# DCS 52: Airbnb NYC Storytelling Assignment - Leads

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# Aim of Analysis

- The different leaders at Airbnb want to understand some important insights based on various attributes in the dataset so as to increase the revenue such as -
- Which type of hosts to acquire more and where?
- The categorisation of customers based on their preferences.
  - What are the neighbourhoods they need to target?
  - What is the pricing ranges preferred by customers?
  - ☐ The various kinds of properties that exist w.r.t. customer preferences.
  - Adjustments in the existing properties to make it more customer-oriented.
- What are the most popular localities and properties in New York currently?
- How to get unpopular properties more traction?

#### **Problem Statement**

- Airbnb is an online platform using which people can rent their unused accommodations.
- During the covid time, Airbnb incurred a huge loss in revenue.
- People have now started travelling again and Airbnb is aiming to bring up the business again and ready to provide services to customers.

# Background

- For the past few months, Airbnb has seen a major decline in revenue.
- Now that the restrictions have started lifting and people have started to travel more, Airbnb wants to make sure that it is fully prepared for this change.
- So, analysis has been done on a dataset consisting of various Airbnb listings in New York.

# **Data Preparation Methods**

- Data cleaning to identify any missing values, duplicates or outliers
- Dropping irrelevant columns
- Generated seperate excel sheet for cleaned data using the data source provided
- Generating visual charts to better understand the data using bivariate analysis, univariate analysis, and much more using cleaned data file.

#### Before cleaning data: AB\_NYC\_2019.csv

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#### After cleaning data: Airbnb\_cleaned\_dataset.csv

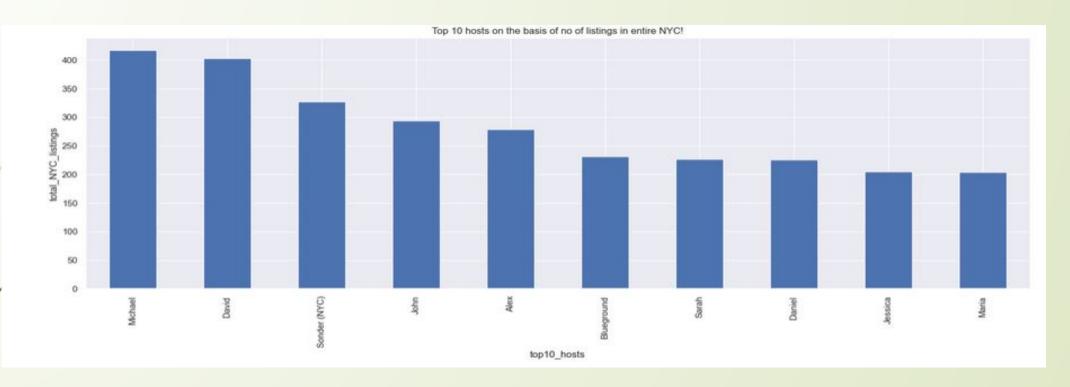
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3	host_name	48847 non-null	object
4	neighbourhood_group	48847 non-null	object
5	neighbourhood	48847 non-null	object
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7	longitude	48847 non-null	float64
8	room_type	48847 non-null	object
9	price	48847 non-null	int64
10	minimum_nights	48847 non-null	int64
11	number_of_reviews	48847 non-null	int64
12	last_review	38811 non-null	datetime64
13	reviews_per_month	38811 non-null	float64
14	calculated_host_listings_count	48847 non-null	int64
15	availability_365	48847 non-null	int64
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17	minimum nights range	48847 non-null	category

# **Key Analysis**

- 1. Top 10 hosts
- 2. Popular neighbourhood group
- 3. Customer booking w.r.t minimum nights
- 4. Airbnb availability in different Neighbourhood groups with respect to Minimum nights
- 5. Neighbourhood vs Availability w.r.t minimum nights
- 6. Median price of the different Neighbourhood Groups
- 7. Preferred room type w.r.t neighbourhood group

## Top 10 hosts

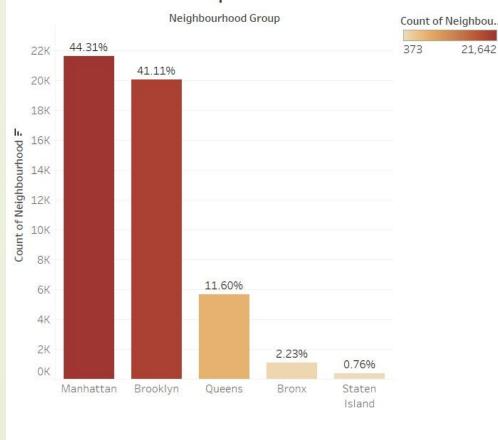


Among the 10 list of hosts for Airbnb seems Michael being the top most followed by David and to the end at 10 position its Maria.

