# TECH LEADERS SUMMIT QLD

STRATEGICALLY ALIGNING TECHNOLOGY WITH BUSINESS OUTCOMES

WEDNESDAY 7TH AUGUST, 2024 BRISBANE CONVENTION & EXHIBITION CENTRE, BRISBANE

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# **SPEAKERS**



## **KEY TOPICS**

- The rise of the business technologist : pioneering a new technology delivery model
- Striking a balance between security and efficiency to accelerate IT project delivery
- Insights from the frontline : unveiling early lessons in the AI journey

### WHO WILL ATTEND?

- CIO
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- Heads of IT Transformation
- Heads of Digital
- Heads of Technology Strategy & Innovation
- Heads of Technology

• The ethics of IT

#### **#FOREFRONTEVENTS**

# SUMMIT AGENDA

### WEDNESDAY 7TH AUGUST 2024

#### 8:30 REGISTRATION, COFFEE & NETWORKING

#### 9:00 WELCOME REMARKS

#### 9:10 ATTENDEE SPOTLIGHT

Building the ideal technology stack and strategy for your organisation

#### 9:40 PANEL DISCUSSION: THE RISE OF THE BUSINESS TECHNOLOGIST : PIONEERING A NEW TECHNOLOGY DELIVERY MODEL

- Bridging the gap between business and technology with new competencies to spearhead initiatives and shape technology roadmaps
- Democratising development through no-code / lowcode tools to accelerate innovation and time-tomarket

Nathan Pilgrim, Chief Information, Product & Strategy Officer, Gallagher Bassett

Regine Cracknell, Head of Operating Model

Frameworks, Super Retail Group

**Efiza Vanniasinghe**, Head of Digital Solutions Asia Pacific, Airbus

John Heaton, Strategy & Innovation, Alex Bank Moderator: Jeff Vance, Vice President, Centelon

#### **10:20 CASE STUDY:** DATA MANAGEMENT - BUILDING THE BACKBONE OF AI INNOVATION. CIO STRATEGIC IMEPERATIVES

Julian Badell, Head of Solutions, ISG, Lenovo

#### **10:50 SPEED NETWORKING**

#### **11:00 MORNING TEA & NETWORKING**

#### 11:30 PANEL DISCUSSION: STRIKING A BALANCE BETWEEN SECURITY & EFFICIENCY TO ACCELERATE IT PROJECT DELIVERY

- Integrating cybersecurity principles and practices into all aspects of IT to ensure the smooth functioning of systems, infrastructure and project delivery
- Balancing security requirements with project timelines and objectives

**Andrew McMutrie**, Head of Security (ANZ & Asia) Corporate Travel Management

**Traci Booker**, Head of Technology Strategy Execution, The Lottery Corporation

Marcus Barron, General Manager Technology, National Storage

Antonie Falco, Chief Technology Officer, Zscaler Moderator: Nikki Peever, Director, Cybersecurity, CAUDIT

#### 12:10 CASE STUDY: OPTIMISING BUDGET FOR TECHNOLOGY RISK

Guy Kelly. Network Business Leader - ANZ, Alcatel-Lucent Enterprise

#### 12:40 LUNCH & NETWORKING

#### 1:30 INTERACTIVE WORKSHOPS

- Is your infrastructure strategy data-driven? -Assessing models with insights from 500+ CIO's
- Unlocking productivity: evaluating the business
  impact of Generative AI
- Balancing security and budget: assessing cost vs
   benefit
- Enhancing performance and reliability with cloud monitoring and observability
- Strengthening foundations : transforming connectivity and enhancing accessibility for digital innovation

#### 2:10 PANEL DISCUSSION: INSIGHTS FROM THE AI JOURNEY: ELEVATING OUTCOMES ACROSS INTERNAL OPERATIONS & CUSTOMER-FOCUSED APPLICATIONS

• Uncovering practical knowledge from those on the ground, reflecting on pivotal lessons they wish they had known from the outset

**Brendon Guy**, Head of Data & Automation, Auswide Bank

**Conor O'Neill,** Head of Data Science, Compare The Market

Mitika Bajwa, Director of Analytics, Queensland Government

Jude Smith, Director, Learning Innovation & Design, Queensland University of Technology Moderator : Anthony Ingeri, Head of Online Banking &

Self-Service, Bank of Queensland

#### 2:50 AFTERNOON BREAK & NETWORKING

#### 3:10 TECHNOLOGY LEADERS FIRESIDE CHAT : DESIGNING A MODEL FOR INNOVATION IN THE MODERN BUSINESS

Tim Johnson, Head of Automation, Suncorp Group Wayne Meecham, Head of Data & Technology, HiSmile

# 3:40 CLOSING REMARKS FOLLOWED BY NETWORKING DRINKS

#### 4:50 EVENT END