



GROWING TOGETHER IN THE AMERICAS

DIGITALISATION FOR INTERNATIONAL TRADE
CHALLENGE



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Attention!

Use the **Q&A session** for questions!

1. We recommend focusing on questions regarding the topic that your colleagues can also benefit from, avoid questions too specific about your business.

2. The **Chat** is reserved for comments that you wish to share. Remember we are reading you!

3. Post in the **class forum on ConnectAmericas Academy**, for more questions and suggestions and comments related to the class. This way your classmates can also discuss about it.

4. This is a learning environment, we come to learn, to make mistakes, to reflect, to change our minds, **and it's all good!**

5. If you have any problems, please contact us at: creciendojuntas@connectamericas.com

Don't forget to complete the survey at the end of the class to give us your feedback.

6. <https://forms.office.com/r/KvyJpWjdvK>

We will keep this in mind for the next classes!

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Rethinking customers

In the **digital age** we must change the way we **perceive, communicate, interact** and **create value** for our customers.



Customers as a mass market



Customers as a dynamic network



Broadcast communications to customers



Two-way communications



The company is the key advocate of the brand



The customer is the key advocate of the brand.



Marketing to persuade the purchase



Marketing to inspire buying, loyalty and advocacy



One-way value flow



Two-way value flow



Time: 5
minutes

About my clients...

Please go to www.menti.com and enter the access code **3403 3513**

Or scan the **QR code**



And answer the proposed questions





Smart companies have realised that **customer loyalty** is the most powerful sales and marketing tool they have.

Bill Price

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What is client experience (CX)?

CX is the **impression that your company leaves on the customer**, and that makes the consumer create a concept of your brand throughout the phases of the relationship process: pre-sale, during the sale and post-sale.



*Optimising interactions
between consumers and
brands*

**Focus on a
memorable
experience**

- **1st sale:** It is easier to build loyalty on the first sale, increasing the chances of recommendation.
"It takes 20 years to build a reputation and 5 minutes to ruin it. If you think about it, you will do things differently" (Warren Buffet).
- **Loyalty:** The act of building loyalty happens even before the sale, and word of mouth or referrals to new customers are just a consequence of a well-planned CX.
- **Credibility:** Customers who have a good perception of your brand are more likely to recommend it.
- **Differential:** Invest in a differentiated shopping experience for the public, reinforcing brand reputation.
- **Cost:** Relevant cost reduction, mainly by reducing waste by customers and, above all, by the employees themselves.

What is client experience (CX)?

CX is based on trying to ensure **maximum customer satisfaction** through personalised actions that provoke feelings such as:

Representativeness / recognition: sense of belonging



Valorisation / exclusivity: demonstrating that each customer is unique



Inclusion / participation: consumer opinion matters



Realisation: meeting the client's needs



Customer satisfaction ⇔ Customer loyalty ⇔ Increased conversion

What is client experience (CX)?

Marketing Funnel

It is a framework for understanding how customer networks have such a big impact on companies' relationships with customers.

This relationship includes from the **first dialogue** with the consumer - when they are at the top of the funnel - to the cycle in which they show interest in buying the product or service offered and, in many cases, **even after the sale has been made**.



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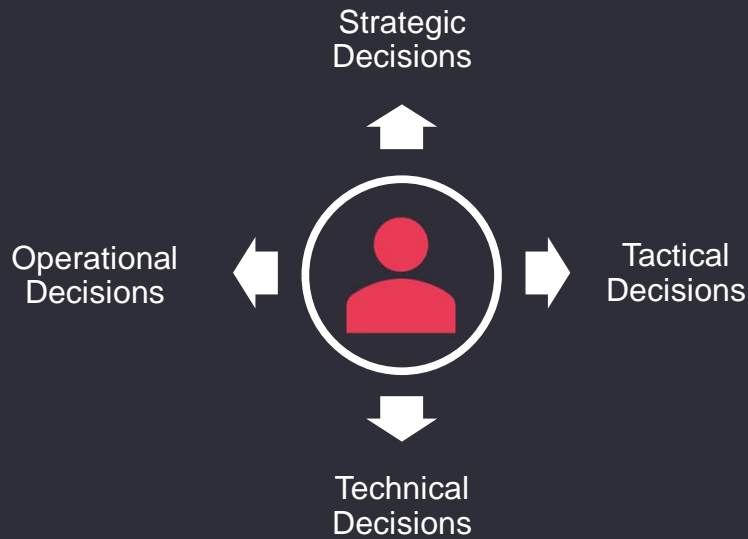
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What is customer centric culture?



Organisational culture based on the behaviour and expectations of the customer, who is at the centre of all company decisions.

The customer must be present throughout the strategic planning and follow the stages that are part of the sales cycle.

Relationship between Personalisation and Conversion: 86% of consumers say that a differentiated and unique service is an important factor in whether or not they buy from a brand.

