2025 TREND REPORT



WELCOME to Year 2 of the Al Inflection Point

Last year, the top 3 topics from our clients were AI, AI, AI, and while this year brings the same list, we have entered a new stage of implementation and experimentation. Brands continue to push on their AI capabilities, while still keeping their eyes on trends and opportunities in a chaotic world moving at record pace. This year's report attempts to balance some of the AI-enabled opportunities we are seeing, with a fresh dose of what has been trending in our key consumer categories.

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- 2) AI KEYNOTES & AI WORKSHOPS Book me or one of our futurists for a custom AI keynote
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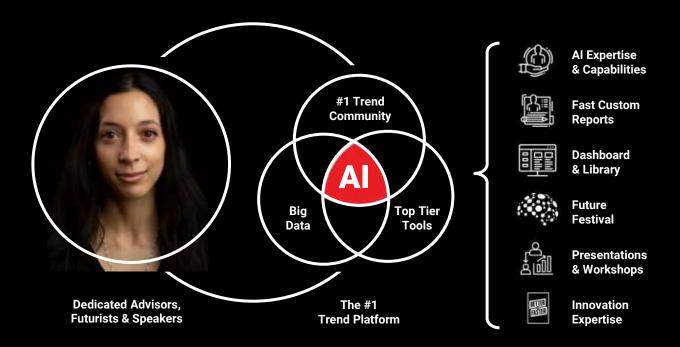


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A PROBLEM WE SOLVE is that it is difficult to filter all the chaos of the world into opportunity

Our Changing World

- COVID-19
- AI
- Social media
- Globalization
- Big Data
- The Cloud
- East vs. West
- 3D Printing
- Millennials
- CRISPR
- VR + AR

- Robots
- Sustainability
- Personalization
- Uncertainty
- Influencers
- Lower Barriers
- Social Business
- Diversification
- Gender Equality
- Empowerment
- What Else???

Inadequate Resources



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Trend Companies high-level & generic



Custom Research slow & expensive



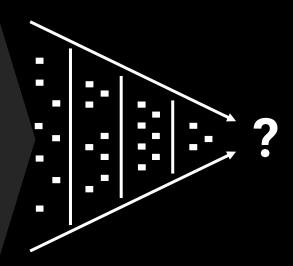
Magazines & News too much & not custom



Manual Searching random & what ranks



Conferences inspiring, but not specific





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- Creative Ideation Manager Sr. Creative Trend Forecasting (>167 Custom Reports)







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Traditional Innovation = Slow & Expensive

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"The custom reports really speak out to us. There is a lot of information out there, but filtering is really difficult. What makes the difference is having somebody who begins to understand what we are doing, who can really help with that curation." - Creative Director

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Quickly deep dive curiosities
 Auto-generate product ideas
 Auto-create PPT trend reports

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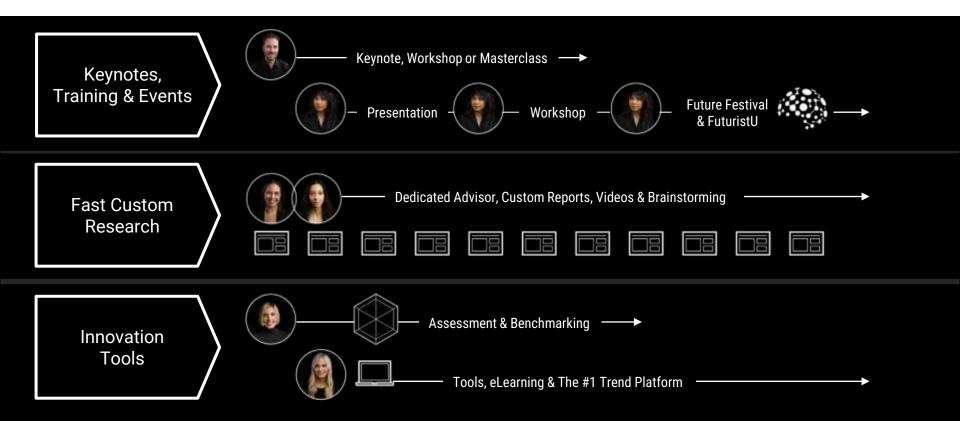
because it opens your eyes. Take 20 minutes, go in another room and look at what's happening in the world, look at what Trend Hunter is feeding you, because that's going to be

the most important 20 minutes of your week."

Global Head of Innovation ABInbev / Budweiser



HOW WE WORK is that we pair you with a dedicated advisor to help design a custom program we'd fulfill over the year



Get custom inspiration with our team's **CUSTOM AI, TREND & INNOVATION KEYNOTES**



Future Festival Core Presentations Premium Presentations

Bring Innovation to Life & Inspire a Culture of Innovation

- 1. The Top 18 Megatrends
- 2. Future of Retail
- 3. Future of Work
- 4. Future of Marketing
- 5. Micro-Generational Desire
- 6. Future of Tech, AI & Big Data
- 7. Future of Consumer Behavior
- 8. Leisure & Play
- 9. Health & Wellness
- 10. Innovation Tactics

Explore a Custom Topic, Segment or Megatrends Impacting Your Market

- 1. Millennial Culture
- 2. Customization & Your Brand
- B. Gamification & Rewards
- 4. Retail Innovation
- 5. Marketing Innovation
- 6. Boomer, Xs, Ys, Zs & Your Brand
- 7. Al, Robots & Big Data
- 8. Maker Culture
- 9. Instant Entrepreneurship
- 10. Flavor & Preference



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Deep Dive Your Innovation Assessment or Prototype Products, Services & Your Future



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Omnicom "(The presentation) brought insights new vision and some ideas that are going to push our people to the next level. I couldn't feel better about the kind of thinking we are going to get." – CEO, Omnicom



Solve real problems with **CUSTOM WORKSHOPS**

Custom Workshops tackle company-specific issues and objectives with programming tailored to your needs.

Prototyping (2+ hrs) Prototype ideas and productionize creativity using the 6 Patterns of Opportunity.

Idea Discovery (2+ hrs) Identify your company's biggest areas for development and uncover new ideas.

Disruption & Adaptation

(2+ hrs) Anticipate upcoming threats to your business and prepare for future success.

Infectious Messaging

(2+ hrs) Rethink your value prop and marketing to more effectively speak to consumers.

Making Change Happen

(3+ hrs) Enact major change within your company in the most efficient way possible.

Culture & Change (2+ hrs) Understand and enhance your company's culture to fuel innovation.



Learn to be more persuasive with our **PERSUASION & SPEAKER TRAINING**



ACCELERATE WITH A 2-5 DAY CUSTOM AI+INNOVATION MASTERCLASS

MONDAY (DAY 1)

Enabling Change & A Culture of Innovation in an Al World

Learn: Learn how to make change happen when change is hard & how to foster a culture of innovation.

Takeaway: On this day, you will also come up with specific short-term and long-term tactics that would be relevant to implement at your own brand.

EXAMPLE PROGRAM:

TUESDAY (DAY 2)

Immerse Yourself in AI & Hung Opportunity Chaos

Learn: Learn Al skills, master scenario planning, problem identification, and how to filter chaos intro opportunity. You will also learn how to overcome common traps to extract better thinking from yourself and your team.

Takeaway: You will end this day inspired, with new tactics, an immersive Trend Safari and our World Summit Technology party.

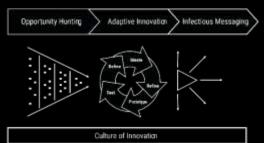
WEDNESDAY (DAY 3)

Learn The Future

Learn: On this day, you will partake in the crown jewel of our content, learning what the future holds, by category. You will learn the Future of Lifestyle, Technology, Culture, Marketing, Leisure and The Evolution of Each Micro-Generation and Al.

Takeaway: You will have a long list of ideas and feel like you drank from a firehose. However, while you will be part of the large room event on this day, you will have breakout sessions, lunch and a debrief with your private FuturistU team to filter through the noise and

Create the Future Framework



THURSDAY (DAY 4)

Prototyping & Idea Refinement Learn: You will spend the morning learning to filter chaos into opportunity, leading to your top 10 ideas. You will learn to battle-test those ideas, leading to 3 business cases and a favorite idea for pitching.

Takeaway: You will then have a business case with short term, long term and dream list next steps, ready to turn into your final pitch.

FRIDAY (DAY 5)

Persuasion & Pitching

Learn: Gain specific skills and tactics for infectious messaging, pitching, public speaking & leadership presence.

Takeaway: You will develop a final pitch, which will be performed for the FuturistU group, and ready to take back to your office. This day ends with your graduation as a Futurist!



BECOME A FUTURIST

with our 5-day FuturistU Masterclass @ Future Festival



FUTURISTU FIVE-DAY MASTERCLASS Graduate as a Futurist in Our Immersive Program

Become a futurist, taking your skills to the next level with our immersive FuturistU program. You'll still get to be part of the World Summit epic trend day, tech party and networking events, but you'll be learning in a smaller group in a focused 5-Day program that walks you through our full innovation strategy curriculum with a private stream of workshops and coaching from Jeremy Guttache and our Futurist Team.



Want Higher ROI for your Brand? Bring & People

If you really want to convince your boss, push far 6 people and you will get a private table so that you can apply the learnings to actual solutions, tactics, next steps and pitches for your company, instead of an assigned case study.

Your Curriculare & Outcomes

This program works through the full cycle of innovation, working through determs of our best innovation workshops, best practices and tactics. You'll learn while applying each tactic to your capstone project. Half of each day is content and half is an applied set of structured workshops, leading to your new business case and perfect pitch.

The 2025 Trend Report



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We categorize the world into high-level patterns, megatrends, insights and ideas.

We believe if you study these patterns, you are more likely to **Predict & Create The Future**



A key tool is our megatrend wheel. You'll note that our 6 patterns are the highest level, and never change, trickling down to our megatrends, insights & ideas

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Patterns of Opportunity

- Patterns of Chaos – All opportunity can be mapped to six patterns - Each Pattern Drives Several Megatrends

18 Megatrends

- Long Term – Designed to predict 5-10 years out

10,000 Insights (the "Sweet Spot")

Medium Term – Predict 1-4 years out
 Clusters of Opportunity – These are identified from studying ideas, looking for meaningful groups of examples that are related

500,00 Individual Ideas

- Shorter term - Individual ideas or case studies that can be inspiring



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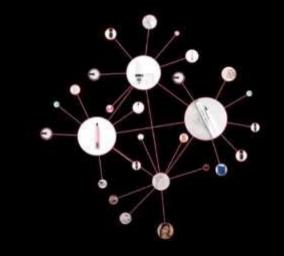
We use our patterns & megatrends as a higher level guide of where the world is heading



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\bigcirc	REDUCTION 1. Specialization 2. Fewer Layers + Efficiency 3. Crowdsourcing 4. Subscription	?;×	Instant Entrepreneurship New services make it easier than ever to conceptualize, fund, launch and companies.	\bigcirc	REDIRECTION 1. Refocusing 2. Reversing 3. Surprising 4. Gamifying	*** *	Tribalism Allegiant groups are more readily formed around specific interests, causes and even brands.
Ø	Curation Hyper-targeted offerings, services, subscriptions and recommendations to simplify lives with better things.	\bigstar	Simplicity In a fast-paced, cluttered world, simplicity stands out, resulting in focused businesses & clean design.	Č	Gamification The application of game dynamics to real-world problems results in a world that's more competitive and engaging.		Experience In a world abundant with 'stuff,' experience becomes a more important currency and life priority.
(\mathbf{c})	CONVERGENCE 1. Combining + Layering 2. Adding Value 3. Co-Branding + Aligning 4. Physical + Digital	5	Multisensation Tech, AR, VR and interactive experiences are raising our expectations in the realms of entertainment, retail and even food.	\otimes	DIVERGENCE 1. Personalization, Customization 2. Status + Belonging 3. Style + Fashionizing 4. Generational Rebellion	Ø	Authenticity Social media and a resistance to traditional advertising have created a desire for authenticity and reality.
	Co-Creation Brands, products, services and customers are increasingly co- creating an interdependent world.	>\$	Hybridization Lines are blurring as business models, products and services merge to create unique concepts and experiences	Ö	Personalization Small batch production technologies and more personalized media are creating an expectation for personalization.	İ İİ	Many-to-Many A mass proliferation of sellers and media creators has shifted the world to a many-to-many economy.

We use our "insights" to identify pockets of opportunity. To us, an insight is a cluster of several ideas that stand out

e.g. Gene-Personalized Products 7 Ideas, 63 Related Examples, 197,000 Clicks



Gene-Personalized Products



Brands use customer genetics to personalize and market their offerings







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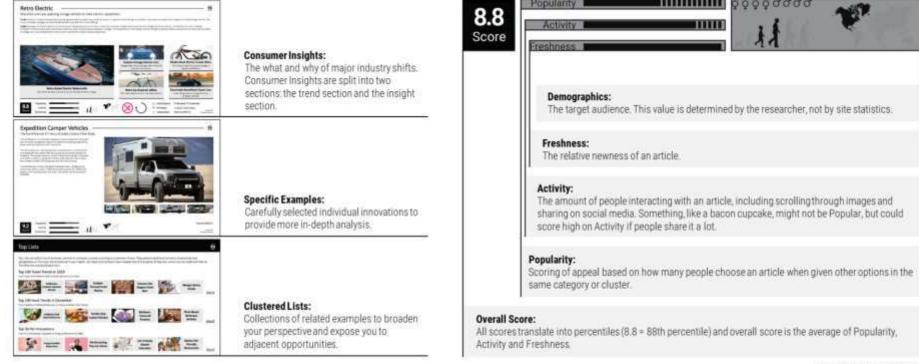


When Reading This Report, Here's What The Icons Means



Understanding Content Classification & Article Scoring

Below, you'll find an overview of the different types of content featured in our trend reports, as well as a breakdown of our scoring system that's used to evaluate the performance of the content in your report.

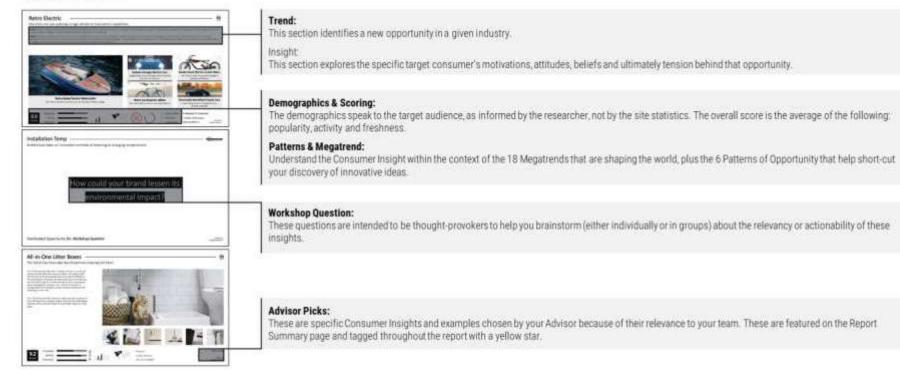


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How to Read This Page

Consumer Insights are high-level, over-arching patterns that often span different industries in scope. They focus on external and internal consumer factors that are motivating trends.



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Al Laptop



Laptop brands are designing devices for professional AI-based workloads

Trend - Laptop companies are creating devices with Neural Processing Units (NPUs) dedicated to processing artificial intelligence (AI) workloads. These are combined with numerous AI tools built into the software for these devices, resulting in laptops designed for professional AI-accelerated use cases.

Insight - Some of the most promising aspects of the recent increase in AI tools relate to computing efficiency. Most professionals that work on a computer engage with one or more AI services on a daily basis. As a result, these workers, and their respective companies, desire hardware designed for AI workloads, as these would improve overall workplace efficiency. Laptop brands are responding to these pressures with AI-focused NPUs built into laptops for improved AI processing.

