

IBM Watson Advertising



How AI Can Help Generate Insights To Drive Business Results

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MMA is the Global Industry Association for Marketing

Started in 2003;
turned around in
2013

Operations in 15
countries

Marketer led; plus
media sellers, tech
and agencies

55+ team
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25+ conferences in
15 countries

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Who & What is the MMA All About



The People We Serve

Primary Audience

Pioneering Chief Marketers



Our Strategic Priorities

Measurement & Business Impact

Drive marketing effectiveness and the future of measurement for sustainable business growth

Marketer Org Development

Redefine marketing organization dynamics and future capabilities needed in a data

Inspiration

Lead marketing innovation and creative effectiveness/impact for mobile and emerging technologies

Advocacy

Establish standards and self-regulatory guidelines to improve consumer trust and confidence in marketing and connected devices



Our Reason for Being

Purpose

To enable marketers to drive innovation and enduring business value in an increasingly dynamic and connected-connected world.



MMA IS 800+ MEMBERS STRONG GLOBALLY

MARKETERS, AGENCIES, MEDIA SELLERS, TECHNOLOGY & OPERATORS





MMA Programs Transform Marketers Understanding of Marketing

The following are the core programs of the MMA

MMA Key Programs		Description
Key Think Tanks	1 Marketer Organization Think Tank (MOSTT)	Community of CMO & academics rethinking the modern marketing org; focused on measuring marketing org to financial performance. Soon to be featured in HBR
	2 Marketing Attribution Think Tank (MATT)	Community of marketing & analytics leaders committed to measurable impact & accountability by advancing people-based approaches in media measurement.
	3 Data in Marketing Think Tank (DATT)	Focused on supporting marketers in their ingesting, applying and success with data in marketing. Eventually, group is to be regulatory voice of CMOs on Data. In development
Funded Research	4 Brand as Performance (BaP) *	Industry consortium to first time ever measure the impact of Brand, a core element of marketing success. Will likely to produce a new growth framework for brands. (\$850k)
	5 First-Second Strategy (Cognition 2 study)	Groundbreaking new Cognition Neuroscience Research project set out to understand how consumers process information. Cog 2 will look at time's effect on impact.
	6 SMOX (Modern Marketing Mix)	Series of 14 studies that examine mobile's role in a multi-channel (TV to mobile) world, with empirical evidence on dynamics of the modern marketing mix.
	7 Location Privacy Alliance (LPA) *	Focused on development of a Hippocratic Oath for the application of location data to marketing. Second phase is developing regulatory education materials
Key Member Councils	8 Mobile Fraud Tool & Council *	Member council created better help our members stay ahead of Mobile marketing fraud by assessing, evaluating, and combatting Fraud. Fraud assessment tool coming.
	9 Brand Safety Council (SAVE)	Marketer-led council created to ensure safeguards for brands in all marketing environments, to protect the brand's reputation and marketing investment.
	10 RCS/SMS/OTT Messaging	Member Committee focused on the roll-out of RCS across the US, and preparing an "RCS Center of Excellence" that issues regular guidance on this new function.
	11 MMA Events	35+ event across 16 countries globally, from 350 to 2,000 attendees.
	12 MMA Smarties	Awards Program that offers marketers multiple opportunities to showcase their best work in modern marketing around the world. Includes a business impact index

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MMA COVID-19 Marketer Support Hub

#WeAreInItTogether

The most comprehensive central resource for information on the coronavirus pandemic as well as guidance for brands on how to navigate marketing during the worldwide crisis. Information is constantly being curated and loaded in real time, the hub is searchable by the different regions the MMA serves (North America, APAC, EMEA and LATAM) and includes:

- 1 An aggregation of critical information on Covid-19's impact around the world
- 2 Tools and tips for managing teams remotely, crisis guidance as well as programs to support small businesses
- 3 Marketing and advertising best practices and current consumer trends to help brand members make more informed decisions
- 4 Some light moments with staff picks on the humorous videos and memes circulating

We'd love to include your content.

