



VIE CIO Services

A company's IT environment may be large or small but regardless of size there should always be someone at a strategic leadership level overseeing all IT activity. Ask yourself these questions:

- When I ask a question about an IT issue, is it answered to my satisfaction?
- Do I feel in control of my IT environment?
- Do I understand the value my company gets from IT?
- Do I have someone I can trust who understands my business and IT?

What are CIO Services?

VIE offers experienced Chief Information Officers who can step into any corporate environment to fill the role of CIO. These consultants are business executives first and their role is to bridge the gap between business and technology. An acting CIO provides a business with IT leadership and accountability.

How does it work?

CIO Services are custom fit to the client's need. If an organization has a good perspective on their IT environment, the engagement can begin immediately. Most often, VIE recommends CIO services as an adjunct or extension of our other services.

Some of the common uses of CIO Services include:

- An **interim** role while an organization searches for a CIO to fill the position permanently. A VIE CIO can ensure smooth transitions while searching for the right replacement.
- A **permanent part-time** engagement for small to mid-sized companies that do not warrant a full-time CIO. A cost effective solution for many companies.
- On a **project basis** where the CIO manages an enterprise level change in technology or applications platform. This is ideal for companies with a well-managed IT environment that needs help making a transition before carrying on independently.

CIO Services focus areas:

- IT & Business Alignment
- IT organizational management
- IT Strategic Planning
- IT Vendor Management
- IT Service Management
- IT Budget Management
- IT Operations and infrastructure management
- IT Program and Project Leadership
- Business Continuity Planning and Disaster Recovery Planning
- IT Compliance Management

How will CIO Services help my business?

VIE CIO Consultants have experience in most every industry and most every technology prevalent in the market today. When a client engages VIE, they not only gain the knowledge of the assigned VIE CIO Consultant, they also gain access to the entire knowledge share of all VIE CIO Consultants. Because VIE CIO Consultants bring a wealth of strategic and operational experience to each engagement, they are productive and fully engaged with the business in far less time than a traditional consultant. The leadership and accountability they bring to your business will leave you feeling confident that your IT environment is helping your business reach its goals.