Digital business acceleration across organizations makes it imperative for the CIO’s first 100 days to get off to an effective and impactful start. This research outlines the best practices the new CIO can use to create a comprehensive transition plan and set the foundation for long-term success.

Overview

Transitioning into the CIO role can be one of the most stressful, yet rewarding, career milestones for an individual. Whether promoted, transferred or coming into the position from the outside, the transition process can be a disruptive event for the existing organization. A well-engineered transition strategy and process accelerates the new CIO’s success, leading to more value for the organization. To succeed in the first 100 days, CIOs should develop a comprehensive transition program, using the set of transition research linked below:

- How Transitioning CIOs Can Get Off to a Great Start
- Actions for an Effective CIO Transition: Evaluating the Job
- Actions for an Effective CIO Transition: Identifying Enterprise and Stakeholder Expectations of IT
- Actions for an Effective CIO Transition: Assessing IT Strategy and Plans
- Actions for an Effective CIO Transition: Acting on the Transition Plan
- Actions for an Effective CIO Transition: Measuring and Communicating the Results

Recommended by the Authors

Executive Essentials: Evolve Your Role as CIO
How CIOs Are Redefining Their Role and Responsibilities to Contribute to Digitalization

Three Actions for New CIOs to Build Solid Rapport With C-Level During Their First 100 Days

How to Prepare for the New CIO's Arrival

The Chief Technology Officer's First 100 Days

Case Study: The First 100 Days as CIO in State Government (Virginia Department of Social Services)

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