If you are an MMA Member with Resources / Programs / Research that is focused on helping brand marketers, we'd love to include your information in the hub,



Please visit <https://www.mmaglobal.com/marketersupporthub/weareinitttogether>



MMA IMPACT VIRTUAL

THE FUTURE OF MODERN MARKETING
MAY 18-19, 2020

MMA IMPACT 2020: Building Capabilities for the Modern Marketer

MMA IMPACT 2020 is designed to help brand marketers enhance and build their internal marketing capabilities. In fact, last year, more than half of MMA member companies in attendance registered multiple marketing team members to leverage the opportunity of this accelerated learning over two rich days of content.

PAST ATTENDEES INCLUDE



Vivian Chang
VP Growth, Nutranext
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Babak Farrokh-Siar
Vice President, Head
of National Business
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Acorns



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UNPLUGGED VIRTUAL

JUNE 9, 2020 JUNE 10, 2020

MMA Unplugged Virtual Events offer marketers a deep dive into some of their most pressing challenges and opportunities. Topics are often aligned closely to industry-wide initiatives being led collaboratively by the MMA and our marketer members.

MATT UNPLUGGED

FUTURE OF ATTRIBUTION



JUNE 9, 2020 | VIRTUAL

Register for MATT Unplugged Virtual

MATT Unplugged brings together marketers, measurement and attribution experts to discuss how the latest measurement methodologies need to align more closely to marketer objectives as well as explore the challenges and obstacles marketers face around Multi-Touch Attribution.



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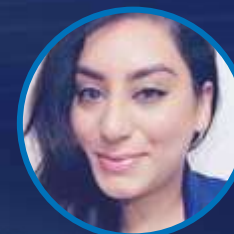
DATA IN MARKETING THINK TANK



JUNE 10, 2020 | VIRTUAL

Register for DATT Unplugged Virtual

In the age of 1st party, 3rd party, and more recently 2nd party data, complexity proliferates of how marketers use data effectively. Not to mention, with constant developments in nearly every aspect of the ecosystem, from regulatory activities to OS systems to browsers/cookie usage, combined with many marketer moves to data-driven businesses like DTC and we have a recipe for chaos. DATT Unplugged will bring together privacy experts, brand marketers and data junkies to unravel this complicated quagmire.



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Accelerating Campaigns with AI

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TODAY'S AGENDA

- Who we are
- AI's promise
- How AI can improve the customer journey
- Proven Success: How AI is driving campaign performance
 - IBM Watson Ads & Best Western
 - IBM Advertising Accelerator & Best Western
- How to get started testing AI technology
- Post Covid consumer behavior
- Putting AI to work

Who We Are | **Jamie Molnar**

Jamie Molnar is the Product Marketing Leader for AI & Emerging Tech at IBM Watson Advertising. In this role, Molnar is responsible for conceiving and executing the go-to-market strategy for Watson Advertising's suite of AI & Emerging Tech offerings. Previously, she focused on IBM's suite of data and media offerings.

Molnar's cumulative digital marketing knowledge and expertise is built on nearly 20 years of experience working for major publishers such as CNN, The Weather Channel, and MSN. Molnar holds a bachelor's degree in Psychology from Georgia State University. As a vegan, she is currently working towards a plant-based nutrition certificate and resides in Atlanta, Ga.



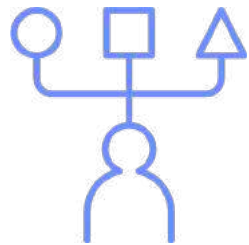


Who We Are | **Laura Jensen**

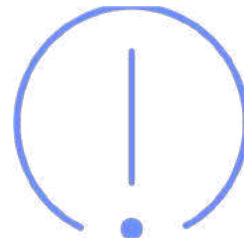
Laura Jensen is a digital media and integrated marketing expert. She specializes in building industry leading solutions for her brand clients by crafting strategic, first-to-market, customized marketing campaigns. A digital-first, data-driven approach is key to Laura's professional success, which has been recognized as award winning by industry experts such as HSMAI and Magellan for travel, and Ad Week for "Ad Agency of the Year" in 2019. Laura has over 8+ years of experience in the Digital Marketing and Advertising industry, working across the verticals of Travel, Tech, Beauty, and Retail. Laura is a Virginia native, New York City advertising veteran, and current Los Angeles resident.

