

#### The Programmatic (R)evolution

Causes, Effects & a Framework to thrive in it!



A revolution (from the Latin *revolutio*, "a turn around") is a fundamental **change** in **power** or **organizational structures** that takes place in a relatively **short period of time**.

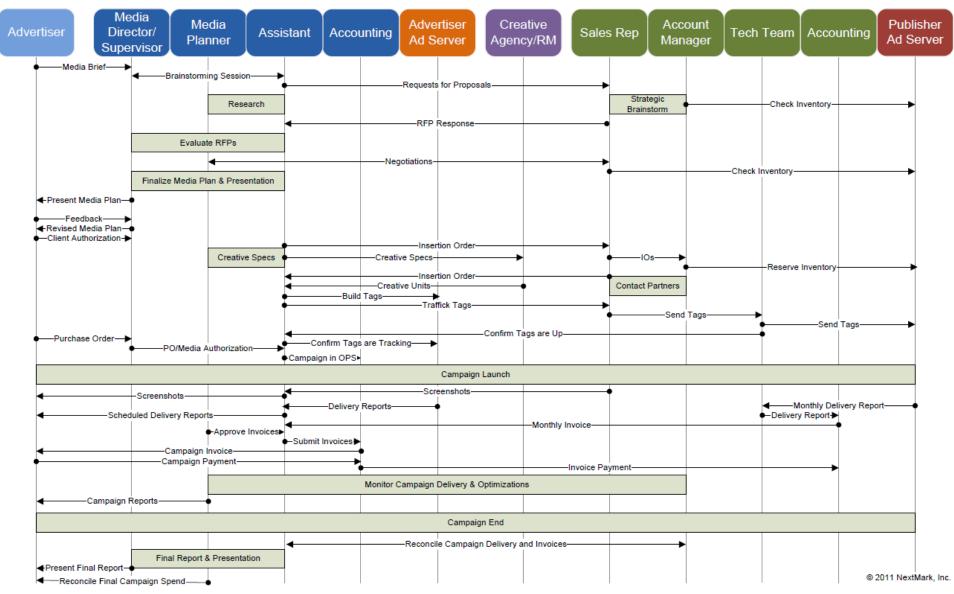
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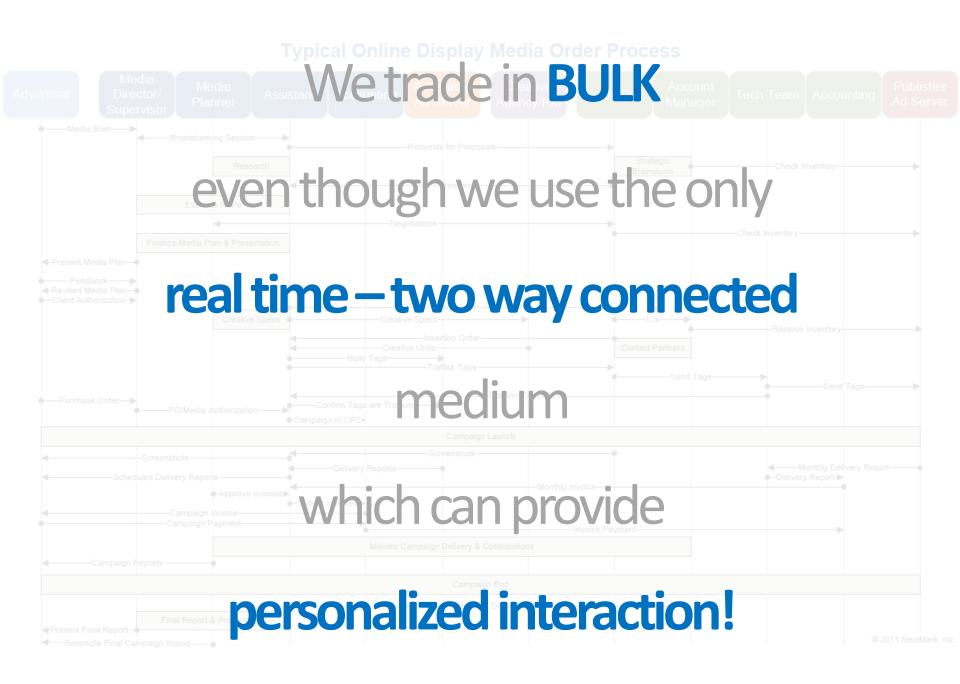






