

## The Science of Sales Enablement

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- The Science of Decision Making Creating the Right Story for Selling
- The Science of Learning Getting Your Sellers Up to Speed Quickly
- Applying the Science of Sales
   Enablement

to Your Content Assets

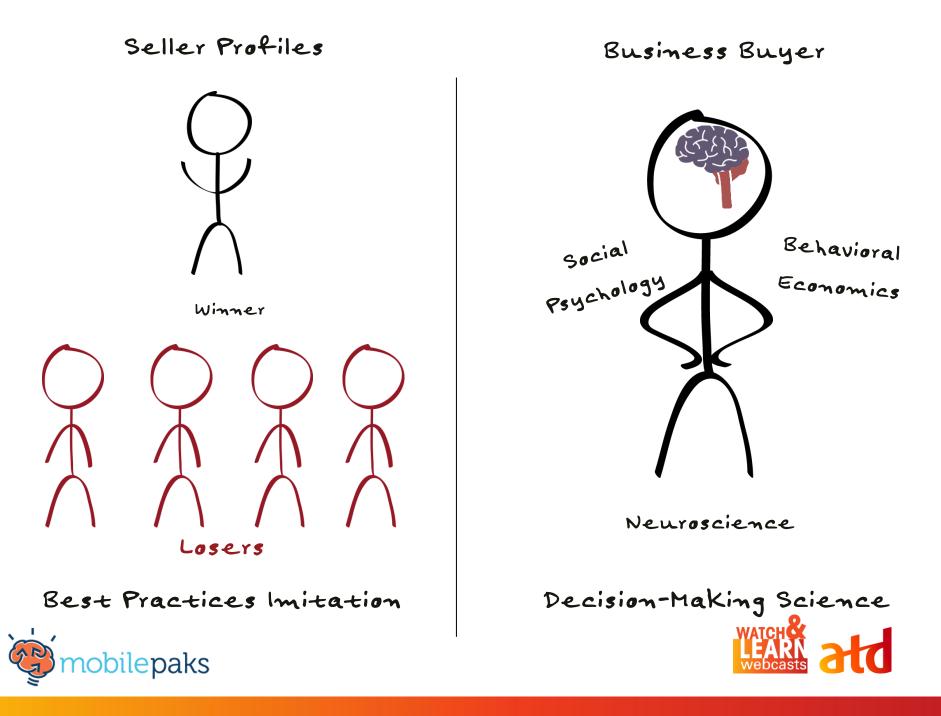




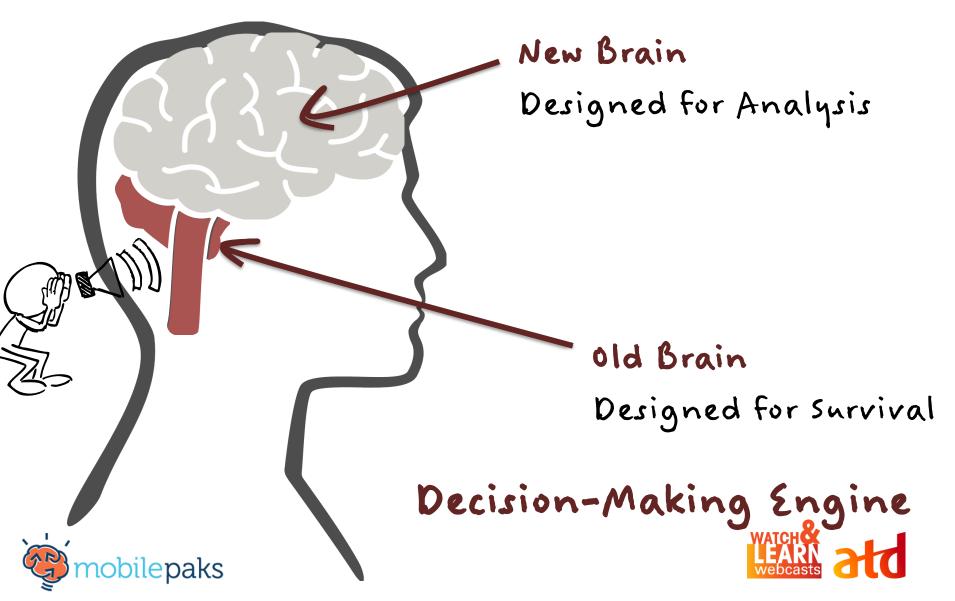


# The Science of Decision-Making Creating the right story for selling

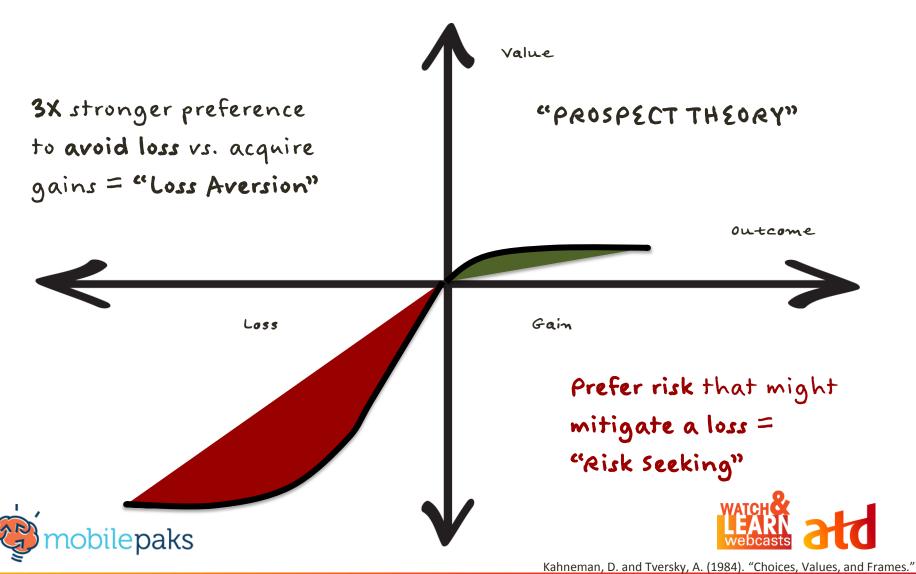


