

# WELCOME TO INNOVATE

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# WHAT A YEAR!

## 2016-2017 TIMELINE



### SEPTEMBER 2016

Smart Communications launches as independent company backed by Accel-KKR



### JANUARY 2017

Smart Communications names new CFO, CMO and CTO



### MARCH 2017

Launched rebranding with Scale the Conversation™



### JULY 2017

Insurance customer saving over \$5M per year with a 35% reduction in print and mail communications



### SEPTEMBER 2017

Guidewire and Smart Communications surpass 65 joint customers, 150%+ from a year ago

### TODAY

Kickoff  
INNOVATE US!



### DECEMBER 2016

Celent Research: 75% of FS institutions agree – Validates CCM is the center of a multi-channel comm strategy



### MARCH 2017

Smart Communications Innovation continues with SC16 Release



### MAY 2017

Banking customer realizes total benefit of \$16.7M and an ROI of 260% over a 3-year period



### AUGUST 2017

Signed new SMARTCaaS™ partners: Cloud Margin & Casenet



### SEPTEMBER 2017

Smart Communications Innovation continues with SC17 Release

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2017 INDUSTRY RECOGNITION, AWARDS AND LEADERSHIP



## JANUARY 2017

Gartner recognizes Smart Communications as the only cloud solution on its 2017 CCM Magic Quadrant. Smart Communications named a "Leader"



## MAY 2017

CIOReview names Smart Communications "20 Most Promising Insurance Technology Solution Providers 2017"



## JULY 2017

Named "2017 Hot Companies in Customer Experience" by DOCUMENT Strategy magazine



## AUGUST 2017

"Smart Communications: 100% Focus on Next-Gen Customer Communications Management" from SMA Research



## SEPTEMBER 2017

Smart Communications named as the winner of "XCelent Technology" in Celent's Xcelent Awards.

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By embracing the SmartSTART approach, we've been able to get to market faster than we could with any of the other solutions. **This is the first time in my career where a vendor has under-promised and overdelivered.**

Executive Director, Indiana Farm Bureau



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# DIGITAL

Disrupt. Transform. Repeat.  
That's the new normal.  
Done right, cloud not only  
drives that reality-it can  
turn it into your advantage.

Deloitte's end-to-end  
capabilities and understanding  
of your business and industry  
help amplify the transformative  
value of cloud.

**Deloitte.**

# IN 3 TO 5 YEARS

There will be a significant  
increase in business  
embracing wide-scale digital  
transformation plans.

2017  
CUSTOMER  
ENGAGEMENT  
RESEARCH  
MAR 8



DON'T WANT  
YOUR CYBER  
ATTACKED?

# MOVE TO THE CLOUD.

The latest malware attack  
should motivate business to  
get their security act together.

**Bloomberg  
Businessweek**

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And it's not just  
moving to digital  
for digital sake...

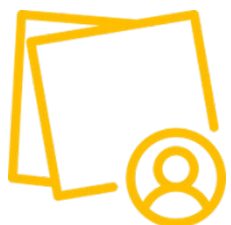
**72%** of business leaders  
say that **improving the  
customer experience**  
is their top priority.

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# WHAT ARE WE HEARING?

How are leading companies thinking about digital transformation and delivering the right customer conversations today?



## Customers Expect Personalization

Consumers today expect personalized, relevant, interactive communications on their terms and in their preferred channel(s).