Source: InfoSys

Let's get to work!



Access the **ConnectAmericas Academy** and download the material found in [Topic 2 User Experience – Class 1 Levelling – Let's get to work](#)

Time to work: 15 min
Voluntary presentation: 5 min

Why have a customer-centric culture?

- Consumer-focused companies are **60% more profitable**, according to a new study by Deloitte
- Customers are willing **to pay 86% more** for better experiences, according to the CEI Report
- Companies that invest in customer satisfaction see a **10% increase in customer retention** and a **30% increase in brand value**, according to a new Bain & Co study
- **The estimated cost of customer churn** due to poor service could be as high as **\$1.6 trillion**, according to an Accenture report.



ROI – Return on investment

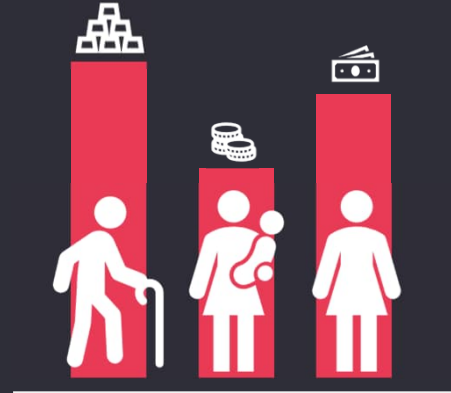


CAC – Client Acquisition Cost

How can customer centricity be measured?



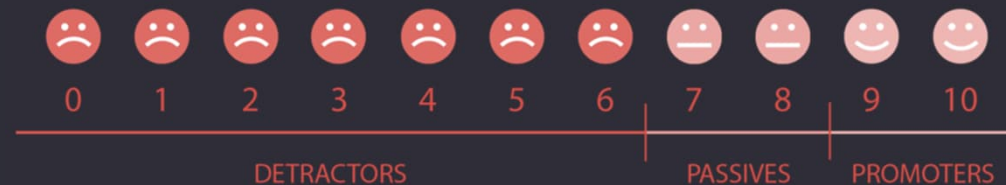
Churn rate: Represents customers who no longer buy from your company.



Customer Lifetime value (CLV): Calculates how much money you have earned since a person became a frequent consumer of your brand.

Net Promoter Score (NPS):

Indicates which customers are dissatisfied, indifferent and satisfied with your company.



$$\text{Happy Face} \% - \text{Sad Face} \% = \text{NET PROMOTER SCORE}$$

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Examples of customer experience (CX)

Consider these bad examples of CX:



Airlines

They reward their most valuable customers with frequent flyer miles. But when the customers who fly the most try to use their miles, the airlines treat them like freeloaders.

Fast-food restaurants

They're cheap and fast, but often give sullen or indifferent service.

Online businesses

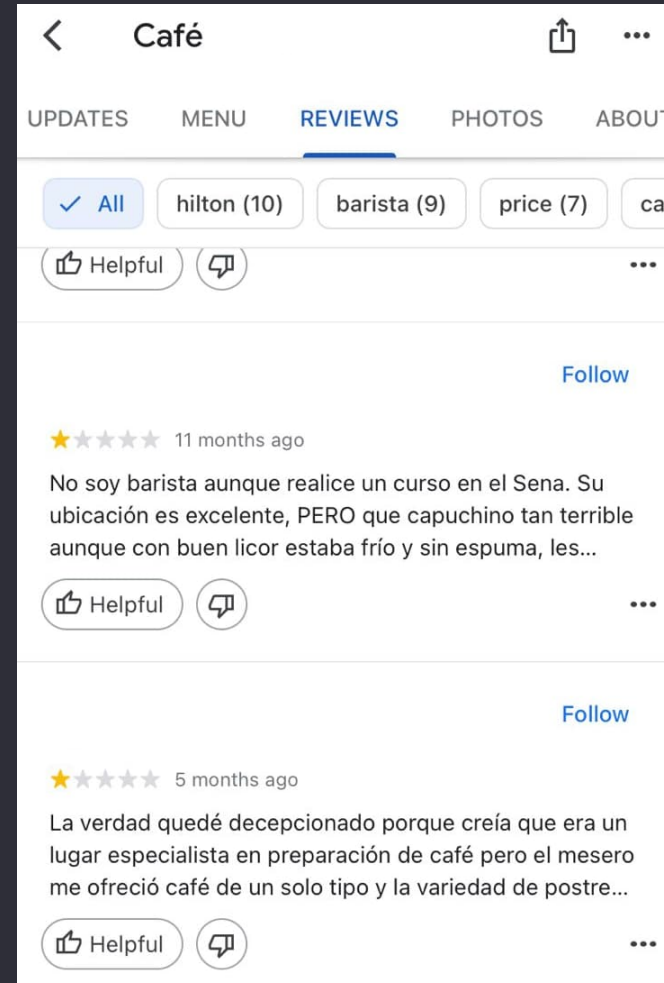
Can manipulate credit card information.

