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5C Hiring Team

Re: Senior Vice President of Artificial Intelligence

Dear 5C Hiring Team,

Setting AI strategy while aligning cloud infrastructure, product roadmaps, engineering execution, and customer requirements matches the work I have led across applied AI, AWS, and enterprise data platforms.

At Intelligent DataWorks, I own AI strategy, architecture, engineering, and operations for a production platform built with LLMs, agents, RAG, orchestration, evaluation, APIs, vector search, and AWS. I recruited and led 11 AI engineers while remaining hands-on; we shipped within eight months and now support 70+ automations across more than 20 workflows, with selected work accelerated up to 50x.

At AWS, I advised 200+ enterprises on AI, distributed data, and cloud architecture and developed global technical communities totaling 180+ specialists. At TriMark, I delivered an enterprise data lake across 11 ERP environments. At MassMutual, I established governance controls spanning transparency, bias, drift, monitoring, and auditability.

My direct strengths are cloud AI platforms, distributed systems, data pipelines, model lifecycle, organization building, and responsible production AI. My experience is less specialized in physical data-center operations, HPC administration, and low-level GPU optimization, so I would bring adjacent infrastructure leadership without overstating that depth. Intelligent DataWorks is pursuing a strategic acquisition, and I am seeking a long-term operating role elsewhere.

I would welcome a discussion about building secure, scalable AI infrastructure and the organization to deliver it.

Sincerely,

Keith Steward, Ph.D.