Scanning for Signals of Change



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Scanning for Signals Tips & Techniques

Framework Forecasting

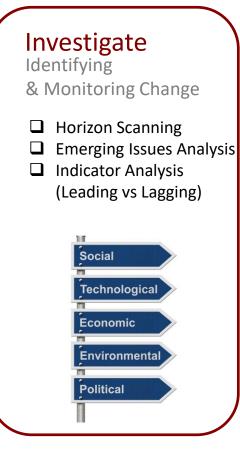
Next Steps

Workshop Recap Questions? Thoughts?





Fundamental Stages + Activities of Foresight



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Exploring Implications

- Forecasts (Trend Extrapolation)
- Scenarios
 (Alternative Assumptions)



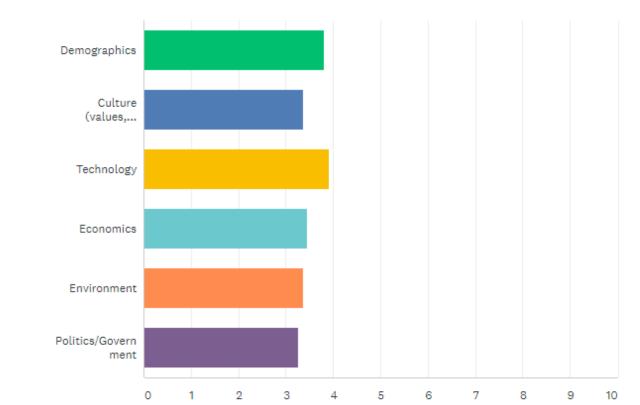
Inspire Communicating the Need for Change

- Visioning & Backcasting
- Planning, Goal Setting & Roadmapping
- Transformation Management



Wendy Schultz/Garry Golden

Listed below are several factors that might have an impact on the future. Thinking about your organization's area of operation, how much a factor to you think each of the following will have on shaping your organization's future over the next ten years

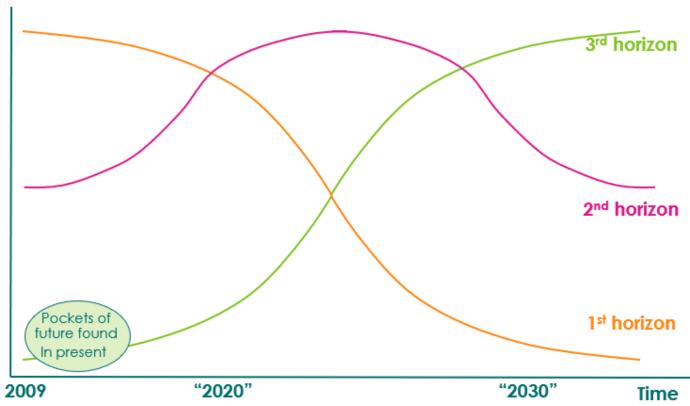


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Foresight Scanning + Three Horizons

"Three Horizons" Model of Change (Bill Sharpe)





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The Big Picture: What Signals Scanning is NOT

Change Behavior Shift Mindset



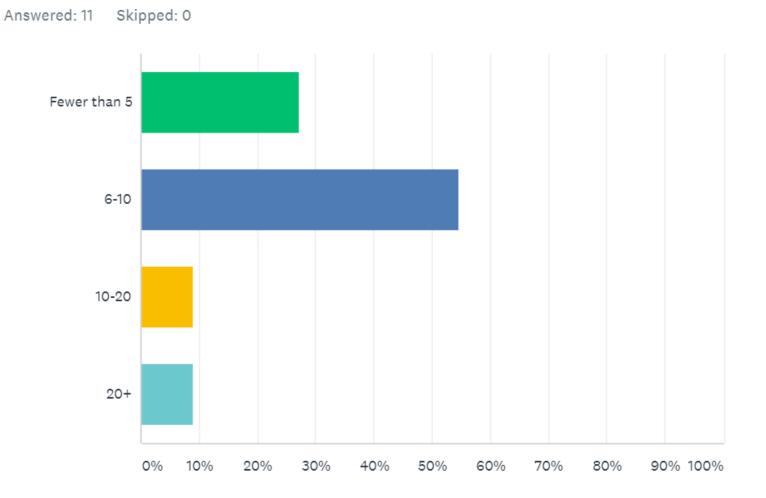
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Scanning to Check the Box



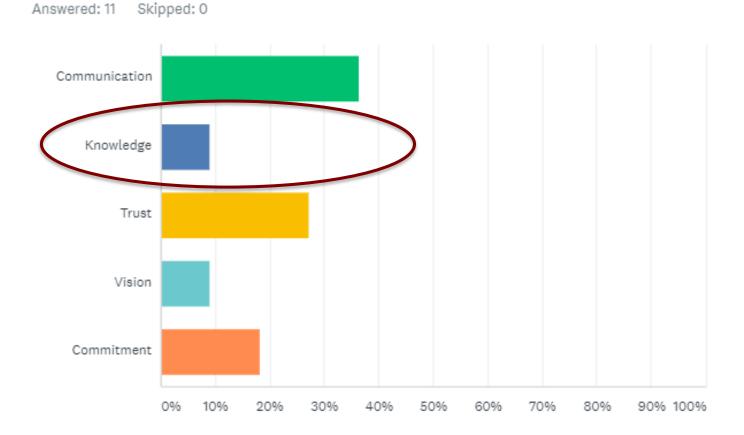
Outcome: Seeing More Signals of Change

On average, how many interesting stories about change (the future) do you find per week.