Today's Key Takeaways

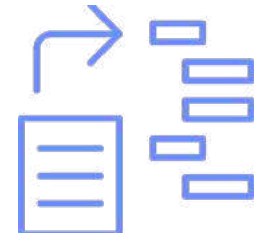
Discover the benefits
of leveraging AI to
improve the customer
journey



Hear about recent
campaign successes
when advanced AI is
leveraged



Learn how to start
leveraging AI
immediately to
improve campaign
performance



AI's promise

\$98
billion

Predicted spending on
AI the next 3 years
(IDC)

\$16
trillion

Expected economic
gains from AI in the next
decade (PwC)

“One of the major forces
for society and lifestyle of
the next decade.”

– Tom Mitchell,
Machine-learning professor
Carnegie Mellon University


“Not too long ago, ad development was mostly a creative endeavor. It still is, but businesses must look beyond creativity if they want their ads to be effective. Today, it's all about targeting and delivering the right message.”

Jason Hall Forbes



How AI can improve the customer journey

How do you think about the benefits in leveraging AI to improve the customer journey?

A dark, blue-tinted background image showing a business meeting. In the foreground, a person's hand holds a pen over a tablet. Another person's hand is visible holding a pen. A glass of water with ice is on the left. A bar chart is visible in the bottom right corner.

