

# **Policyholder Behavioural Profiling and Dynamic Product Customisation: Machine Learning Frameworks for Personalised Insurance Offerings**

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## **1. Introduction**

In today's world, it is unimaginable to think of personalization only in terms of music streaming platforms that automatically generate playlists. In contrast, customer requirements have drastically changed over the last few years. Consumers are increasingly seeking tailored solutions, whether in the e-commerce, lifestyle, or subscription industries. This also applies to insurance products. Artificial intelligence is fundamentally changing and shaping conventional insurance products. It may be utilized to examine a client's lifelines and offer quick repair options. Today, customers demand insurance options designed in this manner, and firms must adhere to these standards. AI is said to have a huge implication for the creation of adaptive insurance offerings. It is hence significantly crucial for insurers to establish how AI can personalize their offerings.

The insurance business is not immune to the demands placed on it by clients. Customers appreciate digital solutions and tech requirements and assume that these procedures will be included in their services. The present study spotlights the insurance sector, particularly AI-related technological transformation in insurance businesses that is not getting a lot of attention. Our aim is to show how consumers can more effectively engage in the entire customer experience lifecycle. The first official course of action is to examine the necessity for personalization of products. Subsequently, we present our research interests and issues, research objectives, and a set of limitations. Additionally, an introduction to the paper and a short conclusion are presented. In an attempt to better comprehend AI-focused consumer insurance solutions, this study commits to both a theoretical exploration and various industry-related considerations.

### **1.1. Background and Significance**

Artificial intelligence (AI) is redefining the boundaries of insurance. The roots of AI can be traced back to ancient Greek mythology or even older. However, the idea of intelligent, learning, and thinking machines has only gained real momentum in the last few decades. Industries like fintech, healthcare, and automotive are the frontrunners in incorporating AI to improve decision-making, derive actionable insights for business strategy or operations, and reduce reliance on human judgment. The ubiquity of AI has rendered many working assumptions of the business world obsolete. This ubiquitousness is evident in the global and dynamic adoption of AI.

The insurance sector is increasingly engaging in data-driven decision-making. AI technologies are consistent with these developments, with AI in general expected to reshape insurance. AI is instrumental in improving decision-making as it enables the analysis of various types of data at once. Using AI implies embedding the capabilities that it brings into systems of decision-making, both at the front and back end of insurance processes. The ability of AI to monitor customer behavior and derive insights is the enhancing capability. There is a clear and growing demand for personalization from the customer's side. This is another dimension in which AI is instrumental. It supplies the tools to execute personalization. There are economic pressures for insurtech and insurance incumbents to innovate. Established insurance companies are pressured by competitive considerations to offer innovative solutions to customers, including personalization, finally creating economic incentives for the use of AI. AI promises decisive benefits to the stakeholders: improve pricing accuracy, elevate customer satisfaction, offer new services, and cost reductions for the insurance companies. The concomitant expectations that stem from these benefits invite research to investigate these assumptions against the backdrop of available data. The contribution of this work is at the intersection of the academy and the board. On the one hand, this work extends the existing body of empirical evidence on personalization. On the other hand, it offers insights to AI modelers, insurance managers, and insurtech entrepreneurs.

### **1.2. Research Aim and Objectives**

In this research, we seek to understand which characteristics of an insurance product can be addressed by artificial intelligence technology. Using AI technology, we aim to create a personalized insurance product that is attuned to individual risk exposures and

risk attitudes. In our research, we hope to find answers to a series of linked research questions. These explore the areas in which AI can inform the insurer about its customers' characteristics, needs, and wants, with the end goal of developing a product that is tailored to the customer. We also ask a number of questions to explore the nature of current AI applications that are being used, or could potentially be used, to design personalized insurance products. Finally, we wish to get further insights into how insurance managers currently think about personalization, and to assess AI's position within the changing landscape of personalization and pricing; in other words, to explore the gaps that exist between the existing academic literature on personalization, new personalization practices, and developments in pricing.

The following objectives will guide us in the course of addressing the aforementioned research questions: 1) To shed light on the various areas of insurance product design that benefit from AI applications. 2) To identify the current areas of artificial intelligence and the potential areas of artificial intelligence that connect to personalized insurance product design. 3) To explore the managerial view of the areas of information usage commonly associated with personalization. 4) To identify the latest applications of AI or potential application areas in personalization.