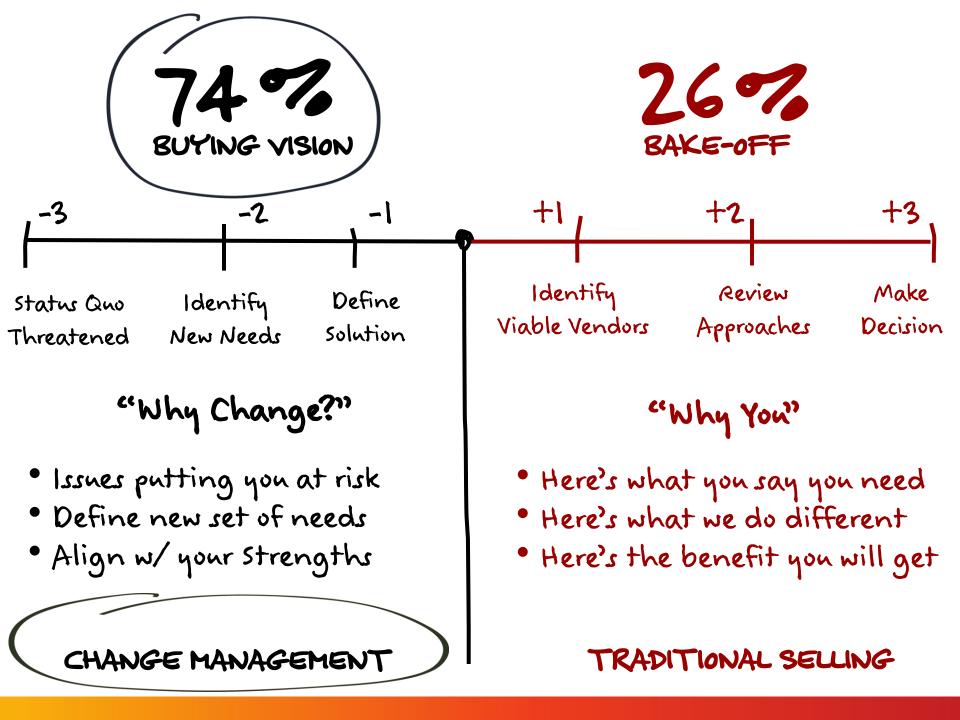


## Neuroscience



# Social Psychology



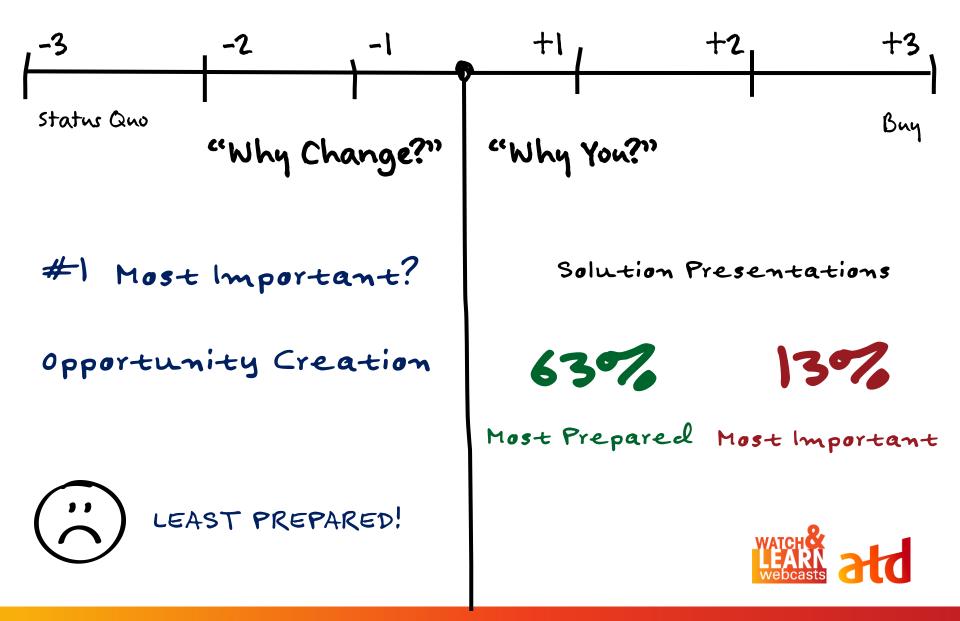






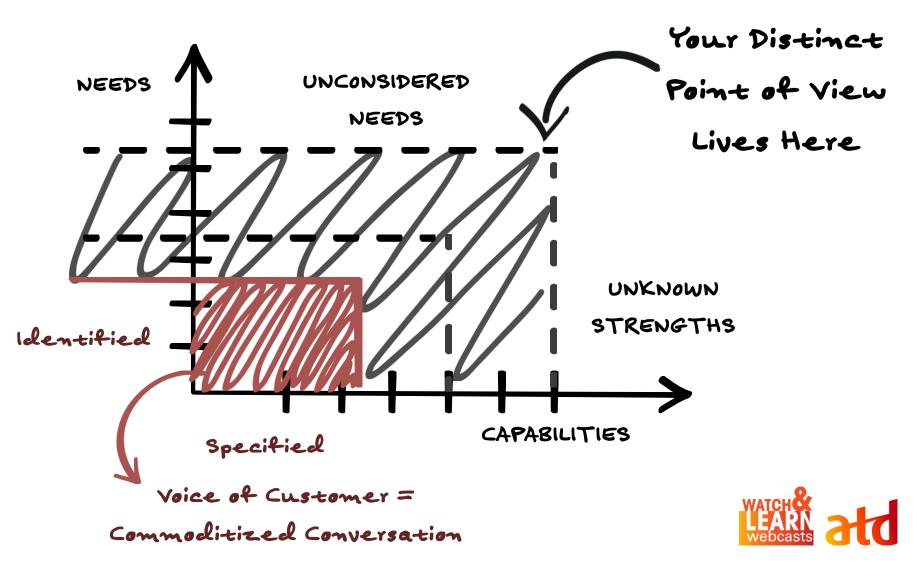


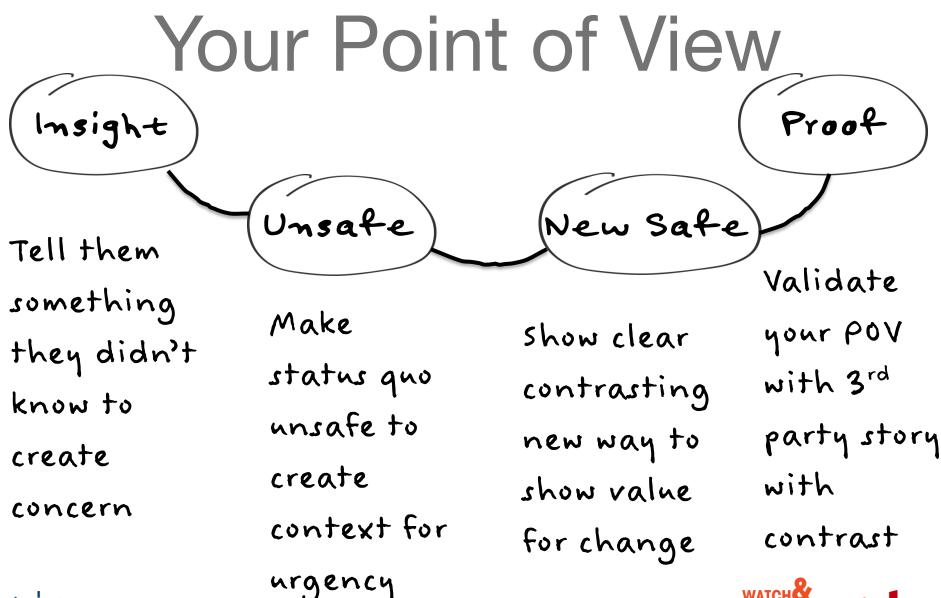




