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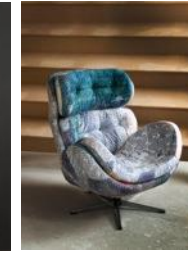
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# The Future is Always Now



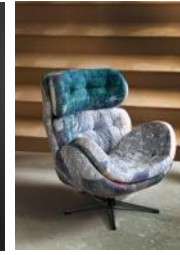
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## Digitalization of fashion and textiles: from concept to consumer



Image source <http://www.whichplm.com/editors-choice/the-future-is-always-now-evolving-lifecycles-in-fashion.html>

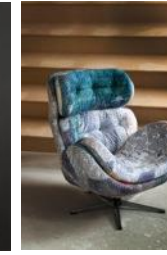
# PLM : a series of funded projects to date



The aim of the planned event is creative exchange week is to enable the PLM licenses to be used more widely in fashion and textiles to capitalize on the benefits from this educational partnership

- Windchill FlexPLM Educational Bundle of 100 licenses £3180 +VAT (annual charge)
- £38.16 / license
- If all 321 F&T students accessed FlexPLM:
- **£11.89 / student / year**

# PLM : a series of funded projects to date



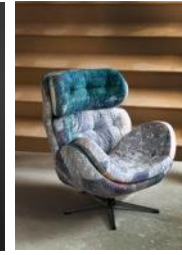
How has the project been funded to date?

- Year 1: Free
- Year 2: CVF
- Year 3: T&L Bid
- Year 4: TBC





# CHANGE & FUTURE CHALLENGE



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Fast  
Fashion



Speed-to-  
Market



Supply Chain  
Transparency/  
Complexity



Complexity of  
Omni-channel  
Processes



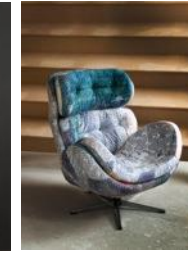
Digital  
Consumer/  
Experience



Product  
Personalization



# Overview



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- This session will cover the following:
  - Overview of Product Lifecycle Management (PLM) for fashion and textiles
  - Overview of the planned event 21<sup>st</sup> February
  - Discussion on how best to engage our students with this event
  - Discussion on the future of PLM within F&T courses

# ADA first to deploy a PLM solution as part of its degree curriculum 2014



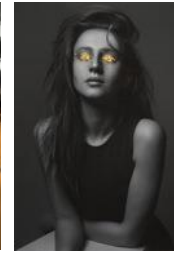
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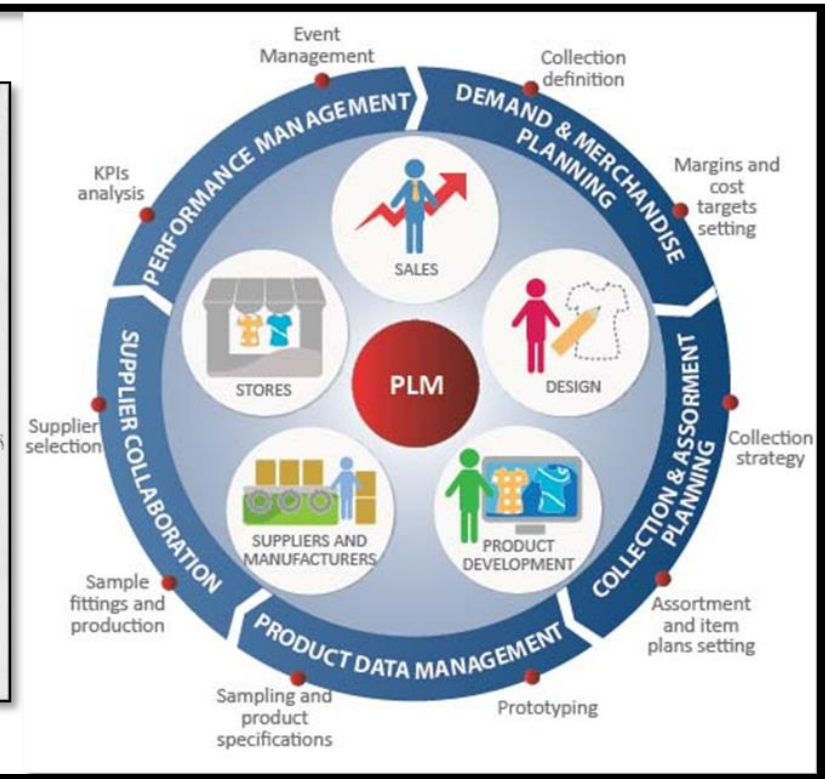
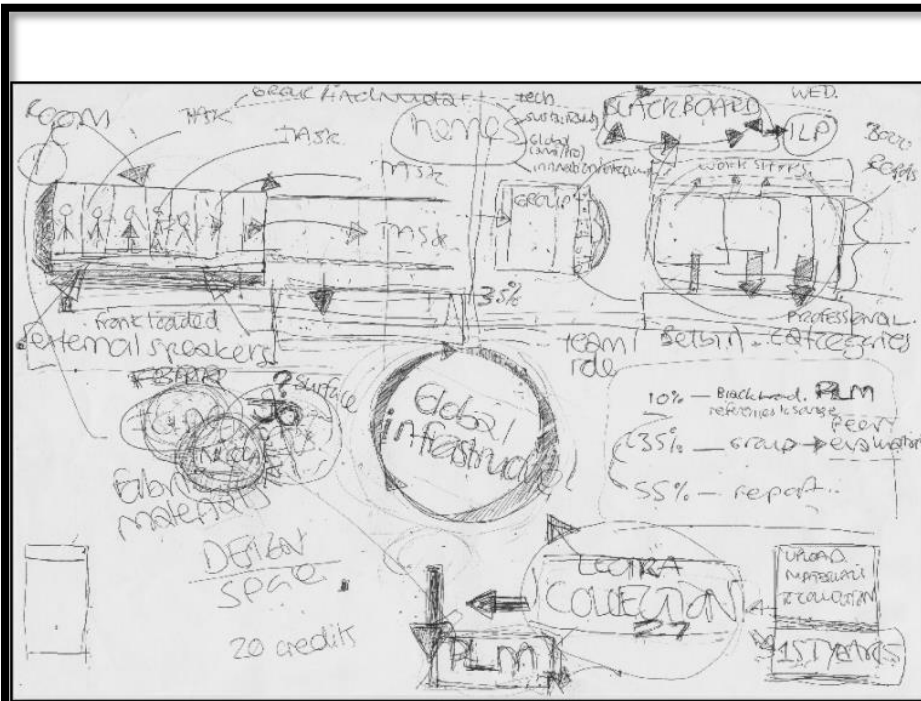
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# History of PLM UoH



