

Middle East CIO Executive Summit

Fairmont Riyadh

Evanta
a Gartner Company

27 November 2023

18:00 - 21:00 **Governing Body Welcome Dinner**

28 November 2023

08:00 - 09:15 **Registration & Breakfast**

09:15 - 10:00 **The Three Magic Ingredients of Transformation**

Mary Mesaglio, Distinguished VP Analyst, Gartner

10:00 - 10:15 **Break**

10:15 - 11:00 **Unifying IT Ecosystems to Accelerate Decision-Making**

Taha Tkito, CIO, Americana Foods

11:00 - 12:00 **Networking Break**

11:10 - 11:30 **Peer-to-Peer Meetings**

12:00 - 12:45 **Thinking Outside the Box — Discussing Disruptive Ideas to Talent Shortages**

Hazim Al Ahmadi, IT Executive Director, Savola Group
Sultan Moraished, CISO, The Red Sea Development Company

12:00 - 12:45 **Leverage Collaboration to Demonstrate IT's Business Value**

Joe Malek, Vice President, Executive Programs, Emerging Markets, Gartner
Hany Almansour, GM Information Technology, Saudi General Authority of Foreign Trade

Mohammed Sater, VP of Information Technology, Bapco
Energies

12:45 - 13:45

Lunch Service

13:45 - 14:20

**Crafting a Robust Digital Strategy: Building Resilience in an Era
of Technological Disruption**

Khalid Alghligah, Deputy Minister, Digital Transformation,
Ministry of Sports KSA

14:20 - 15:00

Break

15:00 - 15:45

Reimagining the IT Operating Model to Accelerate Growth

Khalid AlMutairi, CIO, Maaden

15:00 - 15:45

**The Reality of the Cloud Journey — Comparing Lessons
Learned**

Hakem Alsagri, VP of Digital Transformation, King Abdulaziz
City for Science and Technology
Mounir Abdel-moujoud, Group Head of IT, EDGE Group

15:45 - 16:15

Networking Break

15:50 - 16:10

Peer-to-Peer Meetings

16:15 - 16:50

**Leveraging AI and Analytics to Accelerate Digital
Transformation**

Sabri Albreiki, Group CIO & CTO, Etisalat

16:50 - 17:30

Closing Reception & Prize Drawing