CLOUD COMPUTING
Simulation

A Business Simulation

The Business Challenge

IT organizations are finding themselves under increasing pressure to deliver more with less; however business demand for IT continues to rise. In addition, the economic climate is necessitating businesses to innovate and change, creating unpredictability and fluctuating business demand that can make effective delivery of IT services to the business a significant challenge.
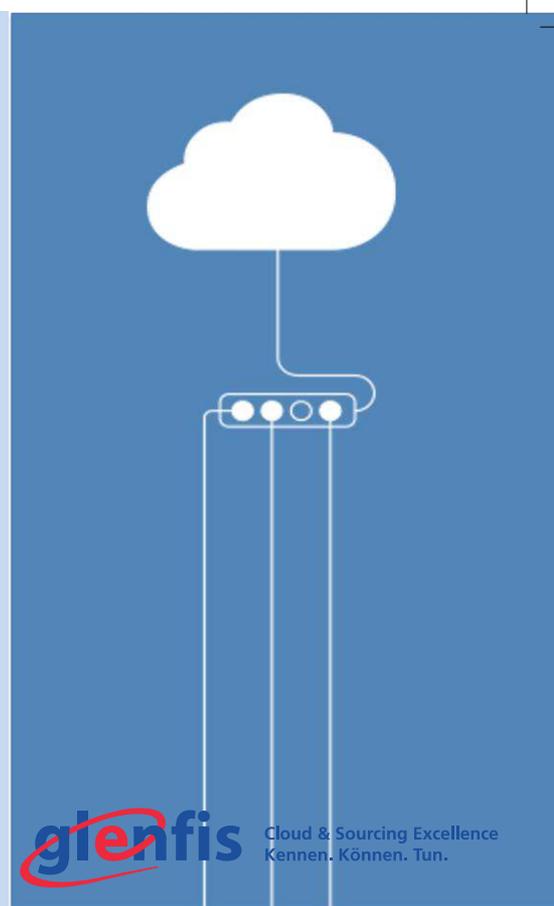
The promise of cloud computing creates an irresistible value proposition that both business and IT leaders are keen to capture. However, the promise of cloud also brings with it confusion and concerns. The hype around cloud has brought the topic of infrastructure to the forefront of both technical and business discussions, creating pressure on IT to deliver cloud solutions in the short term.

IT organizations need to understand how to safely leverage cloud to transform themselves into a provider of agile, efficient and elastic services, whilst minimizing risk. In addition they need to understand how vendor solutions can help ease this transition whilst delivering the significant benefits that cloud can bring.
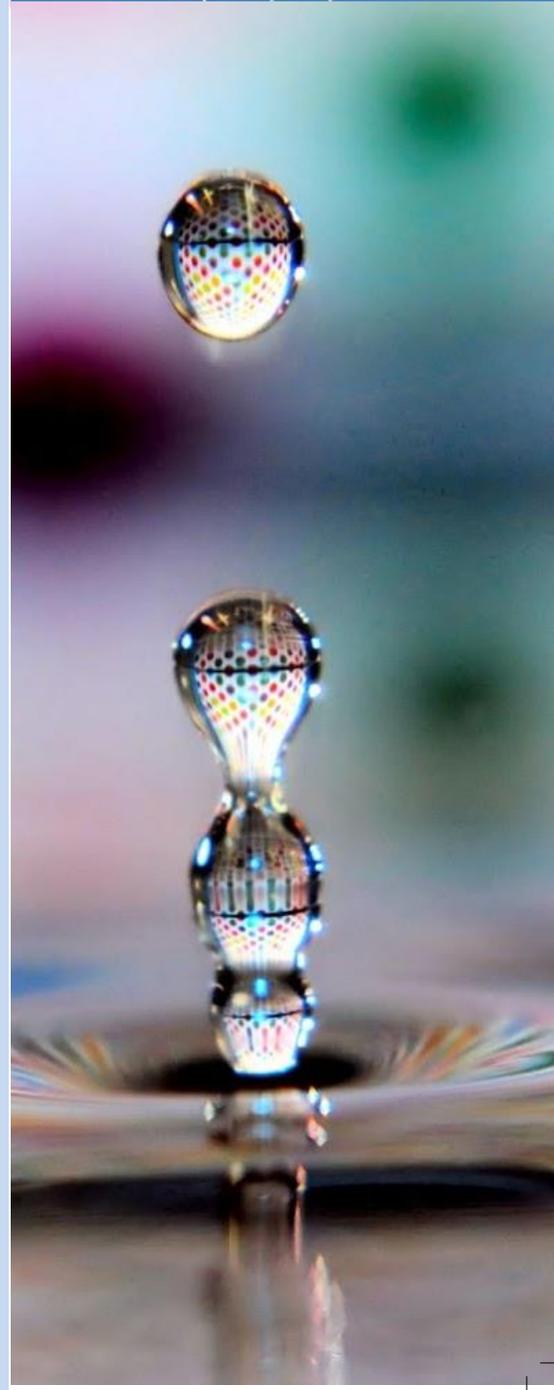
The Solution: A Cloud Simulation

Cloud simulations are highly-interactive and immersive business simulations which create a holistic understanding and immediate realization of the benefits that cloud computing can offer organizations. Cloud Simulations can bring to life the business impact of fluctuating demands on global IT organizations and accelerate understanding of the elasticity and cost benefits offered via the utilization of private, public and virtualization technology. This can delivered in any business scenario.

This unique experiential learning approach can practically represent best-practice cloud computing approaches that have been developed through extensive experience not only in virtualization and cloud implementations, but also in broader enterprise IT management.

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About The Cloud Simulation

Normally delivered over 3 rounds, a Cloud Simulation uses gaming dynamics to mirror a real world global enterprise facing fluctuating business demands. Participants progress through the rounds, gaining a holistic understanding of the revolutionary agility and efficiency benefits of cloud computing as they go. In addition, the simulation experience continues between rounds, as effective planning is required for both effective delivery and responsible consumption of cloud computing services.

Because cloud computing includes several different delivery models and approaches, the simulation will help participants clearly define their objectives, understand the type of environment that will best meet their needs, and develop an implementation approach and selection solutions that will ensure a successful outcome and minimize risk.

Learning objectives

- You will get clarity and understanding around cloud solutions, for vendor organization and for clients
- You will realize how agility and cost-efficiency can be achieved with cloud solutions
- You will get a much better understanding about Cloud Computing Services

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