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TIM DAVIS



IT Consultant | Interim CIO

Georgia CIO of the Year (2008) • CIO 100 Award (2000)

Nationally known as IT innovator for restaurants, franchises, and small businesses

Deeply experienced in all aspects of B2B E-Commerce, M&A integration, and divestitures

IT Executive, Consultant, and Entrepreneur – unstoppable innovator with a “sixth sense” for the perfect alignment of latest technology and practical business needs. Typical projects include the relentless scaling up of IT infrastructure for Inovis – which nearly doubled in size over 8 years – and a rapid downsizing for AFCE, which was suddenly burdened with a bloated infrastructure that was crushing the company.

IT EXECUTIVE, CONSULTANT, AND ENTREPRENEUR

- **CIO of the Year:** Recognized for lifelong contribution to the IT industry in Georgia. Cited for innovative use of IT in restaurants: Devised and automated solution for AFCE’s franchisees.
- **Executive:** Able to drive growth in any business environment – US or internationally – from mom-and-pop restaurants to global corporations with thousands of employees.
- **Consultant:** Rigorously trained as a financial software consultant at MSA – first job after college – and acquired extensive knowledge of business analysis, project management, and resources.
- **Entrepreneur:** Created Zalex, a successful consulting firm, starting from scratch.
- **Trustworthy Partner:** Leads by example. Collegial style. Built a lifelong reputation for ethics, competence, continual innovation, and stability (only four job changes in 24 years).

AREAS OF EXPERTISE

- **M&A:** Drove 8 M&A integrations (Inovis) and 2 IT decouplings for divestiture (AFCE, Inovis)
- **E-Commerce:** Built, grew, and continually improved 8 online-transaction platforms (B2B, Inovis)
- **Global IT:** Assembled teams and established offices – starting from scratch – in DE & NL (Inovis)
- **Small-Medium Business:** National IT reputation for SMB sector, based on innovations at AFCE

IT CAREER SUMMARY (1989–PRESENT)

ZALEX INC <i>Principal Consultant</i>	2009–Present	Built and grew a consulting business with diverse, national clientele
AFC ENTERPRISES (AFCE) <i>CIO</i>	2004–2009	Turned around a chaotic, post-divestiture environment • Devised an IT solution that improved inventory, competitiveness, and customer experience for franchises
INOVIS / HARBINGER <i>Acting CIO</i>	1996–2004	Over 8 years, promoted from MIS Manager to Acting CIO of a \$250 million firm.
GEAC / D&B SOFTWARE <i>Global Network Manager</i>	1989–1996	Launched an IT and software career as consultant and trainer for financial software

PROFESSIONAL AFFILIATIONS

Technology Association of Georgia • Advisory Board of Georgia CIO Leadership Association
National Restaurant Association – IT Study Group • Advisory Board of Hospitality Technology Magazine

EDUCATION AND EXTRACURRICULAR

Bachelor of Business Administration, Major in MIS, University of Georgia, Athens, GA (1985–1989)
Licensed private pilot • Active in local church and Boy Scouts of America