## There is a Communication Gap

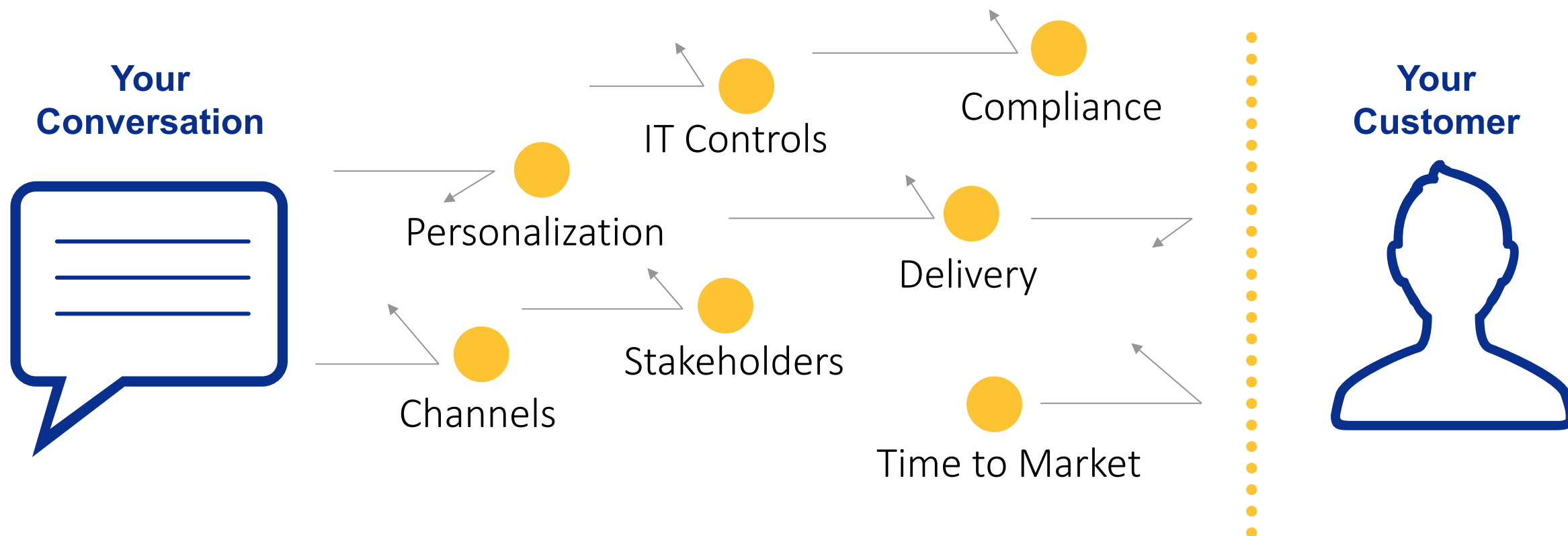
Companies have a big gap between how they want to communicate and what most Customer Communications Management (CCM) solutions will actually let them do.



## Technology is Always Moving

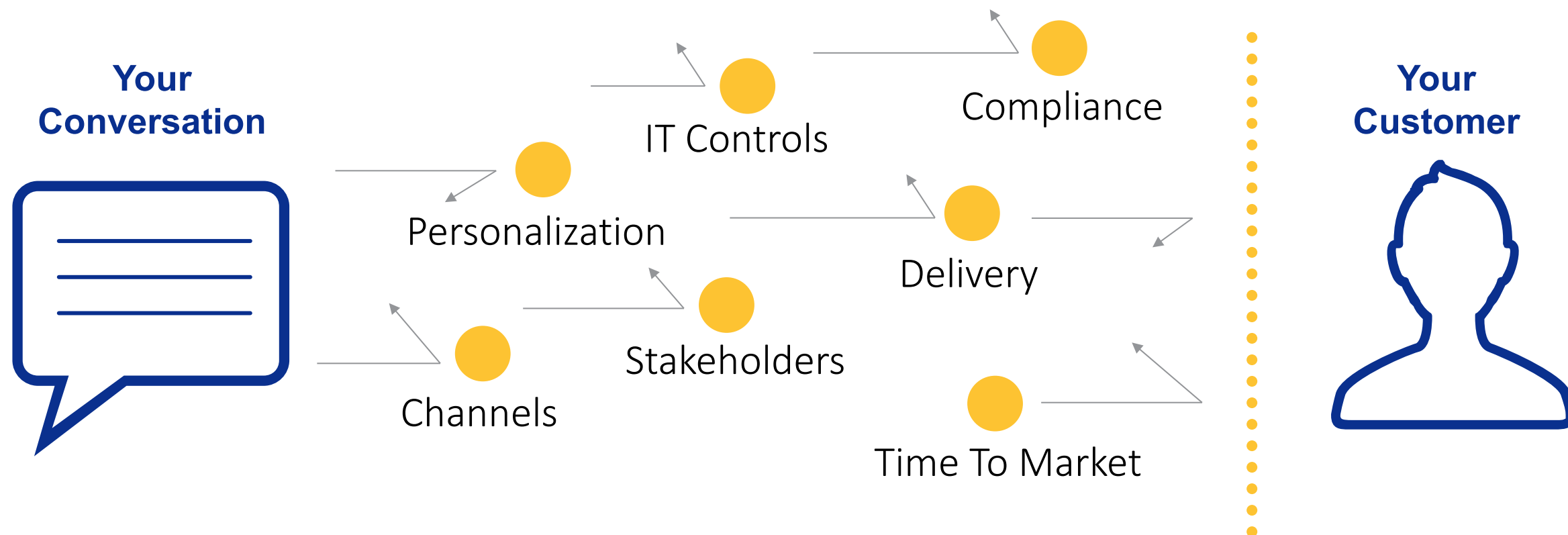
With the emergence of new technologies and consumer trends, the gap keeps getting wider.