Workshop Question - How could your brand leverage AI-focused technologies to enhance the efficiency and functionality of its products or services?



Next-Gen Al Laptops ASUS is Augmenting its Vivobook Lineup with New Snapdragon Processors



Next-Generation Al Laptops Acer Has Introduced the Swift 14 Al, Its First Copilot+ PC



High-Performance Business Laptops The ASUS ExpertBook CX54 Chromebook Plus Enterprise is Advanced

Business-Ready Hybrid Laptops Microsoft Unveiled the 'Surface Pro 10' for Professional Use



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Ink Phone



E-ink displays are becoming more common in consumer smartphones for minimalism

Trend - Smartphone manufacturers are creating devices with e-ink displays. These displays are power-efficient, emit no blue light, and have slower refresh rates. The phones are designed for longer battery lives and distraction-free usage, as e-ink displays are not suited for gaming or media consumption.

Insight - Modern consumers are faced with near-constant distraction from technology, whether it be a television, smartphone, watch, or many other device types. However, not every individual is fond of this lifestyle, with many opting for a return to form where devices were used only when necessary. These consumers gravitate toward minimalist, feature-stripped devices. Brands are addressing the needs of these consumers by releasing products with e-ink displays and simple user interfaces.

Workshop Question - How could your brand leverage minimalism to ensure its products or services meet the growing demand for distraction-free tools?



Digital Detox Phone Concepts Andrea Mangone Boasts a Minimalist Foldable Phone



Eye-Friendly E-Ink Smartphones The Bigme HiBreak Has a Fast Display Refresh Rate



Blue Light-Free Tablets The DC1 From Daylight Utilizes a 'Live Paper Display' with No Blue Light



Keyboard-Intact E-Ink Smartphones The Minimalist Phone Has a Juxtaposing Design Language





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Flip Phone Resurgence



Gen Z opts for flip phones as the "dumb phone" movement gains popularity

Trend - Flip phones are flipping the script in today's smartphone-ruled world, finding a surprising comeback with Gen Z. These minimalist devices are surging again, fueled by the need for digital detox and a craving for simplicity. The flip phone revival is a part of the broader dumb phone movement, which encourages a more mindful approach to technology.

Insight - Gen Z craves a digital life balance through mindful tech use. The "digital detox" trend reflects a growing desire to disconnect from the constant ping of notifications and appcentric world. This shift stems from an awareness of excessive screen time's downsides and a search for tech that fosters a more present, balanced life.

Workshop Question - How can your brand create products and services that offer a more mindful approach to technology?



Clamshell Resurgence



Handheld devices with foldable designs are gaining popularity for nostalgia

Trend - Independent handheld gaming device manufacturers are creating devices with clamshell designs, screens that fold closed when not in use, for nostalgic appeal. These devices protect their own screens, not requiring a case or screen protector, while enhancing ergonomic comfort with viewing angles.

Insight - Many consumers of today recall when gaming devices were focused on compact sizes, portability, and unique designs. Gaming handhelds from the 90s and 2000s were often made of plastic, featured clamshell designs, and were limited to simple games. Today, handheld gaming has evolved to shrunken-down full-blown computers. However, many older gamers do not resonate with this type of gaming, and yearn for the simplicity of retro games. Companies are addressing these desires with clamshell devices.

Workshop Question - How can we incorporate nostalgic elements into our product design to cater to consumers' longing for simpler, retro experiences?



Minimalist Protection



Modern pest control devices adopt a chic design to blend with the home

Trend - Brands are launching pest control devices designed to integrate seamlessly into modern home designs. Utilizing technologies such as UV light trapping and ultrasonic waves, these devices are pet-safe and minimalist. These passive pest control designs avoid standing out as an eyesore in the home.

Insight - With nearly every device in the home having a smart alternative, consumers are prioritizing investing in devices with robust features at affordable price points, with particular focus on the devices that most seamlessly integrate into their lifestyles. Brands are recognizing the importance of crafting refined smart devices with functionality that does not intrude on the user, and as a result, are launching minimalist pest control devices that do not stand out or require frequent maintenance.

Workshop Question - How could your company ensure its products or services are unobtrusive to its consumers or users?



Al Monitor

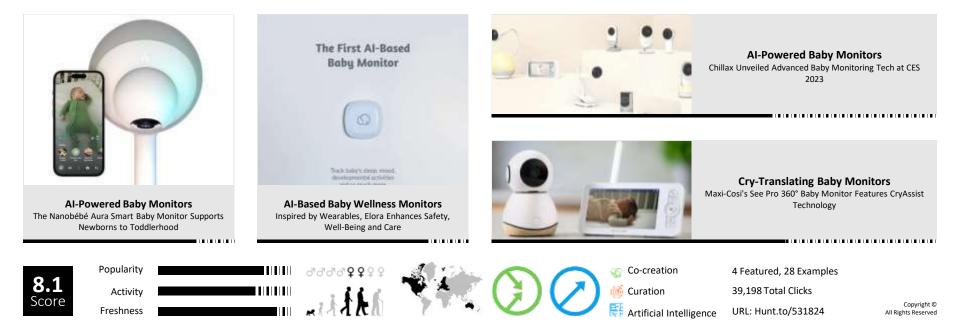


Artificial intelligence is used to improve the efficiency of remote baby monitors

Trend - Smart home companies are releasing baby monitors with artificial intelligence (AI)-powered features. Rather than acting as cameras and recording devices, these monitors use AI features for non-intrusive monitoring of breathing or sleeping patterns, body temperature, and more.

Insight - New Millennial and Gen Z parents are tasked with balancing full-time work with social lives and raising their newborns. Rising costs of living have led to these parents often having less free time than previous generations. To alleviate the strain of home tasks, many of these parents turn to smart home or Al-powered products, such as robot vacuum or Al washing machines. In recognition of this demand, smart home and infant care brands are releasing Al baby monitors with time-saving features.

Workshop Question - How could your brand leverage artificial intelligence to save consumers time with its products or services?



Wearable Assistant

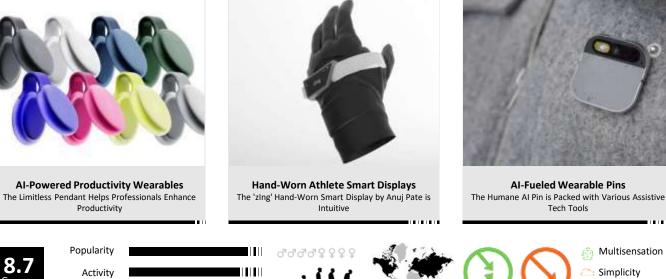


Al companies are creating compact hardware designed to be worn daily

Trend - Brands are creating compact wearables powered by advanced artificial intelligence (AI) models. As wearables, these are non-intrusive devices that provide access to on-demand AI. These AI features can be used conversationally with hands-free commands to provide seamless access to information.

Insight - Most individuals in the western world, regardless of age, find themselves using their smartphone tens or hundreds of times per day, with most simply looking up information or responding to messages. Companies are aiming to use AI to reduce smartphone use to help consumers return to active living, rather than staring at screens. As a result, these companies are creating AI-powered wearables, such as pins or necklaces, that provide on-demand hands-free access to AI and smartphone features.

Workshop Question - How could your brand enhance its products or services to be less intrusive to consumers' lives?





Tech Tools

Simple AI Assistants The Rabbit R1 Offers a Non-Distracting Digital Alternative



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Embedded Lending



Tech companies enhance their offerings with Buy Now, Pay Later financial services

Trend - Embedded lending is reshaping financial services by allowing non-financial companies to offer loans and financing, such as Buy Now, Pay Later (BNPL) options exemplified by Apple Pay Later. This trend extends beyond consumer finance into the B2B realm, providing small and medium-sized businesses with faster access to capital through various funding methods like merchant cash advances and revenue-based financing.

Insight - The rise of embedded lending showcases a pivotal shift in how companies across various industries integrate financial services, reflecting a broader trend towards embedded finance. This integration is driven by the desire to enhance customer experiences by providing seamless, on-the-spot financing options, effectively turning every company into a potential fintech player. The ability to offer tailored financial solutions not only improves customer engagement and retention but also opens new revenue streams for businesses.

Workshop Question - How can your brand leverage embedded lending to enhance customer experiences and create new revenue streams through tailored financial solutions?



BNPL Shopping Subscriptions Klarna Adds a Subscription Plan for Frequent Shoppers

Freshness



BNPL Bank Programs Marqeta and Credi2 Collaborate to Enhance the Banks' Payment Capabilities



BNPL-Enabled Home Retailers At Home Debuts the Buy-Now-Pay-Later Program for Qualifying Purchases

Affordable BNPL Programs Apple Introduces the Apple Pay Later Program to US Market



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Hybridization

AI Household



Day-to-day family organization is streamlined through new technologies

Trend - Familial organization, from delegating chores to appointment reminders, is simpler with AI technology. This shows the adoption of technologies typically used in the workplace to the home. This development will simplify the act of running a multigenerational household, which is especially attractive to working parents.

Insight - With economic volatility comes an increase in working parents and multigenerational households, creating a heavier load for parents supporting their children and elderly parents. Generation X parents tend to find themselves in this position while simultaneously holding management positions in their careers. Utilizing AI to navigate the more administrative side of these responsibilities is a great example of how emerging technology can help, not hinder, human productivity.

Workshop Question - How can brands leverage AI technology to address the increasing demands on working parents and multigenerational households in a way that simplifies day-to-day organization and enhances productivity?



Al Scribe

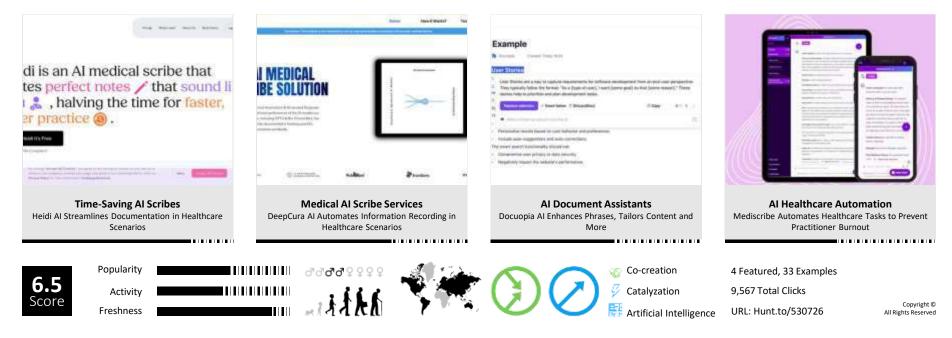


AI tools are used in healthcare to automatically record patient information

Trend - Companies are launching Artificial Intelligence (AI)-powered scribes for the healthcare industry. These AI scribes automate the process of recording verbalized information from the patient and the charting, organizing, and preserving of important details—saving time for healthcare professionals.

Insight - Even in the post-covid world in North America, there is a persistent shortage of healthcare professionals leading to many being overworked. These working conditions reduce the amount of time allotted to each patient, and could potentially lead to some more menial tasks not receiving adequate attention. In recognition of these challenges, companies are launching AI tools and assistants specifically designed to perform documentation-related tasks, such as notetaking and charting patient data.

Workshop Question - How could your business utilize AI assistants to streamline its day-to-day workflow?



Amphibious Vehicle



Modern vehicles are adapted to offer support for land and water travel

Trend - Modern technology has sparked a desire for vehicles that are capable of operating both on land and in water. These vehicles seamlessly transition between these two mediums to benefit consumers who require a transportation device for military aid, rugged or remote terrain transportation, or specialized tasks.

Insight - Consumers living in coastal areas or regions prone to flash flooding often require devices to help them safely navigate land and water. These consumers seek vehicles that safely address the inherent risks of operating in these environments without compromising functionality or design. Businesses that address the need for adaptable vehicles can attract customers who seek transportation tailored to varying climates and regional conditions.

Workshop Question - How can your brand better tailor its product/service to the geographical location of its consumer base?



Watersport-Minded Concept Campers This Camper Features Separate Wet and Dry Zones



Autonomous Amphibious Vehicle Designs The CROSSER V1 by Bernardo Pereira is for Coastal Cities



Water-Ready Sports Car Concepts The Citroën Above and Under by Sangheon Chung is Transformative



Rugged Fully-Electric SUV Models The 2024 Yangwang U8 SUV Has Emergency Flotation Mode









Hybridization
Experience
Naturality

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Head-Mounted Display



High-definition displays are built into lightweight wearable eyewear

Trend - Tech brands are developing head-mounted wearables with built-in high-definition screens. These devices do not have onboard processors for VR, and serve primarily as large, private, simulated screens. This enables brands to reduce prices and appeal to consumers who require on-the-go displays.

Insight - Many remote workers choose to work in environments different from their home desks, such as coffee shops, for a change of environment and mindset. These workers prioritize remote productivity solutions to optimize workflow on the go, and are drawn to low-cost solutions to these desires. Tech brands are recognizing the need for remote productivity solutions and are creating lower-cost wearables with privacy features to address these consumers.

Workshop Question - How could your brand create products or services that bolster productivity in remote scenarios?



VR Movement



New immersive accessories translate physical movements into actions in VR

Trend - Brands are launching accessories, such as treadmills, shoes, and sensors, designed to enable physical movement in VR worlds. These devices allow users to simply walk in real life to move in digital spaces—aiming to improve immersion and streamline the process of learning VR.

Insight - Despite the continued advancement of VR and AR technologies, using these tools still feels alienating to many consumers. These consumers find the separation of their physical actions with the animations they see in VR jarring, and thus gravitate towards VR products that feel more natural and seamless. VR technology companies are acknowledging this desire and are creating accessories designed to be intuitive, effective, and easy to learn.

Workshop Question - How could your company make its products or services more accessible and intuitive for new users?



Finger-Tracking VR Controllers The Yubitora+ Finger Tracking Device is for the Meta Quest



Omnidirectional VR Treadmills Virtuix's 'Omni' Enables Seamless Locomotion in Virtual Reality Apps Versatile Omnidirectional Floors Lanny Smoot Designs the HoloTile to Move in Any Direction







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Affordable Simulator



Brands are making lower-cost racing simulators for the consumers' homes

Trend - Gaming hardware companies are partnering with racing brands to create racing simulators with lower pricepoints without compromising on realism. These simulators enable racing enthusiasts to replicate the experience of a real car in the home without needing a heavy financial investment.

Insight - Consumers interested in gaming often enjoy a variety of genres, such as first-person shooters, racing games, or strategy games. While some game genres can be enjoyed perfectly with any computer, some are drastically enhanced by additional hardware. Particularly, consumers interested in racing often desire products that replicate a real car, often investing in steering wheels and pedals that connect to gaming devices. To further address the needs of these consumers, brands are making full-scale racing simulators more affordable for the average gamer.

Workshop Question - How could your brand ensure more enthusiasts can access and afford its products or services?



Full-Scale Racing Simulators Cooler Master's Dyn X Simulator Replicates a Car Cockpit



Sculpted Connected Racer Simulators The Prodrive x Callum Racing Simulator is Elegant and Adaptive



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AI Laundry



Brands are using artificial intelligence to improve laundry automation and efficiency

Trend - Appliance manufacturers are turning to artificial intelligence (AI) for the next generation of laundry machines. AI machines automatically optimize the load settings, such as rotation speed, based on the type and weight of the fabrics, thus saving consumers time and effort when doing laundry.

Insight - Adults in North America are finding themselves with less free time each year due to various economic and social factors. Many of these adults struggle to balance full-time jobs with familial and home obligations. This increases their willingness to invest in smart home products that save them time or money. Home appliance manufacturers interpret this desire for time-saving as an opportunity for automation, leading to many brands turning to artificial intelligence.

Workshop Question - How might your brand leverage artificial intelligence to automate tasks and save consumers time or money with your products or services?



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Local Security



Home security systems with local options available offer customers privacy

Trend - Smart home companies are launching home security products with local-only options available. These products only store data locally, when requested, which enhances the privacy of the user. Avoiding network storage prevents sensitive information from leaking when servers are breached.