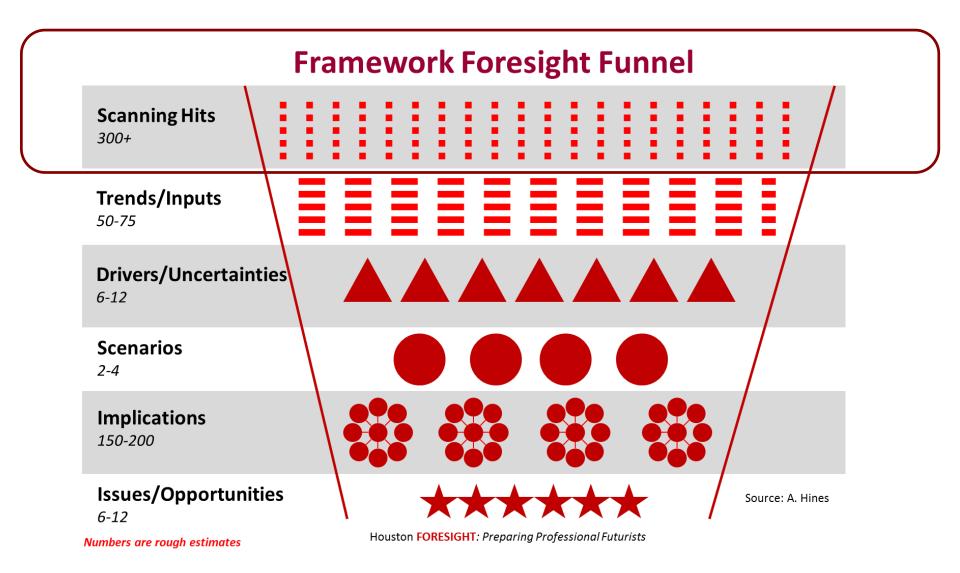


Outcome: Building Knowledge in Key Domains of Change

Which is the most frequently overlooked characteristic of successful change?



Output: Future of Work + XYZ Framework Forecasts





Why Build a Habit in Scanning for Signals?

Outcomes & Outputs



Step 1



Information + Inspiration

Building Knowledge (Framework Forecast)

A signal can be a news event, a new service, product, technology, policy, social movement, or conversation stream on Twitter!

Signals

Signals grab our attention but can also be easily dismissed as noise.

A *weak* signal is a small or early step innovation, disruption or constraint that could grow into something larger across society, business or government.

Judging Signals

Scanning: Criteria and Considerations

In general, criteria for signals should be judged on the following elements:

Source Credibility

□ Newness/Uniqueness

Degree of Uncertainty

Degree of Impact

Momentum (e.g. slowing down, speeding up)

Scanning can be applied across a wide spectrum of strategic activities. When applied to scenario thinking or customer research a *scan hit* may do one of three things:

Confirm assumptions of one scenario outcome

Diminish the likelihood of a particular scenario

Create a new scenario to consider

Signal

Source Credibility

Industry News

Unique

Radical for an Incumbent

High Uncertainty

Adoption and Execution

Medium Impact

Changes Social Norms & Business Models; Limited Uptake?

🗅 Momentum

Still Early Days

Creates New Scenario

(Data; Behavior Change; Incentives; Hardware; Outcomes Model)



Strap on the Fitbit: John Hancock to sell only interactive life insurance

BUSINESS NEWS SEPTEMBER 19, 2018

Suzanne Barlyn

(Reuters) - John Hancock, one of the oldest and largest North American life insurers, will stop underwriting traditional life insurance and instead sell only interactive policies that track fitness and health data through wearable devices and smartphones, the company said on Wednesday.

Signal

□ Source Credibility

Tech Industry News

Unique

Expected from Upstarts

High Uncertainty

Adoption and Execution

Medium Impact

Industry collaboration

🗅 Momentum

Increasing; Still early

Creates New Scenario (Value of Datasets/Algos)

Consortium.Al wants to cure rare diseases using artificial intelligence

KYLE WIGGERS @KYLE_L_WIGGERS JULY 19, 2018 6:00 AM

For DMD sufferers and other patients with rare degenerative diseases, there's now hope on the horizon. <u>Insilico Medicine</u> and A2A Pharmaceuticals today launched Consortium.AI, a new venture founded with the goal of applying advances in artificial intelligence (AI) to cutting-edge drug discovery.



