## Storytelling DATA But why?

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### The technological revolution is here and it is already transforming our world





## "By failing to prepare, you are preparing to fail"

**Benjamin Franklin** 

### Who makes a BIG impact Makes the difference

Airbnb enterprise case - Amazing success story





#### Data Engineering

## ROADNAP

**Data Science Storytelling DATA** 

#### Develop a strategy



# Faster access to data gives you stronger analytics capabilities.

## The truth about data



#### **BRAKE PRE CONCEPTS**

The interesting thing about the data is that you come with a pre concept of an idea, and the data can show you something else



#### COURAGE

When the data gives us the courage to do something we thought was very difficult



#### **DATA BEATS THE EXPERIENCE**

Data + Experience beats everything

Data tells you things you didn't know could be there



#### **CORRELATION VS CAUSALITY**

Don't confuse correlation with causality





#### THE RIGHT QUESTION

The right answer to the wrong question The correct question is 90% of the value



#### **CONFIRMATION BIAS**

Break with confirmation bias.

## Storytelling DATA

We don't want to show data, we want to tell stories with it!

Translating **data** analyses into layman's terms in order to influence a business decision or action.

#### A mission-critical skill

We can run a brilliant analysis on our data, but if we can't explain our results , we aren't adding value to the company







Understand Data

Narrative Approach

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#### How storytelling affects the brain

#### **Neural Coupling**





#### Dopamine

#### **Cortex Activity**

# Define a purpose

Have a clear purpose / objective and priorities of the report to achieve a more useful result and without wasting time on visuals that are insignificant.

It will help us to ask ourselves: "What is the question that users will answer when consulting this report?"

## Who is the final user

We will obtain better interpretation and understanding results if we know who they are, what they are looking for, why, for what, how familiar they are with the data, etc..

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## Identify the data Investigate the type of data with which you work to define the best way to represent it and thus avoid misinterpretation or user frustration.





Relation

Information



Comparation



Composition



Distribution



## Teams Should

We are the team who help inspire ...

- New Directions for the business
- Reduce risk of setting *important decisions*
- Automate the ineffable through ML & Al
- Make data *usefull*



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Listeners Creative Analytics **Problem solvers** Storytellers **Business Partners** 

l am here for you!



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