



“I have had the pleasure of working with Nimrod as CTO at Network Rail. He is a visionary and pragmatic leader, who has taken great strides in aligning the needs of the broader business with the technology direction. He is a strategic thinker with a well-balanced, yet best practice, approach to the effective implementation of business and IT change and transformation. I have enjoyed a very open, honest, supportive and professional relationship with Nimrod.”

David Hale

Lead Enterprise Architect - Product Engineering at Jaguar Land Rover



“Nimrod is a dedicated and commercially-driven professional. We achieved unprecedented growth during our time at Wonga, and Nimrod’s leadership of IT, his strategic input, pragmatic approach and clear direction, helped accelerate our go-to-market strategy, and transformed IT into a business-enabling digital partner.”

Ron Shteinberg

Backbone Lending Technologies



Nimrod Cohen

Interim IT Leader | CTO | CIO | IT Director | Head of IT | Strategy & Architecture

Nimrod is a commercially driven, versatile and flexible, technology leader and creator of the “Viper” technology hub. Proficient innovator with significant in-depth experience of operations, strategy and architecture, service delivery, and security domains. Strong change, stakeholder and supplier management skills, coupled with proven ability of leading varied technology teams. An expert in strategic planning, technology transformations, digital architecture and agenda, IT organizational reengineering and functional turnarounds. Adept at building strong teams, nurturing talent, and guiding them to deliver great results in exceeding expectations, at pace and scale.

TRANSFORMATION

- Orchestrated the creation and execution of a major digital transformation programme, resulting in an improved TOM, efficiencies and service
- Led investment portfolio of c.£1bn to support Network Rail’s Strategic Business Plan for its regulatory 5yr funding cycle, e.g. Control Period
- designed and developed the Viper innovation hub, with ML and AI capabilities to improve value creation
- Spearheaded the creation of NR’s Business-Aligned IT strategy, including - vision, architectural states, principles, governance framework, and architecture roadmap
- Engineered and commercialised a mobile-first consumer finance product

DELIVERY

- Delivered PCI-DSS certification, and ISO27002 cyber compliance across the required 17 dimensions, achieving overall score better than benchmark
- Managed a unique EMEA-wide technology refresh project with a \$35M budget
- Launched a Data Intelligence platform for a multinational insurer within 6 months from inception to PoC
- Improved BI performance by 40%, resulting in faster time-to-market and product diversification
- Achieved a >\$9M yearly opex savings through operational improvements

EDUCATION & RECOGNITION

BsC Management and Computer Science

MBCS, ITIL practitioner

Ex-lieutenant, special forces IDF