# Creating a Buying Vision NEEDS Identified CAPABILITIES Specified Voice of Customer = Commoditized Conversation

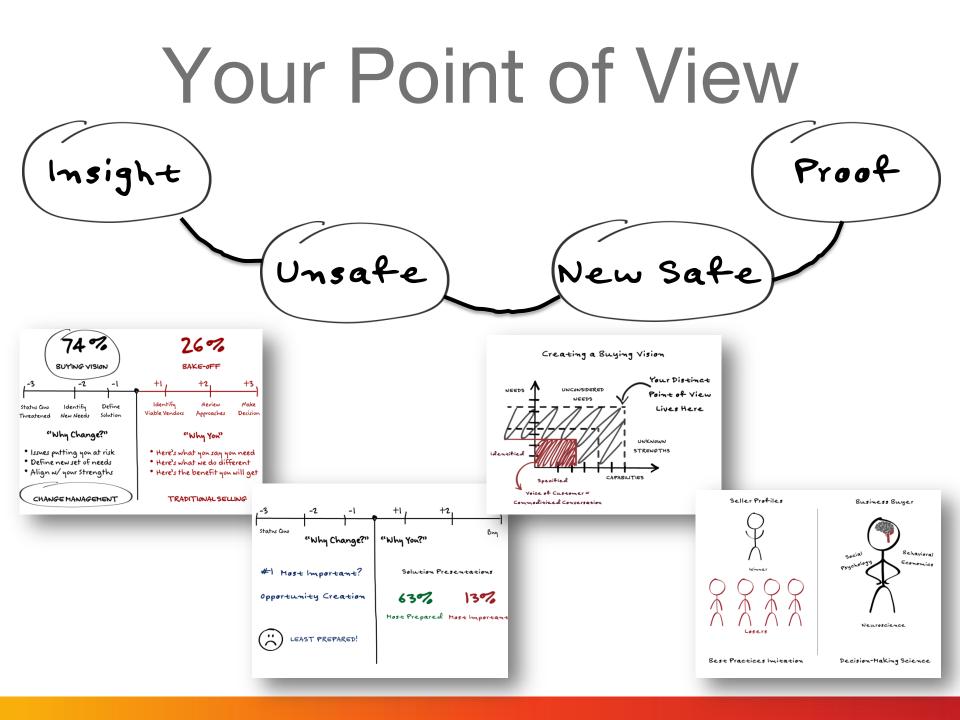
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