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HR Technology Trends and Market Overview

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Discussion Topics

- Market Trends and Disruptions
- Resulting HR Technology Trends
- Setting Your Technology Roadmap
- Vendor/Solution Selection
- HR Technology Market Point of View & Peer Discussion



Market Trends and Disruptions

Disruptions Everywhere...

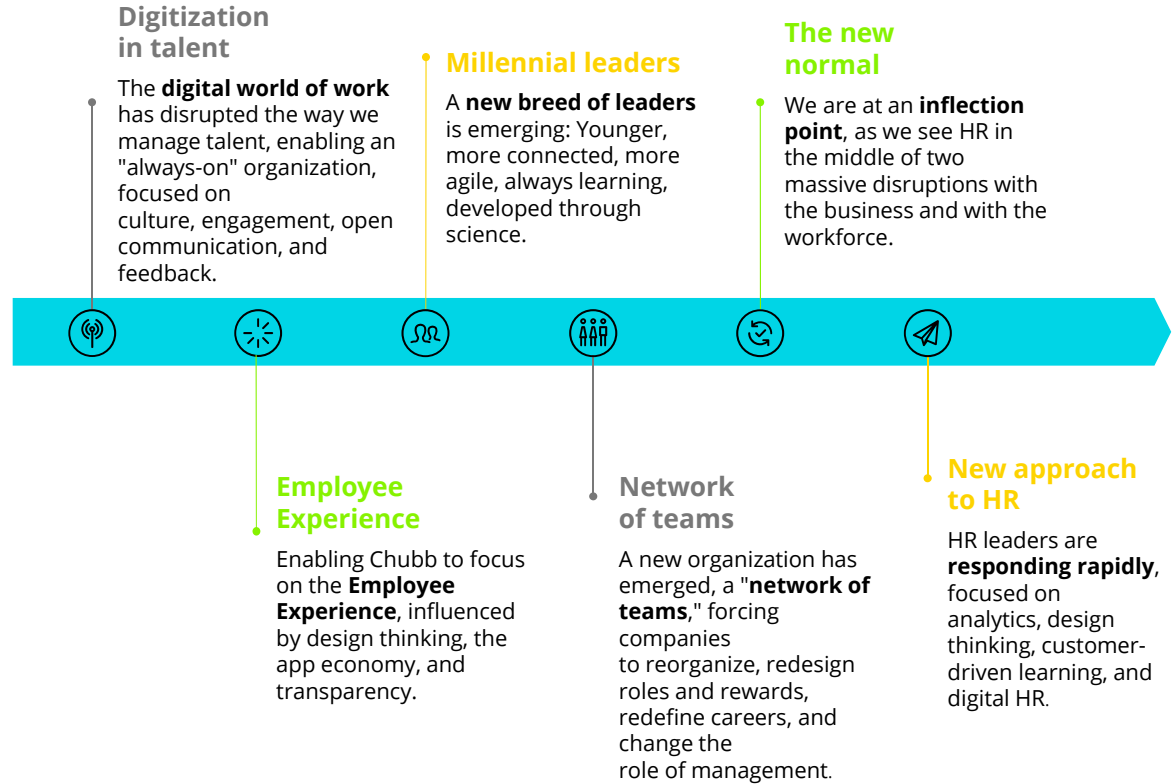
Many orgs will be in the middle of several disruptions that will challenge the current culture, organizational structure and capabilities



- The **changing workforce** has different expectations of their work environment, culture and technology enablement. The nature of work itself is changing, requiring different skills and greater collaboration to develop and execute strategies. New knowledge workers replace experienced managers
- Many employees will need to develop **new capabilities** to support the new organization
- The organization must be able to quickly respond to **market changes** including product development and merger & acquisition activity. Future acquisitions will bring and engage creative talent and exploit new market opportunities
- An imminent **move to the cloud** will likely change the way work gets done