Customer service departments

Put customers on hold and have limited ability to resolve complaints.

Examples of customer experience (CX)

The voice of the consumer negatively impacts the reputation of businesses



Examples of customer experience (CX)

Some good examples of CX:



Respond quickly: A customer will appreciate quick response times when they want to ask a question or highlight a problem.



Act on feedback: When an employee acts on feedback they have received from a customer, it shows them that their opinion matters.



Be empathetic: Employees who try to understand a customer's point of view make the customer feel valued.



Maintain customer self-service options: When customers want to find their own answer to service issues, having an up-to-date FAQ page or knowledge base of articles can be very helpful.



Offer omni-channel support: Different communication channels can support customers who have busy schedules or who want flexibility in how they connect with companies. Your employees should be prepared to offer support via email, phone, chat and social media.



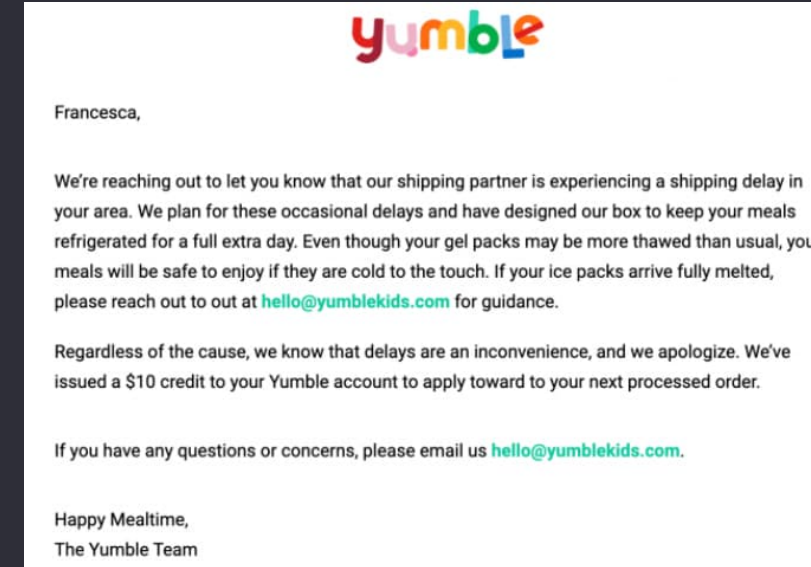
Go above and beyond: When an employee offers value beyond customer expectations or adds a personal touch to the experience, it can leave a positive impression and increase customer loyalty.

Examples of customer experience (CX)

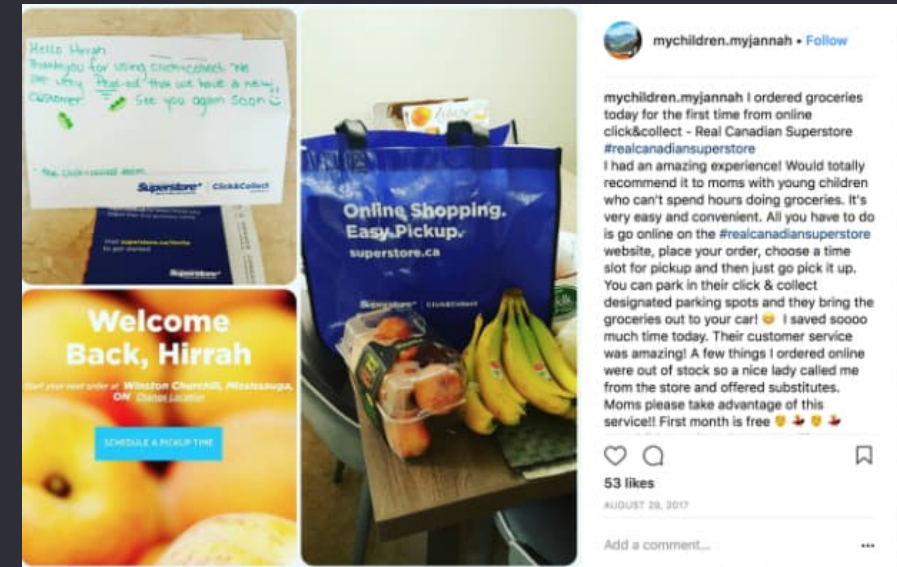
1. The shop owner who remembers - and appreciates - returning customers



2. The online shop that proactively solves shipping problems



3. The retailer who finds a way around stock-outs



Q & A

Thanks!
See you next Tuesday



Please go to the following link and give us your feedback on today's class:

<https://forms.office.com/r/KvyJpWjdvK>

Your opinion is very important to us.