#### **Typical Online Display Media Order Process**





# Top level view the ecosystem

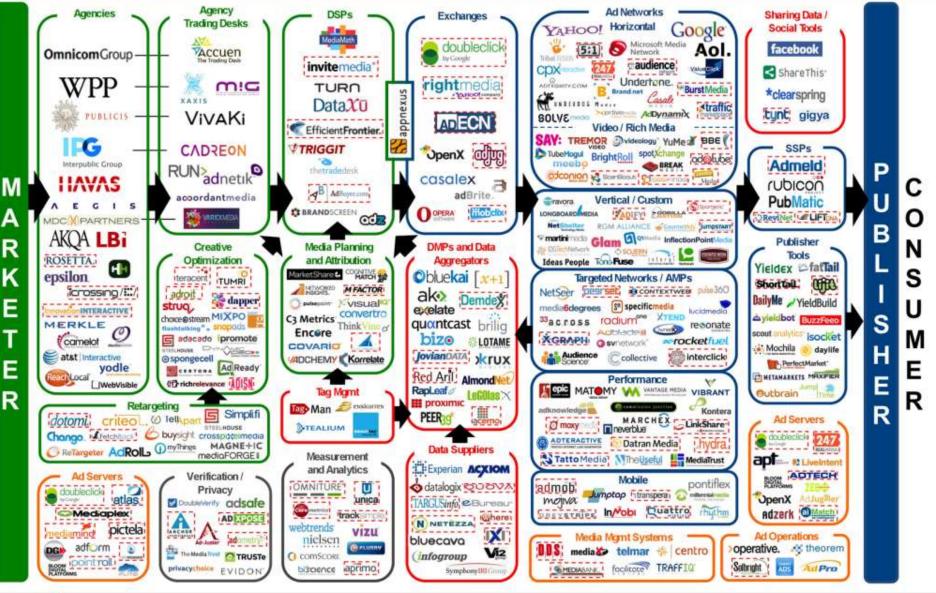
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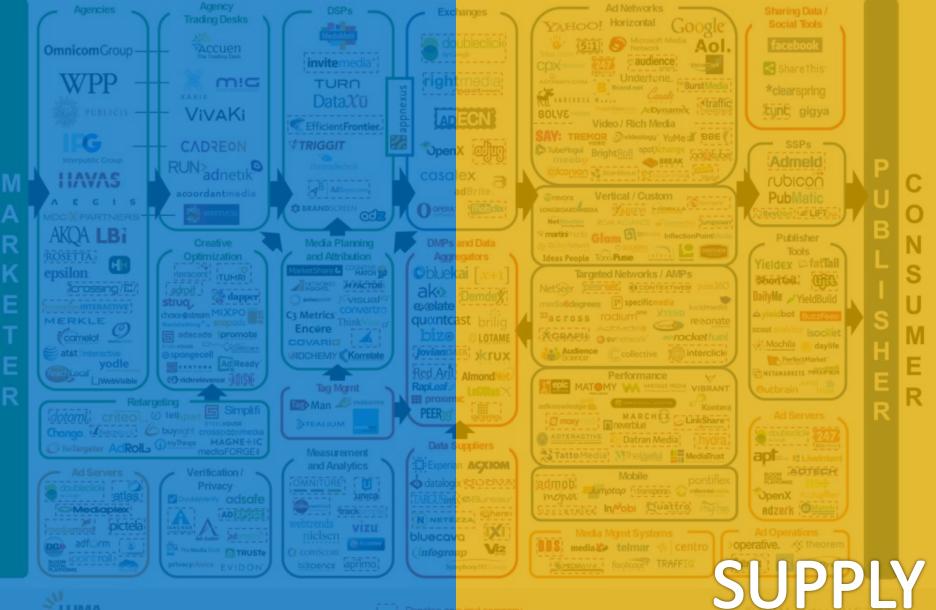
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#### **DISPLAY LUMA**scape