Signal Source Credibility

Newness

Uncertainty

□ Impact

🖵 Momentum

🖵 Scenario - ??



Amazon scraps secret AI recruiting tool that showed bias against women

Jeffrey Dastin

8 MIN READ

The team had been building computer programs since 2014 to review job applicants' resumes with the aim of mechanizing the search for top talent, five people familiar with the effort told Reuters.

Automation has been key to Amazon's e-commerce dominance, be it inside warehouses or driving pricing decisions. The company's experimental hiring tool used artificial intelligence to give job candidates scores ranging from one to five stars - much like shoppers rate products on Amazon, some of the people said.

"Everyone wanted this holy grail," one of the people said. "They literally wanted it to be an engine where I'm going to give you 100 resumes, it will spit out the top five, and we'll hire those."

Signal Source Credibility

Newness

Uncertainty

□ Impact

Momentum

□ Scenario - ??





Carolina Panthers hire in-house mental health clinician

433 views



Charlotte Observer Published on Sep 30, 2018

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The Carolina Panthers hired Tish Guerin as an in-house mental health clinician, a newly created position, as a way of investing in the mental health of the NFL team's players.

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Judging Signals – Criteria, Consideration and Questions

Credibility of Source

(e.g. Blogger vs Industry Analyst vs Company Press Release) See Emerging Issues Analysis (EIA) and Correlate to Your Source

Newness/Uniqueness

Is the signal valuable because it is 'new' or 'unique' to whom? (e.g. myself, colleagues, industry leaders, government leaders) Why is it unique? (e.g. Lack of exposure to the idea; Truly game-changing idea)

Degree of Uncertainty

Is the signal valuable because it increases uncertainty? (e.g. We have gift of time to act; Place many bets) Is it valuable because it reduces uncertainty? (e.g. moves us closer to particular scenario or 'Resolution' stage of emerging issues analysis)

Degree of Impact

Is the signal valuable a 'Stepping Stone' (supports particular direction of change) or a 'Milestone' (signals 'new era' for industry)? (e.g. Company explores relationship versus Company announces new drug development project)

Momentum (e.g. slowing down, speeding up)

Is the signal 'snowballing' and gaining momentum and forcing us to act or make decisions? Is the signal a sign of 'hitting a speed bump or wall' suggesting we do not need to act or move in that direction?

Graham Molitor's S-Curve of Emerging Issues Analysis (EIA)

Resolution & Plateau

Resolution stage indicators are often linked to legislation or policies or consumer behavior that resolve the dilemma of "Will we embrace X change?" Government Documents; Industry Position Papers; Legislative Summaries; Corporate Investment or Divestment; PhD Dissertation

Mainstreaming

Mainstreaming phase indicators are often signaled by appearing on the cover of magazines.

Framing

Framing stage indicators shaped by supporters/opponents.

Emerging Issues

Emerging phase indicators are usually limited to niche community discussions.

Industry Journals; Broadcast Media; 'Cover of *Time* Magazine'; General Interest Internet Media

Newsletters; Op-Ed / Advocacy Pieces; Leading Edge Media; Company Announcements

(e.g. 'Water cooler' Conversations; Tweets; Research Reports, Scientific Journals; Hollywood & Science Fiction)

Public References Over Time

What are 'emerging issues' around the Future of Work?



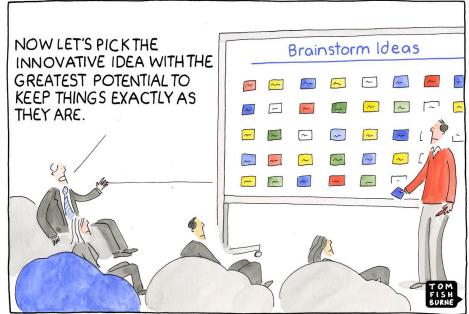
Share a Signal?



The Big Picture: Potential Pitfalls

Seeing Signals and wanting to:

- Pick the winner
- □ Figure out the answer
- □ Act right now
- 🖵 Hit Home Run
- Skip over what we don't understand



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Committing to One 'Misunderstood' Idea



"One thing that I tell people is ... if you're going to do anything new or innovative, you have to be willing to be misunderstood."

"If you cannot afford to be misunderstood, then for goodness' sake, don't do anything new or innovative."