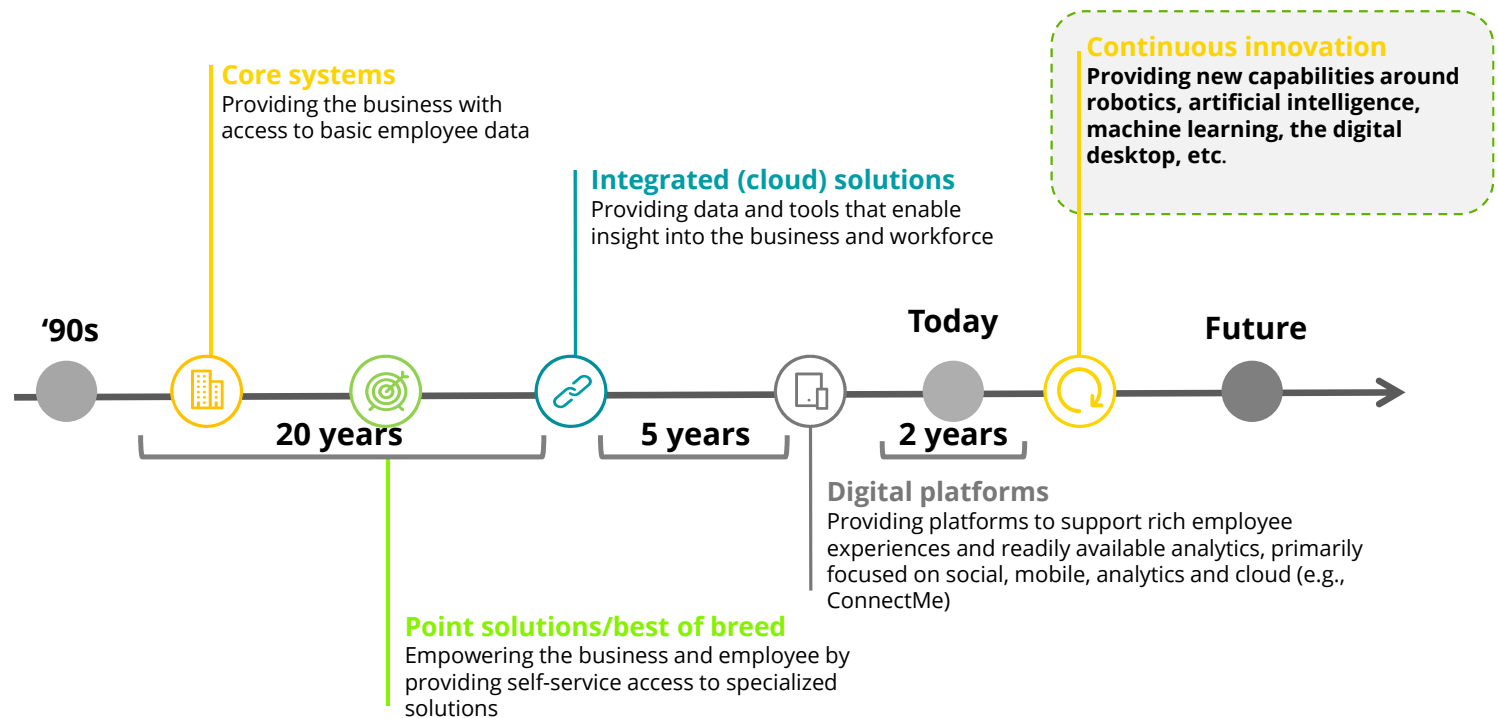
Workforce Disruptions

These 6 marketplace disruptions are forcing a paradigm shift in how we define, measure, and support the workforce



Technology evolution is accelerating

For the first time, technology capabilities have outpaced HR's ability to adopt new tools, solutions and approaches





HR Technology Trends

Disruptions are driving HR technology trends

The market and workforce disruptions together with the accelerating technology are fueling a rapidly evolving set of trends.



Software as a Service (Cloud)

SaaS holds the potential to enable the redesign HR delivery and IT architecture to accelerate the delivery of talent strategies. With R&D cycles vastly reduced, the speed of change can become exponential



Supporting the Digital Workforce

Today's Digital Workforce expects real time, any where access to HR information and transactions, as well as tools that support collaboration and social connection.



Focus on User Experience

The consumer grade user experience is now an employee expectation.



Fewer Best of Breed Solutions

With consolidation in the market, clients are moving towards integrated solutions, and while best-of-breed solutions continue to be essential, the integrated solutions are winning in the market.



More Flexible Integration

High levels of configurability and simplified integration are essential. Common integrations need to become delivered integrations.



DIY as an Option

Development technologies and options have improved dramatically, enabling some high-performing organizations to rapidly design, build, and deploy point solutions. PaaS is also coming of age.