**Is this something brands are
asking for or something you
recommend and convince
them to test?**

Proven Success: How AI is driving campaign performance

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Advertising Innovation



Digital Innovation



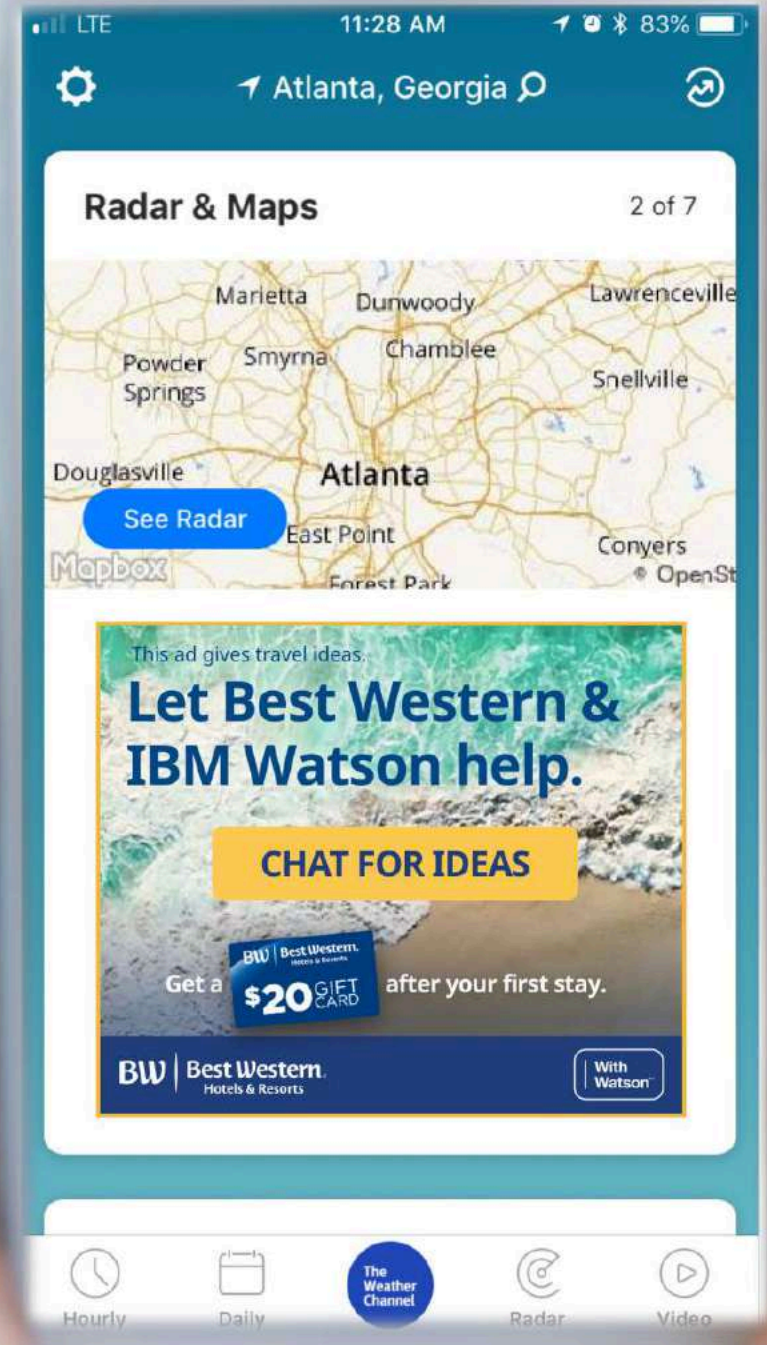
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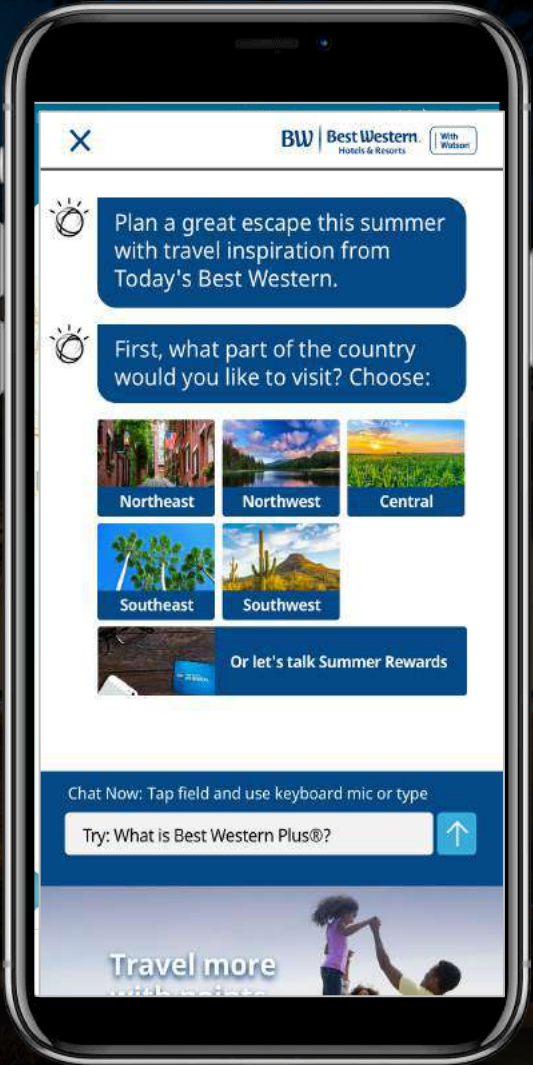
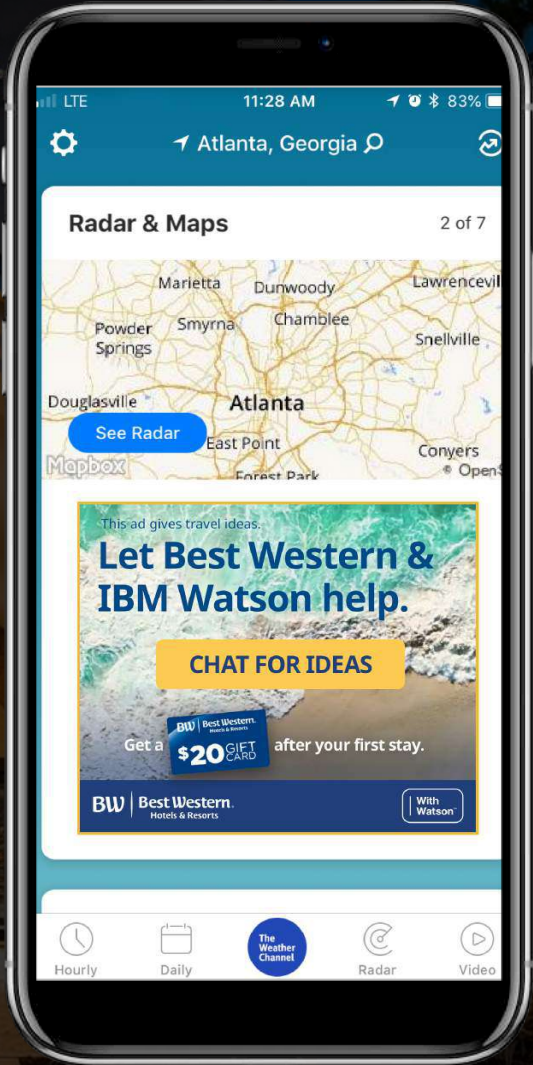
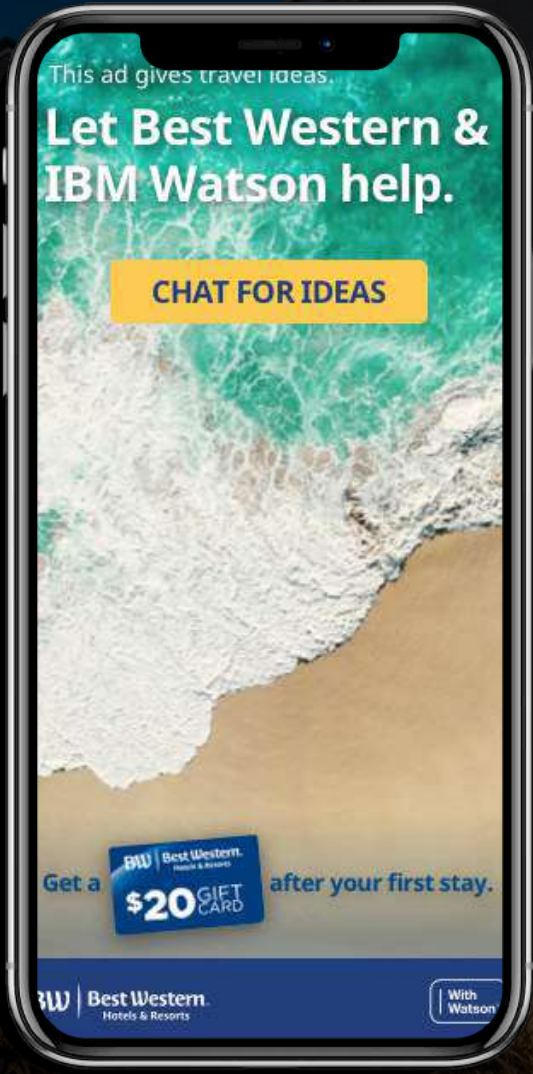
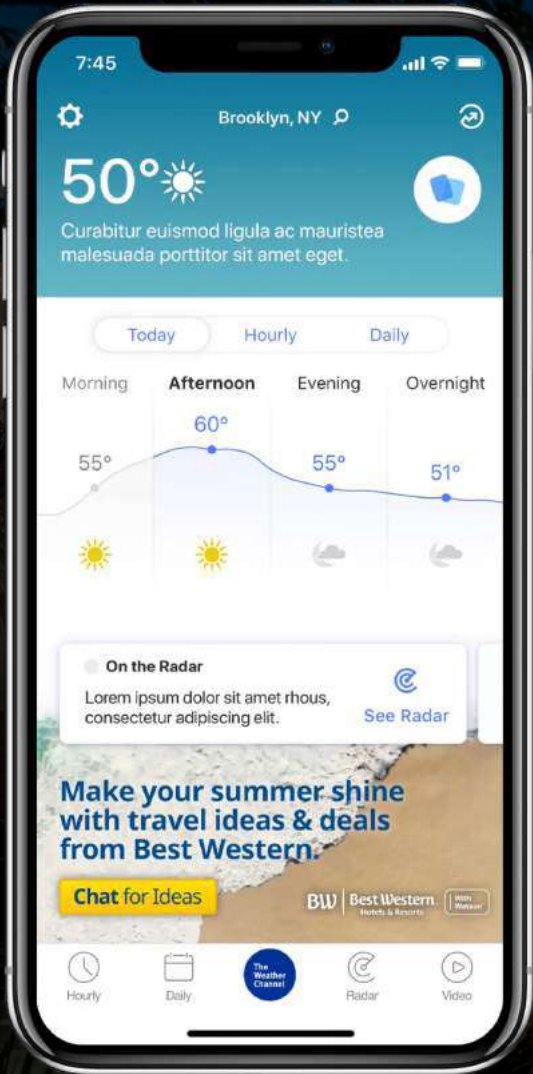
Watson Ads:

