

Cloud Strategy Workshop from CA Technologies

Together, IT and business stakeholders can pave the way for a successful transition to cloud computing

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There is no question that innovative cloud computing technologies can have a profoundly positive effect on your organization, but with any transformative technology, the adoption can be greatly influenced by an organization's preparedness. Because cloud computing includes multiple delivery models, it is critical to clearly define objectives, understand the type of environment that will best meet your needs, and develop a strategy early on that will ensure a successful outcome with minimal risk.

CA Technologies cloud experts can help you do just that—by taking you through our affordable and pragmatic Cloud Strategy Workshop.

What is a Cloud Strategy Workshop?

The Cloud Strategy Workshop from CA Technologies is a three-day facilitated workshop led by experts on cloud technologies who will educate and collaborate with your key business and IT stakeholders about the most relevant cloud topics impacting organizations today.

The team at CA Technologies utilizes a scenario-based model that is common to your traditional data center environment such as the provisioning and de-provisioning of computing assets. This approach ensures that the knowledge exchange is relevant and provides explicit context to each and every workshop participant.

By acquainting a team of business and IT stakeholders with this information and responding to each person's specific questions and needs, our team creates an environment that helps align key cloud initiatives, priorities and expectations.

Ultimately, the goal of the workshop is to facilitate fast decision-making and cross-team collaboration so that you can begin to pave the way for a successful journey to cloud.

Key Benefits

- Clear and unambiguous understanding of cloud concepts that are relevant to your business
- Consensus among key stakeholders and decision makers—build a cloud strategy together
- Best practices around data centers, IT infrastructure, applications and service management and delivery

- A holistic understanding of your organization's current situation from a people, process, technology and architecture perspective
 - Alignment between IT requirements and strategic business objectives
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What You Get

Throughout the workshop, the cloud experts at CA Technologies will apply industry best practices and lessons learned to the scenario you have selected. The goal is to deconstruct the key elements that enable cloud technology from the people that are going to support it in your organization, to the manner in which it will be implemented and the processes that will be used to support it at a level that meets or exceeds the objectives of your business.

Because the Cloud Strategy Workshop focuses exclusively on your organization's business needs, the report that is delivered at the end of the workshop is strongly connected to—and driven by—your actual business requirements. At the end of the workshop you will understand the level of effort, risk and process change necessary to plan, deploy and manage a cloud environment in your organization.

The Cloud Strategy Workshop report will be presented to your organization approximately two weeks after the end of the workshop. The report will include:

- A high level assessment of your current IT environment—highlighting the impact that the transition to the cloud will have on your business and technical operations
 - Business and technology requirements for desired (future) state
 - Go-forward strategy recommendations including 1) process improvements; 2) organizational alignment; and 3) technology enhancements
 - High level roadmap with near term milestones for cloud deployment
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Why CA Services?

CA Technologies has embarked on a bold mission to drive the adoption of next generation IT infrastructure by fully embracing and enabling organizations to successfully adopt, manage and automate their cloud computing environments.

Our comprehensive solutions are designed to help organizations fully realize the agility and operational benefits that can be derived from next generation IT infrastructure. With a solution based approach, CA Technologies customers can now access proven practices, highly valuable skill sets and experience as they begin or continue on their journey to cloud.

Get Started

To speak with CA Technologies about how to sign up for a Cloud Strategy Workshop, please contact CA Services at ca.com.