#### Popular Neighbourhood Group

- Manhattan & Brooklyn have the highest share of Airbnb listings in the New York.
- Staten island has the least number of listings.
- Queens is third preferred airbnb spot followed with one third being preferred in Bronx.

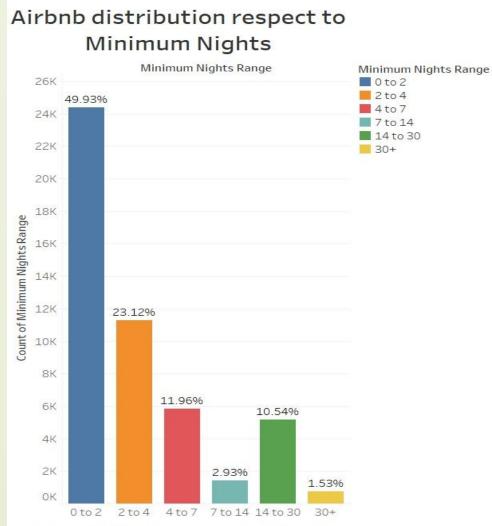
#### Airbnb distribution in Neighbourhood Group



Count of Neighbourhood for each Neighbourhood Group. Colour shows count of Neighbourhood. The marks are labelled by % of Total Count of Neighbourhood Group.

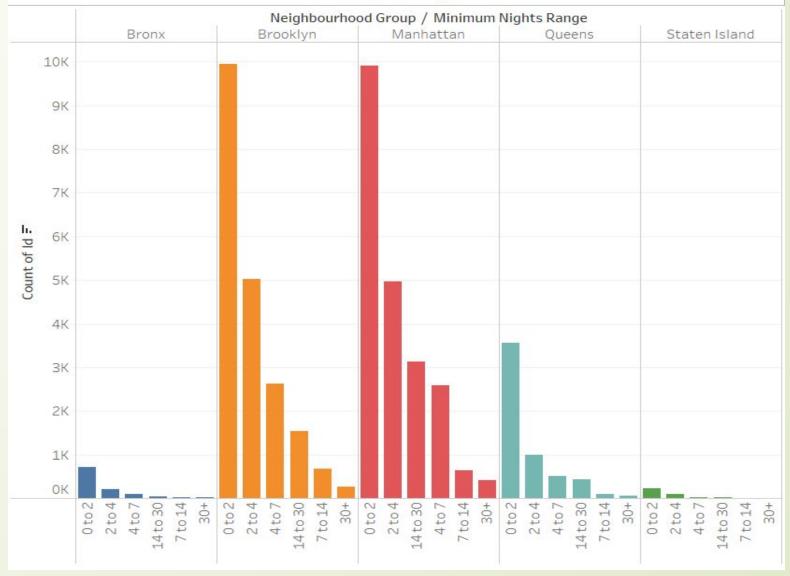
#### Customer booking w.r.t minimum nights

- A very huge hike rate could be seen for Airbnb booking for 0-2 days listing out 2-4 days at just 50 % of previous one.
- 7 -14 & 20+ has a very ower bar followed with 4-7 & 14 20.



Count of Minimum Nights Range for each Minimum Nights Range. Colour shows details about Minimum Nights Range. The marks are labelled by % of Total Count of Minimum Nights Range.

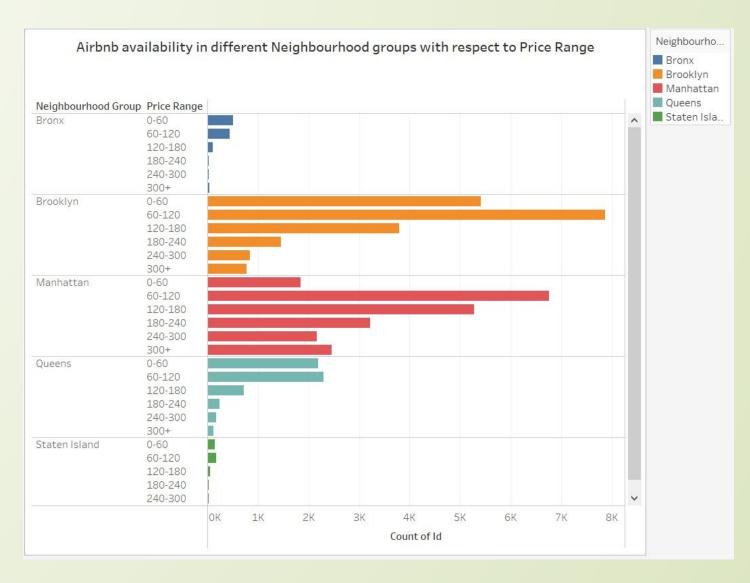
# Airbnb availability in different Neighbourhood groups with respect to Minimum nights



Most of the listings in all the different Neighbourhood groups have the Minimum nights requirement to be between 0 to 4 days.

