Session 35 TS, Implications of the Sharing Economy for the Insurance Industry

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Implications of the Sharing Economy for the Insurance Industry

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The flow

Definitions
- Examples

Why (emotion)
Consequences
- Risk (seen and unseen)

Opportunity
- Solutions
- Investors/financial ins role
- Professional role (actuaries)
Warm-up to Sharing?
How often do you share something on Social Media? (Instagram/Snapchat/Twitter/Facebook/LinkedIn ...)

1. At least once a day
2. Usually once a week
3. Probably once a month
4. Rarely, 3-4 times a year
5. Barely, not more than twice a year
Definitions – which economy?
Which order best describe examples of these concepts

Concepts
- These describe forms of commercial enterprise
  a) Gig Economy
  b) Sharing Economy
  c) Access Economy
  d) Digital Economy

1. Lyft, Uber, Task Rabbit, Google
2. Task Rabbit, Uber, Lyft, Google
3. Google, Lyft, Uber, Task Rabbit
4. Task Rabbit, Lyft, Uber, Google
Definitions – who is the crowd?
Which order best describe examples of these concepts

Concepts

• These describe forms of commercial enterprise

a) Crowdsourcing
b) Crowdlending
c) Crowdfunding
d) Wisdom of the crowds

1. Kickstarter, Yahoo answers, Rotten Tomatoes, Lending Club
2. Yahoo answers, Lending Club, Kickstarter, Rotten Tomatoes
3. Rotten Tomatoes, Kickstarter, Lending Club, Yahoo answers
4. Rotten Tomatoes, Lending Club, Kickstarter, Yahoo answers
Definitions – how do you play? Which order best describe examples of these concepts

Concepts
• These describe forms of commercial enterprise

a) Co-creation  
b) Co-operative  
c) Corporation  
d) Collaboration

1. besure, Alphabet, credit union, Genome project  
2. Genome project, besure, credit union, Alphabet  
3. besure, credit union, Alphabet, Genome project  
4. Alphabet, credit union, besure, Genome project
Definitions – business driver?
Which order best describe examples of these concepts

Concepts
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a) Micropreneur
b) Entrepreneur
c) Intrapreneur
d) Venture capitalist

1. dragon den, Elon Musk, VP of Finance, Warren Buffet
2. Elon Musk, Warren Buffet, VP of Finance, dragon den
3. Warren Buffet, VP of Finance, dragon den, Elon Musk
4. Elon Musk, dragon den, VP of Finance, Warren Buffet
Definitions

Sharing economy

COLLABORATIVE CONSUMPTION

BUSINESS-TO-CONSUMER (B2C)

PEER-TO-PEER (P2P)

BUSINESS-TO-BUSINESS (B2B OR ENTERPRISE)
Definitions

Sharing economy
Definitions

Power of sharing
The flow

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**Why (emotion)**

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Start with the why
Start with the why

Imperial ambitions

The trust machine
How the technology behind bitcoin could change the world
Start with the why

More trust in business than in governments

Schumpeter

On the stump

Why tech bosses are playing at being statesmen

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He has been on-message for months, sharing his tweet-worthy opinions on stage and playing on media interest. On February 16th, after consulting with his cabinet of close advisers, he made a vigorous statement on privacy rights that attacked the government, every politician’s favourite punchbag these days. He vowed to fight
Start with the why

People transact based on information

Free exchange

Optimising romance

Cost of loving
Prices collated September 2015, US$

Taxis: 0 1 2  
Nights: 0 1 2 3  
Meals: 0 1 2 3  
Drinks: 0 1 2 3 4 5 6  
Champagne: 0 1 2 3 4

Receipt for a romantic mini-break in Paris
One night in a 4 or 5 star hotel including breakfast & taxes: $160
A three-course meal including cocktails, wine,
Start with the why

NEW TECHNOLOGIES UNLOCK A HIDDEN WEALTH OF UNDERUTILIZED RESOURCES

SOCIAL
LOCAL
MOBILE
UNLOCKS
Start with the why

I NEED...  YOU HAVE...

EFFICIENCY

TRUST
Start with the why
Urge to create shared value

Creating Shared Value
by Michael E. Porter and Mark R. Kramer
Start with the why

We all want to be happy. What makes us happy today?

Does author Neil Pasricha know the secret to happiness?

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Start with the why

Urge to create shared value

Shared value (SV) opportunities lie at the intersection of societal needs, business interests, and assets.

Skandia Group—Case Study: Creating Shared Value in Sweden’s Financial Sector
Start with the why

Urge to create shared value

“Shared value focuses companies on the right kind of profits—profits that create societal benefits rather than diminish them.”
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Data privacy risk
Apple vs. FBI

Cryptography
Taking a bite at the Apple

The FBI’s legal battle with the maker of iPhones is an escalation of a long-simmering conflict about encryption and security

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“WE FEEL we must speak up in the face of what we see as an overreach by the US government.”