Insight - As modern homes become increasingly connected, with everything from doorbells to security cameras being always connected to the network, consumers are looking for ways to ensure that their data is kept private and safe from online threats. The prevalence of network attacks is leading to brands creating smart home products that subvert large storage databases in exchange for more grounded solutions. The transparency of these brands helps attract network-concerned, privacy-focused consumers.

Workshop Question - How could your brand differentiate itself from competitors by focusing more on the privacy and security of its customers?



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AI Brainstorm



Brands are launching AI tools that foster creativity and collaborative ideation

Trend - Startups are launching artificial intelligence (AI)-powered tools that automatically expand on and connect rough ideas. These tools are designed to foster creativity and enhance the value of brainstorming sessions—quickening the process of turning ideas into actionable plans.

Insight - Given the recent explosion of the AI industry, nearly every business is looking to improve some aspect of its operations with AI. These businesses vary in their needs, with some looking to streamline their current workflow, and others looking to innovate in their industry altogether. New startups are addressing the needs of the latter group by launching AI tools that lend themselves to creativity and the development of new coherent ideas.

Workshop Question - Where could your business implement AI-powered tools to improve its day-to-day operations?



Al-Powered Brainstorming Tools Ayoa Helps Users Brainstorm With Artificial Intelligence

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Connected Workwear



New workwear is being launched with smart features for safety and convenience

Trend - Brands in the workwear industry are releasing connected equipment that aim to improve on-the-job safety while offering convenience. These devices are equipped with features such as environmental sensors, communication tools, cameras, and wi-fi connectivity—each designed to improve safety.

Insight - Employees in physical labor sectors have specific requirements for both equipment and workwear. These workers place a lot of demand on their clothes and devices. These high requirements for durability have made it difficult for the workwear industry to innovate. Despite this, safety and convenience are priorities for workers in these fields. As wearable technology continues to improve other sectors, brands are investing in ways to utilize these technologies in the workwear space.

Workshop Question - How could brands in your industry benefit from smart wearables?



Smart Safety Helmets SmartHat is the Construction Wearable of the Future



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Smart Industrial Hardhats United Safety and Guardhat's Communicator Improves Situational Awareness







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Al Management



Companies are using artificial intelligence to automate workplace operations

Trend - Companies across various industries are incorporating AI and robotics into their operations to improve efficiency, productivity, and customer experiences. These bots hold important roles, such as CEO or manager, and help deliver important data to businesses and their teams to help streamline key workplace objectives.

Insight - Businesses are looking for ways to automate tasks, improve customer engagement through data-driven insights, provide quick and accurate responses to customer inquiries, and harness the power of AI in a beneficial way. By hiring AI CEOs and managers, companies can build trust among employees and customers to ensure smooth and streamlined business operations. Automating these roles can help organizations improve sales, boost engagement, and deliver employee feedback in a concise and straightforward manner.

Workshop Question - How can your brand automate time-consuming tasks using artificial intelligence?



AI CEO Transitions Onda Appoints AI as CEO and Achieves Profitability in One Week



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Focus Tech



Brands are creating products to help students concentrate

Trend - Brands are launching new focus-enhancing technology designed to help students better concentrate on their work in remote or hybrid learning environments. These products and features help immerse students in their school work, showcasing the benefits of technology in the classroom and eliminating procrastination and potential distractions from outside sources.

Insight - The rapid rise of remote learning, in hybrid classes or in busy environments, has posed issues for some kids. Distractions in these environments, and/or varying learning styles, can make remote learning a challenge for some students. As a result, parents and educators are becoming interested in technological resources that promote concentration, which helps ensure their students receive the same quality of education without external factors interfering. Focus technology helps students refine their fine motor skills while filtering out background noise, which is especially important for kids under 10.



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Upgradeable Tech



Brands are launching tech products designed to be upgraded and repaired by users

Trend - Brands are launching technology products designed to be upgraded by the end-user. This includes laptops, smartphones, and gaming devices. This reduces manufacturing costs and consumer costs by allowing brands to sell single components at lower prices, instead of completely new devices to users who want upgrades.

Insight - Consumers are increasingly familiar with technology due to the pandemic and the younger generations growing up surrounded by devices. These consumers often repair and upgrade their own products rather than seek help from repair businesses as a cost-saving measure. As a direct result of this, these consumers are drawn to products designed to be opened and repaired. This creates a demand for businesses to sell individual components and products designed to be opened and modified, with a focus on products not as commonly designed to be repairable and upgradable, such as phones or laptops.

Workshop Question - How can your brand reduce costs by creating product for the younger tech-familiar generations that can be easily upgraded and modified?



Compact Upgradable PCs MInisforum's EliteMini HX90 Boasts User-Upgradable RAM and Storage



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Daily Automation



Advanced robots are being used to automate simple to complex tasks

Trend - Robotics companies are launching advanced robots capable of automating tasks in the workplace and the home. These robots have dexterous limbs, precision accuracy, and reliable problem-solving skills. Businesses are using these to automate simple and menial to complex jobs in the workplace.

Insight - Some of the most undesirable tasks in the workplace and in the home are menial, repetitive duties. The agents responsible for these tasks often burnout of their jobs quickly, leading to high turnover rates in the workplace, or tasks left unfinished in the home. Given the simplicity of many of these tasks, businesses desire automated solutions that alleviate strain from workers to focus energy on more complex tasks. Robotics brands are launching dexterous, capable robots in response.

Workshop Question - How could your brand benefit from access to advanced robotic workers?



AI-Enabled Walking Robots Tesla's Optimus Robot is Poised to Redefine the Boundaries of AI



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Productivity Peripheral



Peripheral brands are integrating LCD panels on keyboards for productivity

Trend - Peripheral manufacturers are experimenting with productivity-enhancing keyboards with integrated LCD panels. These keyboards act as an additional monitor for simple tasks, providing quick access to information or apps when needed. These are multipurpose for professional or entertainment use.

Insight - Nearly every consumer who uses a computer for work or entertainment in 2023 has multiple monitors. Additional monitors enhance workplace productivity, while on the entertainment side, monitors provide quick-access to extra content. There is a constant pressure from consumers on both of these sides for products that enhance productivity and entertainment, with brands consistently experimenting with new multipurpose peripherals that combine functions into one device.

Workshop Question - How could your brand reimagine traditional computer peripherals for the modern, productivity-focused consumer?



Large Screen-Equipped Keyboards The K2 RGB Keyboard from SMISEACOW Enhances Productivity



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Compact Gaming



Low-footprint gaming hardware is gaining popularity in the home office

Trend - Computer hardware manufacturers are focusing on compact, power-efficient, and size-efficient gaming computers for customers with less space or high energy costs. These compact gaming devices take next-to-no space while offering comparable experiences to full-size gaming computers.

Insight - While PC enthusiasts are willing to spend time and money researching, building, and customizing computers to ensure each included component is perfect, many others simply want to purchase a device that works out of the box. These consumers are drawn to a number of different products, seeking either value for money, aesthetic, portability, or overall power draw. These consumers are increasingly being drawn to mini PCs, as these devices fulfill each of the aforementioned categories.

Workshop Question - How could your brand use recent technological advancements in computation to launch more convenience-focused hardware and devices?



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Kinetic Packaging



Brands are designing product packaging that is intended for practical usage

Trend - Product packaging is increasingly being adapted to serve a function in conjunction with or separately from the primary offering. These packaging methods are predominantly employed in food and body care advancements, offering consumers functionality comparable to the product.

Insight - Modern consumers often value novel and interactive experiences and desire products with packaging that is as useful as the product itself. In response, brands are designing packaging with functional elements, aiming to provide buyers with a tangible experience that sparks excitement or surprise upon interaction. Businesses focusing on experiential product designs can appeal to consumers who prioritize novelty and immersive experiences in their purchases.

Workshop Question - How can your brand surprise and delight its customers to enhance satisfaction and loyalty?



Consumable Packaging



Food and beverage packaging materials are revamped for waste-free consumption

Trend - Brands are demonstrating an attentiveness to plastic waste by creating edible food and beverage packaging as a sustainable alternative. These packaging options have a number of advantages, including lowering food waste, breaking the cycle of waste, and offering nutritional advantages.

Insight - As more consumers recognize the wasteful nature of food and beverage packaging, there is a shift toward solutions that minimize waste and harm to the environment. In response, brands are debuting alternatives that transform disposable items into an integral part of the food supply chain, reducing reliance on single-use plastics and non-recyclable materials. Businesses that address concerns relating to packaging waste can attract consumers who value the ecological impact of their purchases.

Workshop Question - How can your brand transform a significant source of waste into a circular product?



Decentralized Affiliate

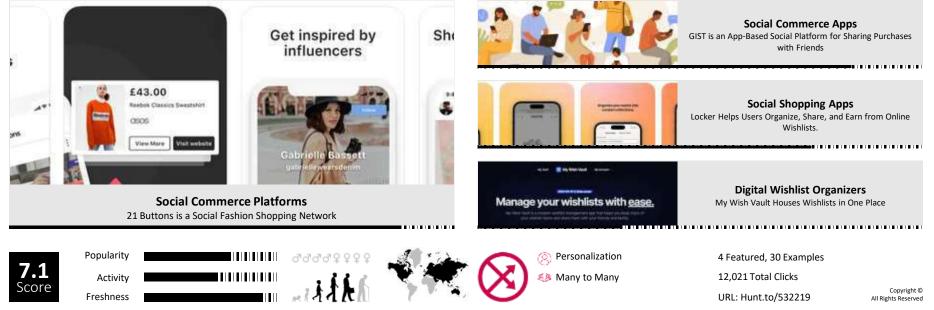


New ecommerce apps enable everyday consumers to earn commissions

Trend - Tech companies are revolutionizing affiliate marketing by launching new shopping apps that break down traditional barriers. Platforms like Locker are leading the charge by ditching the follower-count and aesthetic requirements that often exclude potential affiliates. This inclusive approach opens the affiliate ecosystem to a wider range of consumers, empowering everyone to become a brand advocate and earn from their genuine endorsements.

Insight - Today's consumers are savvier than ever. Traditional influencer endorsements, once a marketing mainstay, are losing their luster. Empowering everyday brand advocates fosters trust, engagement, and loyalty. As social commerce continues to evolve, the brands that embrace this democratization can potentially see more engaged consumers and higher long-term value from a more authentic, community-driven approach to marketing.

Workshop Question - How can your brand empower everyday consumers to share genuine product recommendations?



Social Community



New social media platforms are launching with an emphasis on personal connections

Trend - Companies are opening new social media services with the intention of fostering more intimate connections between users. In a rebellion against social medias built around endless feeds, these platforms connect users with similar interests and have convenient public and private group chat systems.

Insight - While nearly everyone today engages with some form of social media platform, most agree that the social aspect of the platforms has become secondary to monetization and algorithmically-fed content streams. Many of these users find popular social media platforms isolating, and cite difficulties trying to foster real connections. In recognition of these complaints, smaller social media services are focusing on fostering direct connections between users and communities.

Workshop Question - How could your brand ensure its products or services are meeting the needs of its more niche consumer demographics?



Wallet Loyalty



Brands are launching loyalty programs available on Apple and Google Wallet

Trend - Wallet loyalty programs are gaining prominence as consumers show increasing reluctance to download multiple apps for brand engagements. Brands are offering loyalty cards through Apple Wallet and Google Wallet as a seamless way to integrate loyalty cards directly into consumer smartphones.

Insight - In today's consumer landscape, convenience is a paramount factor that significantly influences brand interactions and loyalty strategies. Modern consumers, particularly digital natives, prioritize efficiency and seamless integration in their transactions, expecting quick and effortless interactions that mesh with their daily routines. This shift has compelled brands to rethink traditional loyalty strategies, which often felt cumbersome or disconnected from a digital-first experience.

Workshop Question - How can your brand provide a seamless and convenient experience for your customers?



Data Storytelling

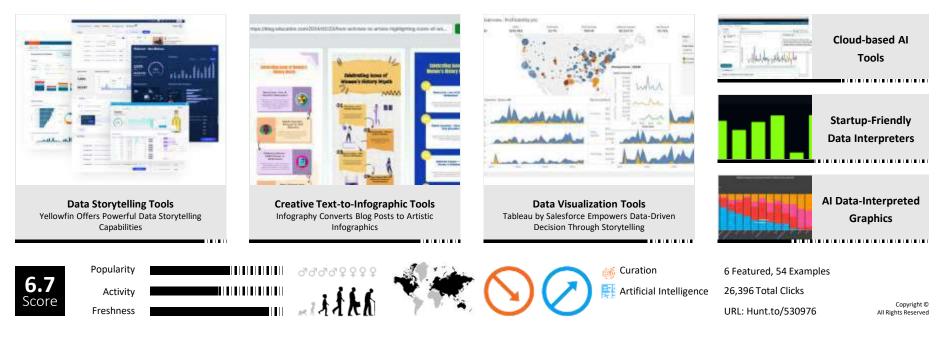


Data storytelling bridges the gap between data collection & actionable insights

Trend - Data storytelling, which combines data visualization with narrative techniques, is emerging as a powerful method for businesses to comprehend and act upon complex data. The growing trend is fueled by advancements in analytical tools like Tableau and Yellowfin, which have integrated data storytelling features, making them more accessible.

Insight- Organizations are looking to bridge the gap between data collection and actionable insights. Despite collecting large volumes of data, a considerable amount remains unused, underscoring the prominent inefficiencies in data management and the underperformance of traditional analytics. This issue is pushing companies to rethink their strategies for handling data and analytics, with a keen interest in improving their ability to understand data through visualization and storytelling.

Workshop Question - How can your brand use storytelling to unlock insights and drive action?



Ergonomic Ritual



Brands are redesigning products around comfortable consumption routines

Trend - Brands are redesigning the packaging and pack-ins of consumables, such as food and beauty products, to be quicker and easier to use. The redesigns include adding handles or resealable lids, based on how consumers interact with the products. This reduces friction during the consumption ritual.

Insight - Most consumers have certain beauty or food products that are integrated into their daily routines. These consumers can prefer a product for any number of reasons, but, when faced with two nearly identical products, they ultimately prefer the more convenient one. Brands that aim to integrate themselves into daily lives, particularly in the F&B and beauty spaces, are re-assessing their products with a new focus on convenience, with the goal of streamlining consumption and capturing more consumers.

Workshop Question - How could your brand ensure its products or services are as frictionless to use as possible?



Eco Accountability



Consumers are holding brands responsible for their carbon footprint

Trend - Consumers are holding brands accountable for their environmental impact, driving a shift towards eco-action. This goes beyond mere greenwashing and performative gestures. Social media empowers consumers to expose greenwashing, demand transparency, and advocate for sustainable practices.

Insight - Fueled by heightened environmental awareness, shifting priorities towards sustainability values, and rising skepticism of greenwashing, consumers are demanding eco-action, not apology. Social media empowers them to expose greenwashing, demand transparency, and advocate for sustainable practices. This eco-accountability trend necessitates brands to demonstrate genuine commitment and systemic changes to address their environmental footprint and build a more sustainable future. Failure to adapt risks public scrutiny and market contraction in the face of empowered, eco-conscious consumers.

Workshop Question - How can your brand enhance transparency, authenticity, and genuine environmental efforts to meet the growing demand for eco-accountability from consumers?



