Advanced Methods for Corpus Processing

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Foreword

- UPC: Artificial Inteligence
  - EMNLP: Empirical Methods for NLP
  - 2001/2002-2002/2003
    - Lluís Padró, Lluís Màrquez, German Rigau
  - 2003/2004-2004/2005
    - Lluís Padró, Lluís Màrquez, Neus Català, German Rigau
  - 2005/2006
    - L. Padró, L. Màrquez, X. Farreres, J. Daudé, G. Rigau

- EHU: NLP
  - Advanced Methods for Corpus Management
  - 2004/2005-...-2018/2019
    - Lluís Padró, Lluís Màrquez, German Rigau

Content

- Theme 1: Introduction to corpus analysis.
- Theme 2: Knowledge-based methods.
- Theme 3: Statistical methods.
- Theme 4: Machine learning methods.

Content

- Knowledge Based methods for NLP (German Rigau)
  - 24 May: 15:00h – 17:00h
  - 31 May: 15:00h – 17:00h
  - 07 June: 15:00h – 17:00h
  - 10 June: 15:00h – 17:00h

- Statistical methods for NLP (Lluís Padró)
  - 11-13 June: 15:00h – 19:00h

- Machine Learning for NLP (Lluís Màrquez)
  - 17-19 June: 15:00h – 19:00h

- Presentations and concluding remarks (German Rigau)
  - 20 June: 15:00h – 18:00h

Content

- Knowledge-based NLP (German Rigau)
  - Words & Works
  - Large-scale Knowledge Bases:
    - WordNet & EuroWordNet
  - More large-scale resources
    - ConceptNet, Framenet, VerbNet, PropBank, Predicate Matrix
  - WordNet extensions:
    - SUMO ontology, eXtended WordNet, MCR
  - Ontologies:
    - AdimenSUMO
    - Reasoning, abduction

- Concluding remarks (German Rigau)
  - Combining approaches

Content

- Statistical methods for NLP (Lluís Padró)
  - Introduction (statistical vs non-statistical NLP, what are statistical models, what is model estimation)
  - MLE Estimation
  - MaxEnt Estimation
  - Hidden Markov Models
  - Structured prediction (sequences): Log-linear models, MEMM, CRF, Perceptron
  - Generalizing structured prediction (dependency structures)

Content

- Machine Learning for NLP (Lluís Màrquez)
    - Introduction: Machine Learning and Machine Learning for NLP
    - Machine Learning: Classical Methods from AI
    - Margin-based Machine Learning Algorithms
    - Machine Learning for NLP
    - Applications

Evaluation

- Application of empirical methods for NLP:
  - Teacher exercises (30%)

  - Teacher/student topic
  - Short presentation (20%)
    - 15 minutes sharp, ~ 10 slides
    - Presentation: 20/06
  - Written report (50%)
    - Format: http://www.acl2019.org
    - Deadline Report: 20/07
    - Short paper describing an experimental work
      - ~ 3000 words