## **2. Understanding AI in Insurance**

AI is a branch of computer science and engineering that studies intelligent software and machines that understand, reason, learn, and behave collectively in problem-solving contexts. It includes the study of intelligent algorithms, data processing, and algorithm selection. The core value proposition of AI in insurance is its key techniques for knowing, acting, and optimizing. Insurance has a lot of structured data and a certain number of claims. It can go back a few tens of years or a hundred years, so there's enough data to capture. That's why in insurance now there is a lot of forecasting, prediction, and inference, that is, knowing the probability of future events, because insurance is also intrinsically a matter of handling uncertainty. So, if a machine can read a massive amount of data, understand the links as well as the likelihood of a given outcome, then it has huge application opportunities.

AI can also act, meaning software in insurance can be designed to execute a particular task using a decision tree. With advancements in computer processing capacity, it's using a few clever algorithms like deep learning, machine learning, and reinforcement

learning, or automated reasoning techniques. AI is quite good at making decisions and quite structured and repeated decisions, which is what automation is all about. AI can learn. Initially, it was all about coding the logic using rules and regulations, but now smart software can read data, understand, and learn across a number of contracts and other information. Insurance operates in a data-rich environment, making it a natural place for AI proliferation. This is also why we see AI deployments in functions like underwriting, claims, operations, robotic process automation, customer communication, chatbots, and CRM systems. AI implemented in these cases would provide speed, insights, and efficiencies of operations, and financial savings. Over time, we would see less human intervention. AI embedded in customer communication and CRM processes is helping provide a better customer experience. AI is employed to automatically engage with new customers, deliver quotes online, or initiate claims processing. In mid-office operations, underwriting analysts and claim teams use AI to verify the contracts, ensuring the quality and integrity of data. Finally, in the back office, AI systems are either completely taking over human processes, achieving better results in terms of cost, time, labor, and overall efficiency. ROI becomes an attractive factor for insurers and brokers that leverage AI to handle straightforward processes, where the creation of system data is also the outcome of manual efforts done mostly by systems integration. The less overlap with other insurance functionalities a tool provides, the higher the benefits can be, especially in areas that are less available or prone to middle-office transformation. While AI has been effectively applied in the insurance lifecycle, a whole lot of functionality remains open for innovation and opportunity cuts across the entire lifecycle.

## **2.1. Overview of Artificial Intelligence**

Artificial intelligence, also known as AI, is a transformative technology that enables machines to understand, reason, and direct human behavior. AI encompasses several areas of computer science and technology, including machine learning, robotics, natural language processing, expert systems, computer vision, speech audio processing, data analytics, big data, and 5G. Machine learning, which is of particular interest in this report, is a subfield of AI that focuses on the development of algorithms, using statistical models, that allow computer programs to improve their output based on data and without human intervention. As such, the AI algorithm can improve over time through

repetitive trials, following a self-learning path that improves its performance continuously, leading to new, non-obvious, and potentially valuable insights.

The roots of AI can be traced back to the 1950s, while the term "artificial intelligence" was first used at a conference in 1956. Since AI's inception, its advances have led to context-based technologies that perform complex tasks, enhance convenience, and reduce costs. The first phase of AI extended from academic research to isolated applications throughout the 20th century. The lack of data, the relative scarcity of computing power, and inefficient algorithms limited AI's effectiveness. The second phase started in 2009, with significant progress in machine learning, which forms the basis of recent AI development, powered by big data analytics and deep learning. The imperative of progressing from mathematical modeling to non-statistical modeling was facilitated by the increased availability of variables, often referred to as "big data." The applications of AI are noteworthy; indeed, navigation systems and customer service processes all use AI today. In general, most technologies can integrate AI to accelerate automation and transform business and delivery models to improve effectiveness across various industries.

## **2.2. Applications of AI in Insurance**

Artificial Intelligence has already proved its impact on the insurance industry through multiple applications following a profit and loss perspective. AI has the potential to change how insurers handle every part of their business, spanning underwriting, claims management, and customer service. The impact of AI spans several frameworks in the business, working towards operational efficiency by either saving costs or generating revenues. The variety of applications is discussed below.

