



Valentino GALLO

CHIEF INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY OFFICER

JOB CAREER

Chief Information Technology Officer

Grupo Vazquez (Jan 2025 - Mar 2026) - LATAM



Leading the Technology Group areas and defining the enterprise technology strategy across the financial ecosystem of Grupo Vázquez, including ueno Bank, Upay, Monchis, Muv and additional digital companies.

Responsible for aligning technology capabilities with business growth while enabling scalable platforms, innovation and regulatory compliance across the organization.

- Defining and executing the enterprise technology strategy across the group's financial ecosystem.
- Leading the technology organization including platform engineering, infrastructure, cybersecurity, architecture and data.
- Driving modernization of the technology landscape to support digital banking growth and new fintech services.
- Leading transformation toward a platform-driven operating model across the group.
- Overseeing cybersecurity strategy and operational resilience in a regulated financial environment.
- Defining the data and artificial intelligence strategy to enable analytics-driven decision making.

Achievements

- Led the core banking migration from on-premise to Oracle Public Cloud (OCI) with zero customer impact, improving platform performance by 40% and increasing scalability and resilience.
- Represented the technology function in negotiations with international investors (IDB/BID, Oppenheimer, CADEM) and supported technology due diligence for strategic acquisitions.
- Delivered the digital transformation of the technology ecosystem across 35 group companies, enabling a unified and scalable digital platform.
- Achieved \$40M+ technology cost efficiency through infrastructure optimization and AI-driven development practices.
- Implemented the group's integrated SuperApp, connecting ueno Bank with digital companies to enable a unified customer experience and new digital services.
- Established regional technology hubs in Colombia, Costa Rica and Peru, strengthening engineering capabilities in Paraguay and Buenos Aires.
- Led the implementation of a corporate ERP platform to standardize finance, operations and enterprise processes across the group.
- Managed a technology organization of 1,600+ professionals and \$160M+ technology investment.
- Defined and executed a multi-cloud strategy across multiple vendors, migrating on-premise workloads to scalable cloud platforms and accelerating digital service delivery.

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VALUE PROPOSITION

Servant leader focused on building and empowering high-performing global teams to deliver measurable, data-driven results aligned with business strategy.

Known for challenging traditional operating models and driving more effective ways of working through Agile leadership, platform-based architectures and modern technology practices and way of working.

Customer-first executive mindset leveraging data as a strategic asset to improve decision-making and business outcomes.

Extensive experience leading large-scale digital transformation across platforms, data, Artificial Intelligence and cybersecurity to build resilient, future-ready organizations.

Chief Information Officer (CIO)

Gransolar (Feb 2023 - Jan 2025) - Europa, Latam, Arabia Saudi, India, Australia, EEUU



Responsible for defining and executing the global technology strategy supporting the international expansion of the renewable energy multinational.

Focused on enabling digital transformation, operational scalability and data-driven decision making across the organization.

- Defining the global IT roadmap aligned with business growth and international operations.
- Leading the digital transformation of enterprise platforms and core business systems.
- Driving cloud adoption and modernization of infrastructure and enterprise architecture.
- Leading cybersecurity governance and operational resilience across global operations.
- Managing technology vendors, global IT investments and strategic partnerships.

Achievements

- Delivered the enterprise ERP transformation deploying SAP S/4HANA as the corporate ERP platform across the organization.
- Implemented global communications infrastructure using Starlink satellite connectivity, enabling reliable connectivity across remote renewable energy sites.
- Established technology hubs in Saudi Arabia and Australia to support global engineering and operational capabilities.
- Built the Artificial Intelligence Center of Excellence and implemented enterprise data strategy.
- Led a global technology organization of more than 400 professionals.
- Managed a €40M+ global technology investment.

Vice President IT - Head of Technology

ING Bank (Jun 2020 - Feb 2023) - Europe



Senior technology leader responsible for enterprise technology services, engineering platforms and digital transformation initiatives within the bank.

Focused on aligning technology capabilities with business priorities while improving operational resilience and delivery performance.

