

Digital Transformation of the Financial Services Sector



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Digital transformation, is the Holy Grail of innovation.

The entire innovation landscape in the financial services sector has drastically changed or is changing in the near future. What is the reason for this change?

- Customer Expectation.
- Companies vying for customer attention.
- Increasingly fierce competition.
- The rise of FinTech companies.
- The compliance uncertainty and regulatory processes.



How do you remove the stumbling blocks?

- Beating the OEMs at their own game.
- Creating a successful future roadmap of digital transformation initiatives.



So where should we begin our Digital Transformation process?

Do I hear you ask? Should you begin by improvising your internal processes? Should you start by creating new products and improving your services to the customers or some might think, innovate and buy new technology in the first place that will enable our new business vision.

This one-day Masterclass on Digital Transformation for the Financial Services Sector is organized, to tie up the loose ends and give you a seamless thought process from which good ideas emanate and a path towards a fully transformed organization can be achieved using digital technologies. Basically we give you your roadmap for the future.



How indepth, broad and insightful is our masterclass?

- We have consolidated all aspects of your business and its challenges,
- we present to you the worldwide trends,
- we build your business model for you and you take away a
- roadmap for your future organization.

We list out your Digital First success strategy and present the transformation in culture, skills your employees need, change management, technology evaluation, your business strategy and finally your success score card.

Come All, join us in your magical journey! to achieve the "Digital First" organization with this Digital Transformation Masterclass for the Financial Services Industry. With us you are sorted.

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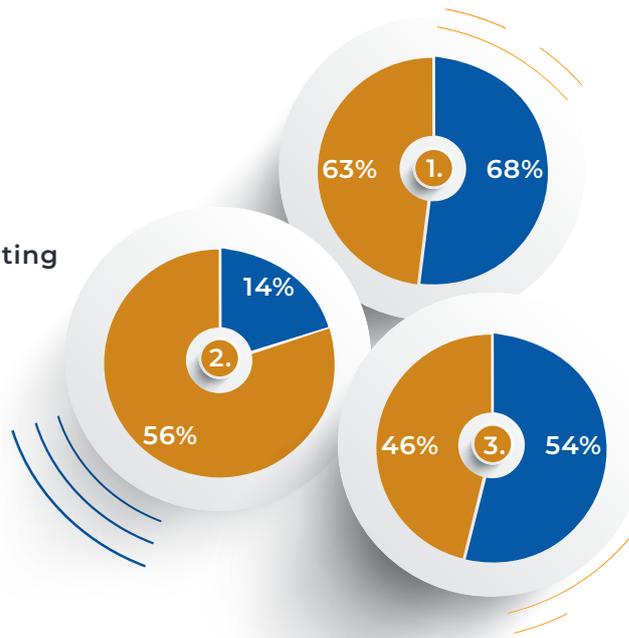
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1. Have a Digital Transformation Strategy.

KEY:



2. In process of Implementing their Strategy.

3. Have a strategy but have not started implementing it.

Masterclass Agenda:

Date: 15th November 2021

Time	Session	Description	Presenter
8:15 - 8:30		Welcome Address.	Steven Ing (SAS)
8:30 - 9:00	One	Impact of Emerging Technologies on Enterprise Architecture	Nandini Dhar
9:00 - 9:45	Two	Why is Digital Transformation imperative for your business?	Jaspreet Bindra
9:45 - 10:30	Three	The five forces driving digital transformation in FSI.	Herman Singh
10:30 - 11:15	Four	Digital Transformation Roadmap & Metrics for Success.	Gopal Kiran
11:30 - 12:15	Five	South African Institute of Professional Accountants a use case of successful digital transformation.	Shahied Daniels
12:15 - 12:45		Lunch	
12:45 - 13:30	Six	Digital Transformation – Cultural Shift, Skills Development & Managing Change.	Barry Vorster
13:30 - 14:00	Seven	Impact of Digital Identity on Financial Services Sector.	Anushka Soma Patel
14:00 - 14:45	Eight	Understanding Information / Analytics Maturity.	Steven Ing
14:45 - 15:30	Nine	Decentralized Finance, Blockchain & DLT technology for Open Banking.	Prasanna Lohar
15:30 - 16:15	Ten	Importance of Cybersecurity in Digital Transformation	Dr. Derek Keats
16:15 - 16:45		Q&A.	SAS
17:00		Wrap Up.	Adesh Nathalal (SAS)

Our Esteemed Speakers:

With over 36 years of enriched experience in the field of information technology and information systems, she has worked with mega conglomerates such as TCS, Mastek, Fujitsu early in her career. She is now an entrepreneur and business owner of repute. As the CEO of Consilium Technologies and Consilium Academy

Her current core competencies include, Digital Transformation, Enterprise Architecture, Strategy Development and Implementation. Her credentials include a BSc. In Statistics, a BPhil in Knowledge Management, (Stellenbosch University) Masters in Global Management (University of Salford Manchester), Post Graduate Diploma in Digital Business (University of Columbia) she is currently pursuing a doctorate in Enterprise Architecture and the Impact of Emerging Technologies.