- Underwriting: More accurate data insights into even rare events can automate risk assessment techniques, increasing accuracy and decreasing paperwork and process time. Companies provide behavioral insights to create personalized insurance opportunities for customers through channels such as chatbots or other customer-facing platforms.
- Claims: Automated submission and assessment of claims 24/7 using AI and machine learning. An example of how AI can assess the level of damage and predict repair costs using visual data in the motor insurance industry.
- Operations: Reduce pressure on customer operations when changes to policies are made by having the data preemptively entered into back-end systems when queried. For example, a company is working with bots to provide

customer service solutions that can also interface with back-office systems to make claims payments. - Management: Analyze customer data to assess the likelihood of breaking policy terms and conditions. Findings from a company for behavioral insights can advise on ways to receive customer engagement results and questions asked to the chatbot provided to potential customer targets. Adding these behavioral aspects to customer insights adds novel aspects to risk profiling for policyholders. Whilst the impact of AI is significant, there is a limit to its potential: noisy data, high prediction time lags, and black-box insights are some of the drawbacks to the AI impact.

### **3. Personalization in Insurance**

The personalization of insurance has been gaining increasing attention from both insurance providers and insurtechs. This increasing interest is likely due to a shift in consumer preference towards products and services that are more tailored to their individual requirements to bring value that is relevant and can make a difference in their lives. By delivering personalized experiences, insurance providers can expect to benefit from improved customer satisfaction and loyalty. Additionally, those customers who feel that an insurance provider is offering them a policy that provides specifically tailored coverage are also likely to better understand what they are being covered for and therefore benefit from the enhanced value of more relevant insurance protection. Personalization also leads to lower acquisition costs and the broader effect of stronger customer loyalty.

Despite the obvious appeal of personalized insurance products, the ability to deliver them has, in the past, been largely restricted to insurtechs selling simpler insurance contracts. This has forced many insurance providers, particularly those in the P&C category who tend to offer relatively simple products, to sell one-size-fits-all insurance policies. These policies might not fit all policyholders but cater to carefully shaped customer personas. As a result, customers do not receive sufficient coverage, or they end up paying for coverage they do not require. Additionally, those not related to the customer persona are rejected or forced to pay a higher premium for insurance coverage. In this context, it is worth defining personalization. In the insurance context, personalization is generally enabled by the insights derived from a variety of data in the underwriting, rating, marketing, and claims management processes.

### **3.1. Importance of Personalization**

Personalization has long been a focal point for marketing and customer experience strategies. At the heart of it is a commitment to put customers first, to understand their needs, preferences, and behaviors, and to respond with unique and relevant solutions. The rationale is clear: personalization, better targeted to segments of size one, will drive customer engagement, leading to both higher retention and higher acquisition.

It has become increasingly important for insurers to offer highly customized insurance products that meet the demographic, psychographic, and behavioral shifts facing each customer. Digital-first companies look at personalization as a key force—a customer strategy predicated on being 'of service' and not being a provider of generic products.

The need to deliver such behaviorally driven, targeted insurance products is particularly important to conduct business in a competitive and fragmented insurance distribution ecosystem. The alternative of focusing on the development of highly specialized and niche insurance products may be a potential way to differentiate, but it may also result in less-than-optimal risk diversification. Tools like AI-assisted personalized risk understanding are a smart, innovative business model. Detailed, data insight-driven understanding of client behavior can also offer new underwriting data that enables improved discrimination of risk, leading to better profitability. A new class of data collection capabilities is leading to new types of personalized risk assessments. While the insurance industry is change-resistant by its nature, there are pockets of innovative teams within insurance organizations that recognize the limitations of old underwriting statistics and the benefits of personalized risk data. These teams are piloting AI personalizer models for risk.

### **3.2. Challenges and Opportunities**

The insurance industry faces challenges regarding the implementation of personalized insurance in respect to data protection. Insurers collect customer data that is sensitive and valuable to the customers and must be protected from unauthorized use, access, and theft. Furthermore, sophisticated and AI-driven personalization requires technological integration and is associated with various risks, including reputational damage through data breaches. Lastly, existing regulations in many countries prohibit certain types of personalization, even when the customer values it and the practice is decided by

humans. In car insurance or life insurance, negative personalization is mostly prohibited.

These challenges hinder a strategic adoption of AI-driven personalization solutions. However, advanced analytics open several opportunities that can result in new innovative products and new revenue streams. When moving towards more personalized insurance offerings, machine learning is expected to increase the capabilities of insurers in understanding customer behavior and preferences. These insights might already be available within the insurer, but the analytics approach helps to leverage them to improve the propositions of the insurer. On the other hand, personalization might also pose an ethical issue. There is a need to develop a line of thinking that ensures a good balance between the level of personalization and the potential consequences of personalization overreach. The progressive hierarchy of needs could be leveraged to develop such a thinking process. Finally, potential collaboration among insurance companies and technological startups could foster the development of new online risk assessment tools and white labeling, speeding up the time to market of products built using advanced data analytics.

