EDUCATION

MBA – Finance Concentration
University of Oklahoma

Business Management and
Computer Science
Saint John's University

EXPERIENCE

Chief Information Officer
Tank Holding Corporation

Sr. Director IT
Starkey Hearing Technologies

AVP of IT
Regis Corporation

Sr. Director IT
Allianz Life

Senior Consultant
Accenture

STRENGTHS

Skilled in conveying information
clearly and effectively, ensuring
understanding across diverse
audiences.
Collaborative
Relationship Builder
Strategic Advisor and Consultant
Systems and Reporting Savvy
Team Leadership & Development

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As Managing Director of Information Technology at Growth Operators, Dan partners with middle-market leaders to strengthen enterprise applications, advance data maturity, and manage cyber risk, delivering measurable business value to clients. He focuses on aligning technology strategy with operational goals, ensuring systems, data, and security frameworks support growth, scalability, and performance.

Dan's expertise spans comprehensive technology assessments, prioritized roadmap development, acquisition technology integration, data consolidation initiatives, and cyber risk management. He works closely with executive teams to modernize technology environments, improve reporting capabilities, and reduce operational risk while building strong, capable IT teams.

Known for his collaborative leadership style and ability to translate complex technical concepts into clear business insights, he serves as a strategic advisor to organizations navigating growth, transition, or transformation. By combining systems expertise with relationship-driven leadership, he helps clients create technology foundations that support their long-term success.

AREAS OF EXPERTISE

Technology Assessments & Prioritized Roadmap Development
Conducts comprehensive technology evaluations and develops practical, phased roadmaps aligned to business priorities.

Acquisition Technology Integration
Leads post-acquisition technology integration efforts to ensure system alignment, data continuity, and operational stability.

Data Improvement & Consolidation
Strengthens data environments by improving structure, reporting accuracy, and cross-system integration.

Cyber Risk Management
Implements proactive risk management solutions that protect systems, data, and organizational integrity.

INDUSTRY EXPERIENCE

Manufacturing	Franchising
Retail	Financial Services