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Former CIO and President
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Louie is an internationally recognized transformational leader with 34 years of professional experience, including CIO roles beginning in 2000. He was the CIO of Chevron Corporation from 2008 until his retirement on May 1, 2015. He has been a proactive champion of the CIO profession for more than a decade, co-authoring the CIO Executive Council's Future-State CIO© model and leadership program.

In addition to his role as CIO of Chevron Corp., Louie held several other leadership positions within the organization, including President of the Chevron IT Co.; Vice President, Chevron Downstream Strategies and Services; CIO, Chevron Global Downstream & CIO Chevron Global Marketing; and General Manager, Chevron Upstream Information Technology.

Louie has won a number of nationally recognized awards, including the Top 10 Global CIO Award at the 2009 Evanta Global CIO Summit and the Transformational CIO Award at the 2012 Enterprise CIO Forum. He was also a finalist for the 2013 Fisher-Hopper Prize for Lifetime Achievement in CIO Leadership.

Louie is an active and passionate philanthropist who serves on a number of advisory boards, including the Lawrence Hall of Science, UC Berkeley - focused on STEM education and Houston's Children's Museum. He is also the founder and president of the Buddy Ehrlich Foundation - focused on fundraising for families of cancer victims. Louie is an accomplished musician, singer and songwriter who has released at least two critically acclaimed CDs.

Louie earned a Bachelor of Science, Computer Science, from the University of Southern Mississippi in 1981; and a Master of Business Administration from Houston Baptist University in 1995.

