

Gary Christianson

Qualifications Summary

Senior executive with over 25 years' accounting and finance experience with an emphasis on early-stage and venture-backed high growth technology start-ups. Began career as an auditor for an international Big 4 public accounting firm, earning CPA license/certification. Extensive experience as a member of management teams, collaborating with Board members and working directly with CEOs.

Professional History

CFO Selections	Consultant	2017 – Current
Array Health	VP Finance, Executive Leadership Team	2014 - 2016
Trans-Net	CFO, Treasurer, Board Member	2012 - 2014
VCFO	Consulting CFO	2010 - 2012
NCsoft	Consulting Corporate Controller	2009 - 2010
DocuSign	Corporate Controller, Acting CFO	2004 - 2008
Applied Microsystems	Director, Corporate Controller	2002 - 2004
eCash Technologies	Corporate Controller, Acting CFO	1999 - 2002
NeoPath	Corporate Controller	1998 – 1999
Zealandia	CFO, General Manager	1994 – 1997
Ernst & Young LLP	Senior Auditor	1990 - 1994

Accomplishments

- Converted eight years of Array Health's historical financial statements from cash basis to GAAP/accrual basis accounting, in preparation for the company's initial external financial audit.
- Accountable for the accounting/finance function of seven business entities, including an S-Corporation, four domestic LLC's, and two foreign LLC's at Trans-Net Inc.
- While at DocuSign, negotiated multimillion dollar debt facilities with a local bank enabling the company to bridge to its next round of equity financing. Attained key terms including: elimination of MAC default clause, no prepayment penalty, no financial covenants, and no commitment fees.
- Managed all Applied Microsystems external relationships including banking, investments, legal, audit and tax, insurance, and 401(k)/stock option administrators.
- While at eCash Technologies, developed and implemented cost reduction measures reducing monthly operating expenses by 50% resulting in the successful placement of additional equity financing.
- Implemented accounting and financial reporting software at multiple clients, including Microsoft Dynamics Great Plains, FRx, and many payroll systems such as GL interface for Dynamics GP/QuickBooks.

Education and Certifications

- Bachelor of Arts, Business Administration Accounting, University of Washington
- Certified Public Accountant, State of Washington