Consumer Archetype Brand Stories:

Theory and Research on Consumers' Reports of Interactions with Brands and Experiencing Primal Forces

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CONSUMER ARCHETYPE BRAND STORY CORPUS

Consumer Archetype Brand Story Corpus Variables & Field Descriptions

ID.	Corpus Variable /Field	Description	Variable Type
			(raw state)
1	Age	Age as shown on profile on blog or social	Numeric
		media	
2	Astrological Sign	Appears on profile	Categoric
3	Author	Rarely used signifies blog story writer if	Categoric
		differs from protagonist	
4	Background/Frame	Description on the context, colors and	Categoric
		background	
5	Blog Name	As shown on blog home page and	Categoric
		browser bar	
6	Blogger Image	As on profile	Categoric
7	Blogger Since	Per description on profile	Categoric
8	Books	Profile	Categoric
9	Brand	The brand of focus for the story tell	Categoric
		1 of 12 brand names	
10	Category	Fashion, Luxury and Travel	Categoric
11	Cognitive Style	Analytic Visual/, Analytic/Verbal,	Categoric
		Holistic/Verbal and Holistic/Visual	
		(Urban et al 2009)	

12	Consumer Brand	Brand Relationship Taxonomy of	Categoric
	Relationship	Fournier (1998) and extensions (Sweeney	
		and Chew 2000)	
13	Country	As on profile or extraction from body of	Categoric
		text	
14	Course or Previous	Profile extraction	Categoric
	Study		
15	Date of Birth	Profile extraction	Categoric
16	Date Published	Blog story entry date	Categoric
17	Digital Assets	All electronic materials relating to	Categoric
		protagonist	
18	Deception Flag	A check of last resort based on	Numeric
		psychology of words provides measure	
		deriving from Z score and anxiety of	
		writer (Slatcher et al 2007).	
19	Email	Email address from profile or elsewhere	Categoric
		for member check and communication	
20	Fantasy Pattern	Fantasy Patterns of Deprivation and	Categoric
		Enhancement (May 1980).	
21	Gender	Profile extraction (if available), story,	Categoric
		comments left elsewhere on blog or	
		images of protagonist	
22	Industry	Mentions within story or profile	Categoric
23	Interests	Profile extraction	Categoric
24	Location	Profile or mention in story	Categoric

25	Member check	Flagged as 1/0 - Email to storyteller and	Numeric
		return feedback	
26	Metadata (Image)	The actual name under which the image	Categoric
		is stored	
27	Movies	Profile	Categoric
28	Music	Profile	Categoric
29	Occupation	Profile or body of text	Categoric
30	Protagonist – First Name	Profile, story or blog entry author	Categoric
31	Protagonist - Surname	Profile, story or blog entry author	Categoric
32	Pseudonym	Assumed name used to either protect	Categoric
		identity or nickname	
33	ROSE	Reporter/Opposer/Supporter/Employee	Categoric
34	Social Media:Twitter	link to Twitter profile	Categoric
35	Social Media: Facebook	link Facebook	Categoric
36	Social Media:Flickr	link Flickr	Categoric
37	Social Media:LinkedIn	Clink LinkedIn	Categoric
38	Social Media:Myspace	Clear link MySpace	Categoric
39	Social Media:Other	Clear link Other e.g. Delicious, YouTube,	Categoric
		Digg etc.	
40	Story Gist	Description of story	Categoric
41	Story ID	ID allocation by researcher. Normally by	Numeric
		bank of numbers e.g. 1 – 50 Abercrombie	
		and Fitch stories	
42	Story-Myth Type	1 of 13 Story Myth types	Categoric

43	URL	Web location of story before archival	Categoric
44	Views	Available on consumer profile a potential	Numeric
		proxy for popularity of protagonist.	
		Number refers to number of viewings of	
		profile by family, friends and strangers.	
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