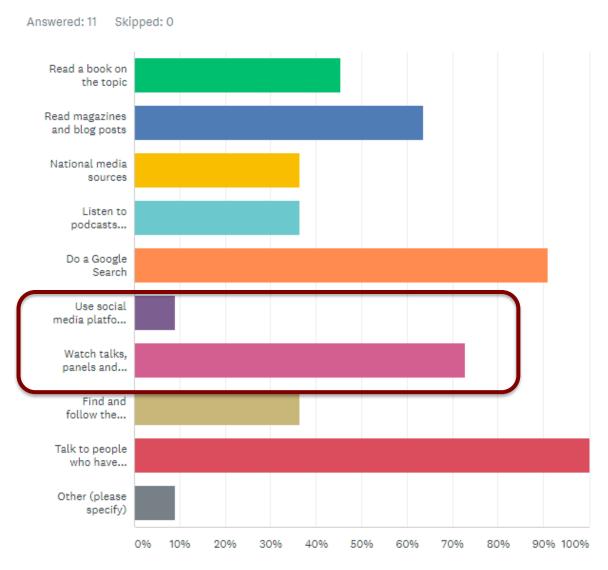


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Framework Forecasting

Next Steps

When I want to learn about a new topic – my preference is to (Check all that apply)



Techniques: Signals Sourcing Strategy



Twitter: Hash Tag Taxonomies + Sources



Aligning Taxonomy with Hash Tags

Task Goal for Your Domain:

□ Identify 10-20 *hash tags* for consideration

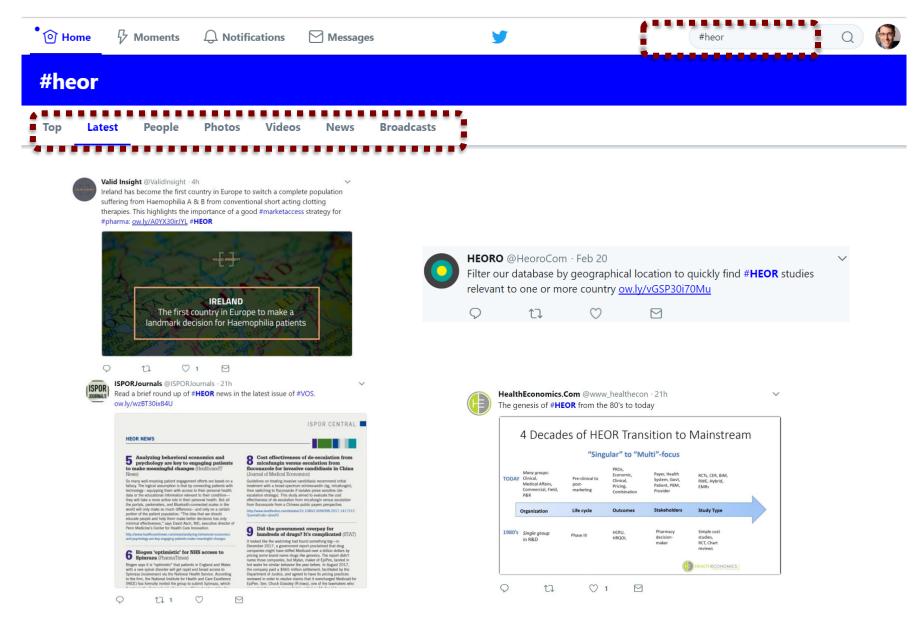
Starter Hash Tag List:

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- #Al
- #aging
- #agingworkforce
- #algobias
- #automation

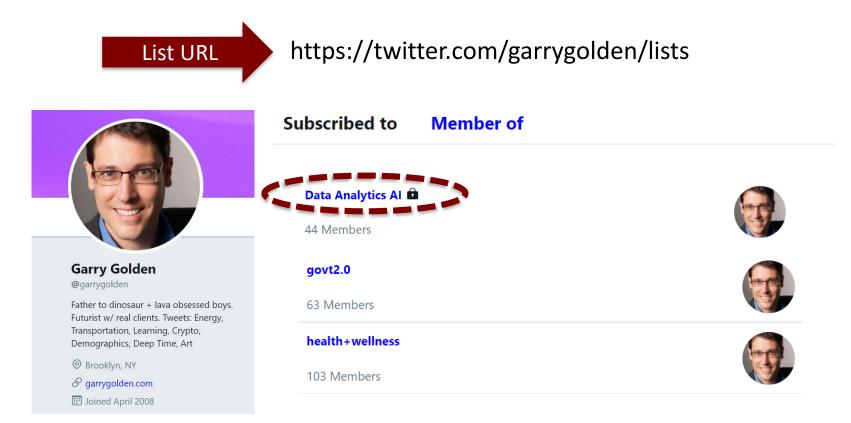
Dynamics Hash Tags - Upside: Orbit Object for People, Ideas and Communities; Best used around 'events' (Conferences; Chats) Downside: Noise; Spam; Vendor dominated

Scanning Technique

Looking beyond your own 'Following' Feed and search via #hashtags



Twitter: Sources + Taxonomies



List Dynamics -

Upside: Allows you to build large Twitter Follow lists **Downside**: Very few; Slight embarrassment of List Names

Tip: Be Careful of Your Public Named Lists

Futurist - Consultants by S Emory Grove

Futurist Topic Consultants

71 Members

smartypantsbigbrains by Sara Lobkovich

70 Members

Crypto Camelot Elite by ArthR

1132 Members







Tip: Start Building Lists from Events (Conferences, Webinars)



