

State CIO Top Ten Priorities for 2018

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Top Ten Strategies, Management Processes and Solutions

- 1. Security and Risk Management: governance; budget and resource requirements; security frameworks; data protection; training and awareness; insider threats; third party security practices as outsourcing increases; determining what constitutes "due care" or "reasonable"
- 2. **Cloud Services:** cloud strategy; proper selection of service and deployment models; scalable and elastic IT-enabled capabilities provided "as a service" using internet technologies; governance; service management; service catalogs; platform; infrastructure; security; privacy; data ownership
- 3. **Consolidation/Optimization:** centralizing, consolidating services, operations, resources, infrastructure, data centers, communications and marketing "enterprise" thinking, identifying and dealing with barriers
- 4. **Digital Government:** framework for digital services; portal; improving citizen experience; accessibility; identity management; artificial intelligence; digital assistants; chatbots; crowd sourcing; privacy; security; cross-agency collaboration; cost/benefit analysis
- 5. **Budget, Cost Control, Fiscal Management:** managing budget reduction; strategies for savings; reducing or avoiding costs; dealing with inadequate funding and budget constraints
- 6. Shared Services: business models; sharing resources; services; infrastructure; independent of organizational structure; service portfolio management; service catalog; marketing and communications related to organizational transformation, transparent charge back rates, utility based service on demand
- 7. **Broadband/Wireless Connectivity:** strengthening statewide connectivity; implementing broadband technology opportunities
- 8. Data Management and Analytics: data governance; data architecture; strategy; business intelligence; predictive analytics; big data; roles and responsibilities
- 9. Enterprise IT Governance: enterprise IT policy and planning; improving IT governance; partnering; inter-jurisdictional collaboration; industry advisory boards; legislative oversight-achieving proper balance; agencies participating as members of a "state enterprise"
- 10. **Agile and Incremental Software Delivery:** iterative design and incremental development of software solutions; allows for design modifications, prototyping and addition of new capabilities as part of the development process



Top Ten Technologies, Applications and Tools

- 1. Cloud Solutions: software as a service
- 2. Legacy Application Modernization/Renovation
- 3. Security Enhancement Tools: CDM, advanced analytics, digital forensics
- 4. Identity and Access Management
- 5. Business Intelligence (BI) and Business Analytics (BA): applications, big data, data analytics
- 6. Data Management: Master Person Index/Master Data Management; information exchanges
- 7. Enterprise Resource Planning (ERP)
- 8. Disaster Recovery / Business Continuity
- 9. Customer Service/CRM: technologies and solutions
- 10. Networking: voice and data communications, unified, SDN

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