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AWARDS

Accounting Today's 100 Most Influential People in Accounting for over 20 years

Inside Public Accounting's 10 Most Recommended Consultants

CPA Practice Advisor's Top 25 Thought Leaders

Recipient of 2015 AICPA Sustained Contribution Award

CPA Practice Advisor's Accounting Hall of Fame

Member of the Accounting Advisory Board at Kansas State University

EDUCATION

BS in Accounting
Kansas State University

MS in Accounting
Kansas State University

OVERVIEW

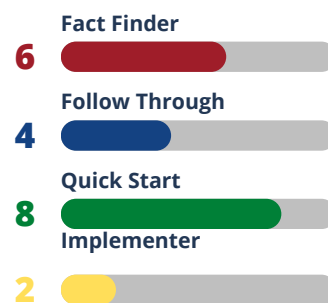
L. Gary Boomer is the Founder of Boomer Consulting, Inc. His current role is Visionary-Strategist, and he is recognized in the accounting profession as the leading authority on technology and firm management. He writes, speaks and consults on business transformation, including strategic and technology planning, focusing on mindsets, skillsets and toolsets for the future. He also strongly believes that change management and developing a training and learning culture are keys to individual and firm-wide success. Gary is extremely proud of the unique ability teams at Boomer Consulting, Inc., which focus on leadership, talent, technology, processes and growth. These five pillars are critical to sustaining success while remaining future-ready.

Gary is also the creator of The Boomer Technology Circles and the Boomer CIO Circle, through which he helps many of the accounting profession's top firms bridge the gap between technology and practice management. He also prepares technology professionals to sit at the management table by developing their business and IT acumen.

A prolific author, Gary is the author of multiple books and has been published in several online and print industry publications, including the Boomer Bulletin™, a newsletter with a worldwide circulation. Gary has been named one of Accounting Today's Top 100 Most Influential People in Accounting for over 20 years. In 2015, he received the AICPA's Sustained Contribution Award in recognition of his contributions to the AICPA and the CPA profession through volunteer service.

KOLBE

He specializes in assessing rapidly changing circumstances while devising practical solutions. While he is willing to conduct some form of trial-and-error, he makes careful calculations to ensure the best possible outcomes. Gary is a highly capable communicator with a gift for taking complex matters and conveying them to make since to general audiences. He is committed to maintaining processes but is also a highly functioning improviser. He possesses a powerful, imaginative vision that carries him and his team to ever new and exciting possibilities.



UNIQUE ABILITIES

Gary is a visionary leader who innately sees possibilities instead of road blocks. He is committed to the principles of teamwork and is willing to collaborate with individuals who may have very different working styles. Gary is highly intuitive and capable of getting to the heart of difficult issues while creating consensus. He gives deference to those around him and does not neglect to show loyalty to those who have earned it.

CONTINUOUS ROLE

In addition to consulting with hundreds of accounting firms, Gary has counseled companies such as IBM, Microsoft, Intuit, Wolters Kluwer, Sage, XCM, Expensify and Thomson Reuters on the design and marketing of accounting related software. He continues to consult with many industry technology providers to better serve the needs of the CPA profession and their clients.