Anusha A @AnushaA100 · 14h

Lack of #diversity in news and newsrooms continues to affect whose voices get heard and the ways stories are told, meanwhile #Twitter subcultures are helping fill gaps. Join #tech #media leaders Monday to discuss: kng.ht/2ptCsr0 #journalism #inclusion #twitterandnews

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Twitter and the news:

Improving trust between journalists and diverse communities

Tune in Monday to a conversation on Twitter, diverse communities an... A recent Knight Foundation report, produced in collaboration with digital studio Postlight, reveals how subcultures on social media, specifically Bl... knightfoundation.org



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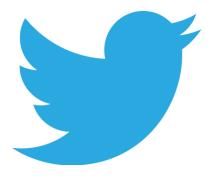
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Twitter

 Dive in, Build Follower Network (Revise it over time!)
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Build out your Lists (Private/Public)

Use the Mute function when needed!



Expanding Our Signals Sourcing Strategy



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- 2) Enter Series of Keywords

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3) Choose Delivery Time vs. Digest to Manage Flows

Delivery time Choose when to receive your alerts.		
Digest Receive all alerts in a single email.		
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Google Alerts: Keywords

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Disruptive innovation - the impact on clinical trials

BioPharma Dive

Disruptive innovation – the impact on clinical trials ... 'Disintermediation', where a company goes directly to patients for clinical trials rather than going ...

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UCI, Beckman Coulter Diagnostics announce strategic collaboration

Longview News-Journal

partnerships the **company** envisions around the globe. Beckman ... a Beckman Coulter office at the Cove @ UCI Applied Innovation for. seamless ... healthcare and laboratory professionals provide better patient care by. delivering ...

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Bracket to Demonstrate Technology that Brings Pharmaceutical **Companies** Closer to their **Patients** ...

SYS-CON Media (press release)

Featuring innovative solutions for eCOA, Patient Engagement, Neuroscience, and IRT & Clinical Supplies, Bracket helps life science companies and ...

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Tips for Getting Started

 Start with Ten Keywords (Test variations; Delete Ineffective Keywords)

□ Start with Digest Mode

Create a Gmail Folder to Avoid Crowding Inbox

□ Yes, Google is Watching

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LinkedIn Network





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Where is the future of lawyering, in a **#decentralized** ecosystem? Some quick thoughts from **Lewis Cohen**, while at **#Consensus2018**. Checkout what he has to say about how **#blockchain** and entrepreneurship are shaping the future of law practice in **Angela Angelovska-Wilson**'s new law firm **www.DLXLaw.com** (we all know whose really in charge).

Maureen L. Murat, Esq. DLX has a office in DC and NYC. You should connect with Angela if you haven't already.

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LinkedIn Dynamics - Upside: Professional News Focus; Comments Downside: Fluff; Vendor Noise

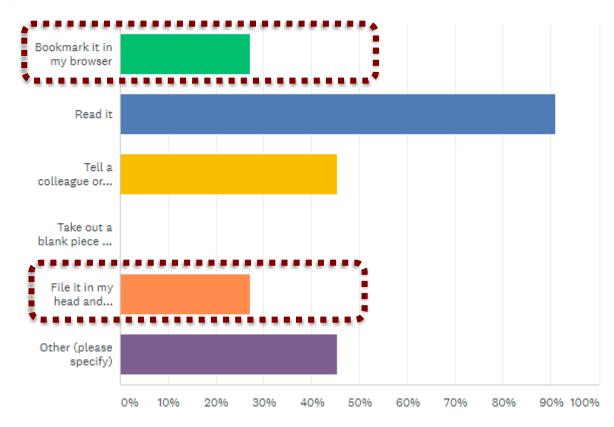
Questions?

Your Approach to Sourcing Signals?



When I find an interesting story that challenges my view of the future, my first reaction is to... (Check all that apply)

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Tool: Organizing Your Signals



'Tagging' 'Social Bookmarks'

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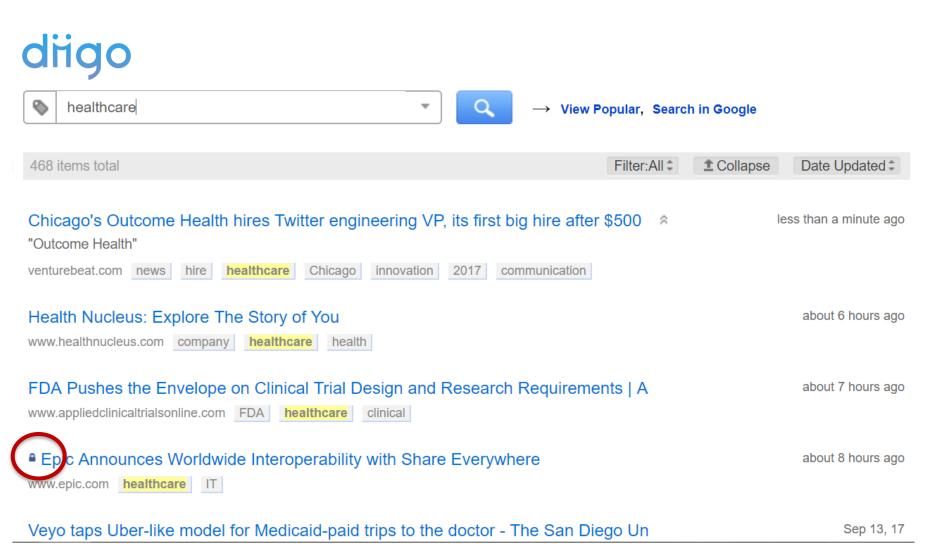
Collect & Share Signals as Social Bookmarks