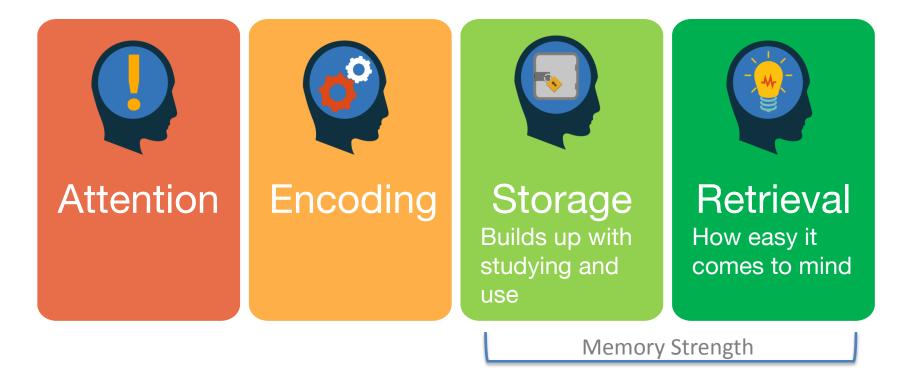






### The Science of Learning Getting you sellers up to speed quickly to sell your unique point of view

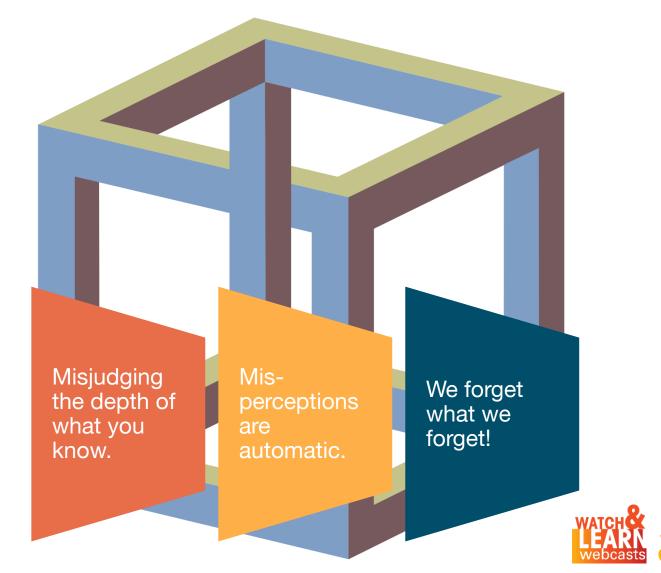
### Learning Basics catch, code and remember