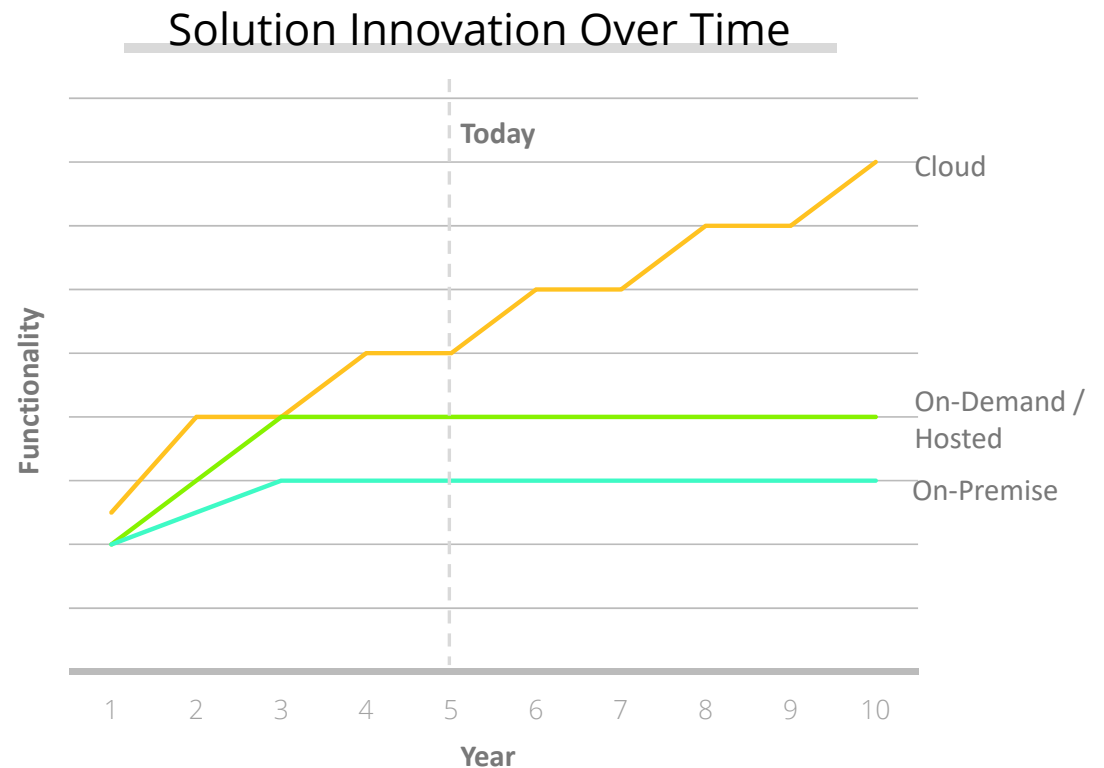


Robotics Process Automation

RPA and other more cognitive capabilities are going mainstream and are enabling HR to improve efficiency in new areas.

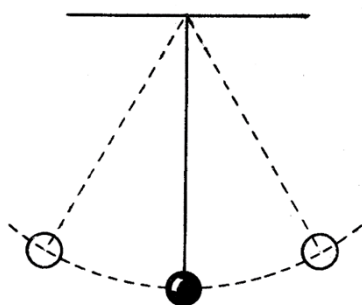
Innovation as a catalyst to moving to the cloud

While the approaching end of life for many key on-premise systems is driving some movement to the cloud, the primary driver is the lack of investment/ innovation and required continues investment in on-premise solutions



The pendulum is swinging

The balance of enterprise platform and best of breed is constantly shifting. The current trends vary greatly by functional area and by sector/industry.



Platform	Varies	Best Of Breed
● Core HR	← Base	← Learning
● Performance Management	← Compensation	← Talent Acquisition
● Succession Planning	← Management	● Incentive Compensation
● N.A. Payroll	→ Payroll outside N.A.	
→ Workforce Planning		

Key

- Stable / No Major Movements
- Moving towards Best of Breed
- ← Moving towards Platform



Setting Your HR Technology Strategy

Maximizing your Technology Investment

Setting, executing, and reevaluating a 3 to 5 year strategy is critical in navigating the rapid evolution of the HR technology market



Suggestions

Use best of breed or custom solutions in areas where it differentiates you in the external market.

Constantly innovate

Balance solution decisions based on impact to user experience and business case

Get to the cloud, build out processes, redefine data architecture, establish **governance**, and get ready for digital

Create an HR technology roadmap reevaluate regularly or as business conditions change. Stick to guiding principles

Considerations

Identify areas of differentiation as soon as possible and build those into guiding principles/guideposts

Push back on using best of breed solutions that offer minimal advantage or differentiation. IT governance is a big challenge at most

Move slow to move fast.

