

Summary As a strategic and innovative leader, Christopher is known for the ability to help clients realize how to leverage technology to outperform competitors. He has led clients through some of their toughest challenges, including departmental & project rescues, embracing and integrating new digital solutions, and developing hybrid organizations that can fully utilize the best and most cost effective IT solutions.

Christopher's experience spans many industries and includes a truly global experience across six continents. He has developed a reputation for developing powerful IT strategies that are quickly executed at the tactical level. As a recognized author and thought leader for venues like CIO.com, Christopher has repeatedly shown companies how to change their thinking about technology and drive tactical IT solutions that quickly show tangible value.



Consulting Areas

- IT Strategy
- Business Transformation
- Enterprise Project Delivery
- Program/Project Mgt
- Global Outsourcing
- IT Leadership Rescue
- M&A Due Diligence
- Advanced Cyber Security
- Strategic Planning/Roadmaps

Expertise

- Strategic Planning
- C-Level Client Relationships
- 24x7 IT Operations
- Executive Coaching
- Large-Scale Program Management
- IT Investment Mgt
- Performance Optimization
- Practical IT Innovation
- Cloud Technology Solutions

Industry Verticals Served

High Tech, Manufacturing, Financial Services, Energy & Utilities, Telecommunications, Software, CPG Sectors

Representative Experiences

- **Global ERP Implementation** – Provided leadership for the implementation of major ERP systems including SAP across multiple countries (North/South America, EMEA, Australia). Utilized modern strategies to reduce execution times by 30 percent and save over \$15 million through advanced contract and vendor management approaches.
- **Corporate Mergers & Acquisitions** – Served as the lead technical advisor for the divestiture of Valerus in the Kentz Corporation. Continued leadership and oversight as Kentz consolidated its enterprise and completely merged into the SNC Lavalin Corporation. Instrumental in determining the strategy, integration points, and developing the final execution plan which finished over 60 days ahead of schedule.
- **IT Organizational and Project Recovery** – Stabilized the operations of an energy company (W&T Offshore) when its IT leadership and 90% of staff abruptly left the company. Quickly brought operations under control, rolled out a project investment and execution team, and rebuilt the capabilities of applications, infrastructure, and security. Migrated legacy systems to cloud alternatives, managed down costs without reducing services, established SOX compliance, and created a five-year technology roadmap.

Past Employers

W&T Offshore, Valerus, LPLLC, CPS Energy, Weyerhaeuser, Micron

Education, Training & Certifications

M.Sc., Management & Systems, New York University

MBA, Business Administration and Global Management, University of Phoenix

B.Sc., Metallurgical Engineering, University of Idaho