

PSCI Examines How AI Is Impacting IT Roles

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PSCI shared perspective on how artificial intelligence is influencing information technology roles across project-based and permanent staffing environments. Drawing from ongoing conversations with employers and IT professionals, the company outlined how automation, machine learning tools, and data-driven platforms are affecting job requirements, workforce planning, and skills development as organizations adopt AI in enterprise environments.

?Artificial intelligence is altering how organizations define technical roles and evaluate experience, which has implications for both employers and the talent pipeline,? said Sean O?Neill, President and CEO of PSCI. ?Our objective is to document observed shifts in responsibilities and hiring criteria so organizations can better understand how AI is intersecting with established IT functions.?

The discussion notes that AI adoption has not eliminated demand for IT professionals but has contributed to changes in role composition. Tasks related to system monitoring, testing, and routine data processing are increasingly supported by AI-enabled tools, while demand has grown for professionals who can integrate, manage, and govern those systems. According to PSCI?s observations, employers are placing greater

emphasis on hybrid skill sets that combine technical foundations with analytical oversight, security awareness, and cross-functional communication.

PSCI has observed that software development, infrastructure management, and cybersecurity roles are among those most affected by AI integration. In development environments, AI-assisted coding and testing tools are changing workflows, leading to revised expectations around code review, architecture planning, and quality assurance. Infrastructure teams are encountering increased automation in provisioning and performance monitoring, while cybersecurity roles are evolving to address AI-driven threat detection alongside traditional risk management practices.

The discussion also addresses how AI is influencing hiring and workforce planning decisions. Organizations are increasingly seeking candidates who can evaluate AI outputs, manage data quality, and ensure compliance with internal governance standards. As a result, job descriptions are reflecting broader responsibility scopes rather than narrow task-based functions. PSCI notes that this shift has implications for both early-career professionals and experienced practitioners as organizations reassess training, certification, and role progression models.

Founded in 1993, PSCI operates as an IT staffing agency supporting both project-based placements and permanent hiring needs. The company has been recognized by Business Insider as a top recruiting firm in the United States and has been named to the Philadelphia 100 list of fastest-growing privately held regional companies for three consecutive years. PSCI was also named one of the fastest-growing privately held companies in the U.S. by Inc. magazine for three consecutive years, a distinction it has noted as unique among firms headquartered in Wilmington, Delaware.

PSCI?s engagement with industry standards and workforce policy includes long-standing participation in TechServe Alliance, a trade organization for U.S. computer consulting firms. PSCI has participated in TechServe Alliance events since 2002 and has adhered to its business principles since 1993. The organization?s perspective references the role of trade groups and policymakers in addressing how AI affects employment classifications, training pathways, and compliance considerations across the technology sector.

In addition to its workforce activities, PSCI has contributed to a range of charitable and community organizations over the years. These include the Wounded Warrior Project, American Red Cross, FIRST Robotics Competition, March of Dimes Block Party, United Way, Jewish Family Services of Delaware, DHSS?s Adopt-A-Family Program, Ronald McDonald House of Delaware, Susan G. Komen Breast Cancer Foundation, JDRF, Junior Achievement, and the Philadelphia Orchestra. The company has also supported regional initiatives such as the Icicle Run for the Central Branch of the YMCA in Wilmington, Delaware, the Police Athletic League of Delaware, the Delaware State Police, and Bringing Hope Home.

PSCI emphasizes that workforce adaptation remains an ongoing process rather than a single transition. PSCI?s observations highlight the importance of continuous skills assessment as AI tools mature and regulatory expectations evolve. Employers are encouraged to align hiring strategies with realistic role definitions, while professionals are advised to monitor how AI is influencing required competencies within their specialties.

PSCI stated that its examination of AI?s impact on IT roles will be updated as adoption patterns and regulatory guidance continue to develop. The company plans to use the insights to inform internal workforce discussions and broader industry conversations about talent alignment and technology change.

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