# CONVERSATION BARRIERS

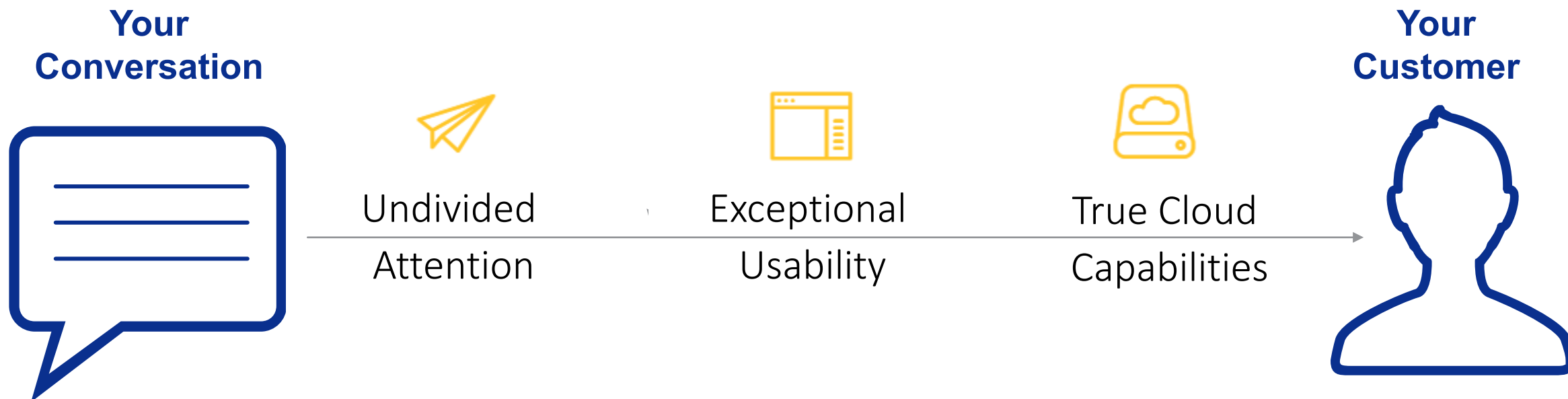




# HOW DO WE COMBAT THESE BARRIERS?



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# OUR FIVE PILLARS



# OUR EVENT THEME



## INTERACT

Collaborate with other customers, partners, industry experts and the Smart Communications team



## EMPOWER

Understand where Smart Communications is heading and provide feedback.  
Let your voice be heard!



## SCALE

Have fun, enjoy the venue and conversation, and SCALE your knowledge



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