Forgetting: Nature's Spam Filter



## **Beware Fluency Illusions**



## **Retention Science**



### Short chunks of knowledge

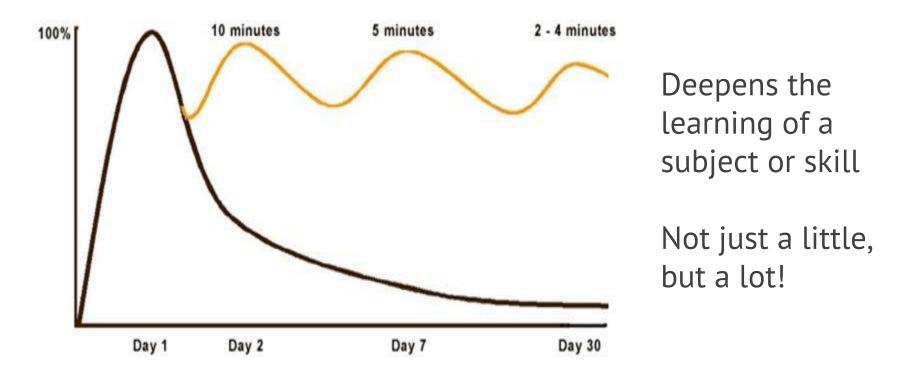


Retrieval practice to strengthen memory storage and retrieval



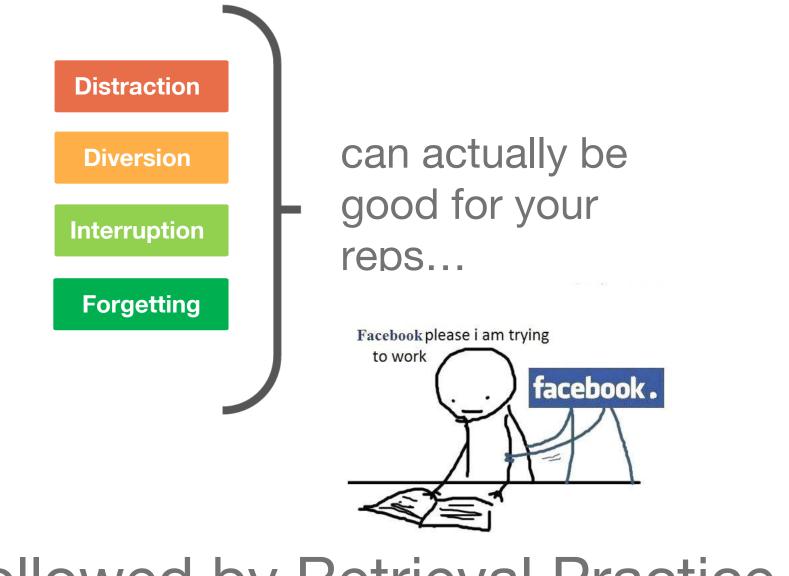
In context, on-demand

### Spacing Maximizes Training Investment









Followed by Retrieval Practice







# Applying the Science of Sales Enablement

### Example: Sales Playbook



- Usually a PDF with links
- Reps download from portal
- 25-75 pages of dense content
- \$25,000 to 50,000 to produce (all in)
- Maintained annually



### **Pros and Cons** of this format

### Use Case Summary – Benefits and Differentiators

AT&T's solution provides significant TCO reduction and predictable IT spend. AT&T's solution is preferred due to broad product support and secure network integration.

### Solution Benefits

### Benefits

- Lower OpEx since spendican scale with workload
- Little incrementation-premise IT support.
- On-demand compute provisioning increases productivity and reduces time to market
- No datacenter costs no additional rack space/utilities Reduced CapEx due to higher asset utilization and no up-front hardware investment
- No "step-wise" IT spend with infrastructure upgrades

### Return on Investment



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### AT&T Solution Value Proposition

### Differentiator1

- "AT&T provides secure, network-integrated infrastructure." - Seamless integration with customers' virtual private
- petworks (data pever leaves petwork)

