

CLOUD EXCELLENCE SUMMIT NSW

DEMOCRATISING CLOUD FOR
STREAMLINED WORKFLOWS

OCTOBER 17TH, 2024
DOLTONE HOUSE DARLING ISLAND,
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KEY TOPICS

- The road to cloud excellence: Enabling AI, Continuous improvement and streamlining workflows
- Empowering the business cyber security capabilities and keeping the cloud secure
- Unpacking the intermediary and advanced cloud cost mitigation methodologies
- Democratising cloud to empower all business units

WHO WILL ATTEND?

- CIO/CTO
- Heads of Cloud
- Heads of Technology
- Heads of IT Infrastructure
- Heads of Engineering
- Heads of Architecture
- Heads of Platforms

SUMMIT AGENDA

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 17TH

8:30 REGISTRATION, COFFEE & NETWORKING

9:00 WELCOME REMARKS FROM CHAIRPERSON



9:10 ATTENDEE SPOTLIGHT

Share how you would respond to the example provided

9:40 PANEL DISCUSSION : THE ROAD TO CLOUD EXCELLENCE: DRIVING CONTINUOUS IMPROVEMENT AND STREAMLINING WORKFLOWS

- Streamlining cloud for enhanced continuous improvement and continuous development
- Determining the right mix of team roles and skills for cloud optimisation
- Assessing Cloud's role in integrating, enabling and optimising AI
- Unpacking the necessary governance frameworks for AI

Charles Fergus, Director of Engineering, Infrastructure, SafetyCulture

Peter James, IT Operations Director, amaysim

Bindu Subhadramma, Executive Director BSS App Engineering & Platform Management, Optus

10:20 CASE STUDY: YOUR DATA - THEIR CLOUD: ENSURE SECURITY OF CRITICAL AND SENSITIVE DATA

10:50 SPEED NETWORKING

11:00 MORNING TEA & NETWORKING

11:30 PANEL DISCUSSION : EMPOWERING THE BUSINESS'S CYBER SECURITY CAPABILITIES AND KEEPING THE CLOUD SECURE

- Assessing the security vulnerabilities of cloud
- Driving efficiency in DevSecOps and usage of key cyber guard rails
- Uplifting cyber security literacy across key roles
- Finding the right balance between governance and accessibility of cloud

Dilshan Jayarathna, Senior Manager- Cyber Security Architecture & Cloud Security, TAL

Rabbie Zalaf, Principal Cloud Security Architect, TPG

Arun Singh, Director of DevSecOps, Zip Co

Gerald Bachlmayr, Principal Cloud Architect, Cuscal

12:10 PRESENTATION: REVIEWING THE POTENTIAL OF AI IN CLOUD AND ENTERPRISE EMPOWERMENT

12:40 LUNCH & NETWORKING



1:30 INTERACTIVE WORKSHOPS

- Shaping the future of API management
 - Determining the practical applications of AI in cloud today
 - Best practice in automating cloud scalability
 - Integration Everywhere - A discussion on connected business successes and tech battle scars
 - The evolution of advanced cloud strategies - what to consider now and into the future
 - Getting cloud containerisation and orchestration right for your organisation
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2:10 PANEL DISCUSSION : ASSESSING ADVANCED CLOUD COST MITIGATION STRATEGIES

- Determining and prioritising medium and long term cost cutting wins
- Developing and maturing FinOps capabilities
- Embedding a culture of development efficiency
- Driving transparency and visibility of cloud cost and utilisation

Neil Maclure, Head of Cloud Services, Infrastructure & Operations, SBS

Alice Roberts, Associate Director, Cloud, Macquarie Group

Arvind Shastry, FinOps Manager, Transport NSW

Tim Owen, FinOps Capability Manager, Endeavour Group

2:50 PRESENTATION : TAKING THE GUESS WORK OUT OF COST VISIBILITY AND REDUCTION

3:20 AFTERNOON TEA & NETWORKING

3:40 KEYNOTE PRESENTATION: ANALYSING THE KEY COMPONENTS, PROCESSES AND COMPOSITION OF A WORLD CLASS CLOUD ECO SYSTEM

4:10 CLOSING REMARKS

4:20 NETWORKING DRINKS

5:20 EVENT END