Climate Crisis Awareness Exhibitions Kinetic Singapore Unveils the School of Tomorrow Exhibition



Ocean Purity Petitons The Dirty Protest is a Petition Signed with Real Sewage



Ugly Lawn Water Conservation Initiatives Shailene Woodley Asks Us to Embrace Ugly Dry Lawns



Climate-Awareness Soft Art Sculptures GREEN GRADS Features Roberta Schreyer's Dreamstones



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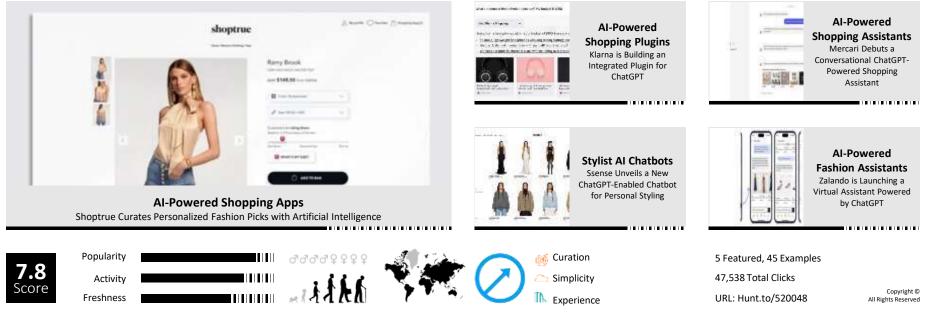


Artificial intelligence is used to provide fashion recommendations to shoppers

Trend - Shopping brands are utilizing artificial intelligence to provide personalized recommendations, answer queries, offer product information, and enhance the shopping experience for customers. These assistants can be integrated into e-commerce websites, mobile apps, or messaging platforms.

Insight - Many consumers frequently return items purchased online due to improper fit, mismatch with their wardrobe, or impracticality with their lifestyle. These consumers often desire tools that help streamline and simplify the purchasing process, as they minimize the overwhelming task of sifting through numerous options and help shoppers discover items that align with their needs. Brands that recognize the demand for automated shopping solutions can achieve higher conversion rates as users make more informed and confident purchase decisions.

Workshop Question - How can your brand enhance the pre and post-purchase process for its customers?



AI Mock-Up



Generative AI images are helping brands and people determine product plans

Trend - Businesses are using generative artificial intelligence in the early stages of prototyping--using AI imagery to finalize design plans and/or gauge consumer interest in them. Using AI in this way allows brands to test with fewer limitations while reducing QA and/or prototyping costs.

Insight - Appreciation for generative AI is growing as it becomes more clear that it offers the ability to pursue and test products (or personal projects) with fewer limitations. Now, the creative process can be enhanced with generative AI, while offering a cheaper alternative to personally creating or commissioning mock-ups that will inevitably be altered--or binned altogether. Lower costs and greater creative expression allow businesses to stay competitive in a fast-changing market.

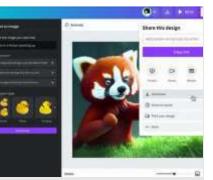
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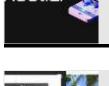
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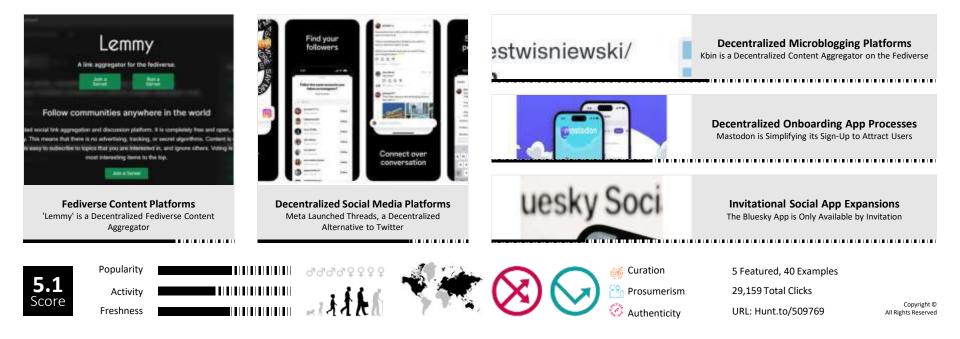


Developers are launching decentralized content platforms

Trend - Independent developers are using shared protocols to create decentralized content aggregator platforms. Companies do not own or moderate these platforms, which offers better privacy than large alternatives. Many of these platforms communicate with one another to form the 'Fediverse.'

Insight - Social media users are becoming increasingly dissuaded from the popular websites due to changes in moderation. Undesirable policy changes such as restrictive guidelines, feature monetization, and centralized control have led to users gravitating towards alternatives created by independent developers. Users prioritize privacy, personalization, and freedom on social media platforms, leading to several decentralized platforms that form the federalized metaverse, or the Fediverse.

Workshop Question - How could your brand adapt to, decentralized social media platforms to better reach modern consumers?



Sugarcane Package



Brands are using food-safe sugarcane bagasse in consumable goods packaging

Trend - Brands in the several consumables industries, such as cosmetics and food, have begun using containers made out of sugarcane bagasse. This is a pulpy, fibrous material gained from drying and crushing sugarcane. This is affordable, food-safe, biodegradable, and temperature-resistant.

Insight - Some of the industries most affected by the push for sustainable packaging are foodservice and food retail. Consumers prefer when these products are fully sustainable, as there is no need for foods, particularly CPGs, to be packaged or individually wrapped with single-use plastics. However, these consumers are still drawn to more affordable products, and do not want to pay a large markup. This creates pressure for brands to find low-cost sustainable food-safe packaging solutions.

Workshop Question - How can your brand incorporate affordable and sustainable packaging solutions, such as sugarcane bagasse, into your product lineup while still maintaining consumer appeal and affordability?



Non-Coated Sugarcane Packaging 'SupraPulp' from W-Cycle is Biodegradable Packaging from Sugarcane





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Sustainable De-Influencing



Brands launch campaigns that highlight the danger of overconsumption

Trend - On social media, especially platforms like TikTok, the "de-influencing" trend is gaining traction. This movement flips the script on traditional influencer marketing by encouraging users to critically analyze trending products and resist impulsive purchases. De-influencers often expose potential drawbacks of popular items, prompting a shift in consumer behavior. As this movement gains traction, brands are strategically engaging in de-influencing campaigns to demonstrate their commitment to sustainable practices.

Insight - Social media's relentless promotion of consumption fuels the "de-influencing" movement, as consumers grapple with the paradox of acquiring "sustainable" products that may still contribute to environmental problems. This growing awareness prompts a reevaluation of what truly brings fulfillment and a critical examination of the beneficiaries within the endless consumption cycle – primarily large corporations – and the costs borne by both consumers and the environment. Interestingly, this shift in consumer behavior has the potential to redefine the very nature of brand loyalty in the digital age.

Workshop Question - In an era marked by growing skepticism towards influencer-led consumerism, how can your brand authentically contribute to sustainable practices and engage customers in meaningful ways?





Ingenious De-Influencing Ads Cuyana's De-Influencing April Fool's Campaign Highlights Greenwashing



Anti-Greenwashing Soap Ads Navigating Eco-Consumer Irony with Better Climate Store's "Greenwash"

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Sustainable Pop-Up



Brands host in-person marketing activations with a focus on sustainability

Trend - Brands are hosting in-person activations to showcase new products, campaigns, and other branded materials through a sustainable lens. These events highlight the brand's environmental impact and promote social responsibility, educating consumers on their environmental footprint with the goal of raising awareness.

Insight - As consumers become more socially and environmentally conscious, they increasingly prefer brands that work to reduce their impact and contribute positively to global issues. These consumers gravitate towards companies that can demonstrate how they address environmental concerns while meaningfully promoting their products. Businesses that center their marketing campaigns on sustainable practices can establish stronger connections with consumers who prioritize mindful consumption.

Workshop Question - How can your brand communicate its mission through marketing activations?



Walk-In Freezer Concept Stores Sainsfreeze Shows Customers How to Freeze Foods & Reduce Waste



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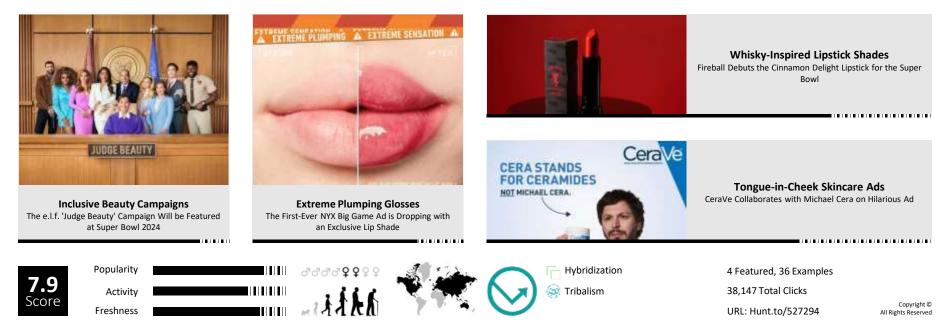


Beauty and skincare brands tap into Super Bowl advertisements

Trend - The Super Bowl, traditionally a bastion of sports and beer commercials, is now embracing the beauty and skincare industry. This shift is exemplified by the advertising presence of brands such as e.l.f. Cosmetics, CeraVe, and NYX.

Insight - As female celebrities and influencers establish connections with prominent NFL players, their fandom is influencing more women to engage with football, particularly events like the Super Bowl. Brands are seizing this opportunity by targeting female fans through strategic advertising during the Super Bowl, effectively blending the sectors of sports, beauty, and skincare. This strategic shift not only broadens the league's demographic appeal but also presents businesses with a prime opportunity to engage with a diverse audience.

Workshop Question - In what ways can your brand leverage current pop culture trends to diversify and expand your target audience?



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Sober Subscription



Brands launch curated subscription services with mocktails & non-alcoholic wine

Trend - Mocktail and sober beverage subscriptions are gaining popularity as more consumers seek alternatives to traditional alcoholic drinks. These subscription services offer curated selections of non-alcoholic beverages, from sophisticated mocktails to wellness-focused drinks, delivered directly to consumers' doors.

Insight - Fueled by a growing awareness of alcohol's health impacts and a desire for mindfulness, more consumers, particularly wellness-focused Millennials and Gen Z, are embracing the "sober curious" movement. Social media and wellness influencers are further contributing to this shift by normalizing sobriety and promoting the benefits of reducing alcohol intake. Furthermore, the increasing availability of high-quality, non-alcoholic beverages provides consumers with sophisticated and enjoyable alternatives, making it easier to embrace a sober curious lifestyle.

Workshop Question - How can your brand develop new offerings that cater to the growing trend of health-conscious consumers seeking sophisticated alternatives to traditional



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Dirty Sodas



Social media fuels the rise of cream-syrup spiked sodas and brands jump aboard

Trend - Dirty sodas, a mix of soda, cream, and flavored syrups, have surged in popularity thanks to TikTok. Originating in Utah, where many abstain from alcohol and coffee, these drinks have evolved into a national sensation. Chains like Swig and Sonic Drive-In have capitalized on this trend, offering various concoctions that combine soda with sweet cream and syrups.

Insight - Consumers are increasingly drawn to indulgent, customizable beverages that offer a playful escape from their daily routines. The rise of these unique concoctions reflects a desire for nostalgic, treat-like drinks that balance sweetness with a touch of novelty. This trend taps into the broader movement of experiential consumption, where the process of creating and sharing the drink is as enjoyable as drinking it.

Workshop Question - How can our brand create an experiential, customizable product that taps into consumers' desire for indulgence and novelty?



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Fco Coffee



Coffee brands offer sustainable at-home brewers and machines

Trend - Coffee brands have focused their sustainability goals to the pods and coffee grounds themselves, but some brands are now making machines and brewers that are also ecofriendly. Brewers are being made with low-power functions, recycled (and recyclable) materials, and extended lifespans.

Insight - As more consumers are introduced to convenient and effective eco-friendly alternatives to traditional products, they're more likely to value sustainability when searching for products they intend to use in the long term. Eco conscious consumers are looking for ways to steadily adopt a lifestyle that has minimal environmental impact--and seek out brands that make sustainable claims without asking consumers to change their habits and routines.

Workshop Question - How could your brand better balance customers' desire for sustainable and convenient products?





Sustainable Italian Espresso Makers The Lavazza A Modo Mio Tiny Eco is Small But Offers Big Flavor



Minimalist French Press Devices The MiiR Standard French Press Boasts a removable grinds basket

Luxe Low-Power Espresso Makers The Café AFFETTO Automatic Espresso Machine and Frother is Chic



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Protein Water



Brands are launching protein water as consumers look to increase protein intake

Trend - Protein water is emerging as a popular alternative in the beverage market, combining hydration with protein intake. This innovative drink offers the benefits of protein supplements in a convenient, refreshing form, making it appealing to fitness enthusiasts, busy professionals, and health-conscious individuals.

Insight - Fueled by social media's spotlight on protein's benefits, consumers are on the hunt for convenient ways to meet their nutrition needs, all without sacrificing taste or health. The booming popularity of high-protein products reflects this desire for versatile options that fit right into active lifestyles and wellness goals. As people become more aware of protein's importance for muscle recovery, weight management, and overall health, they're seeking accessible solutions that seamlessly integrate into their daily routines.

Workshop Question - How can your brand support consumers' active lifestyles and wellness goals?



Breakfast Bite



Balanced breakfast meals are made into bite-sized format for convenience

Trend - CPG brands are offering more balanced versions of bite-sized breakfast foods. These breakfast bites replicate the nutritional value of full breakfasts through complex ingredient lists. These are intended to save time for consumers without compromising on health or flavor.

Insight - Most health-conscious consumers recognize the importance of a healthy breakfast in contributing to day-to-day energy levels. However, not all individuals have the luxury of time to prepare these balanced meals, leading to many defaulting to purchasing quick fast food breakfasts, or simply skipping breakfast altogether. CPG brands are recognizing the demand for time-efficient alternatives to breakfast meals, and are in turn downsizing traditional breakfasts into ready-to-eat bite-sized portions.

Workshop Question - How could your brand ensure its products or services integrate seamlessly into consumers' daily lives?



Dissolvable F&B –



Brands are designing food and beverage packaging that dissolves in water

Trend - Brands are packaging their products in new materials that dissolve in water. In the F&B space, this type of packaging can be used for condiments or wrapping individual servings of food products. The use of these wrappings has the potential to mitigate pollution stemming from plastic packaging.

Insight - The abundance of readily available information surrounding environmental issues has led to heightened awareness among frequent shoppers. As a result, there is a surge in brands adopting innovative packaging techniques to minimize their environmental impact and stand out in the market. Businesses recognizing the demand for integrated sustainability solutions can attract consumers who prioritize convenient and effortless ways to support environmental conservation.

Workshop Question - How can your brand creatively use sustainable materials in its product offerings?



Peelable Dissolving Bottles Tomorrow Machine's Peelable Bottle Design Dissolves In Water



Dissolving Algae-Made Food Packaging 'NakedPack' Food Wrap Contains a Complete Meal



Wash-Away Product Labels Wausau Coated Products Launched the 'WA-769' Dissolvable Adhesive



Dissolvable Tea Packaging Mi Terro Partners with Lipton to Launch Dissolvable Tea Pods

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Carbon-Negative Beverage



Drink brands are launching carbon-negative product lines

Trend - Beverage companies are introducing carbon-negative products that go beyond carbon offsetting or carbon neutrality. These beverages use sustainable packaging and renewable energies in production to drastically reduce the carbon footprint and positively impact the environment.

Insight - With each year that passes, businesses face more pressure to become more sustainable—both from governments and NGOs. These businesses desire a way to remain competitive as environmental pressures arise, leading to a need to shift away from environmentally damaging practices. Businesses that implement these changes are able to demonstrate their values to like-minded consumers, and can effectively differentiate themselves from competitors.

Workshop Question - How could your brand better appeal to eco-conscious consumers by reducing or offsetting carbon emissions in its operations?



