

Cloud Transformation Workshop

Define the strategy to adopt and transform your cloud with our one-day workshop. It helps accelerate your transformation programs by creating a strategic roadmap over eight transformation domains.

Workshop at a Glance:

- One-day workshop.
- Eight transformation domains.
- Covers DevSecOps impact for hybrid cloud.
- Strategic roadmap deliverable.

Executive Summary

Cloud adoption requires a lot of work. Operations and speed are increasing. Changes within the C-level for either the CIO or CTO can lead to shifting strategies. Plus, it's challenging to manage multicloud complexities with a combined approach to vendor and open source-based automation initiatives. Then you have to also contend with concepts such as site reliability engineering (SRE).

Why all the complexity? Cloud transformation programs are always cross-portfolio activities that link development, operations, cybersecurity, and artificial intelligence. It's a balancing act between running Agile DevSecOps in the cloud and keeping your cloud compliant. Transforming means automating IT operations, compliance and vulnerability risk management for the hybrid enterprise. It requires applying controls to sensitive data and grouping applications according to the network traffic between them to minimize your cloud risk.

Using IaaS or PaaS, you have to ensure your cloud-built or SaaS applications behave as you expect. And you can't keep unnecessary applications or environments running. Turn them off or do not migrate them.

It's a lot to think about and do. You need a strategic roadmap that covers all these different dimensions. Our one-day Cloud Transformation Workshop helps guide and accelerate your cloud transformation programs. It's perfect for C-level leaders who want to create a helpful roadmap for their transformation.

Cloud Transformation Dimensions

Here is an overview of the eight dimensions the workshop covers:

1. Goals

Review transformation goals for innovation, agility, scalability, elasticity, green IT, cloud cost control, workforce optimization, compliance, and more.

2. Program

Examine cloud transformation program aspects, such as change management, program structures, sizing, staffing, and cloud onboarding.

3. Learnings

Learn from the OpenText CTO and CIO on how they manage the cloud and understand the benefits of our transformation program.

4. Organization

Investigate organizational impact for your DevSecOps teams and understand the different operating models and the role of SRE.

5. Process and concepts

Define what cloud means to your team when it comes to requirements, availability, continuity, security, monitoring, orchestration, automation, service design, financials, and workflows.

6. Architecture and capabilities

Find out which architecture and capabilities you need for running at a global scale. Learn how the cloud will impact your disaster recovery strategy and solution blueprint. We discuss the use of Infrastructure as Code, building blocks for critical capabilities, and your products or services to ensure supplier integration and network latency.

7. Hybrid cloud management

Understand how to manage a hybrid cloud environment with manual and automated activities, executed with both on-premises and cloud activities.

8. Considerations

Discuss topics such as acquiring SaaS vs. implementing PaaS with software products, cost control, your current data center and support contracts, and your remaining IT and OT.

Workshop Planning and Execution

Planning

We work with you to schedule the delivery of this workshop during local OpenText standard business hours, excluding holidays. Any services provided outside of standard business hours will be subject to additional charges.

Location

We conduct the workshop on-site at an OpenText office location or remotely using a teleconference connection. If the workshop is on-site, meals and beverages will be included.

Facilitator

An assigned facilitator will be available for the duration of the workshop to make sure notes and discussions are captured.

Service Limitations

The service is limited to the scope and information gathering for the eight dimensions. It is conducted as a single, continuous event. For delivery purposes, participants are limited to 10 customer representatives.

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- Assign a designated person from your staff to grant all approvals, provide information, schedule and ensure customer participation in the workshop, and otherwise be available to assist OpenText in scheduling and facilitating the delivery of this service.
- Provide access to the selected 10 key stakeholders for participating in the workshop, including business and IT CxOs, SVPs and VPs, and other stakeholders—such as lead architects, portfolio managers, and IT capability managers.
- Travel to the OpenText office location, and if required, organize lodging for the staff attending.
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