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Larry Kiernan is Chief Technology Officer/Chief Information Officer for Bank of Ireland Group. Bank of Ireland is a diversified financial services group established in 1783 by Royal Charter. A traditional, relationship-driven retail and commercial bank with a conservative business philosophy, we have a clear and compelling strategy to support its customers, strengthen its capital, continue to fund its balance sheet effectively, actively manage its credit risks & rigorously manage its costs.

Since joining the Bank in early 2010, Larry has been responsible for enabling technology strategy, developing technology delivery, and infrastructure and application service initiatives for mission-critical solution functions across the Bank of Ireland Group. He is committed to delivering cost-effective cutting-edge sales and service technology for the Bank's customers and employees while making a real competitive difference with focus on the expansion of new and existing technology channels. Most recently, he has spearheaded the hugely complex transition of the Bank's infrastructural services to a new service provider and achieved a more cost-effective and innovative capability for the Bank.

Before joining Bank of Ireland, Larry held a number of Executive positions in Dell Inc including Global VP for Application, Infrastructure, Security & Service; Global VP for Technology Engineering; CIO for EMEA; CIO for AsiaPac. Prior to that, he held a number of world-wide senior management positions across Dell.

During his time in Dell, Larry was responsible for all infrastructure, applications and communications across Dell; establishing the technology infrastructure underpinning Dell's IT solutions; implementing the 'Quote to Cash' system in EMEA based on open architecture; and establishing the IT infrastructure and solutions used across Asia Pacific.