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Chasing Dragons

Gihan Mendis



CEO Engenuity AI Ops
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Mr. Gihan Mendis is a technology leader with 25 years of global experience at HP, IBM, Dell, and SAP, driving digital transformation initiatives. He is the Co-founder & CEO of Engenuity AI, CTO & Head of Digital at OpsTalent, and author of the Margosa Development Program. Gihan also serves as a Director at Climata Academy and holds an MBA from Cardiff Metropolitan University (UK).

“ Fintech “ that Actually Moves the Needle

Shankar Dharmaratne



Chief Digital Officer
Janashakthi Insurance.

Mr. Shankar Dharmaratne is a digital transformation leader with extensive experience in banking and telecommunications. He led HNB's digital initiatives and regulatory collaborations and previously pioneered Sri Lanka's first mobile payment product “TOUCH” and Direct Operator Billing services at Dialog Axiata.

Best Version of Yourself

K V Kuganathan



Group CIO ,JXG Group

Mr. K. V. Kuganathan is an award-winning digital and IT strategist with vast experience in banking, finance, and insurance. As Group CIO of Janashakthi Group, he leads digital transformation initiatives and serves on key IT boards, including the British Computer Society (UK). He was recognized as CIO of the Year 2023 and a Top 25 Digital Transformation Leader 2024.

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