



TECHNOLOGY *for* BUSINESS

EliteEA is Elite Value Solutions' service that specifically supports enterprise architecture (EA).

EA sets the current and future vision for IT and how it best suits the strategic objectives of a thriving organization. The vision targets the technology infrastructure—application, security and information architecture—and the business and technology processes that can best help drive the business's initiatives.

Why EA Matters

Does your business think IT hampers its ability to act quickly on new opportunities?
Has a gap developed between your IT and business stakeholders? Does your business invest too much money developing IT systems that return unsatisfactory business value?
If so, incorporating EA practices can help you better manage the complexities of your IT systems, deliver significant business value with those systems, and position your company for future growth and innovation.

EliteEA Features

Undertaking an EA project doesn't have to be intimidating. Elite specialists and the Elite portfolio of services can provide the right level of support for your company to make EA a reality.

We work closely with your company on a variety of EA initiatives, including:

- Working with key stakeholders to identify the strategic objectives of the business to translate them into current and future technology requirements
- Introducing or refining an enterprise architecture group/committee
- Introducing or refining processes that govern enterprise architecture
- Assessing requirements for applications infrastructure, architecture, integration efforts, service oriented architecture (SOA) and system refinements
- Assessing, defining and implementing an information architecture
- Assessing, defining and implementing a security architecture
- Defining, implementing and monitoring business processes (EliteB2IT) and technology processes (EliteITG) to promote alignment and growth

A custom EliteEA program identifies the specific needs of your organization and provides the most appropriate solutions. For example, you might already have an enterprise architecture system in place, but need help creating standards, processes or core EA objectives such as integration efforts. Alternatively, you might lack an enterprise architecture altogether and need focused direction throughout your EA project.

EliteEA offers the following services to help your company reduce IT complexity (and cost!) while increasing business value and effectiveness:

SERVICES	DETAILS
Environment Scan and Needs Analysis	<p>Work with appropriate stakeholders to identify strategic business objectives and the technology infrastructure required to achieve the objectives</p> <p>Determine what processes and standards should be introduced to create an EA vision</p> <p>Determine scope of applications, infrastructure, information, security, as well as the business and technology processes that should be included in the enterprise architecture to achieve business objectives</p> <p>Report on any systems that can be integrated or eliminated to improve operational efficiency and reduce costs</p>
Implementation	<p>Implement and incorporate the EA group/committee into your environment</p> <p>Implement standards and processes surrounding EA</p> <p>Implement core EA disciplines identified as high-impact needs for your business</p> <p>Implement high-impact integration efforts and SOA</p> <p>Reduce costs further by consolidating and/or phasing out unnecessary systems, and by introducing open-source solutions</p>
Continuity and Auditing	<p>Define key performance indicators (KPI) to benchmark value and progress with EA efforts</p> <p>Regularly monitor, evaluate and refine the enterprise architecture</p>

EliteEA Benefits

EA is a journey, not a destination.

EliteEA can help you realize the many benefits an Enterprise Architecture delivers back to your company.

EliteEA positively affects your bottom line by:

- Setting a common vision for technology that meets the current and future needs of the business, positions and helps drive your business objectives
- Creating a technology environment which aligns stakeholders and manages expectations between the business and IT and improves collaboration, establishing a closer partnership between the two
- Integrating systems and processes to achieve operational efficiency and reduce costs
- Controlling technology usage and promoting re-use to increase productivity and to enable better utilization of resources and staff
- Creating a technology infrastructure that can adapt to meet changing business demands which fosters growth and innovation
- Introducing EA practices to readily meet compliance requirements, such as Sarbanes-Oxley, at state, federal and international levels

Added Value for Your Investment

Elite Value Solutions provides services based on customer need. Pricing is dependent on just those services Elite Value Solutions will provide—you won't purchase services that you don't need or use.

And to stretch your investment further, your EliteEA service contract lets you optionally choose to implement our EliteBPM software (with no additional software licensing fees) to help you integrate people and systems, automate and oversee the processes and manage productivity and expectations among all stakeholders.

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