



ACORD Messaging Library

Panel Discussion

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ACORD Messaging Library – Agenda

- **Introductions**
- **Background**
- **Perspectives**
- **Discussion**



ACORD Messaging Library – Panelists

- **Monique Hesseling, ACE**
 - Reinsurance, Large Commercial (RLC)
- **Sandi Perillo, The Hartford**
 - Property, Casualty/Surety (PCS)
- **BA Scott, New York Life**
 - Life, Annuity & Health (LAH)



Background / Legacy

- **Multiple ACORD XML Standards (3)**
- **Different Publications Deliverables**
- **Non-Interoperable**
- **Non-Contemporary Design Principles**
 - Framework (payload vs. transport)
- **Inconsistent use of XML messages**
- **Redundancies & Content Overlap**
 - Same content/message in multiple standards



New Expectations

- **Maturing XML Landscape**
- **Creative Uses of XML**
 - External
 - Internal / system-to-system
 - Granular Business Functions
- **Web Services & SOA**
- **Extensibility**
- **Transport/Security Agnostic**

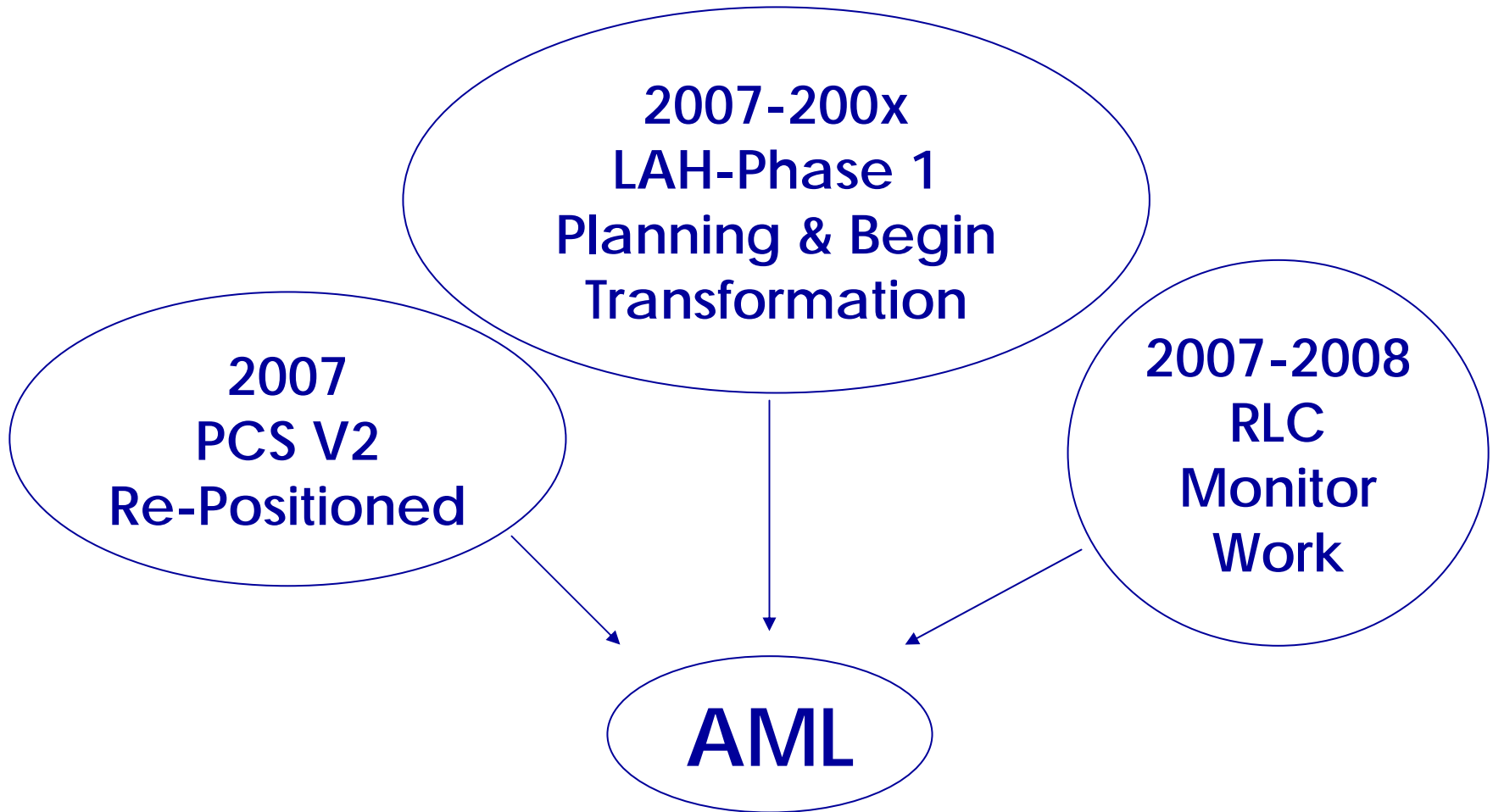


New Standard

- **ACORD Messaging Library**
 - “AML”
- **XML Messaging Standard**
- **Support Business Functions**
 - All Lines Of Business
 - Varied Geographies
 - B2B, B2C, Internal Systems
- **Common Design Rules**



Iterative Approach



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Panelists Perspectives

- What steps are the three domains taking to achieve this strategic direction?
- What is the impact to the existing standards and implementations?
- How will AML affect insurance trading partners both short term and long term?



Panelists Perspectives

- How does this impact the varied geographies, products and lines of business?
- What resources will be provided by ACORD to companies piloting AML to enable an easier transition?
- What are some closing remarks from the panelists?



Join the Effort

- **Send an email to:**
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- **Ask to be enrolled in the ACORD Messaging Library Working Group**
- **Contacts:**
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Discussion