Nandini Dhar

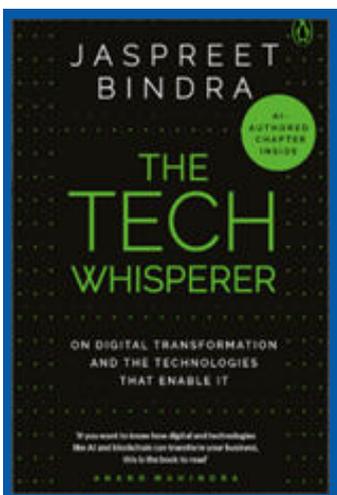
Jaspreet Bindra is the Founder of Digital Matters in India and Tech Whisperer Limited in UK, which does Advisory and Consulting work on Digital Transformation and Digital Technologies like AI, Blockchain, and the Future of Work. He also represents Findability Sciences, an enterprise AI firm, as their Chief Tech Whisperer.

He is a leading expert on Digital Transformation, Blockchain, Future of Work, and AI. He was the Group Chief Digital Officer at Mahindra Group, a \$20bn conglomerate, and a Regional Director at Microsoft before that. He is the author of the bestselling book 'The Tech Whisperer: On Digital Transformation and the Technologies that Enable it', published by Penguin Random House, as well as 'The Immune Organisation: Future Proofing Organisations from COVID-like Disruptions, published by Amazon Westland.

He was recognised as the inaugural 'Digitalist of the Year' by Mint and SAP in 2017, is a Global Moderator/ Educator for Harvard Business, a Scholar-in-Residence at the Indian School of Business. He divides his time between Cambridge and Gurgaon. He started his career with the Tata Group, as a part of the Tata Administrative Services, and is a Chemical Engineer and an MBA in International Business.



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Anushka Soma Patel

Anushka is a blockchain enthusiast whose role as a leader in innovation allowed her to actively understand how block chain as a revolutionary technology will allow the world to bring about positive changes that benefit customers and societies. Her experience in IT and Lean combined with an MBA qualification enables her to analyse this new technology ecosystem in the context of the world as we know it today.

With curiosity and open mindedness Anushka is prepared to push the limits of current systems using the ideas presented by blockchain technology. Her core purpose in life fuels the passion and energy with which she drives initiatives within the organisations she serves, which includes her role as the Co-Chair of the South African Financial Blockchain Consortium Identity working group. Anushka has featured as a guest lecturer for blockchain at The University of Stellenbosch Business School as well as at the University of Cape Town Fintech Program.

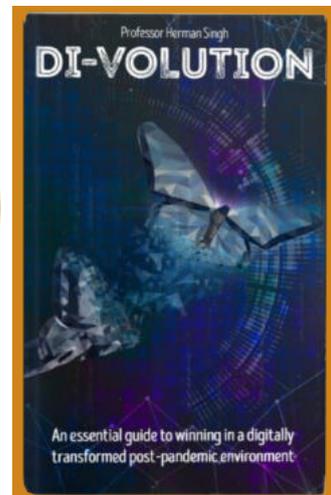
She is a powerful and accomplished lead writer for the African Union Blockchain report and is collaborating with various parties, both locally and abroad, to move the dial on digital identity in South Africa.

Herman is ceo of Future Advisory , a digital transformation and start up acceleration firm operating globally. He was previously the CDO of the MTN group where he was also deputy chairman of Jumia , Africa's first unicorn as well as chairman of its JV insurance business and on the board of MTN Ivory Coast and Cameroon.

Herman was previously the digital executive for Vodacom and was for 12 years in a similar director level position at Standard Bank. Herman is an engineer with MD experience at both Siemens and Reunert for 20 years.



Herman Singh



Our Esteemed Speakers:

A commercially astute, motivated, driven and well-educated corporate executive, with extensive experience in developing, implementing and managing an organisation's long-term strategies, financial and operational goals and objectives.

Demonstrates exceptional and professional communication skills at all levels, and has great vision in creating and developing systems, controls and procedures. Strong and broad-based experience in executive management, finance, turnaround strategies and stakeholder relations. Performs confidently and decisively in positions with high risk and responsibility, and works well under pressure within new and challenging environments.



Shahied Daniels

Gopal works as Director - Financial Services with Deloitte based in Malaysia. He holds a decade plus of diversified consulting experience of working with global fortune Banking, Financial Services, Insurance and Technology companies based in USA, Europe, Middle East and Asia Pacific. Gopal brings a unique expertise of Digital banking, FinTech, cards & payments, digital channels, mortgages, digital wallets, insurance and capital markets. Before joining Deloitte in June 2020, he worked as the 'ASEAN FinTech Leader' with EY managing the Fintech business for the region.