Short Motivation

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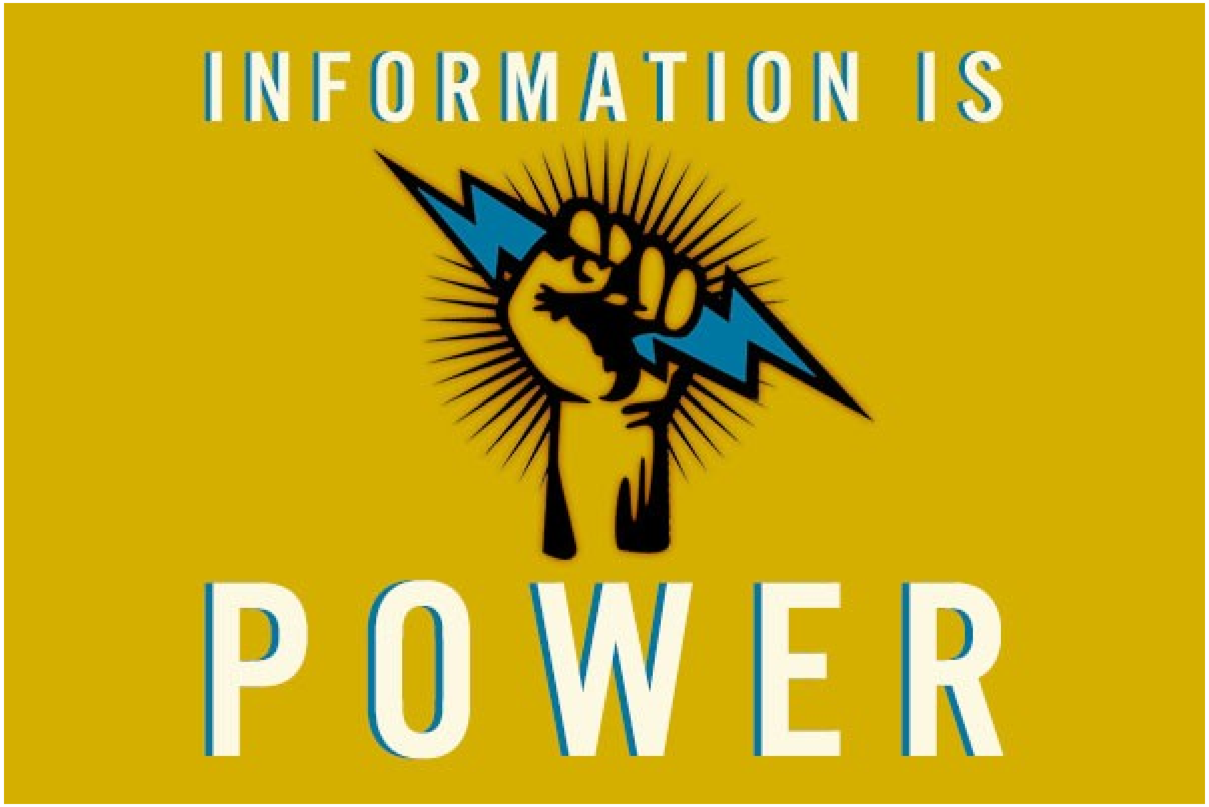

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... and the knowledge to use ...

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“Cuando creíamos que teníamos todas las respuestas,
de pronto, cambiaron todas las preguntas.”

- Mario Benedetti

"When we thought we had all the answers,
suddenly, they changed all the questions. "

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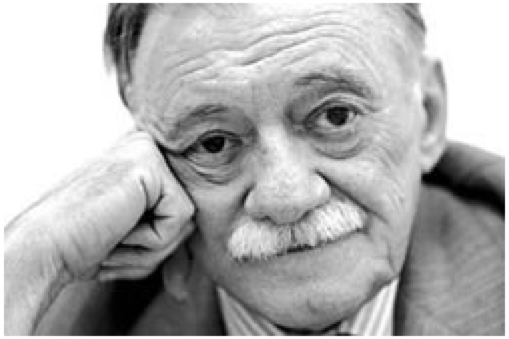

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- Where are the **answers** to the new (and old) questions?
  - Introspection? Experts?…
  - From many people? … “Wisdom of the Crowd”?
  - Books, News, Tweets, … Textual Sources?
  - Multimedia sources? Images, Radio, TV ...
  - Sensors? IoT? ...
  - Anything? Everything?
- Information **overload** …

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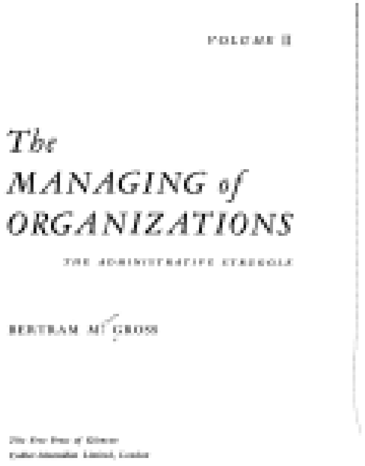

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THE ADMINISTRATIVE STRUGGLE

BERTRAM M. GROSS

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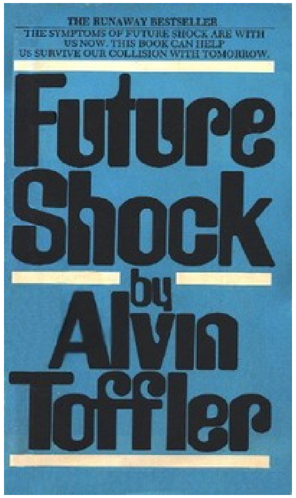
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  - Seneca complained that "*the abundance of books is distraction*" in the 1st century AD!

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- **Information overload** occurs when the amount of input to a system exceeds its processing capacity.
- Decision makers have fairly **limited** cognitive processing capacity.
- Consequently, when information overload occurs, it is likely that a **reduction** in decision quality will occur.
- From (Speier et al 1999)

- Always when **advances in technology** have increased a production of information.