Don't miss the opportunity to redefine the data architecture and prepare for the future of analytics. Don't underestimate service delivery changes

Focus on **3 to 5 year strategy** and execution. Important to understand of required agility and flexibility

Your Strategic Options

Your organization has various opportunities to start becoming digital

Option	Pros	Cons
<ul style="list-style-type: none">Stay on existing on-premise solution until it gets closer to end of life	<ul style="list-style-type: none">Typically lowest cost and least effort	<ul style="list-style-type: none">Continued investment in upgrades with no significant improvements or additional capabilitiesCan continue to fall behind the market
<ul style="list-style-type: none">Introduce a “Digital Layer” to existing solution to improve workflow, user experience, and digital capabilities	<ul style="list-style-type: none">Can provide improvement at a lower price point than moving everything to the cloud	<ul style="list-style-type: none">May be a shorter term solutionIntegration can still be challenging
<ul style="list-style-type: none">Move to a unified cloud solution	<ul style="list-style-type: none">Potentially biggest impact on user experience, process efficiency, and technical simplification	<ul style="list-style-type: none">Resource intensive and costlyLack of Payroll support in the cloud

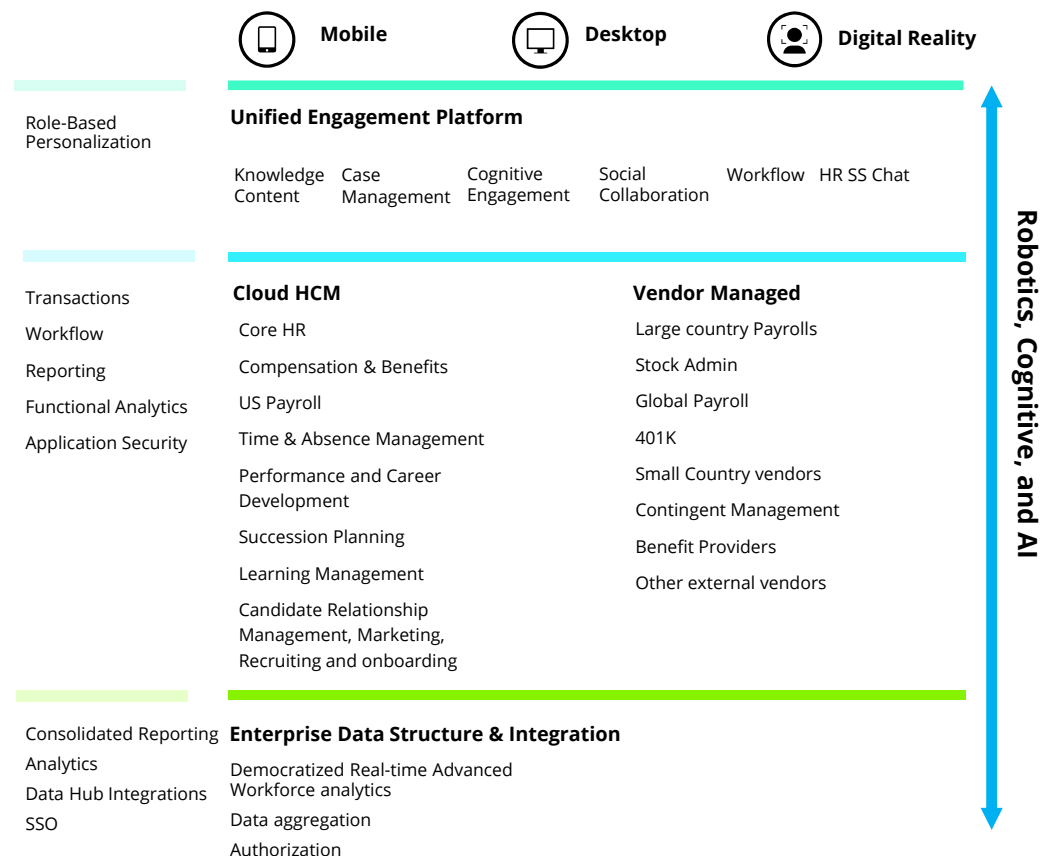
Best of Breed vs. Platform

Balancing functionality, user experience, and business case and reevaluating as requirements and products evolve

	What to Look for	Considerations
Platform	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Offered functionality meets all or most key business requirements or changes to desired process are acceptable Not an area of market differentiation (Core, Performance, Payroll) Area in question has a high impact on user experience, usability (Core, Performance, Time, Profile, Onboarding) 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Can processes or policies be modified to be more industry “standard”? Is the function or area market facing or purely internal? If internal, is it something the employees do frequently or is it a “moment that matters”?
Best of Breed	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Functionality not deep or mature Area of market differentiation (Compensation, Talent Acquisition) Area in question has a low impact on user experience, usability (Learning, Compensation, Payroll) 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Check the platform vendor’s roadmap to see when/if the required features will be available Is this an area that is evolving/changing quickly in the marketplace? If so, can the platform vendor ever catch up?

