

### REDEFINING

CX

IN THE AGE OF AI

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#### THE AIMS OF TODAY'S EVENT

We want you to leave feeling:











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# "THE FUTURE OF CX IS TECHNOLOGY-LED BUT PEOPLEFOCUSED"

Whenever technology is deployed, it should be with the aim of improving the experience for the customer or for our colleagues.

That could mean a smoother, faster, more efficient experience, or a richer and deeper one – or both.

### THE AI-POWERED CONTACT CENTRE



## CUSTOMER EXPERIENCE

Conversational AI delivering
self-service across Voice, Video
& Digital Channels

Conversational Intelligence for Intent & Sentiment

Proactive Al Powered Outreach



### EMPLOYEE ENABLEMENT

Intelligent Content Surfacing
Conversational Coaching and
Next-Best-Action (Co-Pilot)
Auto-Summarisation
Quality Management,
Wellbeing Management
Coaching & Training



### OPERATIONAL EXCELLENCE

Provision of Personalised

Support for Both Customer and

Colleague

Real-Time Insights Surrounding

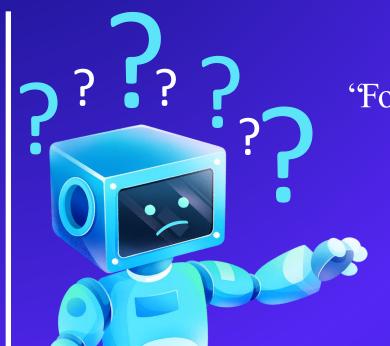
Performance, Engagement and

Areas for Focus

Adaptive Work Patterns and

Processes

# Spoiler alert.. Don't forget the Brilliant Basics



"AIJFDI"

"Forgetting that Knowledge is Power"

Connecting the .....

"Losing the human touch."



# AI JFDI "DELIVERED AT ALL COSTS?"

ACCORDING TO A STUDY BY PWC, 32% OF CUSTOMERS WOULD STOP DOING BUSINESS WITH A BRAND THEY LOVED AFTER JUST ONE BAD EXPERIENCE

ANALYSE CURRENT OPERATIONS AND PAIN POINTS

FOCUS ON HIGH IMPACT, LOWER RISK AREAS FOR PHASE 1...

ALIGN AI INITIATIVES WITH YOUR BUSINESS
OBJECTIVES

**APPROXIMATELY 73% OF** 

**CONSUMERS PREFER TO** 

**SWITCH TO A COMPETITOR** 

AFTER MULTIPLE BAD

EXPERIENCES.

(ZENDESK)

#### KNOWLEDGE IS POWER

"In the age of Aland automation, a well-maintained knowledge base is what separates good customer service from great customer service."

Colin Shaw, Pioneer of Customer Experience and Founder of Beyond Philosophy



The most common reason for self-service failure is that 43% of customers can't find content relevant to their issue.

(Gartner)

According to a

Forrester study,

customers prefer

knowledge bases over

all other self-service

channels.

33% support cost reduction has been reported after knowledge base implementation

# DEVELOP & MAINTAIN AN OMNICHANNEL STRATEGY Connecting the .....

#### INVEST IN INTEGRATIONS

How will you manage transitions from bot to human without losing information/context for the interaction?



43% of organisational leaders say that creating omnichannel experiences is one of the most challenging tasks in improving customer experience.

(Forrester)

#### RETAINING THE HUMAN TOUCH



- 78% of CS experts say Al/ automation helps them spend more time on the most important parts of their role and makes them more efficient, while 62% agree that these tools help them understand their customers better (Hub Spot).
- Employee productivity was the number one method (44%) when asked respondents to a <u>G2 survey</u> were asked how their organisation measures the ROI from its investments in AI software or AI-powered software.

61%

- 61% of surveyed consumers believe humans understand their needs better than AI (SurveyMonkey Report 2024)
- Within 3 years, the EU might mandate the "right to talk to a human" (Gartner).



# REDEFINING CX

TECHNOLOGY-LED, PEOPLE-FOCUSED

**KNOWLEDGE IS POWER** 

INVEST IN SEAMLESS SYSTEM INTEGRATION

**AUGMENT NOT REPLACE** 



Thank you!