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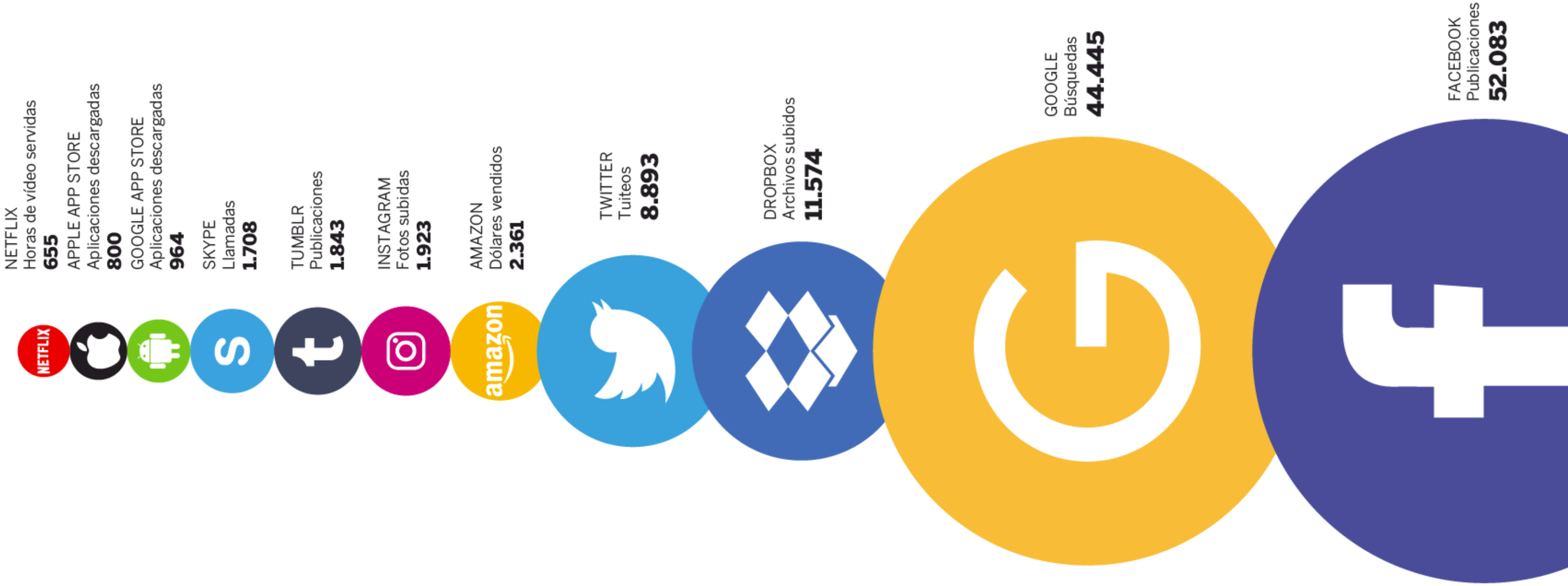