#### **4. Machine Learning Models for Customizing Coverage**

Insurers use a wide range of machine learning models to build on-premises and business intelligence-based products and solutions that help create and customize insurance coverage for retail, small commercial, and other customers. These apps and models work together in a pipeline to collect all customer data, preprocess it, extract relevant insights, and then find products, risk assessments, and pricing options that match those insights in real time. The custom label can be either a product or a rate. Both should be fast and easy for an underwriter to quote an insured over the phone. The majority of these models fall under two overarching machine learning categories: supervised learning and unsupervised learning. Supervised learning models respond to structured data about customers' financial constraints, risk preferences, and levels of risk aversion to identify, measure, and quantify how and why each is unlikely to be covered adequately.

Insurers integrate supervised learning models into the process of combining proprietary coverage, product characteristics, and customer personas and situations in customer data warehouses, data lakes, and data marts to predict rating factors and build

scorecards. Then, the process is unified with the application of insurance knowledge to the data sets and the metrics produced using supervised learning in the process of predictive analysis. Finally, insurance industry workers review these prediction results to find out what business strategies insurers need to allocate resources, staff, and system automation to and which strategy is best for each customer. Unfortunately, directly asking customers can be expensive and reduction in customer insights is often misleading. To pre-identify ideal customer personas and spot customer preference trends ahead of time, insurers ask customers' unstructured data sources for clues. Clues are often pulled from social media platforms or third-party databases. Data is never perfect, but it is often real and it is the most likely data source that a large insurer can afford to collect. Thus, data pre-processing should perform feature scaling, normalization, symmetry regarding leg vs. arm; fur color is unrelated to friend status, and pivot points that partition healthy friends from toxic friends are reasonable. The most likely to be an issue is feature scaling. A fenestrated arm is not 20 times worse for logical friend acceptance if a normal arm is worth 1 log(order of magnitude), but little blobs on horizontal surfaces are likely solid friends given sufficient scrutiny. Insurers that actually build and use machine learning to target small customers should always interview customer service departments and underwriters. Always use model explanations and confidence intervals to prevent potential advising off-target customers from being transferred to advisors in underwriting and/or claims departments. Ensure that your model is classifiable with known regional differences in customer norms for classifiable fields. Always ensure both the customer and advisor can trust their judgment in each transaction. Always provide an alternative option an advisor can use to satisfy a customer's unique request to be underwritten differently than the system allows - unless to do so would be illegal. Do not allow masculinity or femininity to be predictive in cases other than terminal illness, genital fertility, etc. Always provide understandable model interpretations that result in visualizations with independent axes and mark more highly predictable groups as favored. Do so for participants not given any model interpretation or coachings beforehand, like for policy-holders or claims adjustors, but also for people that have been personally coached in using model visualizations from insurer trainers. Always overweigh convenience over agreements or contracts and value as high as safety or legally-required ethicality, always. Always ensure your predictive modeling tools cannot be abused outside the law. Always work within regulatory

guidelines even when no courtroom laws conflict with the predictive models. Manufacturing an inability to follow laws makes a political statement and will likely work against a predictive model in court before it has a chance to be of interpret to claim deniers.

#### **4.1. Types of Machine Learning Models**

Machine learning uses computational algorithms to learn from raw data and improve performance with minimal intervention. This field is heavily involved in the personalization of insurance. There are various types of machine learning models. Supervised learning models are trained on pre-classified datasets to predict target values. Key strengths are the ability to systematically handle large volumes of data for a wide range of predictors for the production of analytic scores. Examples of this model are classification models and regression models, such as decision tree classifiers and linear or logistic regressions. For example, insurance companies classify vehicle yearly mileage based on reassessed repair costs rather than vehicle miles traveled. The model uses supervised learning and regression analysis, trained over a significant amount of real-world data. The two-dimensional graph below compares vehicle-year mileage in miles driven and the linearly extrapolated estimated miles driven. Unsupervised learning models identify the hidden structure in customer data. Key benefits include offering deeper insights into customer segments and real customer value and purchasing behavior. Examples of unsupervised learning models include clustering and association analysis. For example, changes in market competition or saturation can significantly impact market share and profit margins for auto insurance and homeowners insurance. A feature selection subset of input variables modeling market saturation and concentration uses an unsupervised method. Reinforcement learning models focus on the design of cognitive agents acting upon the environment to maximize their own utility function. Examples can range from simple team selection in sports to the treatment pathway of a chronically ill patient. Some cutting-edge market implementations are optimized price recommendations on websites or incremental bid prices in search engine optimization. There are three key steps to deploy machine learning techniques in insurance. First, have a clear strategy concerning the nature of the information used to inform decision-making and appropriate machine learning models to deploy. Second, measure progress, adjust machine learning models as needed, and track results post-deployment. Finally, establish and maintain a technology foundation