With those words Tim Cook, head of Apple, the world’s biggest information-technology (IT) company, explained on February 16th why he felt his firm should refuse to comply with an FBI request to break into an iPhone used by Syed Farook, a dead terrorist. Farook and his wife Tashfeen Malik, who were sympathisers with Islamic State, shot and killed 14 people in California in December, before both were themselves killed by police. The FBI’s request, Mr Cook said, was “chilling”.
Microsoft CEO Stays Committed to AI Bots After Tay Debacle

by Dina Bass

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Risks about gig economy
Earning instability and lack of benefits

The gig economy
Smooth operators

A new report reveals the scale and purpose of app-based earnings
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HOW important is America’s on-demand economy? Some worry that the likes of Uber, a car-hailing app, and Etsy, which helps workers to sell arts-and-crafts, are destroying traditional employment and with it pensions and health-care benefits. Others hail the flexible hours, low prices and convenience such apps facilitate. Until now not many data have informed this debate. Official statistics track things like part-time working, self-employment and working from home, but the app economy is too small to move those needles. In fact, most indicators suggest it is boring traditional work, rather than app-enabled odd-jobbing, that is on the rise.
Regulatory risk
Uber drivers operate without proper insurance
 Eventually all businesses are disrupted by new tech

Queen Video closing its iconic Queen West location

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LOCAL
A growing number of companies are using “dynamic” pricing

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IF a cynic is someone who knows the price of everything and the value of nothing, as Lord Darlington observes in Oscar Wilde’s “Lady Windermere’s Fan”, then it is getting progressively harder to be a cynic. A growing number of companies keep their prices in a constant state of flux—moving them up or down in response to an ever-shifting multitude of variables.
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Opportunity
Living in a big data era

McKinsey Global Institute

Big data: The next frontier for innovation, competition, and productivity
Quoted from EY survey:

The logic is simply this: if insurers can get the data they need when they need it, then they don’t have to own it. That is especially true if the data they can access from third parties is of richer quality, increased granularity and greater accuracy than the data insurers have already.

Another benefit to consider: reduced exposure to risks with data ownership (chief among them liability in the event of a data breach). Thus, insurers must err on the side of sharing, rather than owning, data outright.
Opportunity
Data privacy risk in insurance

Customers conditions for sharing their PII
Q7. What would it take for your customer to agree to the collection and use of their unique information such as their activities or their product usage? [Select top three]. N=1,782.

- Auditable assurances that data was used only for the agreed upon intended purposes 38%
- Commitment to data protection both now and in the future 37%
- Benefit improvements through pricing, convenience, safety, offer relevancy or product features 36%
- Fully transparent, declarations on how data will be stored and used including for how long 35%
- Ability to approve or deny the types of information collected/used and make changes over time 28%
- Needs to be legal and routine to provide their information 27%
- Ability to easily understand their information and unilaterally correct errors 25%
- Ability to permanently delete or mask information at end of relationship 23%
- I do not believe that our customers would share their data 5%

WHO are the most receptive?
- Consumers who:
  - Are heavy users of frequent-shopper card programs
  - Consider themselves “very knowledgeable” about financial topics
  - Own a fitness tracker
  - Trust life insurance companies with their personal information
  - Are Millennials

WHAT would motivate them to participate?
Top factors when deciding whether to allow a life insurance company to monitor your ongoing health and lifestyle:
- How much money I could potentially save in premium: 68%
- How much additional insurance coverage I could gain for the same price: 45%
- Other perks (discounts to a gym, personal feedback, hints about healthy lifestyles, etc.): 34%
- It would motivate me to be healthier (exercise more, etc.): 30%
- If the program is being offered by a well-known, reputable company: 29%
- If the program is being offered by a company that I currently have a relationship with: 25%
- Nothing would entice me to share this information with a life insurance company: 11%
Opportunity
Wellness related insurance
Opportunity
What these cool words mean? (the offering focus)

The potential is there, but it’s not there yet

What is the attraction of the Internet of Everything for consumers? Not much

PETER MISEK
Partner at the Business Development Bank of Canada’s Venture IT Fund

It is difficult to find an article or press release in the technology world that doesn’t mention Internet of Things (IOT) or Internet of Everything (IOE) or Virtual Reality (VR). These acronyms have enthralled executives, created hundreds of start-ups and been a boon to tech journalists.

a very high-value proposition and an application that makes incredible sense to the users and has a near-immediate payback to those who use it. That Samsung or LG fridge? Not so much.

What about Virtual Reality (VR)? Isn’t that massively hyped? Didn’t Facebook pay $2-billion (U.S.) for Oculus Rift when it was a year-old startup? I believe that VR foreshadows holographic user interfaces and advanced computing and gaming platforms. Will VR be a massive global industry in the future? Absolutely. Will every house-
Opportunity
Responding to the gig economy

Work has changed. Let's make it work for us.
Opportunity
Responding to the gig economy

New world of health coverage opening up for small and micro-businesses

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“So I started researching options.” In August, 2013, Canada’s first Coworking Health Insurance Plan (COHIP) was introduced for people who work out of co-working hubs in Ontario.

“Rather than each worker or each co-working space acting independently, we were able to leverage the power of our collective to secure extremely competitive rates and accessible [group] benefits packages for all of our members in Ontario.” Plan members pick and choose the benefits they want – and can afford, said Ms. Proctor, who herself opted for full dental coverage, travel insurance and an extended health plan that includes acupuncture and massage.

When the plan goes national in early April, it will be extended to uninsured workers beyond the co-working sphere.
| Opportunity |
| UBI and “pay-as-you-go” insurance |

EY estimates that UBI policies will reach 15% market penetration by 2020 in Europe, Asia and the Americas. That is very good news for insurers, given that UBI can reduce claims costs by up to 40%, policy administration costs by up to 50% and substantially reduce acquisition costs.
Diversity fatigue

Making the most of workplace diversity requires hard work as well as good intentions

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RONALD REAGAN once said that “The nine most terrifying words in the English language are, ‘I’m from the government and I’m here to help’.” Today they are run a close second by 12 words: “I’m from human resources and I’m here to organise a diversity workshop.” Most people pay lip service to diversity in public. But what they think in private can be very different. Some HR consultants have even started to worry about “diversity fatigue”.
Opportunity
Actuaries can be Agile

Not like this....
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Like this!
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Henrik Kniberg
Opportunity

The rise of P2P insurance
Conclusion

Today

WIN WIN

Tomorrow

win win win