The Digital Solutions Gallery Keynote Session
Nationwide Arena
August 14, 2023

“The Two Faces Of AI”

An advantage of innovation is that it continues to build upon itself, bringing expanded possibilities that foster even more innovation - a continuous loop of invention, adoption, commercialization and adaptation.

Artificial intelligence (AI) is now at the epicenter of this cycle, and despite its exciting possibilities it is also surrounded by growing controversy concerning its potential risks. Even OpenAI has warned that ChatGPT is still very limited, and it has strongly urged companies to not utilize it for essential tasks. As a result, some major companies have already followed suit.

What are your organizations doing to better understand not only AI advancements, but also the possible risks that need to be mitigated regarding your processes, governance frameworks and ethical considerations?

Futurist Thornton May will lead a lively and provocative discussion with highly acclaimed executives who have a proven track record of not only innovation, but also envisioning and enabling expanding leadership strategies that need to evolve in these challenging times.

Now in its 20th year, the “Digital Solutions Gallery™” is a nationally acclaimed ongoing forum where senior leaders and their business peers come together in a comfortable setting to share experiences and insights, as well as collaboratively attack common issues. Throughout 2023, this six-session series will allow participants to better appreciate not only what is coming, but also how its associated value might be captured.

There is NO COST to invited senior leaders. Sponsoring opportunities are available for invited technology product and service providers.

Agenda:

7:00am  Breakfast Available
8:00am  Welcome and Session Introduction

Mr. Bruce Barnes
DSG Program Co-Founder
The Ohio State University
and Co-Host For This Program
8:15am Opening Presentation and Group Discussion

Mr. Thornton May
_DSG Program Co-Founder_
_Internationally Acclaimed IT Futurist_
_Co-Host For The Session_

Thornton May is a futurist, educator and noted author. He is the Co-Founder of the Digital Solutions Gallery, as well as the Founder of the Digital Value Institute.

His extensive experience researching and consulting on the role and behaviors of “C” level executives in creating value with information technology has won him an unquestioned place on the short list of serious thinkers on this topic. eWeek has named Thornton on their list of Top “100 Most Influential People in IT”.

8:30am Keynote Presentation

Mr. Malcolm Frank
_CEO; TalentGenius_
_Former President, Digital Business & Technology – and - Former Chief Strategy Officer; Cognizant_

Mr. Frank is a recognized industry thought leader and frequent speaker on key issues of IT management. He has been profiled by Forbes magazine and ABC’s 20/20 and quoted in such publications as ComputerWorld, InformationWeek and Business 2.0. He is the subject of a Harvard Business School case study on Leadership and Management and was named “One of the most influential people in finance” in 2005 by Risk Management Magazine.
Mr. Frank has held many high-ranking and visible roles at Cognizant, an American multinational information technology services and consulting company, headquartered in Teaneck, New Jersey. He retired from Cognizant in 2021, and went on to join TalentGenius.

Prior to joining Cognizant, he was co-founder, President and CEO of CXO systems, an independent software vendor providing dashboard solutions for senior managers. In addition, he was also the founder, president, CEO and Chairman of Nervewire Inc., a leading management consulting and systems integration firm. Prior to founding Nervewire, Mr. Frank was a co-founder, executive officer and SVP at Cambridge Technology Partners, where he ran Worldwide Marketing, Business Development and several business units.

Malcolm still sits on numerous Boards of Directors and proudly holds a BA in Economics from Yale University.

9:15am  Morning Break
9:40am  Presenting Sponsor Knowledge Share and Introduction

9:50am  Participant Discussion and Collaborative Practicum Problem-Solving Exercise
10:20am  Presenting Sponsor Knowledge Share and Introduction

10:30am  Thought Leader Panel

Mr. Guru Vasudeva  
SVP/CIO; Infrastructure and Operations  
Nationwide Insurance

Mr. Jerome Revish  
SVP; Digital and Commercial Technologies  
Cardinal Health
Ms. Ursula Cottone  
*Chief Data Officer*  
*Huntington National Bank*

Mr. Thornton May  
*Moderator*

Mr. Dave Cherry  
*DSG Program Co-Producer*  
*The Ohio State University*  
*and Co-Host For The Session*

11:15am  Closing Participant Exercise
11:45am  Session Summary and Subsequent Session Preview

Noon  Session Adjournment