for iterative deployment and monitoring as the machine learning models improve with new strategies and outcomes. To the latter point, customers' needs constantly change; therefore, decisions around auto insurance product dominance need to be continuously treated with machine learning evaluation to better serve insureds' needs while maximizing net income for the insurance company.

#### **4.2. Data Collection and Preprocessing**

Data drives AI. The opportunities for machine learning in insurance underline the fact that insurance is a data-driven business, marking it as the main driver of machine learning technologies. An architecture of an AI-driven insurance company provides recommendations for target setting and data use. First and foremost, any insurance AI project should be built around the target KPIs that are aligned with the business goals of the insurance entity and ultimately with the needs of the target audience. The output of AI models and the data they transform needs to eventually align with the needs of the insurance companies' human users. An example of an AI system that was trained on agents' customer support responses is a CRM software that uses NLP to automatically respond to customers' emails.

To make the process unbiased, the co-founders of the firm claim that training data was preprocessed in order to remove personally identifiable information. More often than not, datasets will require data preprocessing steps before they can be used. Valuable insights can be mined from inaccurate data; however, the more accurate and relevant the data used, the better the model performance. Preprocessing activities could include cleaning, normalization, outlier removal, missing value imputation, collinearity treatment, and PCA. For insurance applications, best practices to streamline the data collection and monitoring process are essential. The advent of advanced analytics in insurance has seen not a move away from data but rather a move towards quality data, ensuring there is a clearly defined purpose to the data that are collected. Without this clarity, insurance companies may obtain a data footprint through their systems that makes them vulnerable to breaches or may have difficulty in accounting for where personal data come from to satisfy legislation. One of the capital killers in data analysis is when the project appears to come to the wrong conclusions. Typically, this is occasioned by a poor data collection process with flawed data being the outcome.

## 5. Case Studies and Applications

Personalization of insurance products is not only an issue relevant to research and academia, but it has made its way to insurers' management agendas. In this section, we collected a number of case studies of the AI-driven use at insurers. Due to restrictions, they derive from a mix of publicly available sources, interviews, and secondary literature.

5.1 Case Studies of AI-Driven Personalization in the Insurance Industry The need for practical case studies to illustrate the emergent issues and topics in AI and the implications and impacts of AI in different sectors is evident. Each case follows the pattern of an insurtech, shortly introducing the traditional insurance solution, follow-on approaches taken by the insurtech, the data used, the technology used, and the measurable impacts. Impacts shown are either directly quantified, such as increased customer engagement, or are reported to have some positive customer outcome, such as more flexible insurance offerings. This research is holistic and goes beyond purely technology discussions and includes implications, impacts, advantages, and disadvantages and presents multiple examples in a range of different products and insurance areas.

5.2 Future Implications - AI in Personalization This collection of AI-driven personalization case studies provides a clear view of how AI applications are changing insurance. Insurers are able to better tailor products and services to their customers based on their behavior and wider factors. This reactive strategy can be seen as part of the dynamic insurance value chain, in which risk can be more closely bound, or built around, customers and their lifestyles. This style of customer-focused modeling, enhanced by the automation of the AI-driven process, changes 'traditional' insurance models in which the insurer assumes aggregated levels of risk on behalf of their customers. Some insurers have tried to customize or personalize a policy - with their own effort or with the help of intermediaries - but this has traditionally focused on evaluating the customer and setting the policy at the point of sale. A personal AI on-demand insurance broker is being devised and developed that incorporates data about user preferences and opinions.