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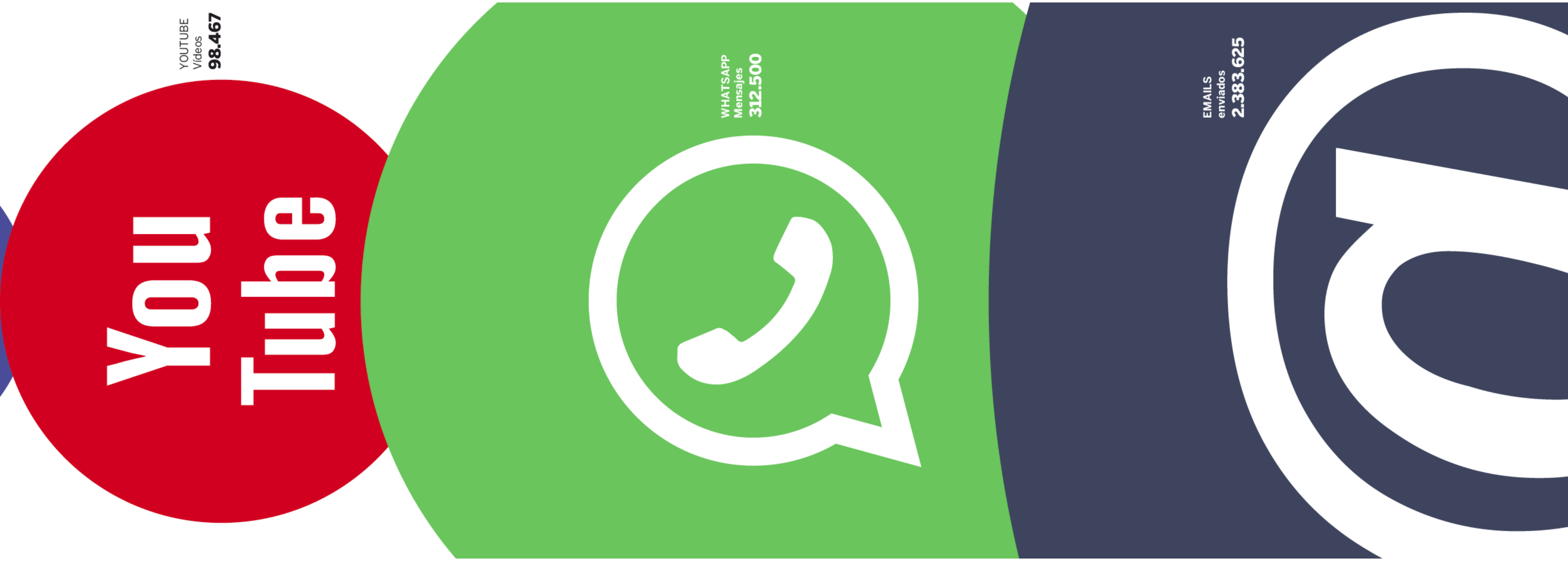

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- … not only coming from Social Media.

- LexisNexis receives **daily** 1.5M news.
- CENDOJ stores 6M judicial sentences (0.6M/year)
- 5M Electronic Health Records (EHR) …
- 0.2M Patents …
- …

- … all kinds of e-documents …

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- **Unstructured** digital content accounts for **90%** of all information [White paper IDC 2014] ...

- Usually in the form of **texts** and documents in **multiple languages** ...

- **Only** appropriate NLP tools can access this wealth of knowledge ...

- NLP among the **top** 10 strategic technology trends for 2017 according to Gartner

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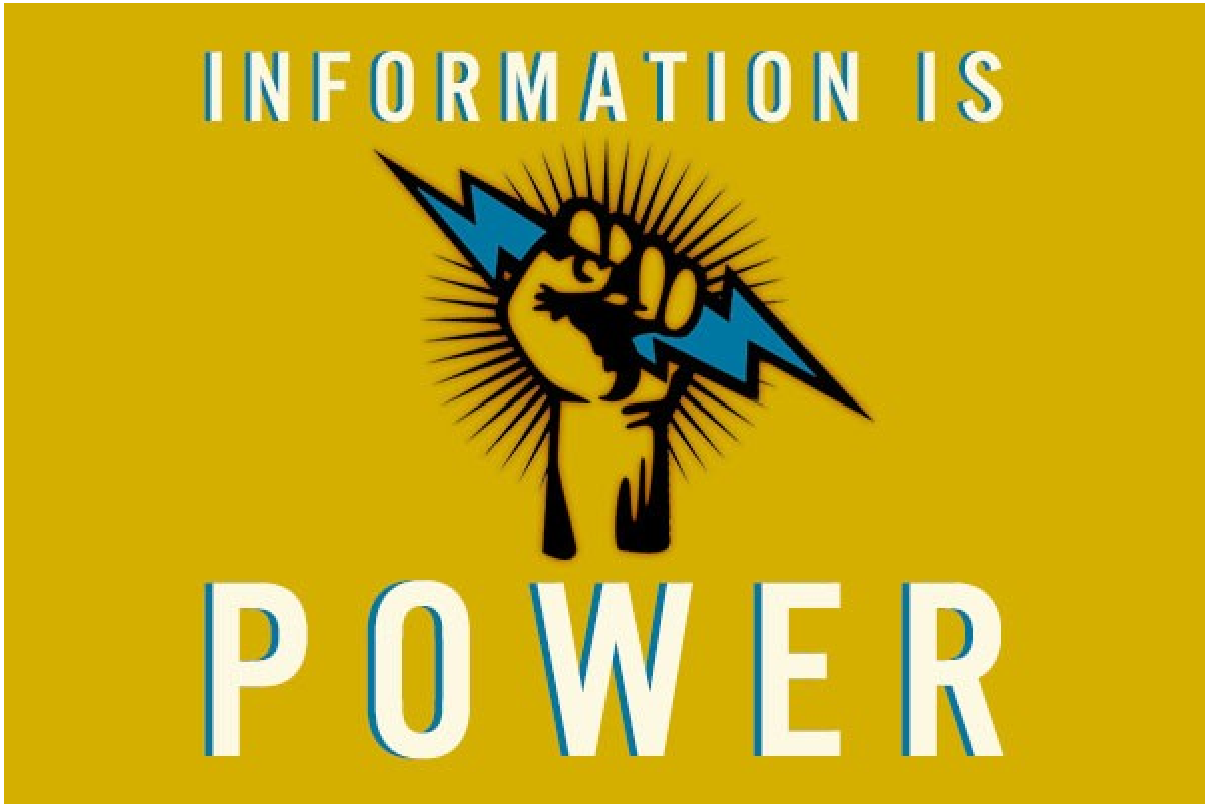
Because everybody knows that ...