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Denotes acquired company

#### The market stakeholders

#### > Large international players have emerged

- > Global Internet media companies
- > Global Advertising Agency Groups

> These international entities are ideal trading partners because of their size and offer and have disrupted local traditional media companies

- > Emergence of smaller agencies & publishers increases fragmentation
- > Display advertising budgets are on the rise globally although not still commanding the proper share based on Display SOV
- > But local publishers don't necessarily follow this trend

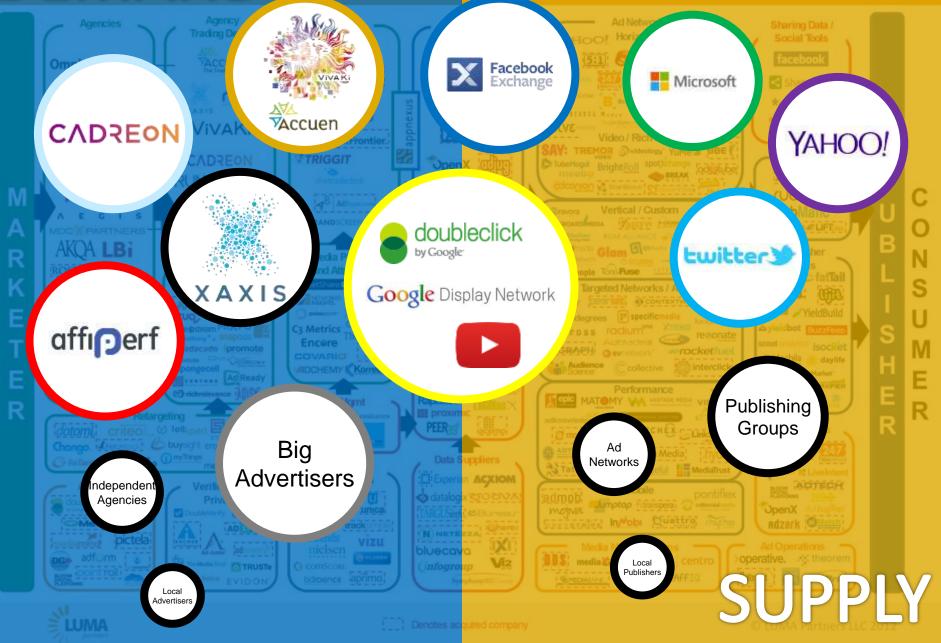
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#### The technology evolution

- > New technologies coming of age
  - > RTB
  - > Big Data
  - > Viewability / Visibility
- > Global technology & infrastructure providers have emerged
- > Programmatic trading is rapidly growing globally
  - > Adopted by large global media companies
  - > Embraced by medium small advertisers
  - > Strategically selected by big agency groups
- > All the major global players are building centralized technology capabilities
- > The digitization of traditional media (TV, radio, outdoor) has already begun

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Connecting the dots the causes of the revolution