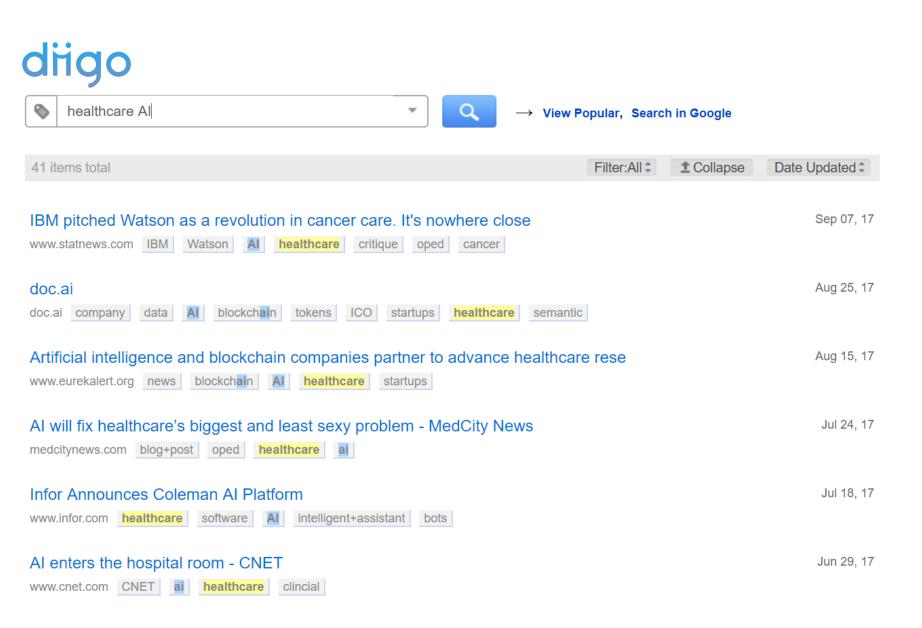
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Social Bookmarking allows you to automate and archive your efforts so you can review them all together under common keywords – and share with colleagues.

Diigo help you avoid having to remember where you read something—simply get into the habit of tagging relevant website, videos, and reports that you find along the way.

With practice the 'tagging' of a web browser based signal (news story, video, PDF, et al) should take five (5) seconds to filter and archive with three tags.





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Getting Started – Part 1

Set up a Free Profile at:





You may use your real name (e.g. Garry Golden) or fictional name to protect privacy. Ideally we are able to share profile names across the innovation council.

Install Plug-in / Extension on the web browser you use most often:



Install Extension

The Diigo website should recognize the web browser you are using during set up so it is easy to do. After the extension is installed you are ready to go. When you wish to 'tag' or archive a webpage simply click on the small "D" icon on your browser.

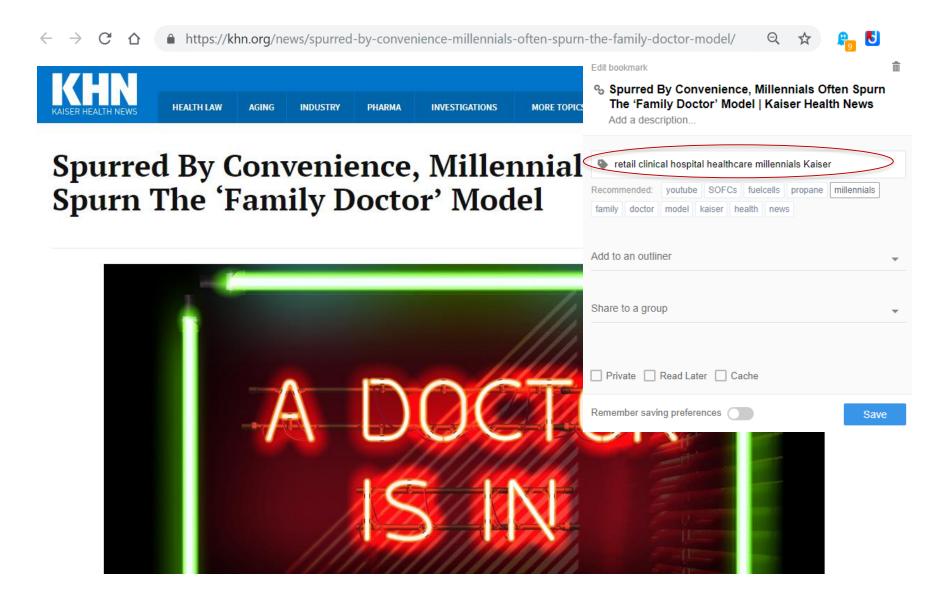
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Getting Started – Part 2