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Redevelopment to simulate PLM in 2010

PLM model as a framework for the redesigned programme



# PLM as a platform for learning



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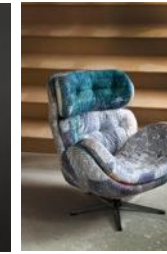
PLM is an essential tool for coping with the challenges of more demanding global competition, ever-shortening product and component life-cycles and growing customer needs

Saaksvuori & Immonen  
(2008)



Image source: WhichPLM

# PTC FlexPLM Brands



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## THE PLM MARKET LEADER RETAIL, FASHION AND CONSUMER INDUSTRY ADOPTION



# Future R&D at PTC



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- An expert partner for a journey of industry transformation

INTERNET OF  
THINGS (IOT)



AUGMENTED  
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PRODUCT LIFECYCLE  
MANAGEMENT (PLM)

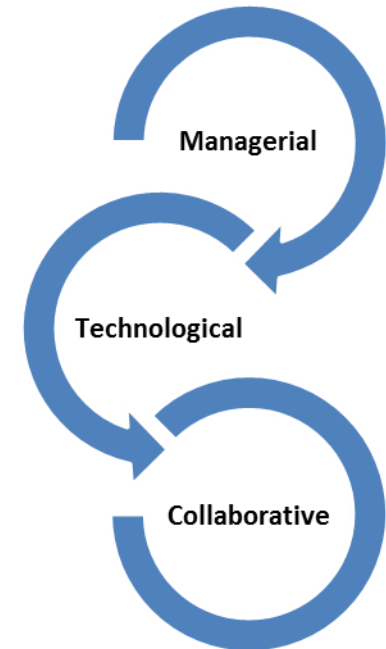


# Defining PLM



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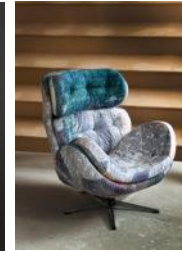
- Corallo et al (2013:6) define PLM as “a strategic business approach that supports all the phases of product lifecycle, from concept to disposal, providing a unique and timed product data source. Integrating people, processes, and technologies and assuring information consistency, traceability, and long-term archiving, PLM enables organizations to collaborate within and across the extended enterprise.”



