**ROB LEACH: Avanade Bio**

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Rob Leach leads the global Cloud Application Development and Modernization offering for Avanade. As a key leader in the Cloud Market Unit, Rob works closely with clients and project teams to clearly understand business priorities and strategic initiatives so that the right tools, technologies and processes can be utilized to deliver business impact through application portfolio optimization. The Cloud practice at Avanade creates the tools, develops the architectures and delivers the solutions which allow clients to harness the speed, scale and economics offered by today’s Cloud technologies. Since 1991, Rob has been combining his engineering background and technology expertise with proven business leadership to create solutions for clients which transform how they compete and deliver services in an ever changing world. Prior to joining Avanade, Rob worked as a Manager for Accenture as well as a Director for Intel where he formed Intel Solution Services, Intel’s professional services capability. Rob holds a BSEE in Electrical Engineering and a Masters in Business Administration from Northwestern University’s J.L Kellogg School of Management.

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