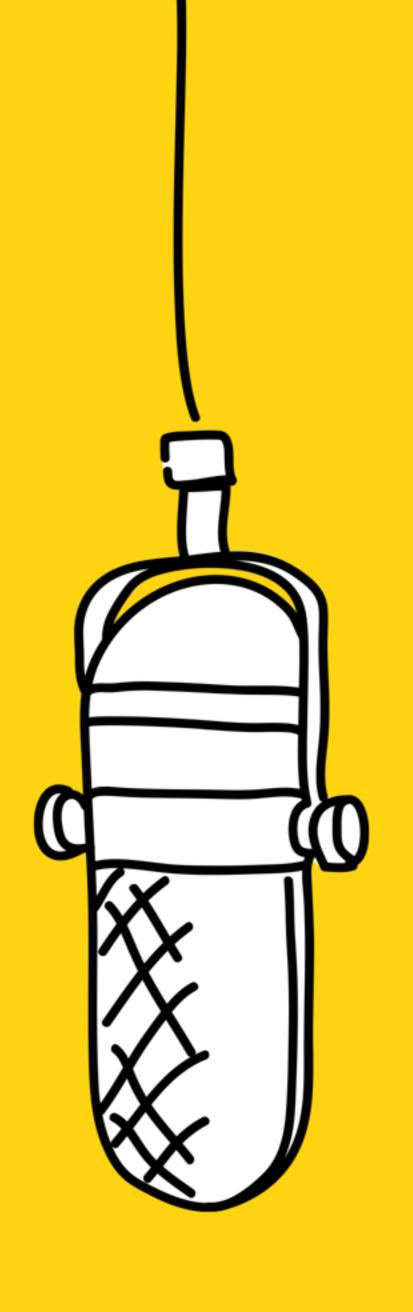
Don't be afraid to put your inexperience on blast!





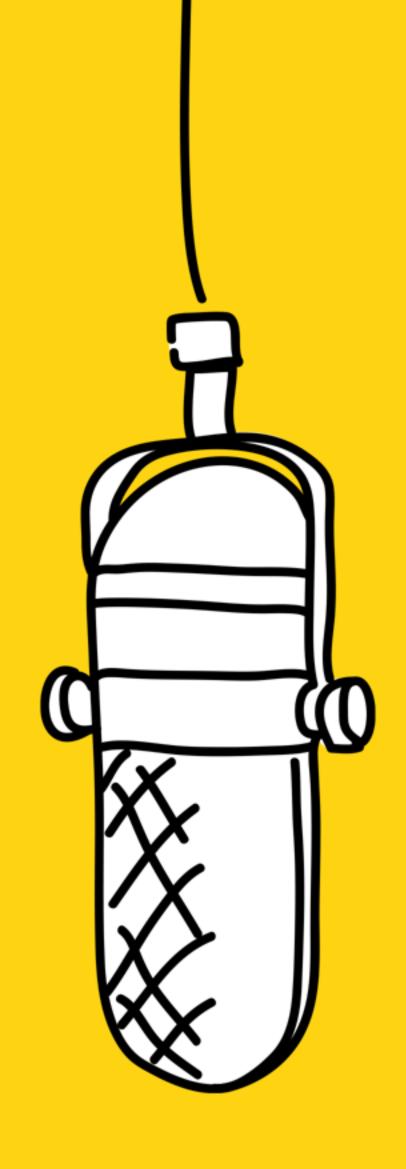
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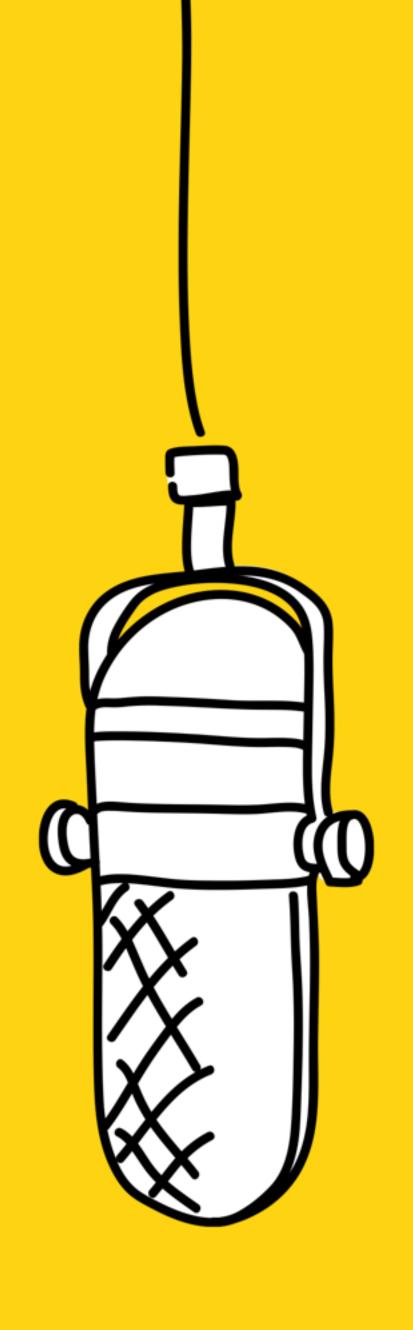
Listening Requires Humility





