



# Building a Cloud Center of Excellence

5 DOs and 5 DON'Ts

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# Core functions of the CCoE

## Cloud Leadership Team

Application Development & Data teams



Sustain



Optimize



Grow

CCoE

## Cloud Business Office

### Business and governance



Architecture  
Alignment



Product  
Management



Delivery  
Management



Cloud Financial  
Management

### People



User  
Onboarding



Training and  
Certification



Org Change  
Management

## Cloud Platform Engineering

### Platform



Codified  
Patterns



Core  
Platform

### DevOps



Build, test,  
and deploy



Operate and  
Manage

### Security



Security  
integrations



Guardrails and  
observability

## 5 DON'Ts

Avoid doing this at all cost!

1

Focus solely on the landing zone

2

Staff the CCoE with non-dedicated resources

3

Spend a disproportionate amount of time on IaaS

4

Underestimate the importance of a clear operating model

5

Forget to establish a FinOps function from the start

## 5 DOs

Invest in these 5 things!

1

Set clear objectives for the cloud migration

2

Engage with platform users and listen to their feedback

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Drive customer success by offering training & certification

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Thank you!

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