# Houston CIO Executive Summit

**JW Marriott Houston by the Galleria**

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### Speakers:
- **Noah Scalin**, Artist, Innovation Consultant, Another Limited Rebellion
- **Vagesh Dave**, VP & CTO, McDermott International
- **Klara Jelinkova**, VP & CIO, Rice University
- **Rajiv Mirani**, CTO, Cloud Platforms, Nutanix
- **Jeremy Ross**, Cloud Architect, Nutanix
- **Charles Li**, IT Chief Data Officer for Trading & Supply, Royal Dutch Shell

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a Gartner Company
10:10am - 10:30am  Networking Break

10:30am - 11:20am  Digital Transformation – What Does It Really Mean?

Peggy Colsman, CIO, Chevron Phillips Chemical Co.
Brad Rector, CIO, Phillips 66
Boyan Vukichevich, Director of Application Development, J. B. Poindexter & Co

10:30am - 11:20am  Aligning and Implementing Cloud Strategies to Power Digital Transformation

Ravi Saraswathi, Chief Architect, NA GTS CTO Office, IBM

10:30am - 11:20am  RPA — Automation’s Golden Age

Murshid Khan, SVP & CIO, TDECU-Your Credit Union
Sudhakar Virupakshi, VP IT & CIO, Par Pacific Holdings

11:20am - 11:45am  Networking Break

11:45am - 12:30pm  Lunch & Interactive Discussions

12:30pm - 1:00pm  Using 5G to Fuel Innovation and a Culture of Invention

Ulf Ewaldsson, SVP Technology Transformation, T-Mobile for Business

1:00pm - 1:20pm  Networking Break

1:20pm - 2:10pm  Establishing and Executing an M&A Playbook

Paul Krueger, VP IT & CIO, J. B. Poindexter & Co

1:20pm - 2:10pm  Returning to Common Sense Outcomes in Your Cyber Strategy

Peter Oelschlaeger, VP, Customer Success, Tanium

2:10pm - 2:30pm  Networking Break
2:30pm - 3:20pm  
**A Problems and Solutions Workshop**

John Varkey, VP, Enterprise Digital Services, Waste Management

2:30pm - 3:20pm  
**New Ways to Tackle the Talent Crunch**

Manish Kapoor, CIO & SVP Information Systems, NuStar Energy L.P.

3:20pm - 3:40pm  
**Networking Break**

3:40pm - 3:50pm  
**Closing Comments**

3:50pm - 4:20pm  
**A Customer-Focused 2020 Global Vision**

Gregory Ericson, SVP, CIO, Essilor of America

4:20pm - 5:00pm  
**Closing Reception & Prize Drawing**