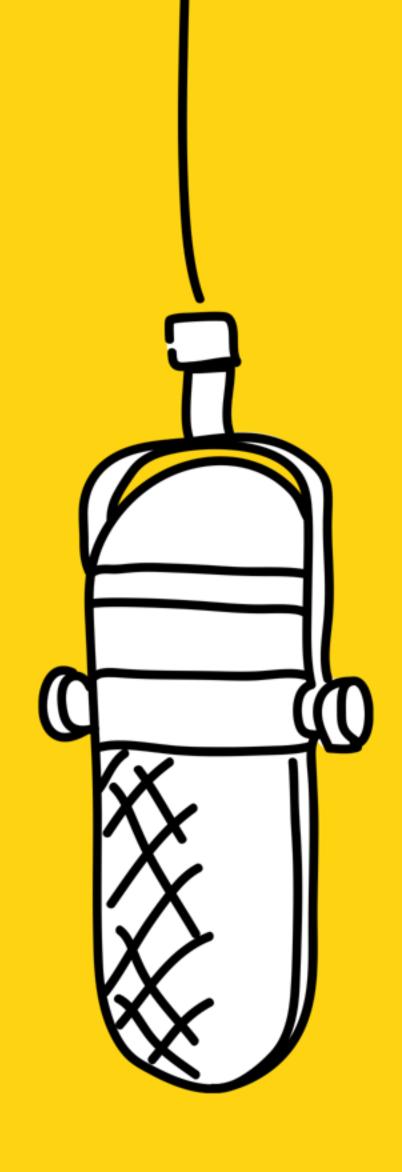
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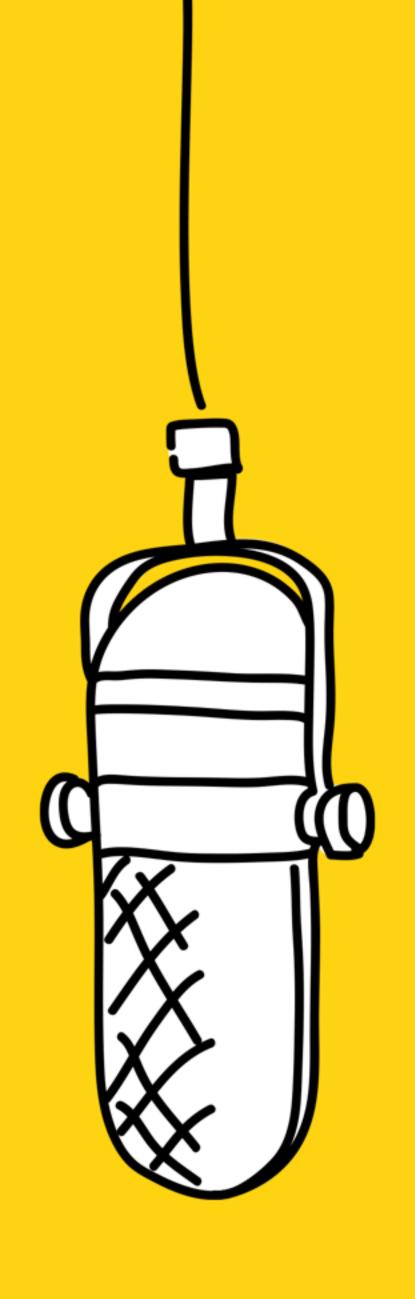
Listening isn't always easy