AI Powered Conversations

Engaging AI-driven experiences allow brands to connect with consumers at a 1:1 level nearly anywhere in the digital ecosystem, by delivering unique engagements at scale designed to solve marketing goals ranging from awareness to lower-funnel, all while returning powerful insights to brands.



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Watson Ads

Conversations with Consumers

Close Button

Quick Picks

User Input Field

Rewards & Offers
Callout Section

Rewards At
A Glance

Plan a great escape this summer with travel inspiration from Today's Best Western.

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Central

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Southwest

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Chat More

Learn More

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Rewards At A Glance

Diamond Select

Rewards

Bonus Points for Eligible Stay 50%

Points Never Expire ✓

No Blackout Dates ✓

Exclusive Reservation Line ✓

Free Night Redemptions Count Towards Elite Status ✓

Early Check-In / Late Check-Out¹ ✓

Choice of Thank You Gift or Points Upon Arrival ✓

Room Upgrade² ✓

Qualifications³

Nights: 50 Qualifying Stays: 40 Points: 50,000

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¹ Early check-in & late check-out, subject to availability.

² Specialty rooms or suites may not qualify for room upgrades.

³ Activity required per calendar year to achieve or maintain status. Only points earned on eligible stays will count towards elite qualification.

Rewards Carousel
Controls

Rewards CTA

Video Section

BW Locator

Footer

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Best Western's Watson Ads campaign continues to drive incremental visits to Best Western locations

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BEST WESTERN REWARDS

OFFERS

CUSTOMER SERVICE

BRANDS

Save now with our lowest rates. Enter your email

Enter your email address

Important Update For Our Guests - [COVID-19 Response And Cancellations](#)

DESTINATION

City, Address, Attraction, Airport

CHECK-IN

04-May-2020

CHECK-OUT

05-May-2020

1 NIGHT

ROOM 1



1 Adult



0 Children



RATES

+ ROOM

Select Rate

34%

INCREMENTAL LIFT
COMPARED TO AN
AUDIENCE-
MATCHED
CONTROL GROUP

12,999

INCREMENTAL
VISITS TO BEST
WESTERN
LOCATIONS

What if your advertising could **stop reacting** and **start predicting**? Now it can.



Introducing: IBM Advertising Accelerator with Watson

How it works:

IBM Advertising Accelerator with Watson is a new offering that continuously learns and predicts the optimal combination of creative and copy elements to **drive the highest engagement and conversion** for a given audience. In the process, Accelerator also leverages Watson to help advertisers **uncover their target audiences' composition and preferences**

Available in the U.S. only, via Desktop & Mobile Web, iOS and Android Apps.

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Key benefits:

Predict:

Advanced Watson AI rapidly learns the optimal mix of creative elements to help drive engagement.

Personalize:

Serves unique creative to each performance group based on message resonance.

Evaluate:

Goes beyond simple campaign reporting to reveal robust insights that can be applied to future campaigns.

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Campaign Goals

National
Hotel Chain

Key Focus
on Business
Travelers

Key Focus
on
conquering
competitive
travelers



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What is your recommendation for:

- Those that don't even know where to start
- Anyone who needs help understanding how AI can improve their campaigns

A woman with long dark hair, wearing a dark sleeveless top, is sitting at a table in a dimly lit room. She is holding a smartphone with both hands and looking at the screen with a slight smile. The background is dark and out of focus, showing some shelves or a wall with small items.