Delay (Deep) Assessment with 5 second Filter

- 1) See it, + 5 second Judgement on Value of Signal
- 2) Tag it (3-5 keywords)
- 3) Come back to group tags when you have time to read and process implications
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15 minute Morning Twitter Session



Quick Scan Signals Pass Sniff Test

- Broad Personal & Professional
- Judging Mostly 'confirming' signals of themes I understand

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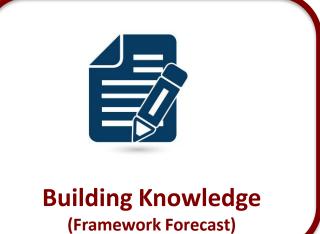
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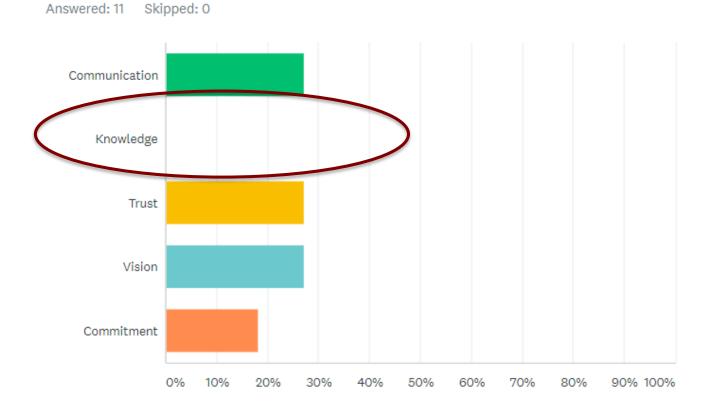


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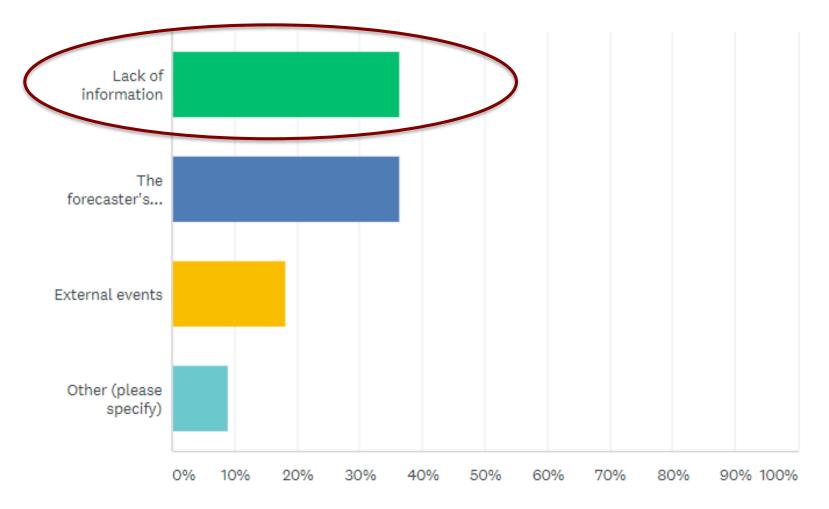
Outcome: Building Knowledge in Key Domains of Change

Which is the most frequently overlooked characteristic of successful change?



Which is the most serious cause of forecasting errors?

Answered: 11 Skipped: 0





Framework foresight: Exploring futures the Houston way



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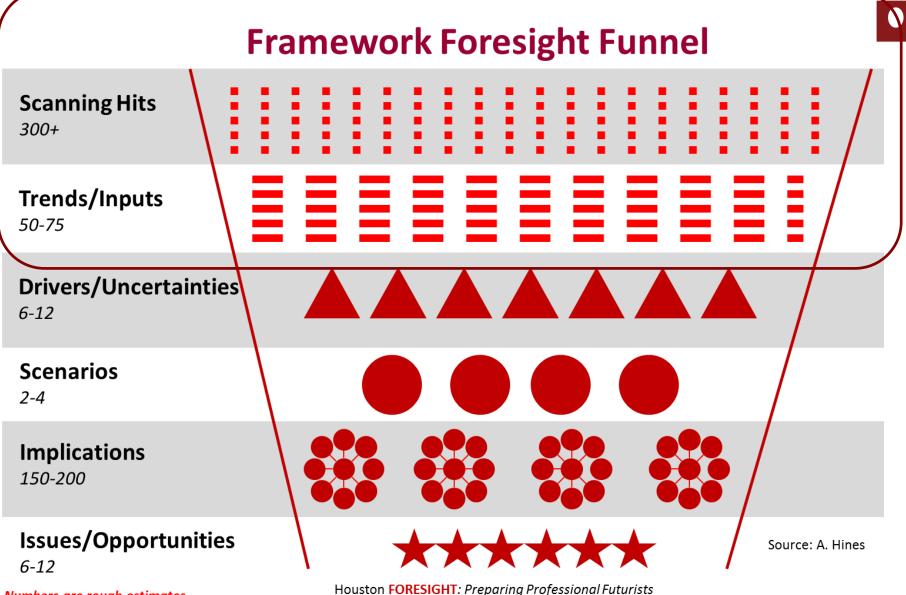
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ABSTRACT