Features of PLM



# Three P's of PLM



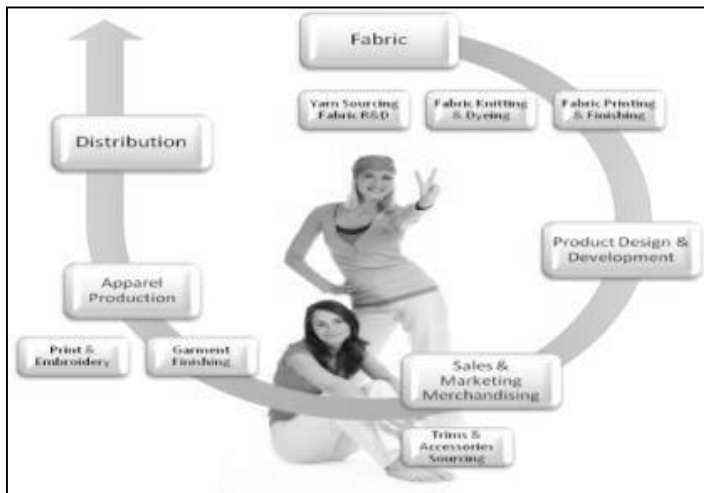
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PRODUCT DATA

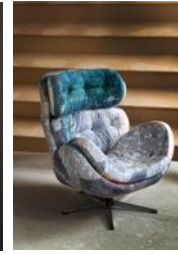


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FlexPLM brings together  
across the lifecycle the 3Ps:

- People
- Processes
- Product Data

# Student feedback



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- Although my learning into PLM is only in its infancy, what I will take away from my first year in learning is that PLM isn't just software to improve existing practises. PLM exists to help change our thinking and approaches within the industry; in turn this will enable the industry to become more collaborative, more innovative and more responsive to the changes that are happening as we speak.
- Cameron, J (2016) <http://www.whichplm.com/editors-choice/working-with-plm-a-students-journey.html>

# PLM Event week 2015



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WhichPLM, PTC, George at Asda and UoH staff & students

# Creative Exchange Event February 2017



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- Tuesday 21<sup>st</sup> February, 10am **CSLG/01**  
**The Sir George Buckley Lecture Theatre**

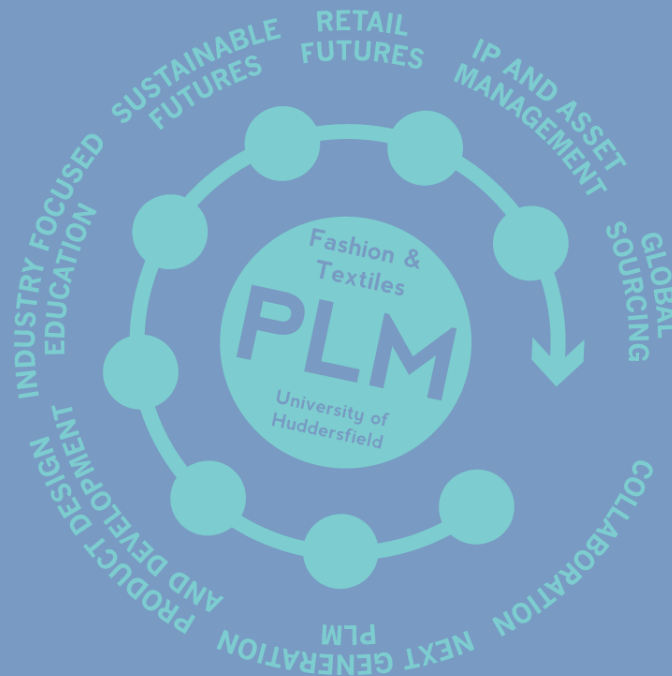
Participate in  
PLM Buying week

# PLM

Participate in this live event to collaborate with your peers to create, specify and source a range for ASOS using industry-standard PLM system "FlexPLM" and transform your employability.

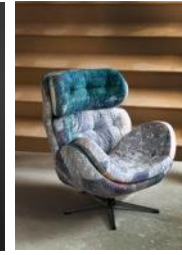
Jo Conlon, Senior Lecturer  
University of Huddersfield

Guest TBC





# Retail Brand



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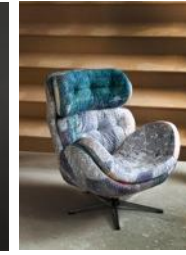
- Challenges and trends in the industry
- Speaker from fashion brand (tbc)

