Status Pivoting

Web Appendix

WEB APPENDIX A

STIMULI ACROSS STUDIES

Study	Product Stimuli
Study 2B – "26.2" Boston Marathon car bumper sticker	26.2 POSTON MARATHOR
Study 2C – Car bumper stickers in alternative domains to the status threat	Display of car bumper stickers associated with: - a race or a walk you participated in - favorite charity - spirituality or religion - social values
Study 3 – Mugs in the domain of the threat (a) and an alternative domain to the threat (b)	Incentive compatible choice between: (a) (b) KEEP CALM BACK TO WORK KEEP CALM BE A FRIEND
Study 4A – (1) A profile picture for a reunion website in the domain of the threat (a) and an alternative domain to the threat (b) (2) A key-chain with a beer opener (raffle) with engraving in the domain of the threat (a) and an alternative domain to the threat (b)	 (1) Choice of a profile picture: a picture with friends (the kind of picture you would put on Facebook) a professional picture (the kind of picture you would put on LinkedIn) (2) Incentive compatible choice of a key-chain: (a) (b)

	Cheers to SUCCESS Cheers to good times with FRIENDS
Study 4B – Taglines highlighting the domain of the threat (a) and an alternative domain to the threat (b)	Choice of a tagline that would increase sales for a new coffee brand called "Original Coffee": - "Original Coffee. The smell of success" - "Original Coffee. Brings people together"
Study 5A – Bracelet charms in the domain of the threat (a), an alternative domain to the threat (b), and neutral domains (c)	(a) Pandora charms highlighting the threat domain: (1) A+ student (2) Curious cat (3) Graduation hat (b) Pandora charms highlighting an alternative domain: (4) Heart of the family (5) Friendship (6) Best friends (c) Pandora charms in a neutral domain: (7) Sunburst (8) Water drops (9) Layers of lace
Study 5B – Bracelet charms in alternative domains to the status threat	Pandora charms highlighting athletics and sports: Yoga master Freestyle skater Sports fan