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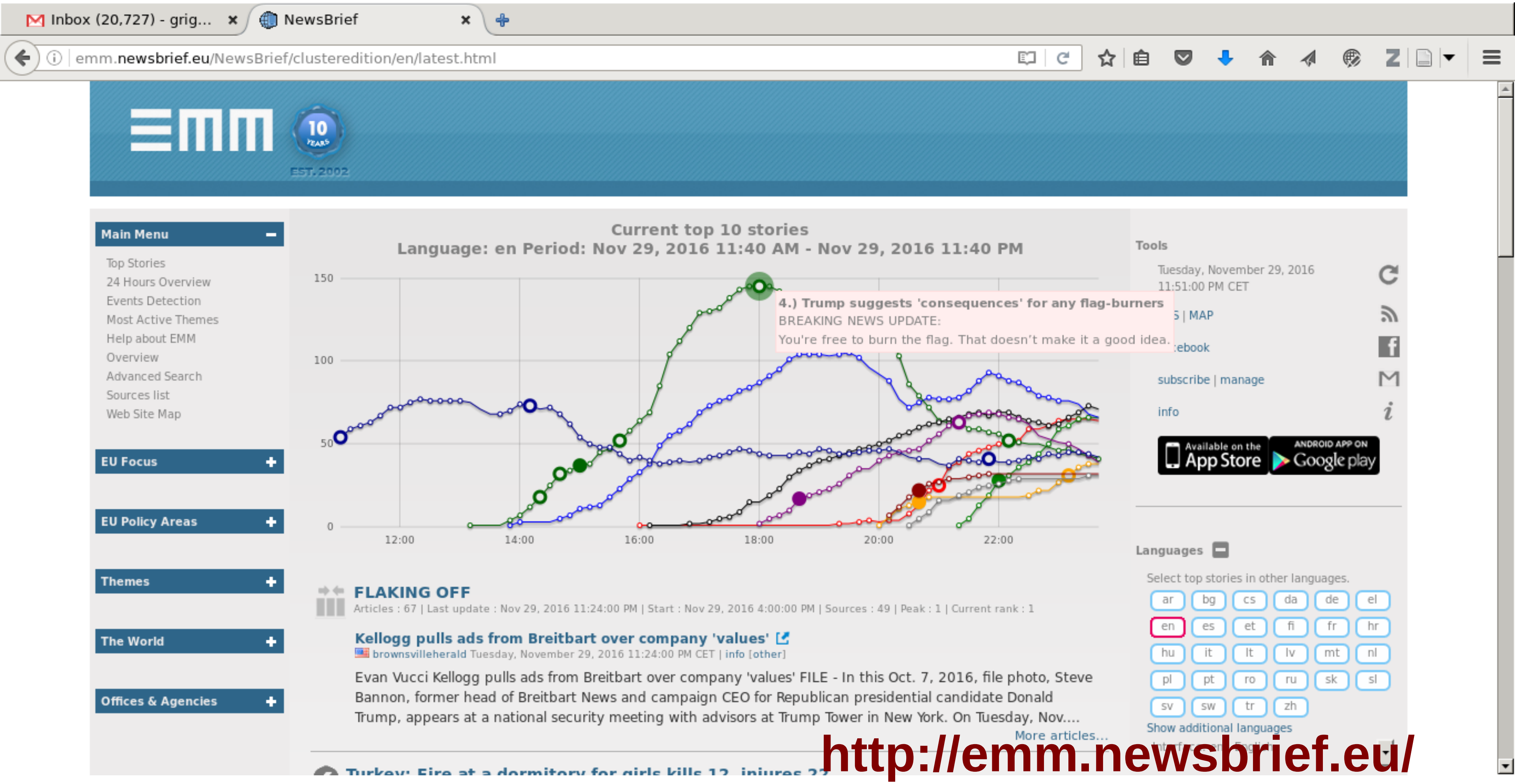
e.g. IBM Watson ...

but also Google, Facebook, Amazon, Microsoft, ...