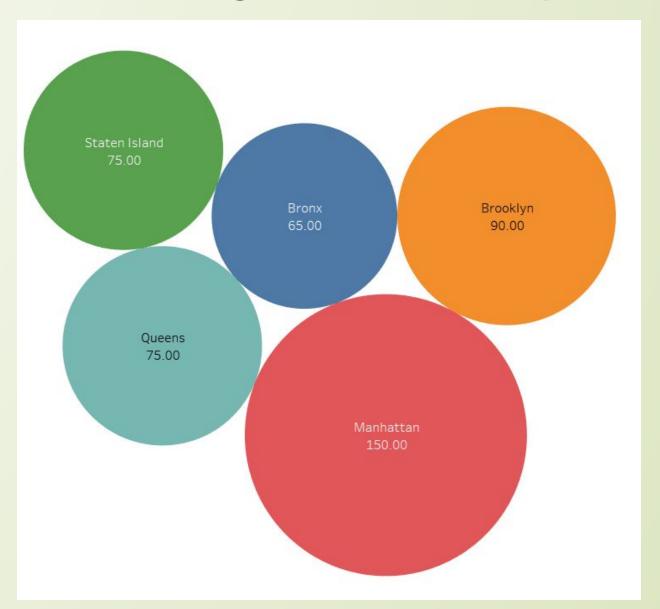
# Neighbourhood vs Availability w.r.t minimum nights

- From graph, maximum availability for rooms is in Brooklyn & Manhattan. Manhattan & Queens have higher number of 30 day bookings compared to the others. The reason could be either tourists booking long stays or mid-level employees who opt for budget friendly booking.
- However in both the neighbourhood groups maximum price range preferred is 60 180.



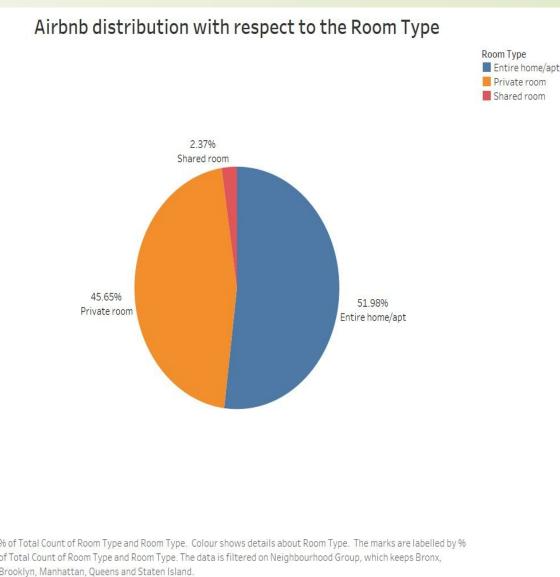
#### Median price of the different Neighbourhood Groups

- From the data we see that Manhattan has higher median price than the other Neighbourhood Groups.
- Brooklyn has the 2nd highest median price.
- ☐ Bronx is the least.



#### Preferred room type w.r.t neighbourhood group

From chart seems the private and Entire home occupies is more preferred by customer than share room i.e 2.22%.



% of Total Count of Room Type and Room Type. Colour shows details about Room Type. The marks are labelled by % of Total Count of Room Type and Room Type. The data is filtered on Neighbourhood Group, which keeps Bronx, Brooklyn, Manhattan, Queens and Staten Island.

## **Appendix- DATA SOURCES:**

- Dataset Overview: The dataset contains Airbnb listings' details, including hosts, locations, prices (per night), and various attributes.
- Column Explanations: Columns are self-explanatory; reference the provided diagram for specific meanings.

Column	Description	
id	listing ID	
name	name of the listing	
host_id	host ID	
host_name	name of the host	
neighbourhood_group	location	
neighbourhood	area	
latitude	latitude coordinates	
longitude	longitude coordinates	
room_type	listing space type	
price		
minimum_nights	amount of nights minimum	
number_of_reviews	number of reviews	
last_review	latest review	
reviews_per_month	number of reviews per month	
calculated_host_listings_count	amount of listing per host	
availability_365	number of days when listing is available for booking	

# Appendix - Data Methodology

Conducted a thorough analysis on the given Airbnb dataset. The process included:

- Cleaning the dataset using Python with the help of Pandas library.
- Created new columns to convert numerical columns to categorical columns which helps in providing more precise information.
- Created the visualization charts using Tableau.