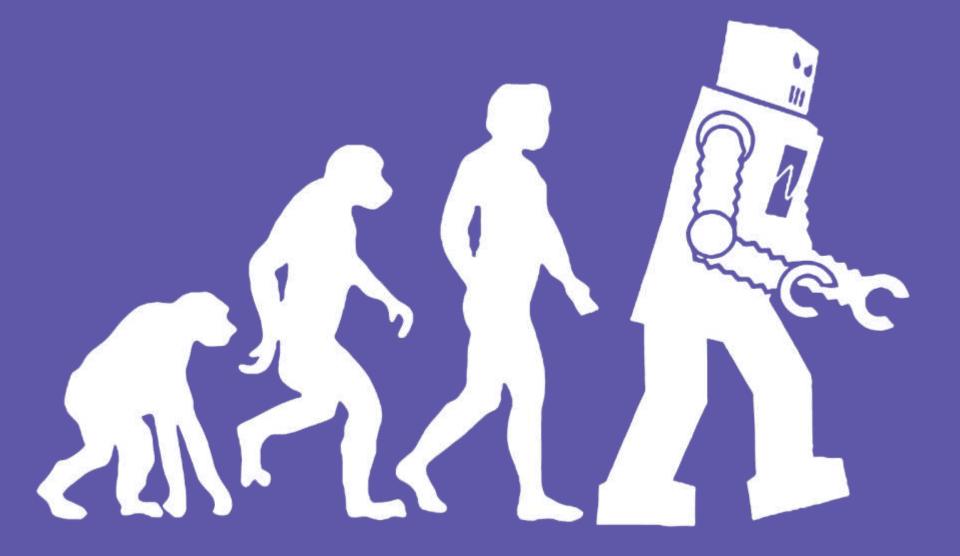
#### Ingredients for a (R)evolution

#### > Technology!!!

- > Globalization of Digital Marketing ecosystem
- Fully connected two way communication
- > Capacity for personalized messaging
- > Potential for Automation
- > Data Data Data (aka Big Data)
- > Emergence of Global Internet Media Giants
- > Global consolidation of Agency groups
- > Lower barriers to entry smaller players
- > A disruption programmatic Ad trading



## Vive la (R)evolution! Programmatic clarified & explained...



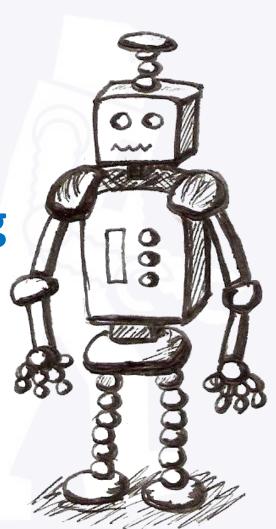
#### Let's start with a definition

"Programmatic buying is the **process** of executing **media buys** in an **automated** fashion through **digital platforms** such as: exchanges, trading desks, demand-side platforms (DSPs) and supply-side platforms (SSPs).

This method replaces the traditional use of manual RFPs [Requests For Proposal], negotiations and insertion orders to purchase digital media."

(Business Insider, September 2012)

The Core Revolution: Automation of media buying and selling (through technology)



### The protocol for automation is called

# **RTB = Real Time Bidding**

An online advertising technology that enables you to trade display advertising inventory

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- impression-by-impression
- in real-time
- on an auction basis