Carbon-Negative Soft Drinks Tenzing Sets Itself Apart as a Soft Drink Brand with Carbon Labeling



Collaboration Coffee Stout Beers The BrewDog x Grind Coffee Stout Has a Full-Bodied Profile



Planet-Positive Pea Vodkas Ten Locks Pod Pea Vodka Has a Range of Natural Flavor Notes



Carbon-Negative Beers These Gipsy Hill Beers Have Received Carbon Negative Certifications



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Probiotic Chip



Brands are launching gut health-supporting chips for everyday snacking

Trend - With a focus on healthy snacking, brands are launching potato chips with probiotic recipes to provide better-for-you alternatives to common snacks. These chips support gut health and are designed to be consumed on a more frequent basis than regular potato chips, helping appease cravings.

Insight - Most consumers stray away from diets that involve purely restricting food quantity, and rather gravitate toward opting for better-for-you replacements in each meal and snack. These consumers place more importance on natural ingredients and those with health benefits, than they do on calorie counts. This consumer pressure enables businesses to create products that swap empty calories for nutrient-dense recipes, promoting healthy lifestyles without compromising on flavor or quality.

Workshop Question - How could your brand incorporate better-for-you ingredients into its existing products for health-conscious consumers?



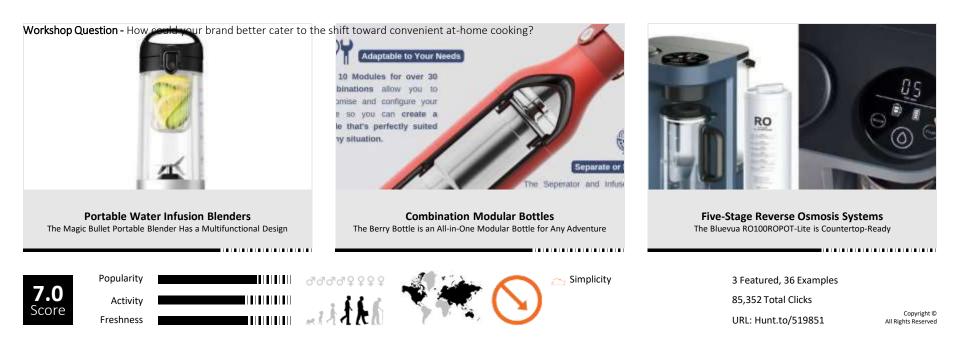
DIY Infuser



Convenient appliances allow for healthier infused drink options

Trend - The popularity of fruit-infused waters, sodas and alcohol in the CPG space has created demand for DIY water infusion devices. These kitchen appliances and portable tools make DIY produce infusions simpler and customizable--while catering to health and budget-conscious consumers.

Insight - Influenced by inflation, social media and a greater understanding of ingredients and production, today's 'foodie' is likely to prefer experimenting at-home rather than in restaurants. As rising food costs impact more consumers--appliances and apps that help them save on everyday "indulgences" they'd normally buy in-store are becoming more popular.



Spiced Alcohol



Alcoholic beverages are being made with spicy peppers for younger consumers

Trend - Inspired by social media, brands are releasing spiced alcoholic drinks to add new flavors to traditional alcoholic beverages. These drinks are infused with real peppers, adding heat and flavor to the drinks. Spicy flavors make these drinks more appealing to younger experiential drinkers.

Insight - Short-form video social media platforms have become prevalent platforms for dramatically expanding the popularity of individuals' ideas in short periods of time. These ideas range from recipes to lifehacks, with many becoming long-standing trends. The younger demographics that frequent these platforms look to and participate in these trends for inspiration, leading to many trends becoming widespread enough to transform into products or full-scale companies.

Workshop Question - How could your brand draw inspiration from social media services to inspire products for younger audiences?





First-to-Market Hot Rosés HEARTBEAT Introduces a Spicy Twist to the Wine Industry with Hot Rosé



Spicy Mango Tequilas Mango Shotta Combines Tequila, Mango and a Kick from Jalapeño

Premium High-ABV Cocktails DIO Canned Cocktails are Low in Sugar & Calories with 15% ABV



Spicy Low-Alcohol Wines The Spicy Series by Stella Rosa Wines Fuses Sweet Heat & Low-ABV Options







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Automated Cook



Brands are creating autonomous chefs that can cook meals without human intervention

Trend - Businesses are using computer-based systems and robots equipped with artificial intelligence (AI) technology to prepare and cook food. These chefs are trained to measure ingredients, expedite cooking times, and ensure food safety.

Insight - The food industry faces ongoing labor challenges, including shortages of skilled kitchen staff and a high turnover rate influenced by employee burnout. In response, restaurants are turning to automation to mitigate these challenges and enhance operational efficiency. Businesses that adopt these technologies are aligning with consumers' expectations for convenient service.

Workshop Question - How can your brand use AI to refine or expedite tasks in the workplace?



Informed Restaurant

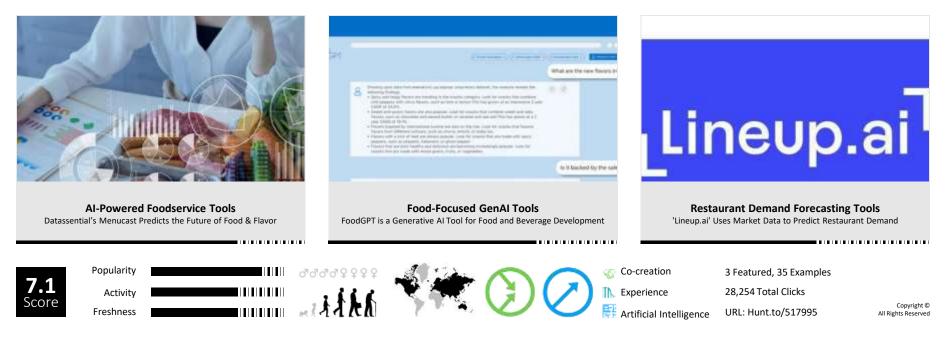


Restaurants are using AI forecasting tools to determine future menu items

Trend - Restaurants are using artificial intelligence (AI) analytics and forecasting tools to determine demand for each menu item. These tools use restaurant-specific and market-wide data to determine future-facing consumer interests, helping determine menu item creation and sales numbers.

Insight - With the diverse and ever-changing interests of the modern consumer, many restaurants struggle to keep up-to-date on recent trends in the foodservice space. Small-scale restaurants do not have the luxury of time or research divisons to fuel decisions, and must often rely on experiential data. These restaurants desire cost and time-effective solutions to market research, leading to brands filling this gap with curated AI tools designed specifically for the foodservice industry.

Workshop Question - How could your company leverage its data with AI to improve its existing and upcoming services?



Regenerative Coffee

Brands are employing biodynamic farming methods to reduce the impact of coffee

Trend - Coffee brands are implementing regenerative farming practices to ensure that coffee farming has a positive impact on the surrounding environment. These farming methods result in cleaner coffee blends while improving animal welfare, worker rights, and surrounding ecosystems.

Insight - There is a growing market of consumers that are drawn to products that promote social good, whether it be related to working conditions, animal welfare, or environmental impact. These consumers prefer products with certifications on the label to ensure them that the products are supporting good causes. This

Workshop Question - How can your brand improve its attraction to the modern consumer by adopting environmentally or socially-positive practices?



Regenerative Coffee Brands Holistic Roasters' Biodynamic Coffee Blends are Clean



Organic Regenerative Coffee Brands Groundwork Coffee Received ROC Certification in California



Eco-Friendly Coffee Brands 'Zenbunni' Sources its Coffee Beans from Biodynamic Farms



Biodynamic Farming Coffee Brands Melk.cafe Sources its Specialty Coffee with Respect to the Land





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Refill Retail



Refill products now make up entire stores to promote sustainable consumption

Trend - Brands are launching retail stores that offer a variety of household and personal care products through bulk dispensers. These stores claim to reduce environmental impact by allowing customers to refill containers and pay by weight, reducing reliance on potentially harmful packaging methods.

Insight - As consumers grow more aware of the environmental consequences of their purchases, they are gravitating towards stores that actively address the impact of consumerism. This trend has led to a rise in "refilleries," which focus on minimizing packaging waste, especially for frequently repurchased personal care products. By catering to the demand for reduced-impact retail stores, businesses can attract environmentally conscious consumers looking to reduce their ecological footprint.

Workshop Question - What steps can your brand take to minimize waste in product development and marketing?





Hygiene Refillery Stores Viva Earth Refillery Offers an Assortment of Refillable Natural Products



Refillable Home Goods Stores Mitny Refillery is a New Refill Store Based in Moose Jaw

Eco-Friendly Refill Stores Desert Refillery Provides Shoppers with Sustainable Personal Products



Ohio-Based Refill Stores Reduce & Reuse Refillery Helps Save Money and Reduce Packaging Waste







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Small-Format Retail



More retailers are rolling out small-format stores with curated offerings

Trend - Retail is entering a "less-is-more" era, driven by consumer desire for curated shopping experiences that simplify decision-making. Consumers, overwhelmed by past excess, now value well-edited selections that simplify decision-making. This trend prioritizes quality and guidance over sheer quantity.

Insight - The fundamental role of the retailer is evolving from supplier to curator. This shift addresses a growing psychological burden on consumers, who are increasingly overwhelmed by excessive choices. By offering a refined selection, retailers can elevate the shopping experience, making it more efficient and satisfying. This strategy not only reduces the stress of choice for the consumer but also strengthens brand loyalty by reinforcing the retailer's role as a trusted advisor in the consumer's style and purchase decisions.

Workshop Question - How can your brand refocus its approach to retail by becoming a trusted curator of products, simplifying decision-making for consumers?



Small-Format Grocery Stores Amazon's Whole Foods to Open New Small-Format Stores in Cities



Small-Format Electronic Stores Best Buy Canada to Operate 165 Small-Format Bell Canada Stores



Small-Format Department Stores Macy's Unveils Plan to Open Up to 30 Small-format Stores



Small-Format Retailers Nordstrom's Small-Format Strategy 'Closer to You' is Expanding Until 2025







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Branded Third Space



Brands launch third spaces that allow neighbors to connect with each other

Trend - Brands are creating "third places," a concept championed by sociologist Ray Oldenburg, to offer social spaces distinct from home and work. These welcoming environments foster regular connections among people through shared interests or activities, responding to the consumer's quest for community and spontaneity.

Insight - The remote work boom and social shifts are fueling a consumer desire for "third places" – hubs beyond work and home for connection. Craving escape from car-dependent suburbs and planned social activities, consumers seek spaces for spontaneous interaction and emotional support. Brands that successfully tap into this trend do so by crafting casual, community-focused havens. These spaces cultivate a sense of belonging and unity, drawing people together over shared experiences and interests, thereby winning the hearts and loyalty of consumers.

Workshop Question - How can your brand create a third space that fosters community connections and provides a sense of belonging for consumers in today's increasingly isolated



Artful Wooden Pavilions Centro de Colaboración Arquitectónia Designs the Orchid Pavilion



Y-Shaped Community Pavilions Sam Crawford Architects Creates a Red-Roof Pavilion in Sydney



Star-Shaped Structural Pavilions Mass Studies Unveils the Visuals for the Archipelagic Void



Outdoor Plant Communal Spaces Mattaforma Designs the new Nursery at Public Records









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Community Hub Timber Pavilions The Craft Not Carbon Pavilion Raises in London's Park

Sustainable Passport



Brands adopt digital product passports to encourage eco-friendly practices

Trend - Brands are debuting digital records that provide information about a product throughout its lifecycle. These records include details about the product's lifespan, from production to recycling guidelines, and help consumers understand the sustainability of the product to inform purchasing decisions.

Insight - Concerns over climate change and pollution have prompted eco-conscious consumers to actively seek solutions for mitigation. This has prompted brands to provide direct guidance on proper product disposal and material recycling upon purchase to minimize waste and preserve resources. Businesses that offer easily accessible and tangible demonstrations of sustainable practices can attract consumers who seek direct ways to support environmental causes.

Workshop Question - What measures can your brand take to guarantee the responsible and ethical disposal of its products?



Senior Retail



Retailers are making shopping more convenient for elderly demographics

Trend - As accessibility becomes a priority for more brands, some are offering initiatives that assist elderly shoppers in-store. In-store assistance, accessible environments and senior-specific shopping zones are all prioritizing convenience for elderly consumers.

Insight - The focus on accessibility in recent years has come with the brand realization that it opens opportunities to appeal to more demographics. For consumers, a "one size fits all" approach is no longer accepted from large retailers with money to invest. People are increasingly demanding that brands address barriers they face by prioritizing accessible design, affordability, and/or convenience.

Workshop Question - How could your brand better adapt to the needs of consumers who require accessible solutions?



Age-Friendly Retail Initiatives Lowe's Introduces a Baby Boomer-Focused 'Livable Home' Initiative



Elderly E-Commerce Education JD's New Service Center Helps the Elderly Adapt to Online Shopping



Elderly Customer-Reserved Retail Zones JD Announced Exclusive Service Zones for Elderly Customers



Senior-Friendly Shopping Days Walgreens Seniors Day Supports Safe & Supportive Shopping









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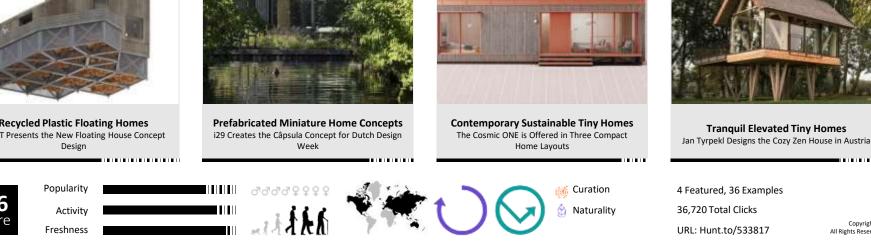
Compact environmentally-friendly homes are gaining traction with millennials

Trend - Architectural companies are creating compact homes with sustainability-first designs. Often with an emphasis on minimalism and nature, these homes offer the essentials for living comfortably in a compact structure built with eco-friendly materials.

Insight - As more millennial consumers become homeowners, many are noting the current undesirable state of the housing industry. With rising costs of living affecting more than just housing costs, it is becoming increasingly difficult for many such consumers to live comfortably on their own. As a result, architectural companies are creating compact, often portable, homes with eco-friendly designs that help mitigate energy costs, tax rates, and more.

Workshop Question - How could your company make its products or services appealing to homeowners concerned with environmental factors?

Recycled Plastic Floating Homes MAST Presents the New Floating House Concept Design









Oceanic Luxury



Luxury watch manufacturers are utilizing ocean-bound plastics

Trend - Watchmakers are incorporating sustainable materials, such as ocean-bound plastics, into products. This offers customer the combination of luxury build quality and name, with the positivity associated with sustainable goods. This adds further value to luxury timepieces beyond status symbols, enabling new levels of self expression with timepieces.

Insight - Customers interested in collectible luxury goods are typically motivated by exclusivity, quality, and appearance. These consumers value products that fit their lifestyle, such as luxury watches that match outfits. As a reflexive action to these motivations, the luxury watch industry is filled with ultra limited-edition, ultra luxury iterations. However, these products are typically sold only on their complex composition and professional build quality, which may not fit into every consumers lifestyle due to environmental concerns. As a result, luxury watchmakers are now incorporating sustainable materials, such as ocean-bound plastics, into collectible timepieces.

Workshop Question - How can your brand incorporate sustainable materials, such as ocean-bound plastics, into its products?



Ocean-Bound Plastic Timepieces The Timex Reclaimed Ocean Plastic Watch Has a Speckled Finish



Submarine-Inspired Watches The Shinola Sea Creatures Skeleton Dial Features Ocean-Bound Plastic



Ocean-Bound Plastic Timepieces The Amitron Wave Collection Shows Off a Sustainable Aesthetic



Sporty Solar Watch Designs Diesel Recently Launched Its First Solar Watch Line



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Sustainable Filament



3D printing brands are releasing filaments focusing on sustainability

Trend - Brands in the 3D printing space are releasing materials that prioritize sustainability without compromising on function. The sustainability ranges from including renewable resources, such as wood or plant-based fibres, to using energy-efficient, low-emission production systems.