### Differentiator2

- "AT&T ensures enterprise-grade reliability on a fully redundant, multi-tenant platform."
- QoS (99.9% SLAs) and end-to-end management. between cloud, wireline and wireless networks
- Constant availability as #2 hosting provider in the U.S. with global wireline and wireless network

### Differentiator 3

- "AT&T offers end-to-end solutions for all customer IT petwork and infrastructure peeds"
- AT&T is uniquely positioned to meet the entire spectrum of customer needs - from network access and security to cloud-based IT infrastructure, devices and managed

### Making the Financial Case for Cloud (B of 14-)

### Pros

- Aggregates best practices
- Aids in cross-team • alignment
- Solid sales reference • asset

### Cons



- Poor Attention and Encoding format
- No memory retrieval practice





# Apply retention science



### Short chunks of knowledge



Retrieval practice to strengthen memory storage and retrieval

In context, on-demand

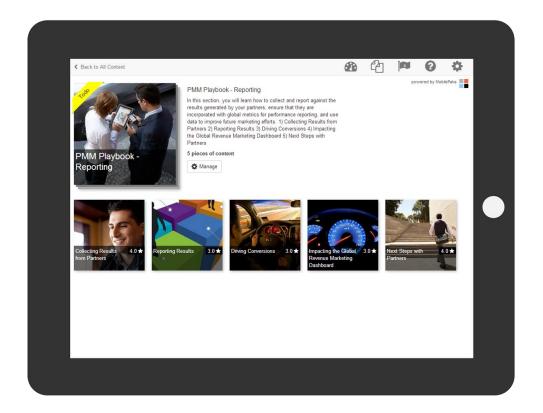
# Apply retention science



# Short chunks of knowledge



### Organize your content Into topics/chunks that are easy to access



 Short and modularized for quick reference

SCIENCE: Small digestible chunks aid in attention, encoding and memory strength





### Apply retention science Include interaction and retrieval practice.



Retrieval practice to strengthen memory storage and retrieval



### **Build with Retrieval Practice**





 Interactive with "Spacing"
 SCIENCE: Timed intervals at 2, 7 and 30 days with knowledge checks, flashcards, games

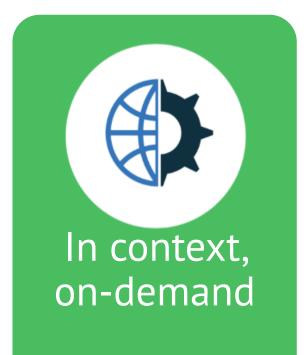
✓ Mix it up (interleaving)



SCIENCE: Aids in transferring a skill to different contexts (AKA sales scenarios)



### Apply retention science In context, a part of the daily routine



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### Just-in-time, when they need it

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Relevant playbook module paired with marketing content.



On-demand and intelligent recommendations
 SCIENCE: Context

effect
Apply and Perform

SCIENCE: Turbo boosts retention 20-30%



### Proof That It's Working

No fluency illusion. Real indicators of sales effectiveness.



### ✓ Behavior tracking

Use, feedback, competency and top performers

### ✓ Revenue metrics

Pipeline velocity and quota achievement

### ✓ Content ROI

Know which assets make a difference





### Key Take Aways





### Science of Decision-Making

- ✓ Use Buyer-Centric research, not Seller-Centric practices
- Create a buying vision, don't wait to win a Bake-Off
- ✓ Tell stories that meet unconsidered needs to differentiate

### Science of Learning & Content

- Memory strength is both a storage and retrieval challenge
- Sales enablement programs grounded in retention science improve sales effectiveness
- Look to new technologies to help augment programs and solve the human memory challenge

# **Additional Resources**



Download free resources from **MobilePaks**: <u>http://mobilepaks.com/knowledge</u>



Explore the **Conversation University**: <u>http://corporatevisions.com/conversation-</u> <u>university-public/</u>



*Conversations that Win the Complex Sale*, co-authored by Tim Riesterer: <u>http://conversationsthatwin.com</u>

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