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Keywords: Framework Foresight Foresight method Forecasting Scenarios Over the last several years, the University of Houston developed and codified a method for teaching students how to carry out foresight projects. This development represented a philosophical shift from a neutral presentation of methods without particular advocacy for one or the other. The challenge that this neutral approach presented is that each method is somewhat different and especially for those new to foresight, it became challenging to find common ground, distinguish them, or to know when to use one or the other. Our experience is that our initial wariness of promoting a standard method and thus a "oneright-way" of doing foresight proved unfounded. Not only does it not detract from the teaching of other methods, in fact it has made it easier. Framework Foresight was deliberately built to accommodate and incorporate other methods and approaches. It provides a basis of comparison of how various practitioners and methods do the work, enabling them to assess the strengths and weaknesses of each. Framework Foresight thus could be viewed as a meta-method in that it is a modular approach that accommodates a substitution of, or supplementation from, other methods or techniques at various steps. As students became practitioners and used the method in their practice, they have provided useful feedback and have generally reported back good results. Thus, Framework Foresight is offered to the foresight community as a method for carrying out foresight projects © 2013 Elsevier Ltd. All rights reserved.

Framework Forecasting



Numbers are rough estimates





Domain Knowledge Base Framework Forecast

Future of _____

Define the Domain Map out Key Concepts (Glossary) Timeline / History Conferences Stakeholders (By Players) Associations / Consortium Companies – Legacy/Incumbent (Large) Companies – Startups (Small/Growth) Investors / VCs Key People to Follow Stated Plans Stats / Figures Trends Uncertainties **Emerging Issues** Miscellaneous Notes

1) Domain Understanding

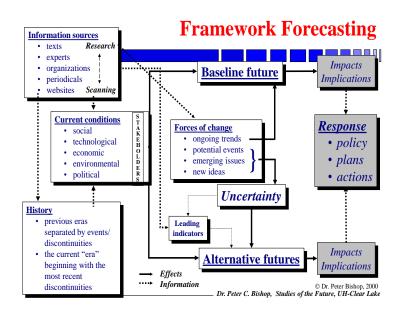
Concepts, Stakeholders, et al

2) Forecasts

Trends, Plans, et al.

3) Scenarios

Sections: Ideas, Uncertainties, et al



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201 Level - Concepts Known within the Domain (Sector

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301 Level – Concepts Discussed at the Leading Edge of the Domain

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Timeline / History + Potential Events

How has this domain changed over time? List key milestones.

Bullet point outline of the domain that has created the current conditions and landscape for stakeholders with particular attention to milestones for industry and recent discontinuities that define the past and current 'eras'.

- What happened, By whom, When/Year, (Source)
- Potential Events Likely milestones

Stated Plans & Projects

List and describe publicly stated plans by stakeholders. This might include investments, partnerships, new services, et al. The list might include turnkey, funded, to be funded or aspirational plans. We want to understand stated commitments for the future.

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Trends

Describe the domain 'trends' in language of More or Less.

Statements should describe or hint at direction and moment (From x to y) that reveal direction and momentum

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Emerging Issues

Emerging Issues are best seen as topics that require a decision in the future.

It is often framed as "Will we ... or Will we not... do xyz" (e.g. Will we permit growing of genetically modified wheat?)

- Text... (Source if applicable)

Uncertainties

Closely related to Emerging Issues. Highlight the uncertainties associated with this domain. What are the biggest uncertainties? What is unknown today but might have clarity in the future?

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Tips for Domain Forecasting Framework

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Navigation Pane – Jumping Around the Document

Microsoft Word's Navigation Pane for jumping section to section.

Copy + Paste (with Source)

The Framework Forecast approach is designed for speed. It is best used as a working document that is in 'perpetual beta' and internal use only. Approach a 'copy-paste' model of research with a simple (Source) that would include a copy of the hyperlink/URL for further research.

CSV Format – Comma Separated Values

Comma Separate Values (CSV) for potential data scrapping

Agenda



Homework



Develop Lists that Expand Sources & Communities

Build Out Inputs

Follow Fifty People

Create Five (5) Lists (Public/Private) to Help Your Scanning on Future of Work + (Your Theme)

Five Key Phrases Google Alerts



Start Tagging! Build out habit of scanning and tagging; Build out your Diigo Library



Consider Your Framework Forecast Theme: Future of Work + TBD

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