SW2-Sample E-commerce Site

EBAY

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eBay is the world's online marketplace; a place for buyers and sellers to come together and trade almost anything!

C2C model is represented by eBay.

eBay Inc. (/ˈiːˌbeɪ/ <u>EE-bay</u>, stylized as **ebay**) is a <u>multinational e-commerce</u> corporation, facilitating online <u>consumer-to-consumer</u> and <u>business-to-consumer</u> sales. It is headquartered in <u>San</u> <u>Jose, California</u>. eBay was founded by <u>Pierre Omidyar</u> in 1995, and became a notable success story of the <u>dot-com bubble</u>. Today eBay is a multibillion-dollar business with operations in about 30 countries. [5]

The company manages eBay.com, an <u>online auction</u> and shopping website in which people and businesses buy and sell a broad variety of goods and services worldwide. In addition to its auction-style sales, the website has since expanded to include "Buy It Now" shopping; shopping by <u>UPC</u>, <u>ISBN</u>, or other kind of <u>SKU</u> number (via <u>Half.com</u>); online classified advertisements (via <u>Kijiji</u> or eBay Classifieds); online event ticket trading (via <u>StubHub</u>); and other services. It previously offered online money transfers (via <u>PayPal, El</u>which was a wholly owned subsidiary of eBay from 2002 until 2015). The website is free to use for buyers, but sellers are charged fees for listing items after a limited number of free listings, and again when those items are sold. [7]

SWOT ANALYSIS OF EBAY



SWOT Analysis



- Mobile Commerce (LT)
- -Internet Usage (ST)
- -Development in International market.



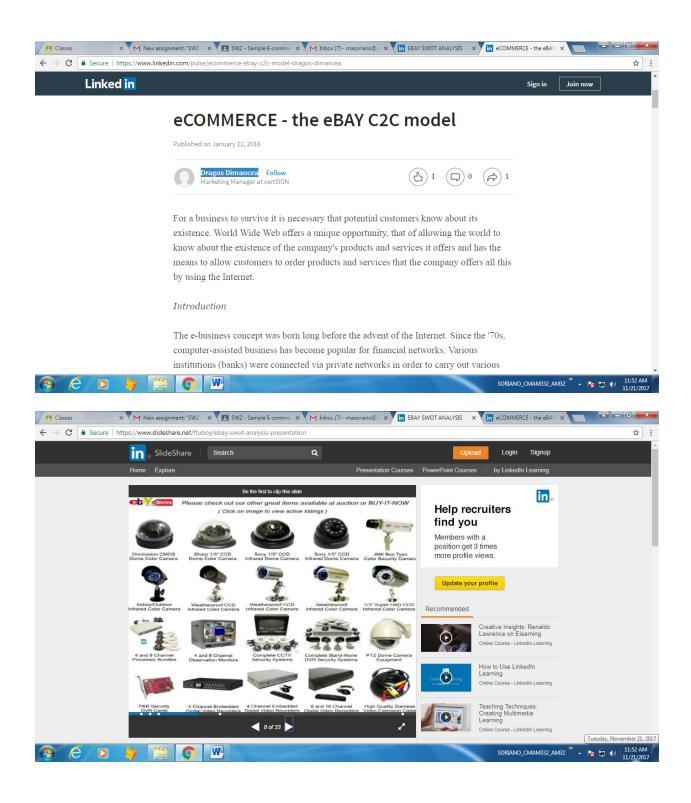
- New Regulations (ST)
- Fraudulent Activities (LT)

Strengths

- Brand Recognition
- Community Affinity

Weaknesses

- System failures
- low control over product quality.



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