

## **Panel 1 Bios**

### **Bobby Button**

Vice President of FinTegration Strategy & Sales

FedFis

Bobby helps banks select the right products for digital transformation. In his current role he is responsible for product roadmap steering, and data & strategy sales to Fintechs. Prior to FedFis, Bobby spent time at Malauzai Software where he was responsible for Bank & Credit Union lead generation, sales & relationship management for Online & Mobile Banking.

Outside of Banking & Fintech, Bobby was a D1 student-athlete swimmer & professional competitor. He still enjoys swimming laps at Deep Eddy Pool in Austin, and on occasion, partaking in big game fishing on the Texas Gulf Coast.

### **Arjun Chakraborty**

Solution Architect Financial Services Partner Technology

AWS

Arjun is a Solutions Architect at AWS in the Partner organization where he focusses his efforts on helping Financial Services partners build and migrate applications onto AWS. Prior to joining AWS, Arjun has worked for over 10 years in financial services at Sapient Global Markets. During that time he has worked on various assignments for Capital Markets firms such as Fidelity and Franklin Templeton.

### **Tim Foley**

VP alliances & Marketing

Think|Stack

Tim has always been a passionate rebel and after wandering the earth for nearly four decades he found his tribe at Think|Stack in 2018. Throughout his life and career Tim has encountered the power of digital transformation at every turn in his life from playing outside to video games, fountain pens to word processors, film to digital photography, print to digital media, face to face connections to social media and data centers to the cloud.

Despite being surrounded by technology revolutions Tim is driven by an unrelenting desire to make authentic connections that focus on human centered design. Connecting with people, brands, movements and ideas. Tim channels all this energy into his work as VP Alliances and Marketing at Think|Stack, finding innovative ways to partner, effect positive change and present Think|Stack to the marketplace. His entrepreneurial spirit powers his life both in and out of Think|Stack and he spends his time traveling with wife Julie and Ethal the beagle, meeting people and working on his "side hustle", Foley Brands that encompasses his passion for community engagement, visual arts and personal growth.

Tim serves as the Advisory Board Chair for Soccer Without Borders Baltimore and can also often be found helping men coming out of tough situations find a suit at Sharp Dressed Man.

## **Zachary Hill**

Chief Technology Officer

Think|Stack

Zachary became an avid technologist at a young age. Technology has always been more than just a hobby for him and his excitement for technology and its boundless possibilities ignited a lifelong fire and passion in him. He strives to see everyone in his ecosystem succeed and you'll always find him working late at the office with the Think|Stack team and their clients to help them better understand how or why something works the way it does.

You'll often hear Zach saying, 'no technology for technology's sake' or 'if it isn't automated it isn't true.' Zach firmly believes that technology should make life easier, not harder. A key component to that concept is Zach's mission to eliminate as much technical debt as possible with strong human centric design and planning processes.

Zach began his career early in life with an internship as a helpdesk technician at a recycling company out of Chicago and has worked his way through the IT ranks from System Administrator to his current role as Chief Technology Officer at Think|Stack. Zach's vision and drive to be at the bleeding-edge fuels Think|Stack's growth and provides clients with an innovative, constantly evolving technology strategy.

Get Zach in front of a whiteboard talking about his latest vision in technology and you'll find yourself down a rabbit hole envisioning a universe of possibilities. When you can't find him he'll be on a wilderness trail contemplating what's next for Think|Stack, technology and how to make the world a better place.

## **Joe Ireland**

Director of Sales

Think|Stack

Joe remembers getting his first computer in a big cow patterned box (Gateway!!) when he was 10. He took to technology intuitively, knew how to get things working right away and hasn't looked back since. Growing up in rural Virginia, technology was Joe's window and connection to the rest of the world. Maybe it was all the Star Wars and SciFi movies that kept his head in cyberspace and made him such a passionate tech rebel!

Joe's BBA in Marketing at JMU led him to start his career in a sales and business development role for a company that sold every business product under the sun and he got his first taste of what the big players like HP, Dell, Nimble and IBM, actually do. That was all he needed to realize he was diving head first into the IT world. Joe's insatiable thirst for learning more and teaching others has guided him to the consultative sales role that he has as Director of Sales at Think|Stack.

Joe believes technology should empower the desired human experience you're trying to create. It affects how you do work, how you relax, how you manage your house and how you make your life easier. Joe believes technology is an art just as much as it is a science. At Think|Stack, Joe gets to work with best in class technology and best in class technologists. He's loves learning the ins and outs of cutting-edge tech and how to teach companies across various industries to leverage these tools to solve problems. Think|Stack builds solutions based on design thinking and human centered design.

Joe sits on the Smart City of Baltimore Committee and is constantly updating and improving his IoT powered smart house with his wife Katherine so they can control everything from his phone while they explore the world together with Luna the goldendoodle.

## **Jason Lesteberg**

Regional Director of Sales

Shazam

Jason is a payments expert who has helped community banks maximize their debit programs for the past 9 years. Prior to joining SHAZAM in 2010, Jason coached college hockey for 10 years and worked with the U.S. women's national hockey team during the 2008-2009 season. Jason was inducted in the Gustavus Adolphus College Athletics Hall of Fame in 2012.