Some of his latest & past Fintech & digital engagements includes – Digital Banking, Market entry strategy for European FinTech to ASEAN, Multiple FinTech Fund-raising & Valuation projects, Banking and FinTech Collaboration, Digital channel strategy & implementation, cashless economy strategy, banking 'super-app' strategy, Neo-banking license application, launching country specific FinTech reports, risk transformation, product innovation, RegTech & InsurTech etc. Conducted multiple sharing & training sessions on latest FinTech innovations & digital subjects with few regulators in the region.

Gopal is an MBA graduate from the premier business schools of USA (HULT International Business School) with an electrical engineering background. He is an active speaker in the region covering diversified forums and topics. Gopal has represented on multiple digital & FinTech forums (350+) and managing FinTech & RegTech alliances to the firm. Gopal is a mentor to few FinTech players, sit on the advisory panel for FinTech based curriculum for universities in Australia and a core committee member of few fintech associations.



Gopal Kiran

Our Esteemed Speakers:



Barry Vorster

Barry is a human resource and consulting leader with a track record in strategic talent management, future of work, and culture transformation applications. He is the Chief Strategy Officer and leads the VSLs Enablement Technologies and Workforce Transformation team. His areas of expertise spans HR, learning, culture, HR technology & analytics and upskilling. He has 27 years' experience at organizations like PwC and IBM, building complex solutions at the intersection between technology and people.

He has collaborated, as the key South African expert, with the well-known Katzenbach centre in designing and rolling out a culture projects. He represented PwC as members of the WEF IBC People Pillar working group, a group focused on building global people metrics and is currently completing a PhD in the Future of Work at the University of Pretoria.

Steven has worked in the IT industry for the last 22 years with 20 of those years being in Business Analytics, Enterprise Intelligence and Information delivery. His focus has always been on formulating strategies that enable the delivery of information throughout organisations for factual decision-making. Steven is a thought leader and has been part of International workgroups that have been instrumental in formulating service offerings that assist clients in understanding the dimensions (people, process, infrastructure, culture) that impact information maturity and the delivery of intelligence throughout the enterprise.

For 10 years Steven was the Executive Director, Professional Services, Asia Pacific for SAS Institute, based in Hong Kong, responsible for the Consulting, Education, Technical Support, Pre-Sales, Partner Enablement and the Learning and Development functions throughout Asia Pacific (including Japan). He was responsible for a departmental budget of USD50 million and part of the Asia Executive team responsible for delivering to a budget of USD300 million. He also spent 8 years with SAS South Africa based in Johannesburg as Professional Services Director. He has returned to SAS Africa and has been responsible for growing and maturing SAS delivery capabilities and eco system across the continent.



Steven Ing

Our Esteemed Speakers:

Prasanna is a Digital Transformation practitioner and strategist involved in Digital Transformation, Innovation Implementation & Architecture Orchestration at DCB Bank. He is a technocrat and Industry influencer of note.

He has Over 21+ Years of Industry Experience in Engineering and Development, Product Development, Organization Strategy & Governance, Risk Audit Compliance Management, Business Process Management, Enterprise Architecture, Mobile Apps, Digital Transformation, Fintech, E-Commerce, Payments, Platform & Product Innovation, Data Science, Automation, AR & VR, Artificial Intelligence & Machine Learning, Open Stack, Cloud Computing, Analytics, Big Data, IOT, Blockchain, UI-UX & Business Development.

In 2016-2021, I has bagged many Leadership awards Most Influential Payment Professionals, TOP 50 CIOs, Top 100 Innovative CIOs, Digital Leader of the Year, Top 20 BFSI Leaders. He is passionate about Innovation especially in the field of Finance and Banking and innovation using the emerging technologies, for which he is associated with many Accelerators, Partners, Government, education and innovation, Fintech and Blockchain forums in India to create a robust innovation ecosystem in India.



Prasanna Lohar



Dr. Derek Keats

Dr. Derek Keats has been working with information technology since the days of punch cards. As an academic, he has researched and published numerous academic papers on information technology. As a technology advocate, he has led international technology collaborations and software development projects from Afghanistan to Zimbabwe.

As an institutional executive he has spent more than a decade leading information technology initiatives in higher education institutions. For more than 7 years, he has been responsible for cybersecurity in two fintech companies, and continues to consult widely in cybersecurity for fintech's and other start-ups.

Dr Keats brings together his passion for education, his deep knowledge and experience in information technology, and his broad experience in cybersecurity to bear on this exciting Masterclass. We will make cybersecurity fun again!