Insight - 3D printing is continually increasing in popularity not only in industrial applications, but also with hobbyist consumers. However, as the industry continues to expand, it continues to attract more attention from environmental regulators and consumers due to the unrenewable nature of most plastic-based filaments. Brands are recognizing the public and private desires for sustainable materials, and in response are investing in renewable materials and energies.

Workshop Question - How could your brand improve its sustainability through investing in renewable energies and materials?



Upcycled Microfiber



Brands introduce tools to capture laundry microfibers for upcycling

Trend - Brands are launching new devices and tools to transform laundry microfibers into new products, contributing to sustainability efforts in the textile industry. By redelivering these textiles back to manufacturers, they can be repurposed to benefit multiple industries and applications.

Insight - Consumers are becoming increasingly conscious of their environmental footprint and subsequently seek products that reduce the impacts. Upcycling textiles empowers consumers to engage directly in waste reduction and the generation of new products, appealing to those who wish to mitigate the environmental consequences of their consumption habits. Businesses that cater to consumer demand for circular products can appeal to shoppers who wish to support brands that align with their sustainability values.

Workshop Question - How can your brand reduce consumer waste and production costs?



Microplastic Washing Machine Filters The Matter 'Gulp' Captures Microplastics During Washing



Electricity-Free Microfiber Filters PlanetCare 2.0 Fits onto Existing Washing Machines



Laundry Microfiber Filters Samsung's New Less Microfiber Filter Catches Small Plastics

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Microfiber-Collecting Fiber Washers This Air Fiber Washer Helps Reduce Microfiber Shedding











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Single-Dose Cleanse

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"Dosed" eco-friendly cleansers offer convenience and faster repurchase rates

Trend - As solid cleansers become more popular for their sustainability, the industry is seeing a rise in "single-dose" solid cleansing products, ranging from oil spheres to cleansing tablets. These items offer precise doses per use, diverging from other solid cleansers like bars and powdered soap.

Insight - People are increasingly looking to reduce their environmental impact--whether it's through using less, or buying from sustainable brands. Single-use items are typically not aligned with eco standards, but in the skincare industry factors such as convenience, travel, and product preservation are also crucial considerations. Skincare brands that merge convenience with sustainability in single-use products are increasingly appealing to busy customers, while also hastening the rate of repurchase.

Workshop Question - How could your brand prioritize convenience in its products, while ensuring their sustainability?



Oceanic Linen



Fabric companies are launching linens made from ocean-bound plastics

Trend - Brands in the textile industry are launching new fabric materials made from recovered and upcycled ocean-bound plastics. These textiles help reduce waste while offering affordable products for related industries, such as hospitality and fashion—resulting in durable and sustainable alternatives.

Insight - Industries that rely on textiles face large amounts of waste each year, which is increasingly drawing attention from environmental activist groups and government regulators. These industries, namely the hospitality and fashion industries, are tasked with finding ways to hit sustainability goals without sacrificing the quality of experiences for their customers. This is leading to businesses placing pressure on their suppliers, or on new suppliers, to provide sustainability-first products.

Workshop Question - How could your brand leverage upcycling in its products to improve its sustainability reports?



Ocean Waste-Made Textiles Duvaltex Recently Debuted the Ocean Waste CLEAN IMPACT TEXTILES



Upcycled PET Yarn Fabrics 'S. Cafe OCEAN' is a Line of Yarn Textiles Made from Ocean Plastics



Upcycled Polyester Yarns RECYCTEX's Latest Initiative Includes Reclaiming Plastics from Shores



Ocean-Friendly Upholstery Textiles The 'Sport' Textiles Are Crafted From Shoreline-Sourced Plastic







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Aluminum Beverage



Unlikely brands are using aluminum to package their beverage products

Trend - Kombucha, wine, and bubble tea brands that rely on glass or plastic packaging are increasingly opting for aluminum bottles as a sustainable alternative. Aluminum packaging offers several advantages to preserving the quality of a beverage while being recyclable indefinitely.

Insight - Eco-conscious consumers often look for ways to reduce their environmental impact and incorporate sustainability into their everyday routines. Aluminum packaging's nearinfinite recyclability and accessibility appeal to consumers who want their purchases to align with sustainable practices. Businesses offering adaptable and accessible consumption methods appeal to individuals looking to make lifestyle changes that support the environment.

Workshop Question - How can your brand align with modern sustainability values?



Aluminum-Packaged Water Cans Thinkerbell and the Laneway Festival's Founder Launch a Water Product



Aluminum Wine Bottles Element[AL]'s Packaging is Compact, Lightweight & Easily Recycled



Aluminum-Packaged Kombuchas Mortal Kombucha Has Introduced Eco-Friendly Aluminum Bottles



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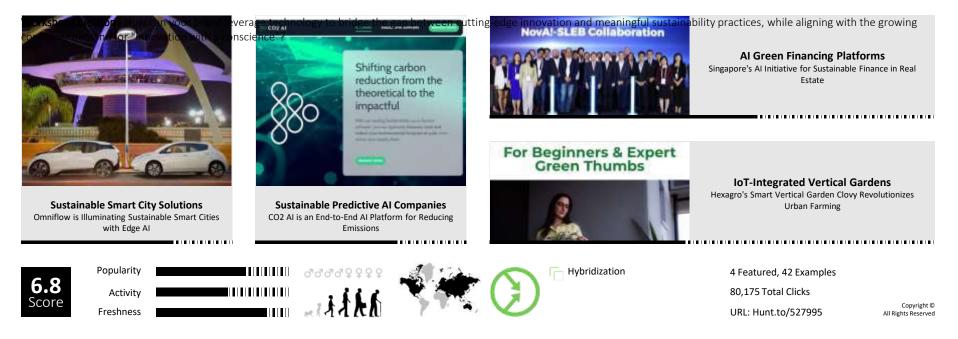
Eco-Digital Economy



Brands are leveraging technology for sustainability and economic growth

Trend - In the era of eco-digital advancement, brands are leveraging digital technologies that not only generate economic value but also prioritize environmental and social benefits. By leveraging tools like AI for efficiency, blockchain for transparency, and synthetic biology for sustainability, brands aim to reduce waste, improve supply chain sustainability, and drive business value.

Insight - Consumers are at a crossroads. While they embrace the exciting possibilities of digital innovation, they are increasingly concerned about the environmental impact of these advancements. This heightened awareness is driving a demand for "sustainable innovation": technology that progresses without compromising the environment. Brands that can bridge this gap by offering both innovation and sustainability are not just selling products, they are aligning themselves with consumer values. This allows them to capture the evolving market for technology that is mindful of its impact, and ultimately, contribute to a more sustainable future.



Community Shuttle



Self-driving vehicles are more successful when offering community benefits

Trend - Self-driving vehicles with community-benefitting purposes are helping brands in this industry create more acceptance for AVs. Brands are offering services like free autonomous transportation and senior delivery services that create positive experiences with autonomous vehicles.

Insight - The AV industry has faced both legal and cultural challenges entering the market, with everything from safety concerns to arguments about job losses preventing self-driving vehicles to be fully accepted by consumers and institutions. As the industry aims to address these challenges, creating positive local experiences helps build trust for autonomous tech.

Workshop Question - How could your brand create community-based experiences for its customers?



Elevating Passenger Level Vehicles The Conceptual Audi Cascade by Chris Min Has a Comfy Interior



Friendly Business Delivery Trucks The 'ORCA' Autonomous Delivery Truck Has a Friendly Form



Partially Autonomous Touring EVs Arcimoto Designs the New Electric Vehicle to Tour Around Vegas



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Transparent Retail

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Sustainable retailers highlight their initiatives and impact in-store

Trend - Sustainable stores and eco-friendly in-store initiatives are making the impact of their products clearer to their customers. These brands are using receipts, labels and displays to highlight production and sourcing processes--catering to the growing demand for transparency from businesses.

Insight - Sustainable consumption is becoming a priority for more consumers, and readily accessible information on these topics has made consumers more critical of green claims. Brands are aiming to appeal to the modern consumer via sustainability initiatives--particularly Gen Z and Millennials--are more likely to establish trust when they offer transparent snapshots into their business.

Workshop Question - How can your brand create trust with its customers via in-store experiences or initiatives?



Sustainable Canadian Retail Expansions The Toronto Allbirds Brick-and-Mortar Store is Eco-Friendly



Environmental Cost Receipts ASKET's Impact Receipts Measure Water Usage, CO2 Emissions & More



Carbon-Conscious Oat Beverages These Vegan Beverages for Kids Label Their Carbon Footprint



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Synthetic Biology Beauty

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Brands leverage lab-grown ingredients in the personal care space

Trend - Synthetic biology is revolutionizing the personal care industry by making products more sustainable and personalized. Companies are using biosynthesis, a process where engineered organisms like yeast convert sugar into various useful substances, to produce ingredients traditionally derived from petroleum or animal sources.

Insight - Consumers are increasingly driven by the tension between their need for effective personal care products and their ethical and environmental values. They are no longer willing to compromise on sustainability or animal welfare for the sake of performance. This growing awareness and concern for the planet and ethical sourcing practices are pushing consumers to seek out products that reflect their values.

Workshop Question - How can your brand leverage synthetic biology to create the next generation of personal care products that deliver on both efficacy and environmental responsibility?



Probiotic Gel Moisturizers Biossance's Squalane + Probiotic Gel Moisturizer is Ultra-Hydrating



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Approachable Beauty



Complex beauty procedures are being made more affordable and accessible

Trend - Brands in the beauty industry are making less-traditional procedures more affordable and accessible. Through marketing and increased availability, these procedures are being destigmatized, and are in turn becoming more commonplace. These factors result in fewer barriers for interested consumers.

Insight - Millennials and previous generations grew up in a society that stigmatized purely cosmetic procedures, such as bodily injections or lifts. In part brought on by the shifting nature of the beauty industry and by North American society trending in a progressive direction, the stigmas around such practices are fading. As a result, brands are more openly advertising these services in order to appeal to consumers who may have previously considered or been on-the-fence about such beauty practices.

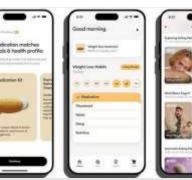
Workshop Question - How can your brand leverage changing societal attitudes towards previously stigmatized practices to improve its products or services?



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Anti-Enhancement



Cosmetic injections are repositioned for exclusivity-focused luxury shoppers

Trend - Following the popularization of injectable cosmetic treatments, brands are now introducing products marketed as elevated and exclusive versions of these procedures. These alternatives include topical serums, creams, or devices that target specific skincare concerns such as wrinkles and fine lines.

Insight - As cosmetic treatments become more accessible to the general public, wealthy consumers are seeking out products that are marketed as alternatives to injectables and commonly available treatments. These consumers seek differentiated, premium solutions that reflect their higher status and discerning taste when shopping. Businesses that cater to the demand for premium and exclusive beauty products can appeal to luxury consumers who prioritize investing in the unique and unattainable.

Workshop Question - How can your brand distinguish its premium offerings from its standard ones?



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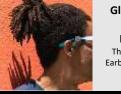
Audio brands are creating clip-on earbuds for enhanced comfort and reliability

Trend - Audio brands are releasing earbuds with non-invasive clip-on designs. These earbuds are designed to be worn by those who find earbuds often slip out of their ears due to physical activity or ear canal size mismatches. Additionally, the clip-on design leaves the ear canal open for surrounding noise.

Insight - Modern lifestyles have led to nearly every consumer wearing earbuds or headphones for numerous reasons, such as entertainment during commutes, solutions for work calls, or to enhance daily workouts. However, many of these consumers find earbuds uncomfortable or unreliable, as physical activity, or even just walking, can lead to earbuds falling out. In order to address the needs of these consumers, or those who want to hear environmental noise, brands are releasing non-invasive clip-on earbuds.

Workshop Question - How can our brand alter its products or services to ensure both comfort and functionality for users who find typical products uncomfortable or unreliable?





Glasses-Friendly Open-Ear Headphones The JLab Open Sport Earbuds Work Great for Any Task

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Fashionable Clip-On Earbuds The Bose Ultra Open Earbuds Securely Hug the Ear



Workout-Ready Open-Ear Headphones The OneOdio OpenRock Pro are Lifestyle-Conscious Ol The C Ear

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Noninvasive Clip-Style Earbuds The Soundcore C30i Headphones are Great for Wearers with Glasses

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Smartphone Fashion

"Phonecore" features over-the-top accessories inspired by smartphones

Trend - Phonecore, the latest style trend, is taking social media by storm with nearly 130 million TikTok posts. This trend features over-the-top accessories inspired by smartphones such as HMD's Phonecore range, as well as smartphones adapting to become accessories themselves, like Hailey Bieber's lip gloss-holding phone case, blending tech and fashion in innovative ways.

Insight - The rise of the "smartphone as an aesthetic" reflects a growing consumer desire for fashion that integrates cutting-edge technology in visually impactful ways. In an era where personal devices are central to daily life, accessories inspired by smartphones, as well as smartphones functioning as accessories, resonate deeply with tech-savvy, fashion-forward individuals. This trend taps into the intersection of nostalgia and futurism, appealing to those who appreciate both retro design elements and modern innovation.

Workshop Question - How can your brand tap into the rise of "smartphone as an aesthetic" or other trending aesthetics?



Smartphone-Inspired Accessories HMD Dropped the Phonecore Range During LFW with Sinead Gorey



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Scalp Microbiome

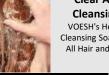
Haircare products that promote healthy scalp microbiomes are gaining popularity

Trend - Cosmetics brands are creating haircare products with microbiome-supporting formulas. By including probiotics, prebiotics, and stem-cell supporting ingredients, these products are designed to provide both a balanced pH level and a natural protective barrier for the scalp.

Insight - Health and beauty consumers, particularly from younger generations, are becoming increasingly aware of the importance of preventative care. This leads to practices such as wearing sunscreen, moisturizing, and using organic products, to get ahead of skin imperfections. This has led to these consumers recognizing the importance of scalp care in terms of healthy hair development. Brands are addressing the needs of these groups with scalp microbiome-supporting care products.

Workshop Question - How can your brand develop products that align with the growing consumer focus on health and preventative care?





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Edible Retinol



Retinol serums are adapted to be ingested orally for inside-out benefits

Trend - Retinol, commonly used for acne and anti-aging benefits, is shifting to oral consumption to benefit the skin from the inside out. Traditionally associated with topical applications, this shift is gaining traction due to claims that it minimizes potential side effects from disrupting the skin barrier.

Insight - Wellness-minded consumers, particularly Millennials and Gen Z, often seek holistic solutions that help address common health concerns before they arise. As a result, skincare brands are modifying their products to prioritize preventive care rather than addressing pre-existing skin issues. Businesses catering to the demand for preventative skin solutions gain appeal among consumers seeking a holistic approach to health.

Workshop Question - How can your brand prioritize holistic health approaches?



Edible Skincare Serums Vivid's Skincare Serums Support Radiance from the Inside Out



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Retinol Skincare Supplements Vivid's Retinol Soft Gels Nourish Skin from Within



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Hair Cosmetic



Hair customization is revolutionized with new makeup-style products

Trend - Hair makeup refers to products or techniques used to enhance or alter the appearance of hair without making permanent changes. These products often include concealers, powders, and temporary colors that help consumers give their hair an elevated look.

Insight - As a result of the pandemic, Millennial consumers are embracing vintage trends to evoke nostalgia and find solace in the familiar comforts of the past. Hair cosmetics, crafted with a nod to 90s trends, cater to a consumer desire for familiarity, customization, and reconnection with the elements of youth. Brands that cater to this demand can create a strong emotional connection with nostalgia-driven consumers, translating into brand loyalty over time.

Workshop Question - How can your brand use trends of the past to influence the present?



