

# Detroit CIO Executive Summit

Detroit Marriott Renaissance Center



**November 2, 2021**

**6:00pm - 8:30pm**      **Governing Body Private Dinner**

**November 3, 2021**

**7:30am - 8:15am**      **Registration & Breakfast**

**8:15am - 8:30am**      **Opening Comments**

**8:30am - 9:00am**      **CIO & CISO Vision for Strategy & Leadership**

Ryan Talbott, CIO, BorgWarner  
Zahira Gonzalvo, Senior VP, Chief Information Security &  
Privacy Officer, Flagstar Bank  
Sangy Vatsa, EVP, Chief Technology and Digital Officer, FIS  
Global

**9:00am - 9:15am**      **Break**

**9:15am - 10:00am**      **Embracing ML/AI – Practically Applying in Product  
Development**

David Kepczynski, Chief Information Officer, GE Research, GE  
Power

**9:15am - 10:00am**      **Close the Innovation Gap with Automated Workflows**

Gary Cassell, Global Industry Lead - Manufacturing & Supply  
Chain, Appian  
Mark Guthrie, IS&S Director & CIO, AM General  
Matt Logar, CIO, Gentherm

**10:00am - 10:30am**      **Networking Break**

**10:30am - 11:15am Talent Talk — Filling the IT Hiring Gap**

David Behen, VP & CIO, La-Z-Boy  
Kelly Knepley, CIO, DexKo Global

**10:30am - 11:15am Beyond the Hype – Embracing the Hybrid Cloud**

Kevin Berch, Director, Global Market, Sell and Service IT, Ford  
Mike Arkison, CIO, Great Lakes Wine & Spirits, LLC

**11:15am - 11:25am Break**

**11:25am - 12:40pm Peer-to-Peer Meetings**

**11:45am - 1:15pm Lunch Service**

**12:40pm - 1:00pm Break**

**1:00pm - 1:05pm Lunch Comments**

**1:05pm - 1:35pm Building Bridges between IT & OT – Enabling Smarter Operations**

Rajeev Puri, Chief Technology Officer, Kyndryl

**1:35pm - 1:50pm Break**

**1:50pm - 2:35pm CIOs Connecting Business, Data and Technology**

Chris Bruman, Global Director, Enterprise Systems Services,  
Dow  
David Kepczynski, Chief Information Officer, GE Research, GE  
Power

**2:35pm - 3:05pm Networking Break**

**3:05pm - 3:50pm Navigating Digital Transformation**

Gregg Garrett, Founder & CEO, CGS Advisors

**3:05pm - 3:50pm Developing a Strategic Approach to Applications Rationalization**

Daryl Dellinger, North American CIO, Continental Automotive  
Kelly Knepley, CIO, DexKo Global  
Dan Rainey, CIO, Detroit Water & Sewerage Department

**3:50pm - 4:05pm**      **Break**

**4:05pm - 4:10pm**      **Closing Comments**

**4:10pm - 4:40pm**      **You've Been Breached — Now What?**

Martin Bally, CISO, Stellantis  
Erik Wille, CISO, American Axle Manufacturing

**4:40pm - 5:10pm**      **Closing Reception & Prize Drawing**