**ASOS**  
discover fashion online

**MISSGUIDED**

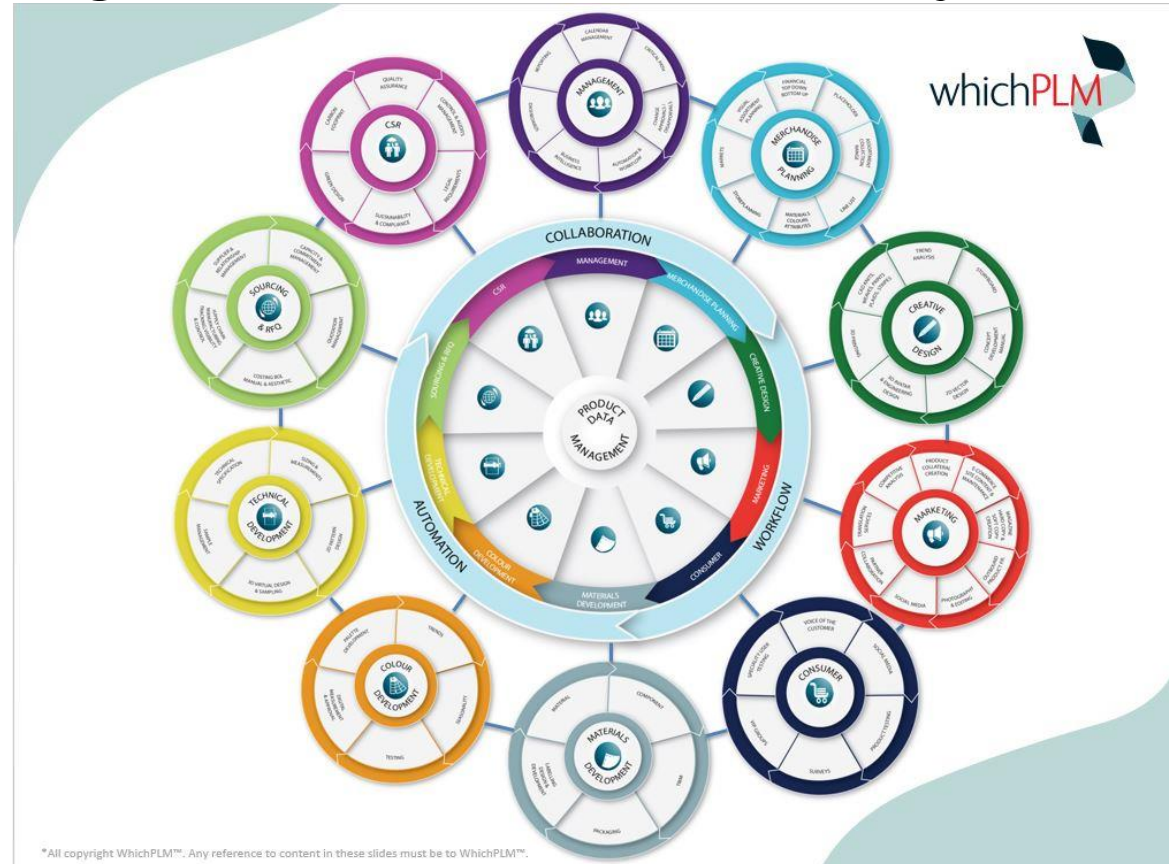
PEACE, LOVE AND FASHION

# WhichPLM



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- Mark Marrop, Mr PLM, MD WhichPLM  
“PLM and the digitization of the industry”



# PTC



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- Mark Lyness, PTC UK,
- “The Art of the Possible” - where a strong core of shared product data can improve process and experience from concept to consumer



Qualcomm Vuforia augmented reality demo - Nike

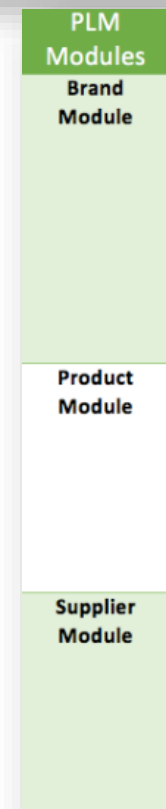


# “Sustainability Solution” for Fashion Retail Organizations



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- Vivek Mani, ITC Infotech
- We can expect brands and retailers to have a “Green Star” tag on their products just like we have on electronic goods today
- The solution / product is built on the PLM platform and designed to make the entire process of sustainability scoring seamless - right from product design to commercialization.





# Round Table Plenary



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- Each speaker will moderate a team to generate a solution to the challenge posed using ideas from the preceding presentations
- Present findings to prompt discussion



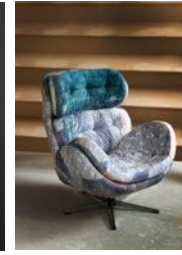
# PLM / sustainability symposium June 2017



- Following on from PLM event 2016
- Technology as an enabler in the fashion & textile industry
  - What information is needed?
  - What support could we provide?
  - Who should attend?



# Future collaboration



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Comments  
Questions

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