Big Data & NLP ...



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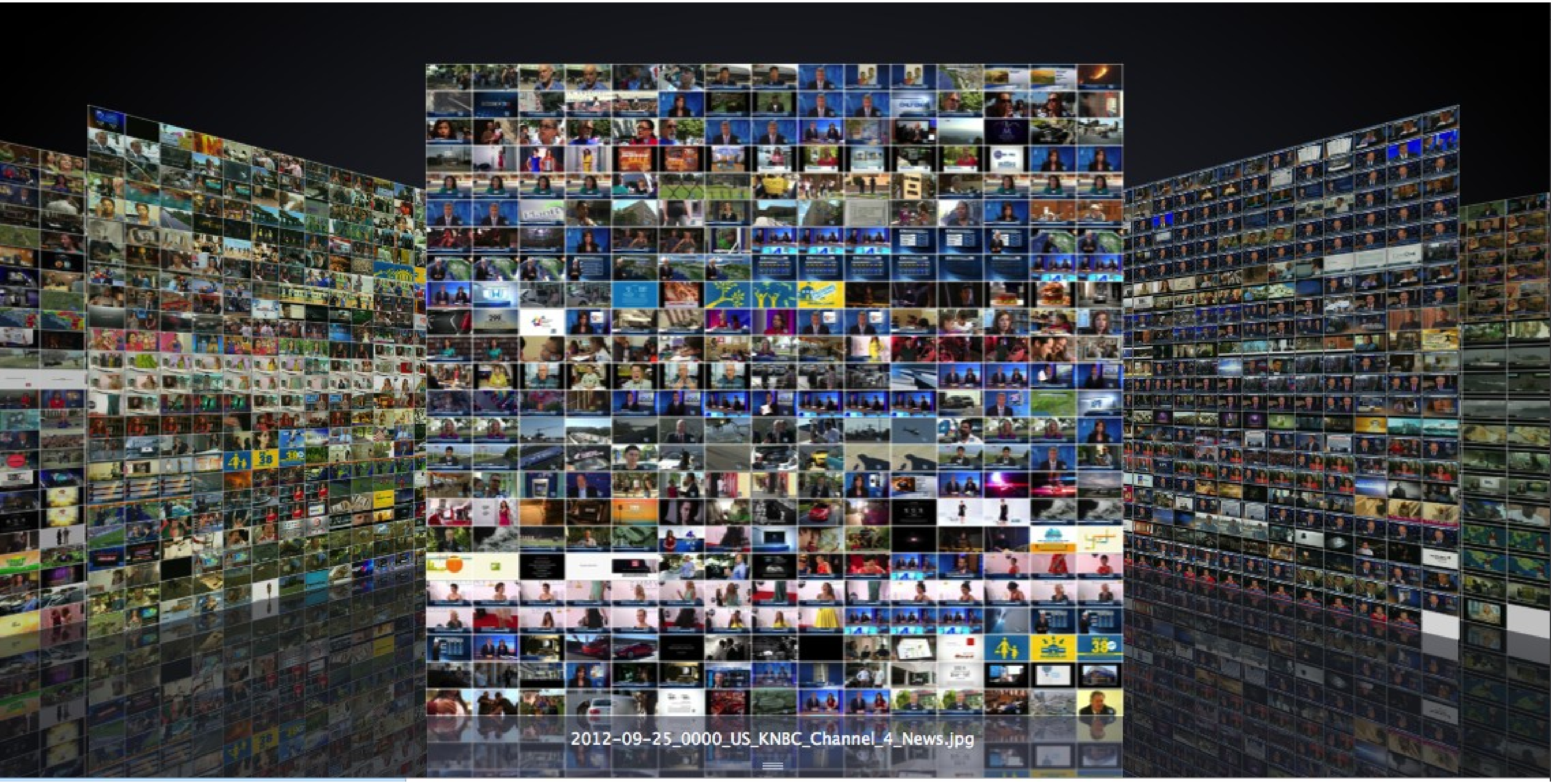

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