Strategic HR technology architecture

While the trend is clearly to utilize integrated core HCM technology, an ecosystem of HR solutions still drive leading global HR service delivery models



Key Traits

Intelligent personalized proactive engagement based on an individual's anticipated needs

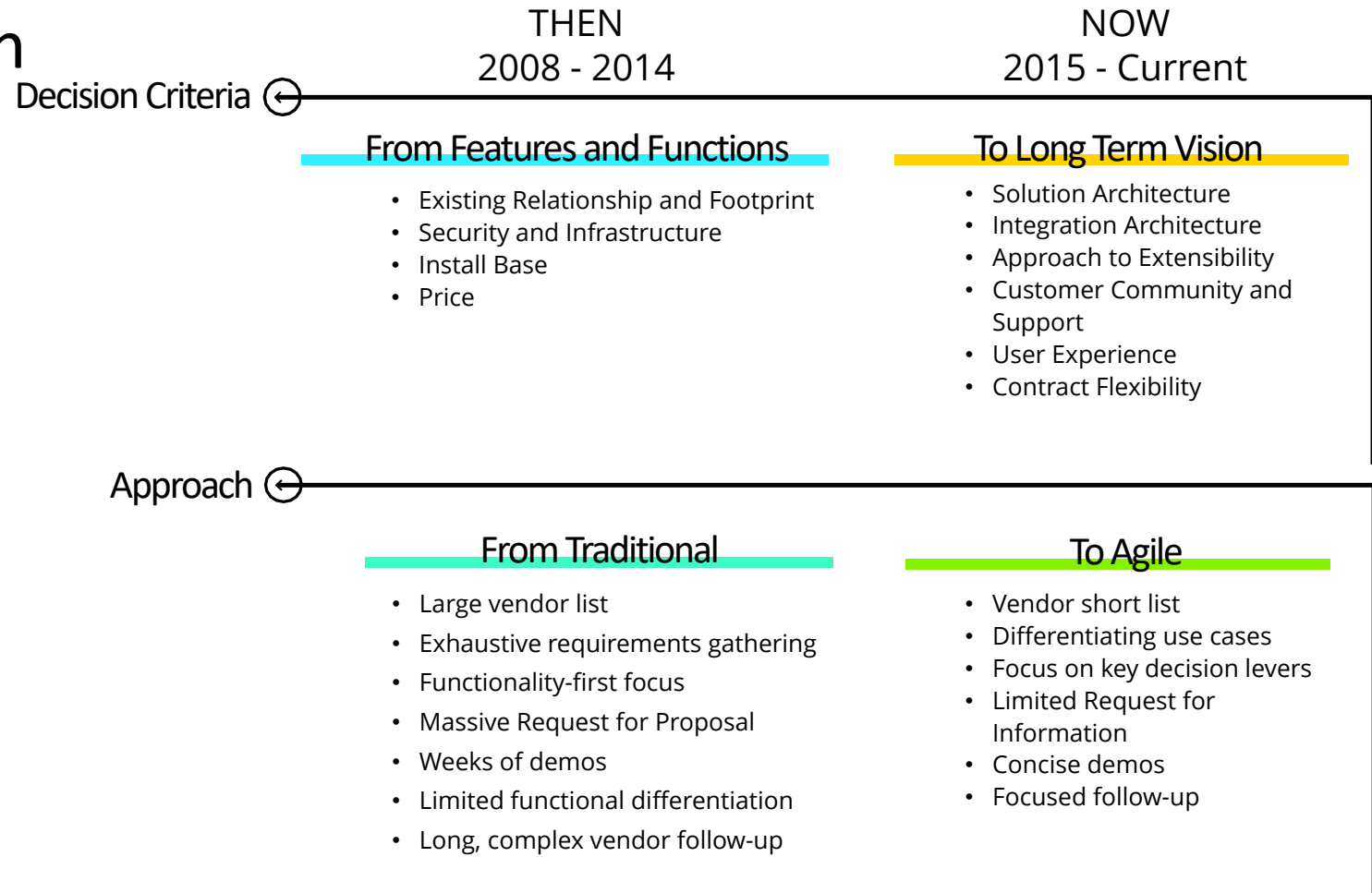
- Anytime, anywhere access
- **Mobile**, device independent
- **Personalized** access. See only what your role needs
- **Unified user experience** for all primary functions drives **simplicity of use**
- Common roles and security increase integrity
- Standard reporting tools increase engagement
- Single data model enables analytics with complex consolidation of data
- Operational, trend, and **predictive analytics** available to all



Vendor/Solution Selection

Agile approach to vendor selection

The primary decision criteria and priorities for selecting software vendors have changed as the solutions have matured in the market





HR Technology Market Peer Discussion

Questions?



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