

Why AHEAD for AWS

Elevate Your AWS Cloud Experience with AHEAD's Expertise

As an AWS Premier Tier Services Partner, we accelerate cloud-based transformation and maximize the business impact of AWS. We go beyond providing AWS services; we engineer digital platforms – the digital backbones for the modern enterprise. With our consultative approach, unmatched engineering, and innovative solutions, we build and manage digital platforms that power the most successful organizations globally.

Our formal Strategic Collaboration Agreement with AWS underscores our commitment to continuously develop and expand our capabilities on the AWS platform. With 6 AWS Competencies and over 450 Certifications, customers choose AHEAD because we stand as the authority in data, developer, and infrastructure platforms within the AWS ecosystem.

Our Qualifications

AHEAD has attained the Migration, DevOps, Storage, Networking, Digital Workplace, and Data Analytics AWS Competencies. These designations recognize AHEAD as an AWS Partner who delivers both technical proficiency and proven client success with AWS.



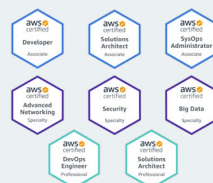
- ProServe Ready
- Amazon EMR Delivery
- DevOps Services Competency
- Storage Services Competency
- Migration Services Competency
- Public Sector Solution Provider
- Networking Consulting Competency
- Data & Analytics Services Competency
- Digital Workplace Services Competency
- AWS Marketplace Skilled Consulting Partner

1 of 40

Systems Integrators with an AWS Strategic Collaboration Agreement in the US

450+

AWS Certifications



6

AWS Competencies

Vertical Expertise



Healthcare



Finance



Retail



Automotive +
Manufacturing



Utilities



Public Sector



Travel +
Hospitality

Client Challenges

Optimizing Operations & Costs

Lack of visibility and poor use of cloud resources result in wasted spend. Lack of playbooks, skills, and operations best practices to maintain an optimized healthy environment.

Wrangling Data Sprawl

Proliferation of tools makes it hard to continuously optimize and operate data for business use.

Improving Developer Productivity

Automation in pockets but not tied together or targeted around developer productivity. Lack of Platform Engineering approach.

Ensuring Secure Operations

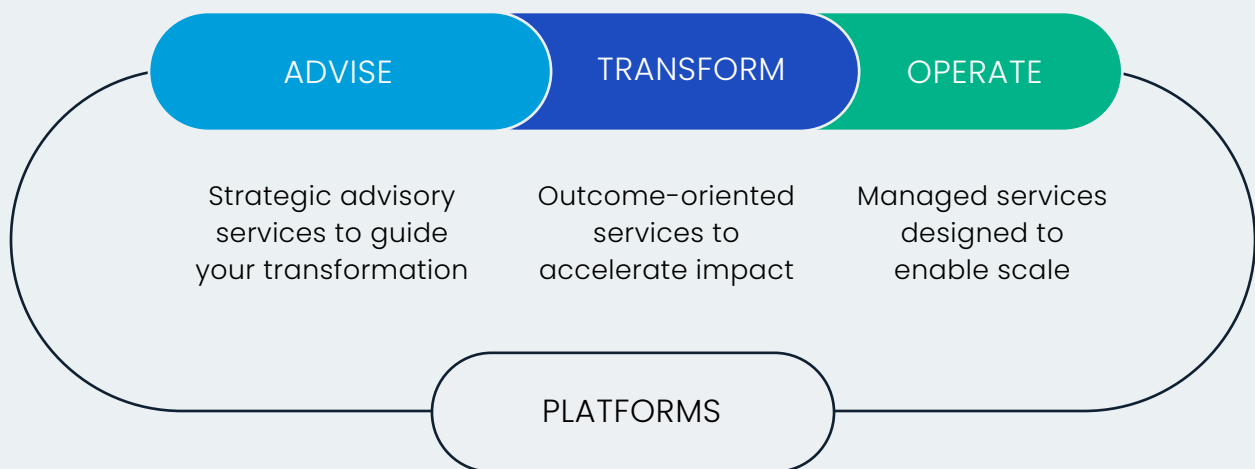
Unsure if platform meets regulatory requirements and needs workloads to adhere to best practices for security.

Inflexible Application Architectures

Inability to scale easily, increase in technical debt, and inefficiencies of older monolithic application architectures.

AHEAD's Approach

Accountable from strategy through execution



Built on leading Platforms with AHEAD IP

Solutions / Service Portfolio

Financial Consulting

Organizations lack visibility into existing cloud spend, cost forecasting, and alerting. The challenge is exacerbated by hybrid cloud environments. AHEAD brings a holistic perspective, robust financial models, and automation expertise to ensure the technical decisions your team makes align with desired outcomes and financial goals. AHEAD will proactively search for idle waste and continuously engage with your teams to ensure appropriate governance policies are being followed.

Migration and Modernization

Workload migration, application modernization, and enterprise cloud adoption are key milestones of the customer journey on AWS, and helping customers map out a clear and comprehensive migration strategy is a top priority for our customers. AHEAD helps customers align their business IT strategy, monitor, and optimize performance for varying types of applications migrating to AWS.

Data & AI Platforms

To drive innovation and work more intelligently, enterprises need solutions that break down data silos while delivering integrated data governance, accessibility, visualization, and insight. AHEAD's Data and AI platforms offer critical oversight in areas like privacy, security, transparency, risk mitigation, and governance – ensuring that end users place trust in the insights generated while minimizing the risk of data exposure. With our AWS Data and Analytics Competency and Service Delivery Expertise in Amazon EMR, we build platforms to help clients build and deploy solutions that handle big data use cases.

Developer Platforms

Building an in-house software acceleration platform that streamlines and automates the development process is difficult. AHEAD develops platforms that mitigate the tedium and cost of infrastructure management, environment delays, and incomplete deployments – freeing up your developers to work on more coding projects and accelerate organizational innovation.

Cloud Networking

With growth of SaaS and mobile workforces, workers and workloads are everywhere, and networking and security needs to adapt to this new paradigm. With experience in very large, complex network deployments, AHEAD designs networks purpose-built for today's data center and AWS Cloud workloads. We are proud to be among the first AWS Consulting Partners to achieve AWS Networking Competency status, further distinguishing AHEAD as a leader in cloud networking.

Managed Services

Developer and infrastructure teams need environments and platforms built fast, consistent, and secure. Today's approach takes days and weeks instead of minutes. Our next-gen managed services for AWS accelerate platform engineering and build complete integrated developer platforms, provide infrastructure, developer, and security teams with faster built platform builds, along with complete management and continuous optimization. We also maximize AWS Cloud investments to help you gain insights into existing cloud spend, forecast where your AWS Cloud spend is going, and optimize existing cloud deployments.

Proof of Performance

- AHEAD developed a self-service FinOps dashboard that improved cloud spend visibility by 80% for a global medical device provider
- AHEAD helped one of the world's largest commercial airlines increase developer productivity by over 40%
- AHEAD reduced end-to-end cloud infrastructure deployment times by 15 days for the largest independent engine manufacturer in the world
- AHEAD increased onboarding efficiency of business units into AWS Cloud by 86% for a leading commercial real estate company

Work with AHEAD

We maintain extensive partnerships with more than 60 technology providers who enable digital transformation, including:



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