#### Real-World Data Governance

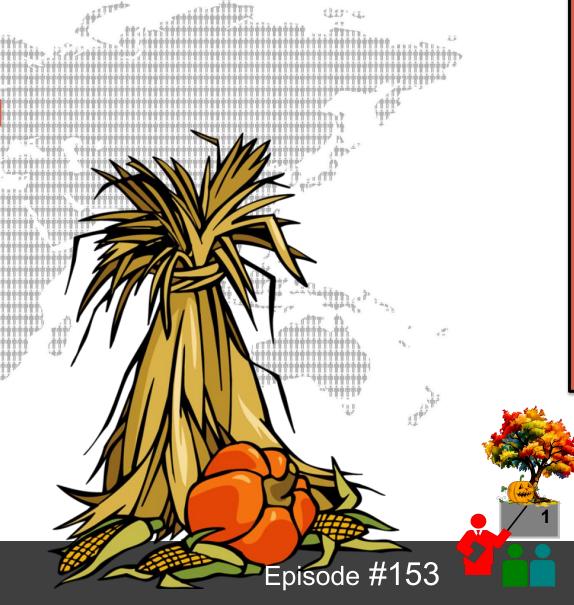
# Unlocking Data Governance's Potential Through Data Governance's Potential Through Data Governance's Potential

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### Where data comes to

Nathan Rain – Data Governance Spec

2024











### Al-Powered Cloud Data Management

**DATA CONSUMERS** 













#### **Intelligent Data Management Cloud**

DISCOVER & UNDERSTAND

GOVERN & PROTECT

CLEANSE & TRUST

SHARE & DEMOCRATIZE

PROTECT SENSITIVE DATA

ACCESS & INTEGRATE

CONNECT & AUTOMATE

MASTER & RELATE



















MDM & 360 APPLICATIONS

#### CLAIRE

Al-Powered Metadata Intelligence & Automation

Connectivity
Metadata System of Record

DATA SOURCES













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**GOVERNANCE & PRIVACY** 



DATA MARKETPLACE



DATA QUALITY



**DATA ACCESS** MANAGEMENT



API & APP INTEGRATION



DATA INTEGRATION



MDM & 360 **APPLICATIONS** 

- Auto-discover where data lives
- **Build trust** w/Lineage & Impact
- 200+ classifications
- Auto-profile data at scan

- **Business** Glossary
- Apply policy to data, raise employee awareness. & reduce risk
- Establish ownership & accountability
- Organize data by hierarchy

- Publish data collections
- Shop & request access to approved data sets
- Apply 250+ DO Rules
- Automatically Cleanse data
  - Alert on data anomalies

- Define policy in one place
- Broad range of policy enforcement points
- access requests in marketplace

- Streamline
- Self-service wizards (codeless) for business processes

automation

- · Highly secure
- Codeless integration via 200+ connectors
- Flexible processing options for cost optimization
- Built in alert & monitoring mechanisms

Match & merge multiple data sources to create a single trusted

record

Create a 360 degree view



### Common Challenges in Data Governance







Thank you!
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### **Top CDO objectives for 2024**





# Organizations Need to Up Their Data Game Serve up the 4C's for datasets

Consistent

Trusted, valuescored, ready and available Context

Context-based indexing and searching

Curated

Business definitions, rules, processes and context

Clean

Watermarked, trusted and free from drift



### Data Products = Transparency and Explainability

"As analytics artifacts are delivered to consuming users, more must be taken into consideration than just the object itself. Organizations taking a product approach to analytics delivery will find increased trust across domains and reduced redundancies in development."

Gartner Reference Architecture for
 Federated Analytics, July 2023



Access

Making data products available, discoverable, and reusable

Value

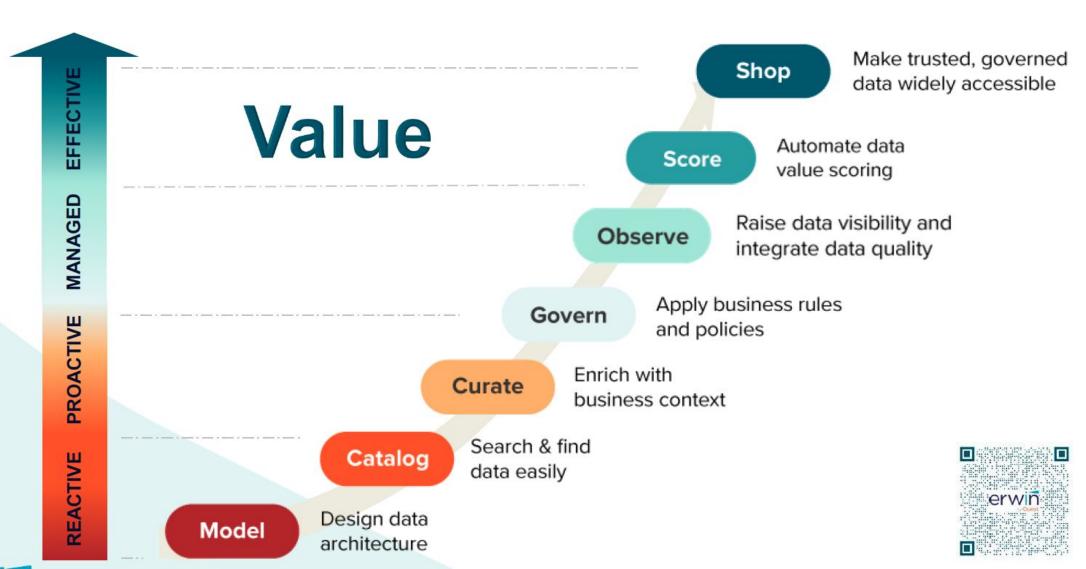
The business value derived from the data products to drive data valuation