## & Data

Affecting the valuation of each impression

### The underlying evolution

# **From Media Planning**

Attempt to reach the right person with the right message at the right time

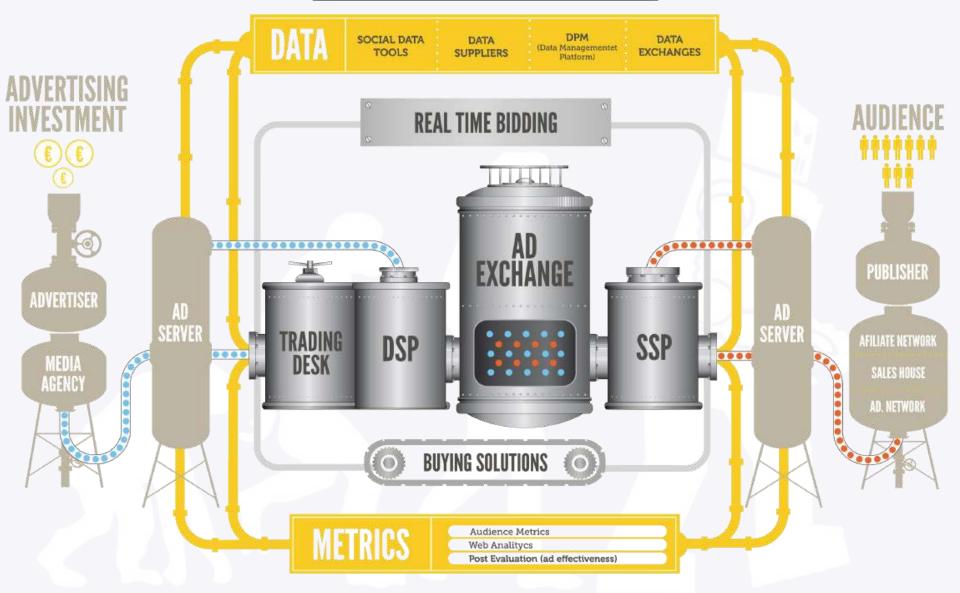
- Using historical information
- Buying in bulk
- Post Campaign Evaluation

# **To Audience Planning**

Evaluate each impression in real time against the desired audience profile

- Using real time information
- Post impression evaluation & feedback

### **PROGRAMMATIC BUYING ECOSYSTEMS**



### Definitions

- AdExchange = Online automated marketplace that facilitates the buying and selling of inventory across multiple SSPs and DSPs
- Demand Side Platform (DSP) = An advertising technology platform which allows marketers to manage their online media campaigns by facilitating the automated buying of display media and audience data across multiple inventory and data suppliers in a centralized management platform.
- Supply Side Platform (SSP) = An advertising technology platform which enables the suppliers of online ads (Publishers) to offer their inventory through AdExchange(s)
- Real Time Bidding (RTB) = It's a technology protocol facilitating one of the possible automated trading mechanisms – a real time auction. For the time being it's the prevailing mechanism to accomplish automated trading and as such it's commonly used in place of the more general term Programmatic. In reality RTB is part of Programmatic.
- Data Management Platform (DMP) = a unified technology platform that intakes disparate first-, second-, and third-party data sets, provides normalization and segmentation on that data, and allows a user to push the resulting segmentation into live interactive channel environments for private use and / or monetization.

### **One to One**

Non RTB Automates Traditional Direct Sales Longer Commitments Audience Buying

### **Few to Few**

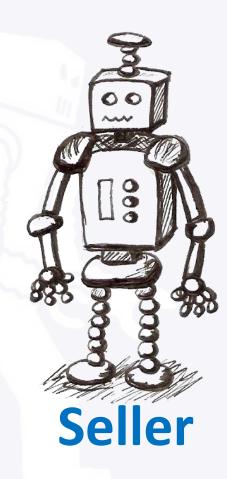
#### Known as Private Marketplace

Non RTB & RTB Both parties know each other Extension of Traditional Direct Sales Automated Trading Audience Buying