Post COVID-19: What Can We Expect From Consumer Behavior

Putting AI to Work

Anticipate the impact of consumers' new mindset



Choose solutions that leverage advanced AI



Always lead with the problem



Work with the experts and invest in tools and resources to unlock data

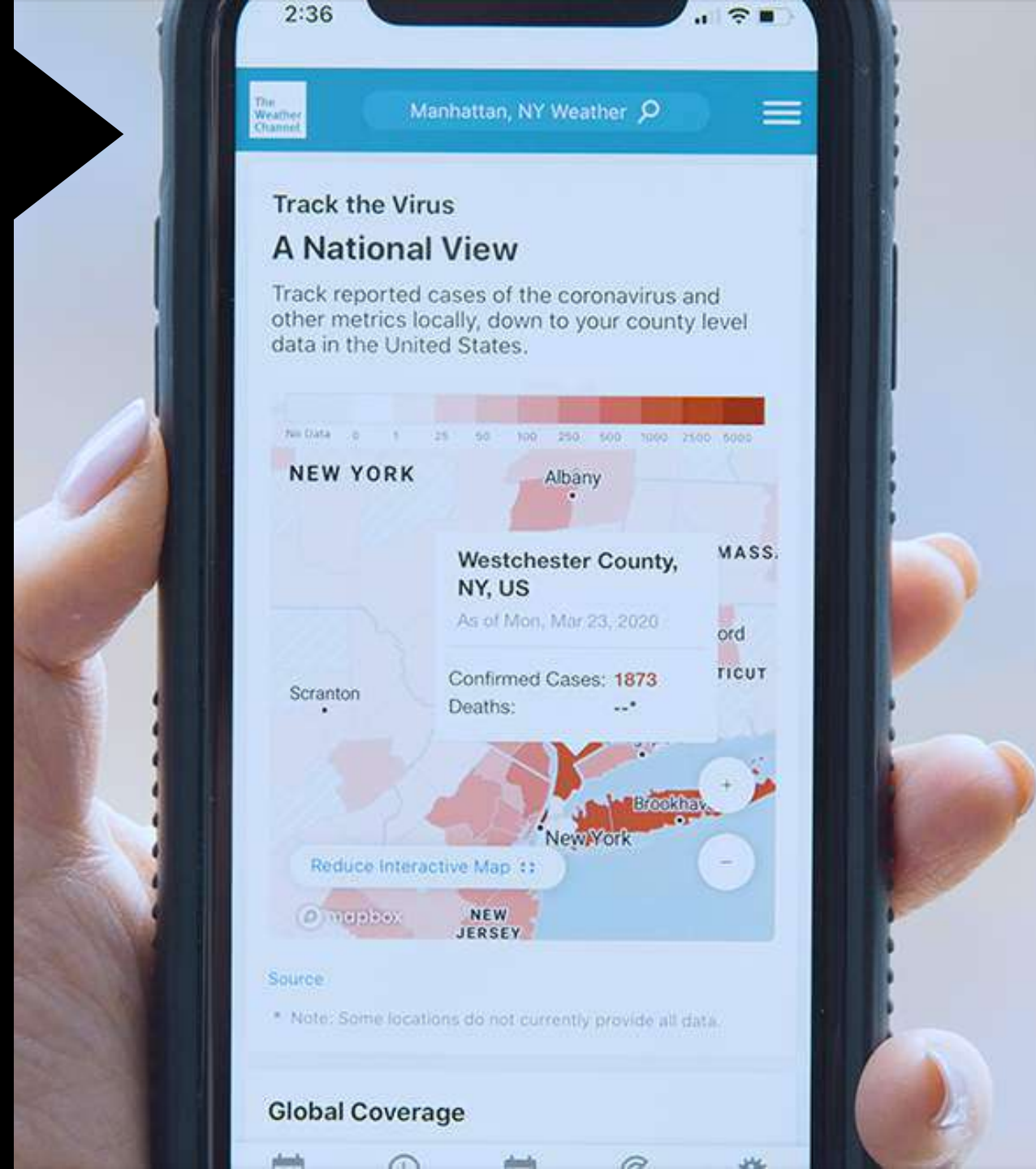


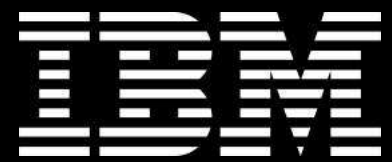
IBM Resources

IBM has launched an informational hub to help provide trusted information around coronavirus (COVID-19) in the United States, and soon worldwide. This includes the latest news and a map that tracks reported cases of the virus down to the county level in the United States.

IBM has also developed an AI-powered chatbot to address consumers' questions and concerns about COVID-19 quickly and accurately. Powered by IBM Watson, the chatbot provides access to reliable content from the Centers for Disease Control & Prevention (CDC) and World Health Organization (WHO).

You can find the hub at weather.com/coronavirus, as well as on The Weather Channel app.





MMA | WEBINAR SERIES

Check out full list of all available webinars [here](#).

Presented by iconectiv: Numbers Matter: Building Brand and Keeping Customer Trust in Omni-Channel

Tuesday, May 12 | 2:00pm – 3:00pm EST

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Presented by Infobip: Will RCS Steal The Spotlight From Messaging Apps? What the Next Generation of Texting Means for Brands

Wednesday, May 13 | 2:00pm – 3:00pm EST

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Presented by MATT: The Journey To Achieve MTA Success: How to Initiate an MTA Process

Thursday, May 28 | 2:00pm – 3:00pm EST

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 Thank you!