- Leading cross-functional engineering teams across DevOps, SRE, architecture and platform services.
- Defining and executing the enterprise technology roadmap for core banking platforms.
- Managing IT investment planning and vendor ecosystem.
- Driving transformation toward DevOps and SRE operating models.
- Aligning technology initiatives with business strategy and digital banking priorities.

Achievements

- Built and structured the CIO Office governance model including IT strategy, vendor management and financial oversight.
- Led a technology organization of 600+ professionals across engineering and platform teams.
- Managed €99M technology investment across infrastructure, platforms and digital services.
- Implemented the enterprise data science and analytics strategy.

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

- Chief Information & Technology Officer (CITO)
- Vice President IT – Head of Technology
- Global IT Director
- Global IT Area Manager
- IT Operations Manager
- Global IT Service Manager
- Technology Operations Manager
- Chief Communications & Technology Officer

SKILLS

- Technology Strategy & Digital Transformation
- Executive Leadership & People Management
- Leader of Large-Scale Technology Organizations
- Business & Technology Alignment
- Enterprise Architecture & Platform Strategy
- Cloud Transformation (AWS / Hybrid / Multi-Cloud)
- Digital Banking & Fintech Ecosystems
- Artificial Intelligence & Data Strategy
- Data Platforms & Advanced Analytics
- Technology Innovation & Emerging Technologies
- Cybersecurity & Technology Risk Governance
- Technology Investment & Vendor Strategy
- Enterprise Systems (ERP, Core Banking, CRM)
- Technology Modernization Programs
- Customer-Centric Digital Platforms
- Executive Communication & Board Engagement
- International Technology Leadership

Global IT Director

Grifols (Sep 2018 - Jan 2020) - Europe, Latam, EEUU, Africa

GRIFOLS

Responsible for global IT architecture, infrastructure and innovation strategy supporting the modernization of the company's technology landscape.

Focused on enabling scalability, operational efficiency and adoption of cloud-based technologies.

- Defining enterprise architecture strategy and technology standards.
- Leading datacenter modernization and cloud adoption initiatives.
- Evaluating emerging technologies and innovation opportunities.
- Managing global IT infrastructure and architecture teams.

Achievements

- Delivered enterprise datacenter transformation and migration to AWS and Google Cloud environments.
- Established the global Architecture and Innovation organization.
- Led the "Break the Monolith" modernization initiative.

Global IT Area Manager

Sabadell Bank - TSB (Sep 2016 - Jan 2018) - Spain, UK



Responsible for digital platforms, IT infrastructure and delivery of global technology services.

Focused on supporting digital banking growth and international expansion initiatives.

- Managing global infrastructure services and digital platforms.
- Leading cross-functional teams delivering new digital banking capabilities.
- Coordinating technology integration across international entities.
- Managing vendor ecosystem and infrastructure investments.

Achievements

- Led the technology integration of TSB Bank acquisition in the UK.
- Delivered AWS-based digital banking platforms and new mobile applications.
- Built new global architecture and engineering teams.

Job Career - Others



- IT Operations Manager - ILBOC (Repsol / SK) - Jan 2014 - Mar 2016
- Global IT Service Manager - Abengoa - Apr 2011 - Jan 2014
- Technology Manager - Oceania Cruises - Jan 2005 - Mar 2011

EDUCATION

- MBA - CTO Program (MIT)
- Business Management Program (UNED)
- Technical Engineering - Information Technology (Università Guglielmo Marconi)
- Master Degree - IT Communications & Technology Management (Costa Cruises & Alitalia Executive Program)
- Master Program - Leading with Artificial Intelligence (Entaina Executive Education)

CERTIFICATION

- TOGAF
- COBIT
- PRINCE2
- ITIL
- Google Cloud Certification

ADVISORY ENGAGEMENT

- CIONET Advisory Board
- IDC Speaker
- Larsen Digital Leaders - Award TOP Talent CIO/CTO 2024
- ESADE Mentor