# TRANSACTION ADVISORY SERVICES IT SERVICES

## OPERATE AT **PEAK PERFORMANCE**

When you're acquiring a portfolio company, you want to make sure it fits your firm's risk appetite, meets your IT standards and, most importantly, builds your bottom line. Avoid unexpected costs, legal headaches and brand reputation nightmares during the acquisition process when you work with our dedicated IT experts.

Sikich's IT services incorporate both traditional Information Technology and Information Security components, so you don't have to worry about the difference between the two. From managed services to cybersecurity and ERP services, Sikich can help keep your portfolio companies secure and operating at peak performance.

# **MANAGED** SERVICES

A Sikich Managed Service engagement augments existing internal IT components with expert skills and enables your team members to spend more time on high-value initiatives. From single-issue support to strategic consulting with a CIO level resource, reap the full benefit of technology alignment with business initiatives to accomplish your goals when you choose Sikich.

As a managed security services provider (MSSP), Sikich also maintains an extensive security practice with a 24/7 security operations center (SOC) and Security Information and Event Management (SIEM) solution. Through these functions, cybersecurity experts monitor, log and respond to alerts generated by your systems and applications.

# WHEN YOU WORK WITH SIKICH MANAGED SERVICES, **YOU RECEIVE:**

- Tried and true efficient delivery processes for best possible uptime and performance of technology systems
- Access to a team of seasoned professionals with deep industry expertise
- A collaborative mindset with an emphasis on your outcomes



# **TECHNOLOGY SERVICES**

### **NETSUITE**

Take your next implementation live in months, rather than years. Our proven methodology enables us to deliver a unique set of processes, activities and systems designed to achieve rapid value for your investment.

We'll be the first to admit that we are quite proud to be ranked as a top 5 NetSuite Partner in the U.S. For more than a decade, we've successfully developed NetSuite solutions for our clients, all while staying on top of current industry trends and technologies that are incorporated into each implementation.

### **SALESFORCE**

One more opportunity for us to be proud: Sikich is also a Gold-level Salesforce.com Consulting and Implementation Partner. What sets us apart is this: we put your company at the center of what we do. In addition to an implementation, you have the ability to transform your business. Once we have a firm grasp of your goals, needs and budget, we will present the Salesforce options that will provide the most value for your investment.

### **CYBERSECURITY**

The last thing you want to acquire is someone else's data breach. Rest easy knowing that our cybersecurity team will evaluate the maturity of the prospect's information security program from top to bottom, including assessing risks, enumerating vulnerabilities, identifying compliance gaps, and evaluating data protection and business continuity controls.

Improve your security posture at individual companies or across your entire portfolio with risk assessments, compliance audits, penetration tests, network security assessments and computer forensic investigations when you work with our team. We can handle anything that involves security or protecting data to any number of standards. Whether you need to protect specific information such as credit card data (PCI DSS), patient data (HIPAA) or bank account numbers (GLBA), or you are working to build out a security program to cover the full organization through service provider reviews (SOC 1/2/3) or NIST and Cybersecurity Maturity Model Certifications (CMMC), we've got you covered.

# **WE'RE NOT** YOUR AVERAGE SERVICE PROVIDER

Sikich LLC is a professional services firm specializing in accounting, technology and advisory services. While some of our team members are recovering auditors and techies by trade, our Transaction Advisory team brings the entire firm's capabilities together to help you maximize your investments. But you should know upfront, once you partner with us, you won't want to *deal* without us.

# **OUR EXPERTS**



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