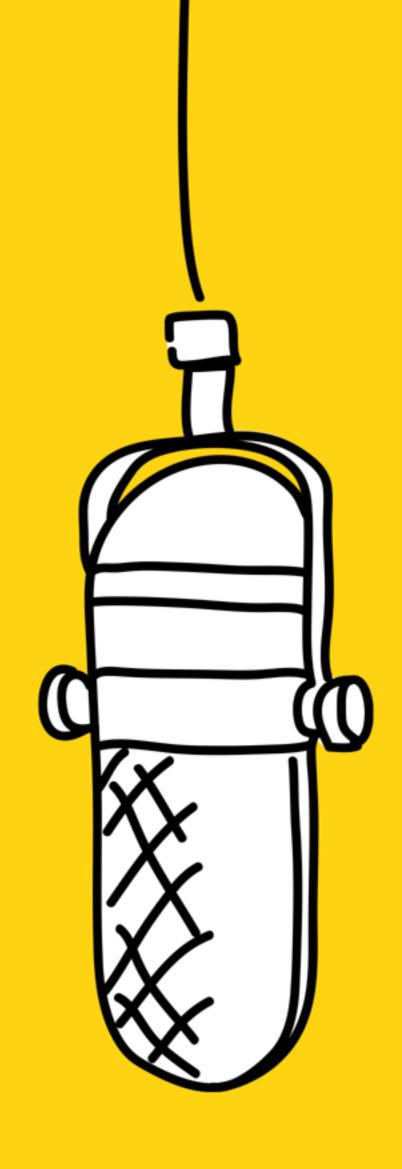
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Listening makes us better



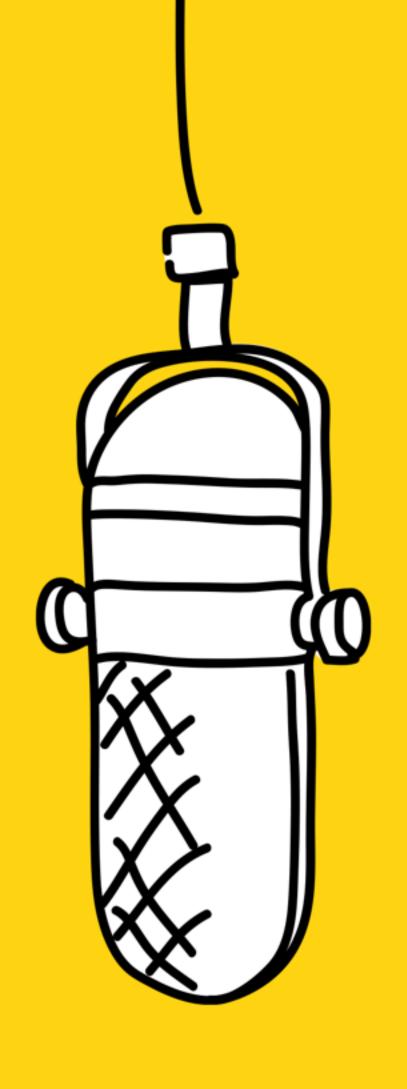


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Speaking adds to your reach, Listening multiplies it





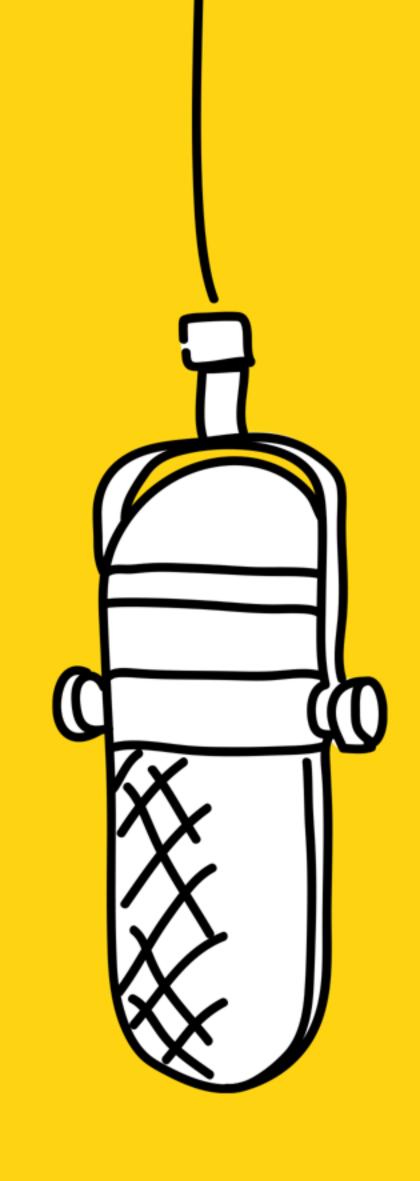
I've been listening to the "Hello, WP!" podcast and I love it. It's from the perspective of someone new to #wordpress and it's well-produced, well-articulated, and charming. Give it a listen if you have the time!





Listening leads to partnerships/relationship





A clip from the #Pressforward podcast



Email Marketing





Small businesses



Reviews





a Public-facing Roadmap



Forums





Partnerships





In Conclusion



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