## Many to Many

#### Known as **Open Ad Exchange**

RTB Parties don't necessarily know each other Automated Trading Audience Buying



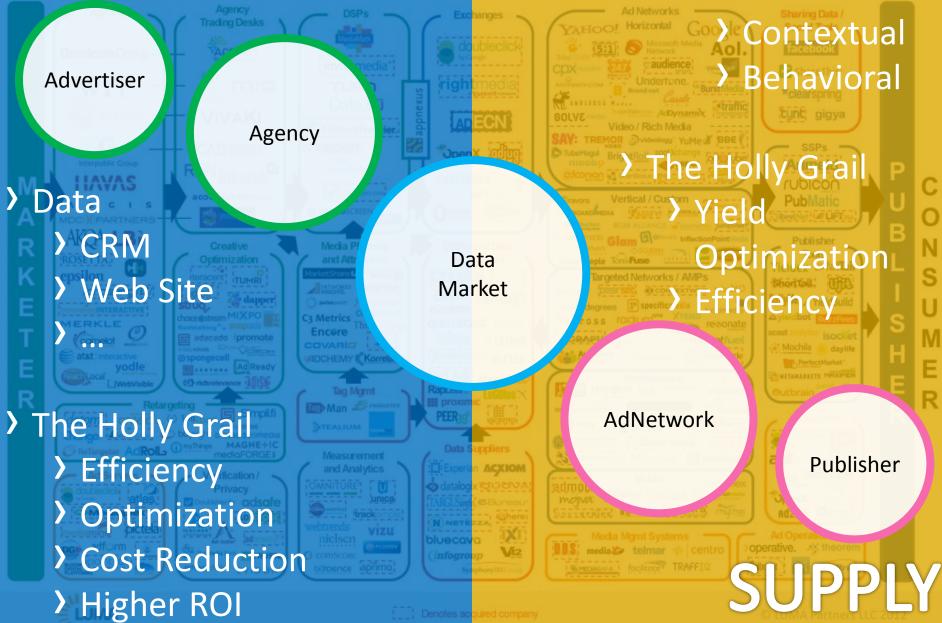
#### More than an open bidding exchange...

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**Buyer** 

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# > Data > Web Site



# (R)evolution effects The wind of Change

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### The (R)evolution effects

#### > New Business Opportunities

- > Re-evaluate current business models & enhance them with automation & Data
- Introduce new business models (e.g. private marketplace, audience extension)
- More monetization channels available must work together and not against each other
- > Local Publisher Alliances an answer to the global market dynamics

#### > Organizational challenges

- Re structure according to the evolving skillsets needed
- > Select your technology partners

#### > The Data conundrum

- > What data do I own / can collect?
- > How do I use them?

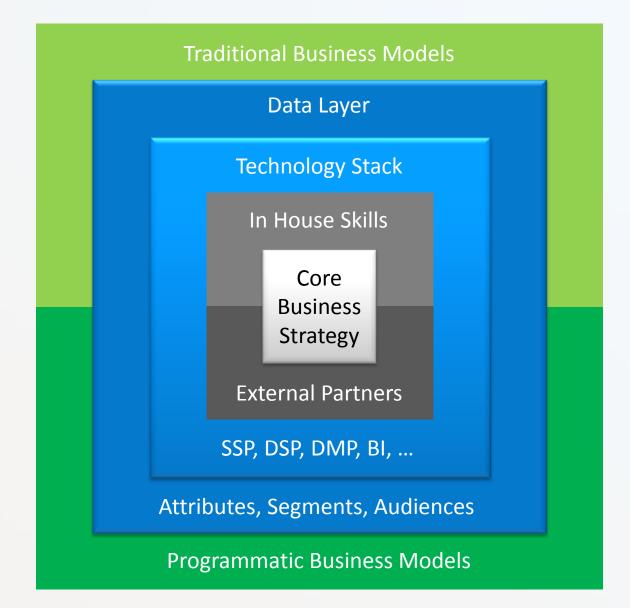
#### > Change & Evolve

- > It's never easy
- It's unavoidable
- > It's not replacing everything



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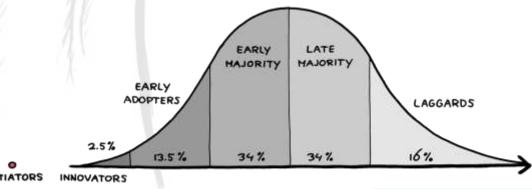
# A Structured Framework for the Programmatic (R)evolution



### **Final thoughts**

- > The **Programmatic (R)evolution** is already here & you can't afford to let it continue without you!
- > It's technology disrupting our traditional business models as has happened before in other domains (e.g. airlines, hotels etc.)
- It's not making humans redundant, it's automating trivial tasks freeing up more time for creativity
- > Use the **framework** to structure your approach
- > Don't reinvent the wheel use it to build value







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