Ownership

Who is responsible to maintain, monetize and nurture the data product through its life

IDC FutureScape Worldwide Future of Enterprise Intelligence 2024 Predictions

### 7 steps to maximize data value





### **Experience** Data Intelligence

# See firsthand the impact that erwin can make in a hands-on "day in the life" session for your company.

- Exchange knowledge and efficiently collaborate around your data
- Make it easy to shop for best-fitting, high-value datasets
- Govern and share trusted datasets from many environments in one location
- Model, deliver and govern data products across your organization

Let's get started.





#### Introduction

#### Real-World Data Governance – Monthly Webinar Series

November 21, 2024: Executing Authority and Formalizing Accountability for Data
Third Thursday each Month @ 2pm EST — Register at TDAN.com, KIKconsulting.com, DATAVERSITY.net

#### **Dataversity DGIQE and AIGOV Conference**

December 9-12, 2024: Washington, DC

Tutorial: Build an Effective AI and Data Governance Joint Framework

Session: Re(setting) a DG Council in Federal Government

#### Non-Invasive Data Governance / Non-Invasive Data Governance Strikes Again Books

**2014:** ISBN 9781935504856 / TechnicsPub.com / Amazon.com **2023:** ISBN 9781634623599 / TechnicsPub.com / Amazon.com

2025: TBA - NIDG: Unleashed?

#### Non-Invasive Data Governance / Metadata Governance Online Learning Plans

Most Recent: Business Glossaries, Data Dictionaries and Data Catalogs

DATAVERSITY Training Center – https://training.dataversity.net

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#### **Carnegie Mellon University (CMU)**

Adjunct Faculty: Heinz College Executive Education - Chief Data and AI Officer (CDAIO) Certificate Program





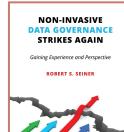














#### Abstract

- In this webinar, I will talk about ...
  - The Crucial Role of Data Stewardship in Governance Success
  - Empowering Data Stewards as Guardians of Data Quality
  - Fostering a Culture of Accountability and Ownership
  - Integrating Data Stewardship into Your Governance Framework
  - Stories of Stewardship's Role in Governance Success







#### **Definitions**

- Data Governance The execution and enforcement of authority over data.
- Data Stewardship Formal accountability for data.
- Data Steward A person held formally accountable for their relationship to the data.







- Unlocking Potential Empowering individuals and teams to achieve extraordinary results by unleashing their inherent capabilities and driving innovation.
  - Empowering Individuals Equipping people with the knowledge, tools, and confidence to take ownership (sic) and make impactful decisions.
  - Extraordinary Results Exceptional outcomes achieved when effort, innovation, and collaboration go beyond the expected.
  - Inherent Capabilities Natural strengths and potential within individuals or systems that enable them to perform and excel.







The Crucial Role of Data Stewardship in Governance Success

- Stewardship as Accountability
- Embed Stewardship in Existing Roles
- Stewards as Bridge Builders
- Long-Term Governance Sustainability







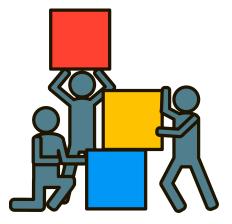
- Stewardship as Accountability Data stewardship *formalizes accountability*, ensuring that individuals managing data understand their roles and responsibilities. This is key to maintaining data quality, consistency, and governance compliance.
  - Notice I didn't say "assigns accountability".
  - People are already accountable; Not always formally ... enough.
  - Managing data = defining, producing, and using data.
  - Stewardship as an auditable requirement.
  - "Maintaining" is a key word. --- "How long will we need to have data stewards?"







- Embed Stewardship in Existing Roles Rather than creating new positions, stewardship can be embedded within current roles. This minimizes disruption and empowers employees to govern data as part of their natural workflows.
  - Stewardship is a natural extension of existing responsibilities.
  - Leverage current relationships with data for effective governance.
  - Empower employees to take ownership without added burden.
  - Minimize disruption by integrating stewardship into daily workflows.









- Stewards as Bridge Builders Data stewards act as the critical link between business and IT. Their role ensures that technical teams understand business needs and business teams adhere to governance policies, driving cross-functional collaboration.
  - Use stewards to facilitate communication between business and IT teams.
  - Align governance policies with business needs for seamless operations. Or other way around?
  - Promote cross-functional collaboration through stewardship roles.
  - Strengthen governance by embedding stewards as key connectors across departments.