### **5.1. Real-World Examples of AI-Driven Personalization in Insurance**

We could not find a single research paper that was directly addressing the use of AI for the personalization of insurance products. Thus, we cannot write about it in the context of prior academic research. However, there is a substantial number of papers discussing personalization, AI, and insurance, primarily from the practitioners' and industry points of view. They come from large insurance companies, insurtechs, and insurance consultants and highlight real-life examples of AI-driven personalization and discuss both the benefits and challenges of such solutions. Additionally, we can find a number of recent conferences that dedicated whole sessions or tracks to the topic of AI-driven personalization in insurance, which confirms the relevance of the topic. Since personalizing insurance products is an old dream of the sector, it is not surprising that AI-driven personalization has already been implemented by some insurance companies, often with groundbreaking results. In 2012, the Japanese insurer Fukoku Mutual Life Insurance equipped its sales personnel with an AI system that helps in preparing highly personalized insurance solutions for individual customers. Recently, the Swiss insurance company Helvetia started collaborating with the AI-based solution provider Hyperganic to customize household and personal liability insurance products based on 3D scans. By analyzing clients' possessions and rooms in closest detail, the companies will offer individual coverage concepts. According to a consultancy's survey, 70 percent of insurance professionals think AI can help improve efficiency and produce added value. By 2030, they expect that as much as 25 percent of their business will rely on AI. Data from our industry vignettes confirm this. All studies suggest that the personalization of insurance with AI is only just beginning.

### **6. Future Direction**

The insurance industry is currently undergoing significant changes. The lack of meaningful loss differentiation, the customer-centric formulations of insurance products, and the use of technology throughout the value chain have become the practices that are increasingly shaping competitive advantage in the insurance industry. It can be expected that further trends will reshape the insurance landscape in the digital era. As insurers increasingly rely on advanced analytics, the decision-making process on a company level may, in the near future, be driven by large model ensembles. However, there are still many challenges in the areas of data, technology, ethics, regulation, organization, and strategy that need to be addressed before the potential of personalized

insurance products can be fully realized. Emerging Trends The ubiquity of digital devices and the power of AI and BI already facilitate a semi- or fully automated integrated product, especially in the commercial insurance segment. Analytics-driven automation may improve insurance coverage and pricing, particularly if integrated with IoT-based sensors. The current trend in product offerings is to switch from product-centric driver-based insurance to a data- and customer-centric, inclusive, driver-based product. This continues the long-term evolution and improvement of insurance services. Both consumers and insurance companies may benefit from increasingly individualized product offerings that are partly or fully personalized to the individual consumer and are influenced by big data sources. The rise of socially oriented, responsible technology may change the current state of the game. New technologies focus on people, practice, policy, and philosophy to supplement opportunity, connectivity, and privacy. Together they aim to produce meaningful outcomes. Following such a development path would ensure that technological innovation proceeds in a positive way for the world, rather than in an uncertain or amoral manner. In effect, customizable insurance supporting significant businesses should ideally follow the ethical and privacy aspects in product design and be future-proof. Ultimately, if insurance is used to gain consumer trust, premiums may become less price-sensitive in a market transitioning from over-insured to under-insured. Due to reduced claims frequency, the increased accountability of the policyholder could fundamentally shift the focus of insurance products from protection towards a mission; there is a shift from reactive to preventive risk transfer towards an economy changing the insurance cash flow dynamics. This may also have long-term consequences for the insurance liability side, hence for the entire business model, due to a decrease in liabilities related to long-term misconduct claims, fraud, or catastrophic incidents. In the future, AI and BI systems are effectively the insurer's top employees, the company's crucial asset, playing a central role throughout the value chain. AI may become a trust-building narrator or storyteller for the consumer of connected care and enterprise insurance.

## **7. Conclusion**

This position paper has noted the important role that AI is playing in the personalization of insurance products and services. While there are numerous technologies and methodologies that are important to the elaboration of these strategies, we have focused specifically on AI. Its impacts are felt on both the traditional insurance product and on

innovative services. AI achieves a deep understanding of the customer and creates ease throughout the customer journey. The benefits of doing so generally fall into two broad categories: the creation of a superior customer experience and the improvements in operations. The discussion has canvassed key opportunities and challenges in the use of AI-driven personalization for insurance products. In conclusion, it is important to emphasize a balanced approach to insurance personalization. This paper has noted the importance of a high-trust environment. By demonstrating the appropriate use of personal data, AI, and analytics in a transparent and trustworthy manner, the industry can maintain and extend the social license it requires. Future research should focus on the adoption of personalization innovations—both from the producer side and from the consumer side. Finally, we note that AI will continue to develop in the future. The value will come in sharing and collaboration in advancements in data ecosystems, collaborative models of shared value creation, and regulatory environments that create the conditions for competition, partnership, and co-creation across the industry.