CLOUD & PLATFORM ENGINEERING SUMMIT VIC

ADVANCING CLOUD CAPABILITIES TO TRULY ENABLE DIGITAL BUSINESS

WEDNESDAY 20TH MARCH 2024 MARVEL STADIUM, VIC



SPEAKERS













KEY TOPICS

- Communicating the capabilities of a leading cloud & platform strategy
- Assessing best practices in cloud governance, maintenance & efficiency
- Building high performing teams through platform engineering, innovation & improvement
- Fully leveraging cloud & platform capabilities for cost optimisation

WHO WILL ATTEND?

CIO/CTO

Heads of Cloud

Heads of Technology

Heads of IT Infrastructure

Heads of IT Operations

Heads of Architecture

Heads of Platform Engineering

SUMMIT AGENDA

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 20TH

8:30 REGISTRATION, COFFEE & NETWORKING

9:00 WELCOME REMARKS FROM THE CHAIR



9:10 DELEGATE SPOTLIGHT

Discuss the ethics, privacy & societal impact of cloud computing

9:40 PANEL DISCUSSION UNPACKING THE CAPABILITIES OF A LEADING CLOUD & PLATFORM STRATEGY

- Understanding your business model & making smart choices around platforms for future success
- Building your cloud capabilities in at the platform level to becoming a true business enabler
- Communicate the business value & cost efficiency of platform engineering to the executive & board

Craig Baker, Vice President of Architecture, Immutable

Dhruv Dasgupta, Enterprise Architect, Coles **Dr. Walter Kozlowski**, Principal, Cloud Infrastructure Architecture, Telstra

Andrew Pooley, Head of Cloud & Technology Platforms, Toll Group

10:20 PRESENTATION: BRINGING AI TO THE DATA: PUBLIC V PRIVATE CLOUD - WHERE WILL THE DATA REALLY LIVE?

Peter Kafegellis, Account Executive, Lenovo ANZ

10:50 SPEED NETWORKING

11:00 MORNING TEA & NETWORKING

11:30 PANEL DISCUSSION CLOUD OPTIMISATION & AUTOMATION TO MAXIMISE THE VALUE OF YOUR CURRENT ASSETS

- Having the right guardrails in place to create the golden paths to success
- Utilising observability to improve services & usability
- Automation as an avenue for optimisation
- Communicating the value of cloud governance & maintenance for cost optimisation

Aaron Chipper, CTO & Co-Founder, FrankieOne Mary-Beth Hosking, CEO, Vic ICT For Women Luke Giuliani, Head of Engineering, Blinq

12:00 PRESENTATION: UNLOCKING TRUE DATA VALUE

Stu Garrow, VP Asia Pacific, Aiven

12:40 LUNCH & NETWORKING



1:30 INTERACTIVE WORKHOPS

- Navigating FinOps: Optimizing cloud costs for greater
 value.
- Strategies for operational efficiency to scale hybrid or multi-cloud environments
- Augmented FinOps: How will AI/ML transform cloud cost management and optimization
- Optimising Hybrid and Multi-Cloud Strategy: Balance risk, cut costs, and increase operational efficiency
- Intelligent automation to maximise & protect your hybrid cloud investment
- Al's Revolutionary Role in Engineering: Unleashing full developer potential
- Is Your Data Ready for Al?: Navigating Public vs. Private Cloud

2:10 PANEL DISCUSSION BUILDING HIGH PERFORMING TEAMS THROUGH PLATFORM ENGINEERING, INNOVATION & SECURITY

- The importance of security built in at the platform level
- Discussing challenges, barriers & solutions to raising engineering standards
- Striving for end to end high performance & bringing engineering teams along with the strategic direction
- A fully self serviceable platform to promote developer autonomy & increased speed to market

Kate Givoni, Head of Engineering, Xero
Jakub Riedl, Principle Engineer, Culture Amp
Hannah Russel, Head Of Engineering, SEEK
Scott Van Kalken, SE, Orca Security
Abbe Majeed, Senior Manager - Architecture, Cloud
and Data Platforms Engineering, HESTA

2:50 PRESENTATION MANAGING CYBER RESILIENCY IN A HYBRID INFRASTRUCTURE ENVIRONMENT

Michael Heffernan, Field Technical Director, Cohesity

3:20 AFTERNOON TEA & NETWORKING



3.30 KEYNOTE: Driving Change Through Leadership: Women in Tech Mary-Beth Hosking, CEO, Vic ICT For Women

4.10 CLOSING REMARKS & NETWORKING DRINKS

5.10 EVENT END