Gilded Hair Collections Zara Hair's Debut Collection Shares Gold-Themed "Makeup for Hair"



Hair-Focused Concealer Sticks Tarte's big ego * dab & go hair concealer Covers Patchy Hair Spots



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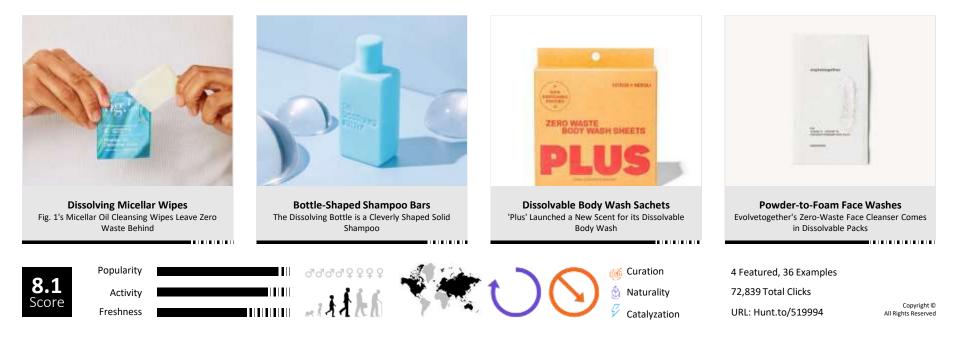


Self-care products are being made with dissolvable packaging for eco-friendliness

Trend - Brands in the beauty industry are releasing products with fully dissolvable packaging. Going beyond biodegradable or recyclable, these packages are fully sustainable, dissolving in minutes of the product being used. This shifts the perception of the beauty industry to be more eco-friendly.

Insight - Younger Gen Z consumers are more interested in self-care and cosmetics products than previous generations, with consumers across all genders consuming more cosmetics products than previous generations in the same age range. These consumers are growing up in a time when schools and NGOs are advocating the importance of immediate shifts toward sustainability. As such, brands in traditionally unsustainable industries are adopting new practices to better meet the needs of Gen Z consumers.

Workshop Question - How could your brand look to modern sustainability trends across adjacent industries to better address the needs of its younger consumers?



Probiotic Fragrance

Brands are offering skincare fragrances with probiotics to promote skin health

Trend - Skincare brands are launching fragrances with probiotic ingredients to benefit skin microbiomes. These fragrances integrate into daily skincare rituals and aim to differentiate themselves from competitors as multifunctional products. Probiotic skincare products can reduce TEWL and improve hydration.

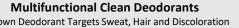
Insight - Younger consumers, particularly Gen Z and Gen Alpha, are highly influenced by social media personalities and trends, particularly in the beauty and self-care spaces. Recent trends have focused on the importance of ensuring products used in daily routines have a positive impact on the user, both in terms of health and appearance. As a result, brands are releasing fragrances and skincare products infused with probiotics to improve effects, and subsequently, brand image with younger consumers.

Workshop Question - How might your brand better increase its appeal to younger consumers by focusing on relevant social media trends?



Probiotic Body Sprays La Maison's London Fog Spray is Fit for Room and Body Use

Ingrown Deodorant Targets Sweat, Hair and Discoloration





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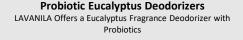
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Cuisine Cosmetic



Makeup products are being formulated to offer unconventional food scents

Trend - Unconventional foods, beverages, and culinary ingredients are being used to infuse scents, tastes, and other sensory elements into beauty and makeup products. Food-specific cosmetics engage multiple senses simultaneously, creating a more immersive and satisfying experience for beauty enthusiasts.

Insight - Food-scented cosmetics have gained popularity due to their ability to provide a unique and enjoyable sensory experience during the makeup application process. By utilizing unconventional foods and desserts, brands can attract niche audiences and offer a way for individuals to express their unique personalities. Additionally, the novelty of food cosmetics can provide consumers with appealing content, helping them create engaging posts and interact with others in the beauty community.

Workshop Question - How can your brand merge two unrelated industries to create a new product?



Fast Food-Themed Lipsticks Chelsie Lane Cosmetics Created a Limited-Edition Chorizo Style Lipstick



Cheese-Scented Nail Polishes Velveeta Launches Cheese-Scented Nail Polish with Nails.INC



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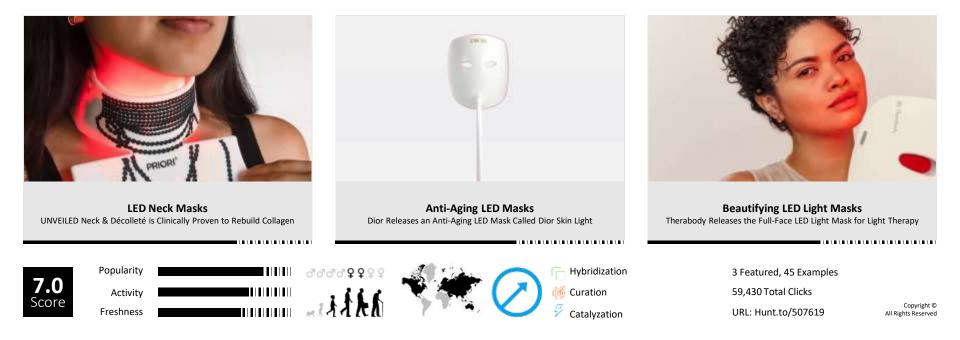


Skincare brands are launching facial masks with built-in LED technology

Trend - Brands are launching wearable Light Emitting Diode (LED) masks to deliver targeted light therapy to the skin. These masks penetrate the skin at various depths, stimulating cellular activity and promoting skin rejuvenation.

Insight - Consumers are often looking for affordable and proven methods to address their skin concerns, and the growing popularity of at-home skincare devices is a direct result of the expensive and limited nature of cosmetic and dermatologist-recommended treatments. Additionally, individuals who require professional skincare can incorporate light therapy into their skincare routines without spending time and money on frequent visits to spas or clinics.

Workshop Question - How can your brand enhance the consumer experience with premium products/services?



Kids Cosmetic



Makeup marketed toward Gen Alpha consumers is adapted as this demographic ages

Trend - To cater to the emerging Gen Alpha consumer, cosmetics companies are designing more sophisticated cosmetic lines. These products strike a balance between age-appropriate formulations and the high-end appearance favored by this demographic, influenced by trends on social media platforms.

Insight - Gen Alpha's immersion in the virtual world has been reflected in the market, particularly as this demographic continues to demonstrate that real-life trends mirroring online ones significantly impact their purchasing preferences. As they mature, these consumers seek more sophisticated products, departing from the childlike items marketed to them in their youth. Businesses meeting the demand for elevated kids' cosmetics can attract young consumers seeking products that grow with them.

Workshop Question - How can your brand cater to the evolving preferences of Gen Alpha as they become mature consumers?



Targeted Gen Alpha Skincare Hilpapa Makes Personal Care for Kids Ages Three to 12 in China



Inclusive Fragrance Campaigns The 'Where Will They Take You' Campaign Highlights Influencers



Gen Alpha Bodycare Brands Australian Gen Alpha Brand 'Allkinds' Made its United States Debut



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Smart Supplement



Health brands are using AI to create supplements and medications

Trend - Medical supplement and treatment companies are using artificial intelligence for the creation and testing of new supplements. The recipes are created through feeding AI large medical datasets, often including voluntary clinical trials. The resulting supplements are then tested and improved.

Insight - Medical companies continually invest in research and development in the forms of product creation, testing, and revision. While these companies have extensive regulatory processes before a new product can be introduced, they desire ways to quicken the process without losing and level of quality and safety, and without increasing costs. As a result, these companies are turning to artificial intelligence to assist with some of the more intensive aspects of medicinal creation.

Workshop Question - How could your brand leverage artificial intelligence to streamline its business without sacrificing quality?



Recovery Shoe



Post-workout shoes step into mainstream as recovery focus rises

Trend - Post-workout footwear is transitioning from niche to mainstream within the athletic and wellness spaces. This signifies a growing consumer focus on recovery, with footwear designed to promote comfort, circulation, and potentially even joint health after exercise.

Insight - There is a growign shift towards holistic health practices, where recovery is seen as essential as the workout itself. This trend is driven by a deeper consumer understanding of the biomechanics of recovery and its impact on overall performance and long-term health. As people become more attuned to their bodies' needs, there is increasing demand for products that support optimal recovery.

Workshop Question - How can your brand leverage the growing consumer focus on recovery and holistic health practices?



Magnesium Health

Magnesium is becoming a mainstream health supplement that supports sleep

Trend - Magnesium, an essential mineral celebrated for its potent sleep-enhancing benefits, is experiencing a surge in popularity, especially as a prime ingredient in health supplements like gummies. With growing awareness of how magnesium contributes to better sleep quality, longer sleep duration, and the regulation of sleep-wake cycles, consumers are increasingly seeking out magnesium-infused gummies and supplements.

Insight - Popularity of natural sleep aids and supplements reflects a growing consumer preference for holistic and drug-free ways to improve health, especially sleep. As the importance of sleep is better understood, people are more interested in natural methods to get a good night's rest. Trusted health figures like podcast hosts and fitness influencers play a role in this trend. Their science-backed and personal endorsements give consumers confidence in natural solutions for better sleep.

Workshop Question - How can your brand support the body's functions with natural ingredients?



Synthetic-Free One Bite Multivitamins GEM Updated the Look and Design of its Multivitamins

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Zero-Sugar Vitamin Gummies Nature's Way Unveiled a New Healthier Lineup of its Vitamin Gummies



Premium Magnesium Supplements ITL Health is Manufactured in Small Batches to Ensure Quality



Nutrient-Packed Vitamin Gummies Nature Made Introduces a New Range of Multivitamin Gummies



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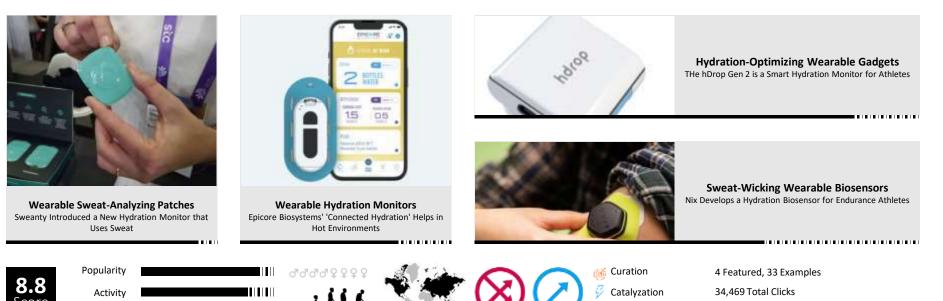
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New hydration monitors are analyzing body sweat to ensure safe fluid levels

Trend - New startups are launching wearable sweat monitors for safe hydration levels. These are non-intrusive wearables that measure the sweat on the skin, rather than detecting moisture within the skin directly. This helps remind users when to hydrate, particularly during sporting activities.

Insight - Climate change has led to outdoor weather becoming increasingly unpredictable, with rising temperatures causing more regions to become near-uninhabitable at certain times of the year. These conditions cause consumers to pay more attention to proper hydration. When performing physical activities, these consumers are looking for non-intrusive solutions to ensure their bodies maintain healthy fluid levels. Brands are in turn creating hydration monitors with less intrusive sweat-monitoring designs.

Workshop Question - How could your brand ensure its wearable products are non-intrusive and intuitive?



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Vitamin Al



Al tools that non-intrusively detect signs of vitamin deficiencies are growing

Trend - Healthtech brands are using artificial intelligence in vitamin management applications. As opposed to broader diet-tracking apps, these specifically track signs of vitamin deficiencies, such as discolored fingernails or pruney skin, thereby helping the user maintain a balance of essential nutrients.

Insight - For the average consumer, daily diets are not strenuously planned. This is due to time constraints, rising food costs, or simply having diets not be a priority. This, however, leads many consumers to have minor nutrient deficiencies that they are unaware of, and continue to live with. Brands are recognizing this trend and, adhering to time and cost limitations, are creating low-effort AI-powered apps that help identify deficiencies and dietary areas of improvement.

Workshop Question - How could your brand ensure its products/services are both affordable and accessible to its target market?

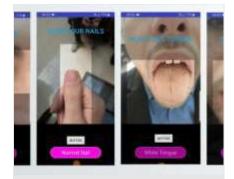


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Vitamin Deficiency-Identifying Apps 'Vitaminico' Helps People Manage their Vitamin Intake Levels



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Local Hospitality



New hotels are using local history and architecture to inspire their designs

Trend - As the boutique hotels market grows, new hotels are embracing local culture through design plans, local sourcing, and/or community collaborations. These hotels aim to facilitate more authentic local experiences, while maintaining the benefits of luxury travel for their guests.

Insight - The demand for authentic travel experiences continues to grow, and more consumers are traveling while aiming to reduce their impact on local communities and environments. As their values evolve, travelers who want authentic (but luxurious) experiences patron businesses that are clear about their local contributions--which is easily facilitated through design and sourcing.

Workshop Question - How could your brand take inspiration from its local community?



Local Heritage-Inspired Hotels Jenny Bukovec Designs The Manchester Hotel's Interior in Kentucky



Brutalist Mexican Hotels Hybrid & Palma Add Organic Elements Within This Brutalist Hotel



Locally Built Boutique Hotels Shinola and Bedrock Join Forces to Design the Shinola Hotel



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Micro Residence



Companies are building tiny homes to help consumers with the cost of living crisis

Trend - Brands are creating tiny, mobile, and stationary houses that are designed to be more affordable and sustainable than traditional homes. These homes are often built on trailers or in small lots, and they are designed to maximize the use of space and minimize unnecessary features.

Insight - To combat the cost of living crisis, many consumers have chosen to purchase micro-houses and tiny homes as they are affordable living options for those struggling to afford a traditional home or apartment. As inflation continues to shift how consumers spend money, there is more emphasis being placed on humble, smaller-scale ways of living. As a result, tiny homes are becoming increasingly popular for people who want to downsize or live more simply.

Workshop Question - How can your brand make its product adaptable to the cost-of-living crisis?



Shipping Container Homes Rakhee Shobhit Design Associates Creates Two Residential Units in India



Low-Cost Modular Prototype Housing The Industrialized Building System Prototype Can Be Configured



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Modern Retro



Automotive manufacturers are launching retro-inspired designs with modern EV features

Trend - Automotive manufacturers are launching new vehicles inspired by retro designs. These cars blend retro aesthetics with modern features, such as electric engines, network connectivity, or motion sensors. Often limited-edition products, these vehicles capture nostalgia without compromising on comforts.

Insight - While more consumers adopt electric vehicles (EVs) each year, there are still large subsets of drivers that prefer traditional gas-powered vehicles. Whether due to aesthetics or function, these consumers are hesitant to adopt EVs, despite these vehicles often being more environmentally friendly, having lower costs of ownership, and having more modern features. In an attempt to accelerate EV adoption amongst these consumers, brands are tapping into retro designs to capitalize on nostalgia.

Workshop Question - How could your brand incorporate nostalgia into its products or services without compromising on its quality?



Charged Electric Hatchbacks Renault Re-Launched its R5 Turbo with an Electric Drivetrain



Modern Electrified Retro Automobiles Shane Baxley Designs the TWO8eSL Reinterpretation



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E-Waste Design



Sustainable design brands use electronic waste to create products

Trend - Globally, discarded electronics have become a huge source of waste. For some interior design and jewelry brands, this waste presents an opportunity to repurpose materials and create upscale decorative pieces. Furniture and jewelry pieces made from e-waste offer sustainability and a unique selling point.

Insight - The popularity (and often, necessity) of electronics, coupled with brands creating products with shorter life cycles, has had a huge impact on global waste in the last 20 years. Consumers are becoming more conscious of the environmental impact of even "upscale" investments, and more are choosing brands that operate on sustainable business models. These consumers turn to businesses that are able to seamlessly merge sustainable principles with contemporary design.

Workshop Question - In what areas could your brand incorporate upcycled materials to reduce its impact?



Immersive Lighting



Modern media is enhanced through connected TV and monitor backlights

Trend - Brands are creating smart backlights that illuminate the rear of a monitor or television. These light strips elevate the perceived depth and vibrancy of colors and match what's on the screen, alleviating eye fatigue and strain in dimly lit spaces.

Insight - Consumers who regularly consume content often look for products that enhance their comfort, allowing them to watch for longer periods. Reflecting a value for immersive and uninterrupted viewing, these individuals prioritize the quality and duration of their content consumption sessions, seeking out devices that offer seamless integration with their streaming devices. Brands that prioritize user comfort can attract consumers who value functionality and overall experience during leisure.

Workshop Question - How can your brand creatively address consumer desire for comfort and leisure?



Intelligent TV Backlight Systems Nanoleaf 4D Immerses Viewers in Illumination at CES 2023



Content-Synced TV Light Systems The Govee TV Backlight 3 Lite Captures Any Color Instantly



Dual-Camera Television Light Systems The Govee Envisual TV Backlight T2 Creates Visual Effects



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Bed Rotting

Gen Z consumers engage in "bed rotting" as a form of self-care

Trend - "Bed rotting," a new trend sweeping TikTok, involves staying in bed for extended periods to engage in passive activities like eating snacks, watching TV, and scrolling through devices. This trend is particularly popular among Generation Z, who are increasingly turning to this form of self-care to combat burnout.

Insight - Gen Z is leading the charge for mental well-being. This generation is acutely aware of the pressures and demands of modern life, leading them to seek out unconventional methods of relaxation that allow for complete mental and physical disengagement. By normalizing the idea of taking extended breaks to simply rest, Gen Z is challenging societal norms that equate busyness with success.

Workshop Question - How can our brand create value by addressing the Gen Z desire for unconventional self-care and mental well-being practices?



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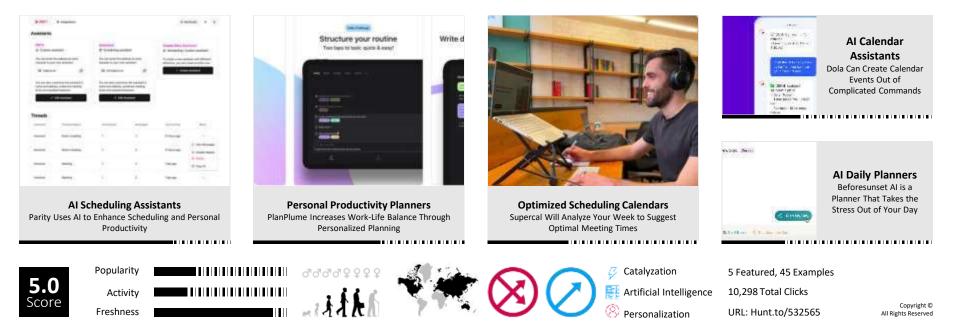
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Scheduling tools with artificial intelligence are used to enhance productivity

Trend - Companies are launching artificial intelligence (AI)-powered scheduling tools designed to enhance productivity. These tools grant the AI direct access to your calendar, schedule, and required tasks, simplifying scheduling time with others while enabling the AI to generate an optimized day plan.

Insight - With many employees still working in remote or hybrid scenarios, it is paramount for these employees to ensure proper time management and planning. Additionally, the air gap between employees raises difficulties in scheduling time for meetings and events. Additionally, many individuals struggle with balancing work lives and personal lives, further adding to the importance of scheduling tasks. brands are recognizing this and are augmenting scheduling applications with AI to improve efficiency.

Workshop Question - How can your brand utilize artificial intelligence to enhance productivity and simplify workflows for both remote and on-site employees?



Gen Alpha Creativity



Brands incentivize children to develop skills outside of the internet

Trend - Brands are introducing new experiences to foster the creative growth of Generation Alpha consumers. These experiences promote hands-on engagement with the physical world, encourage real-time social interactions, and inspire exploration of their surroundings without using digital devices.

Insight - As Generation Alpha's presence in the digital realm grows, brands are recognizing the need to balance screen time with real-world engagement. To address this, these organizations are now launching in-person events and activities designed to engage Gen Alpha in a different, more tactile way. Businesses that meet the desire for screen-free activities can attract parents and children who prioritize tangible skills and real-world experiences.

Workshop Question - How can your brand engage with its target audience beyond digital campaigns?



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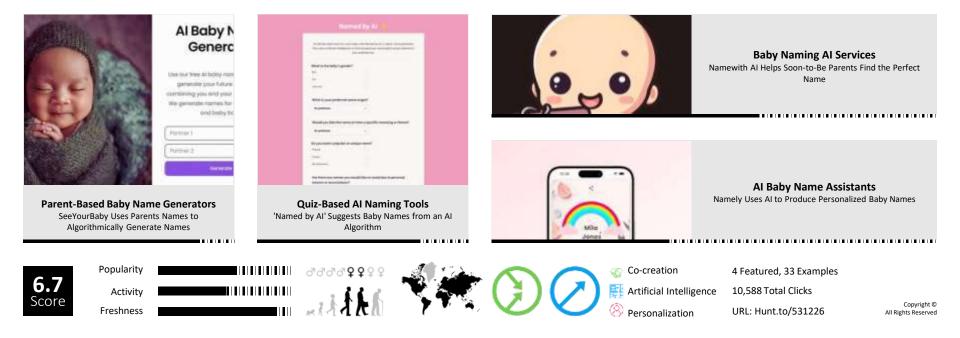


Tech Startups are Launching Services that Suggest Baby Names using AI Algorithms

Trend - Companies are launching artificial intelligence (AI)-powered baby naming services. These services suggest baby names based on the user's preferences, such as gender or language. The tools use conversational AI to further limit these pools, enabling the user to state more niche name preferences.

Insight - Soon-to-be parents often struggle with preparation in all forms, being tasked with planning entire months or years ahead to ensure a smooth upbringing for the upcoming baby. These parents aim to reduce stress in each part of the parenthood process, and they turn to countless resources to help, such as parenting books or blogs. In recognition of this stressful life period, companies are launching AI-powered tools and services to help alleviate stress from the parenthood process.

Workshop Question - How can your brand leverage AI technology to provide personalized tools or services that alleviate stressful aspects of consumers' lives?



Luxury Vice



Brands are recategorizing traditional 'vice' products as luxury status symbols

Trend - In a divergence from health and wellness being exclusively associated with luxury, brands are releasing traditional vice products, such as cigarettes or cannabis, positioned as luxury status symbols. These products enable wealthier consumers to display status while engaging with vices.

Insight - Higher-income consumers from the younger generations grew up with the notion that luxury is associated with cleanliness and healthiness. However, many of these consumers still find themselves engaging with industries that are typically seen as bad-for-you, such as smoking, and often do this discretely to avoid status implications, showing a desire for more designer products in the space. Brands are recognizing the shift in modern values and are releasing products that cater to these consumers.

Workshop Question - How could your brand capitalize on the shifting values of high-income consumers in the modern era?



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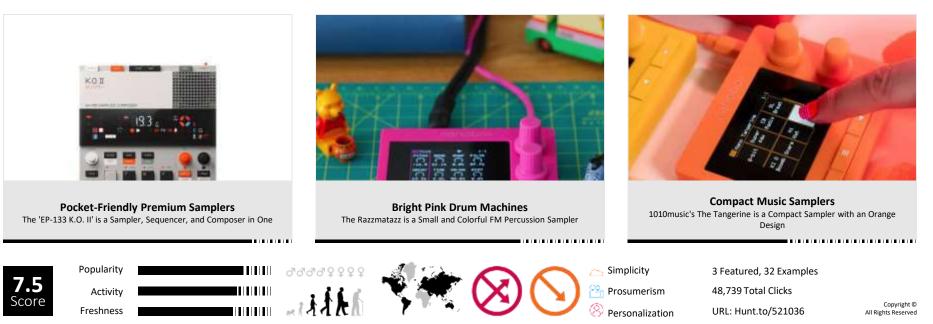


Brands are releasing portable sound samplers for audio professionals

Trend - Brands in the audio hardware space are releasing toned-down version of sound samplers in portable formats. These samplers enable quick, impromptu sampling in high quality. These are designed to fit in a user's pocket, ensuring they are always ready to capture desired audio clips.

Insight - Creative professionals often struggle with finding inspiration and are unable to choose when motivation will come. These professionals desire convenient devices that work alongside their busy schedules. As a result, many creative professionals are gravitating toward smaller solutions, such as ultralight laptops, or pocket-sized devices, even if they come with performance tradeoffs. Brands are acknowledging this as a priority, and are responding with low-cost, size-efficient devices.

Workshop Question - How can your brand develop convenience-focused products or services that cater to modern busy lifestyles?



Branded Overnight



Pop culture-inspired rentals provide consumers with unique short-term stays

Trend - Pop culture-themed rentals are being offered on select home rental platforms. These accommodations allow fans to immerse themselves in the world of their favorite movies, TV shows, or music by staying in settings reminiscent of aspects associated with beloved characters or celebrities.

Insight - Consumers who are enthusiastic about movies, shows, and celebrities, are drawn to media-themed accommodations as a way to experience unique amenities inspired by their favorite icons. To celebrate the release of a new season, movie, or album, super fans often go all-out and host watch parties with their friends and family at live venues. Media-themed rentals offer an alternative to standard hotels by providing guests with a unique and memorable experience tailored to their interests.

Workshop Question - How can your brand appeal to pop culture enthusiasts through branding and collaboration?



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Remote Focus



Brands are launching technology designed for remote workers with ADHD

Trend - ADHD products are tools, technologies, or aids designed to help individuals with ADHD manage symptoms and improve organization, time management, and productivity. With the influx of hybrid and remote work models, consumers with ADHD often gravitate toward products that can be used at home without judgment.

Insight - With the rise of remote and hybrid work, consumers with ADHD are looking for ways to stimulate their minds at home while still remaining focused. Consumers with ADHD often desire products that allow them to customize their workspace according to their needs, minimizing distractions and optimizing productivity. With these products, consumers can create a quiet and organized space that helps them focus on tasks without external interruptions.

Workshop Question - How can your brand accommodate different kinds of work models with regard to both products and operations?



AI Hobbyist

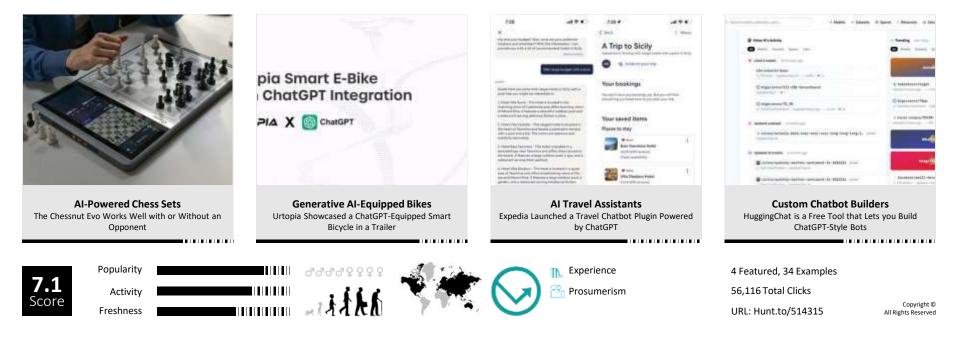


For tech enthusiasts, generative AI has become a tool to enhance hobbies

Trend - Chatgpt and similar models are being adapted into everyday life--and even hobbies and recreation are fair game. Tech enthusiasts are particularly likely to use generative AI for personal enjoyment, which can be seen through products like AI-equipped bikes, chess sets and travel assistants.

Insight - In the sudden impact of generative AI--an onslaught of information, ethical and economic concerns overshadowed the technology's potential for smaller, positive enhancements to everyday routines and personal hobbies. Consumers who take a special interest in tech are adopting AI to make their lives more efficient, enhance their knowledge and skills, and to enhance the things they enjoy.

Workshop Question - How might your brand leverage generative AI to enhance customer journeys or product experience?



Al Co-Parent



Al-based parenting apps help families proactively monitor wellbeing and development

Trend - Al-based support apps for parents of infants and young children are being used for skill development, mental health, and/or health monitoring. These programs offer a proactive approach to supporting child development and help parents collect data in cases that require intervention.

Insight - Using tech to monitor and prioritize skill-building is especially helpful for caregivers with children who have mental or physical disabilities, behavioral challenges, or are displaying symptoms of illness. These smart solutions add an additional layer of support to the parenting process, offer important information for medical personnel if needed, and generally take some of the pressure off for busy parents with multiple priorities on top of childcare.

Workshop Question - How could your brand use AI to simplify its customers' day-to-day?



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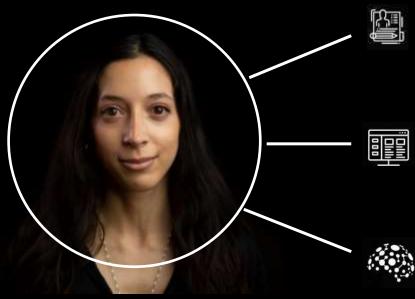
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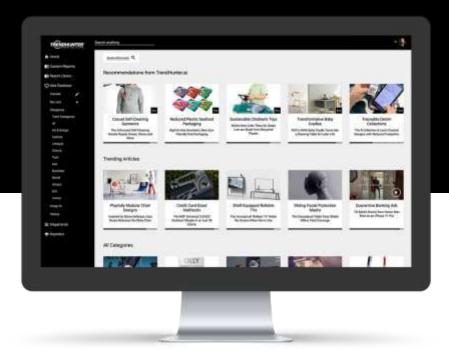
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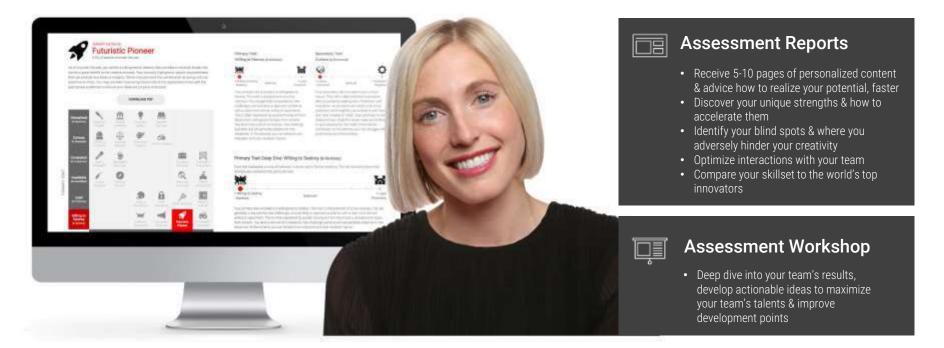
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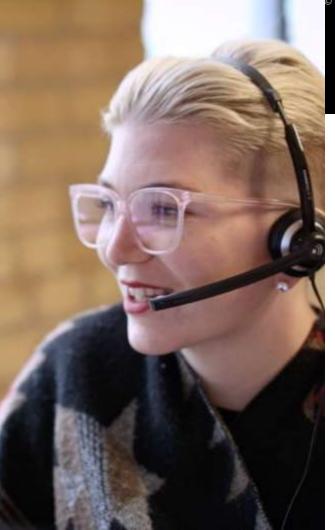
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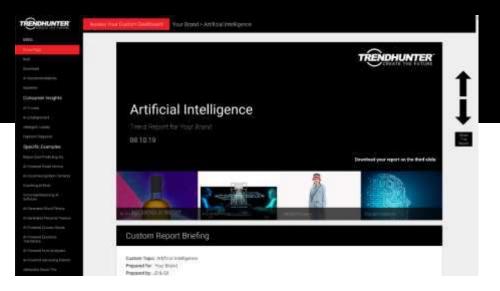






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