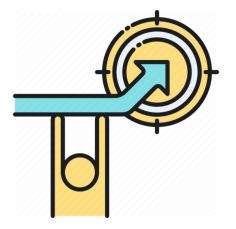








- Long-Term Governance Sustainability By integrating stewardship into existing operations, organizations can ensure a sustainable governance model. This helps drive continuous improvement in data governance practices without the need for frequent structural changes.
  - Embedding stewardship ensures governance adapts naturally over time.
  - Sustain governance without constant restructuring or added roles.
  - Continuously improve by applying governance through processes and formalized accountability.
  - Gain long-term governance success through practical, non-invasive integration. Build into what people do.









**Empowering Data Stewards as Guardians of Data Quality** 

- Formalize Data Quality Accountability
- Enable Proactive Data Quality Monitoring
- Integrate Data Quality with Business Operations
- Foster a Culture of Data Ownership







- Formalize Data Quality Accountability Data stewards are key to maintaining high data quality standards by being directly responsible for the accuracy, completeness, and reliability of data in their domain.
  - Hold stewards naturally accountable for data quality without extra layers of oversight.
  - Empower existing roles to ensure accuracy, completeness, and reliability.
  - Non-invasive governance embeds data quality as a core responsibility.
  - Drive data quality improvement through formalized, role-based accountability.









- Enable Proactive Data Quality Monitoring Empowering data stewards with the right tools and authority allows them to identify and resolve data quality issues before they impact business operations.
  - Equip stewards with tools to proactively catch data quality issues early.
  - Non-invasive governance ensures monitoring is part of daily responsibilities.
  - Empower stewards to resolve issues before they disrupt operations.
  - Embed quality checks into natural workflows for continuous improvement.







- Integrate Data Quality with Business Operations By embedding data stewardship into everyday workflows, data quality becomes a natural part of business processes, not an afterthought, ensuring continuous improvements.
  - Embed stewardship into daily operations to naturally enhance data quality.
  - Make data quality part of business processes, not an additional task.
  - Continuously improve data quality through non-invasive integration.
  - Align business goals with data quality efforts for seamless execution.









- Foster a Culture of Data Ownership Data stewards can drive a sense of ownership and responsibility for data quality across teams, creating a shared culture where quality is everyone's responsibility, not just an isolated function.
  - Build a shared responsibility for data quality across all teams.
  - Empower individuals to take ownership of the data they interact with daily.
  - Encourage a culture where data quality is naturally ingrained in everyone's role.
  - Shift from isolated data management to a collaborative, organization-wide effort.









#### Fostering a Culture of Accountability and Ownership

- Encourage Data Accountability Across Teams
- Build Ownership Through Stewardship
- Create Clear Lines of Responsibility
- Sustain Accountability Through Regular Feedback







- Encourage Data Accountability Across Teams Data stewardship ensures that every team member understands their role in maintaining data accuracy, creating a culture where accountability for data quality is shared across the organization.
  - Embed data accountability into everyday roles to make it a natural part of operations.
  - Empower teams to recognize their direct impact on data quality and governance.
  - Create a shared understanding of how each role contributes to data accuracy.
  - Drive a culture where data accountability is seen as a collective responsibility, not just IT's role.









- Build Ownership Through Stewardship Empowering employees as data stewards fosters a sense of ownership, making them more invested in the integrity, security, and utility of the data they manage.
  - Empower stewards to take ownership (sic) over the data they naturally interact with in their daily roles.
  - Encourage a sense of responsibility for data quality, security, and usability without overwhelming staff with new roles.
  - Embed stewardship within existing workflows to enhance data integrity seamlessly.
  - Foster long-term commitment to data governance by making stewardship a core part of the business culture.









- Create Clear Lines of Responsibility By assigning clear data ownership and stewardship responsibilities, organizations prevent confusion, making it easier to hold individuals accountable for the quality and management of their data.
  - Recognizing stewardship roles based on data relationships helps avoid ambiguity, ensuring accountability is clear and actionable.
  - Clear lines of responsibility empower individuals to take ownership without overwhelming them with new roles or duties.
  - NIDG supports embedding governance into current workflows, making accountability feel natural and intuitive.
  - Defined stewardship roles reduce gaps in data management, leading to better data quality and governance across the board.







- Sustain Accountability Through Regular Feedback Continuous feedback loops and performance metrics ensure that data stewards remain engaged, reinforcing accountability and the long-term success of data governance initiatives.
  - Regular feedback empowers stewards to stay proactive in maintaining data quality and governance.
  - Continuous improvement is driven by performance metrics that align with everyday data responsibilities.
  - NIDG encourages ongoing dialogue and collaboration, reinforcing a shared commitment to governance success.
  - Feedback loops ensure accountability remains dynamic, adapting to the evolving needs of the organization and governance efforts.







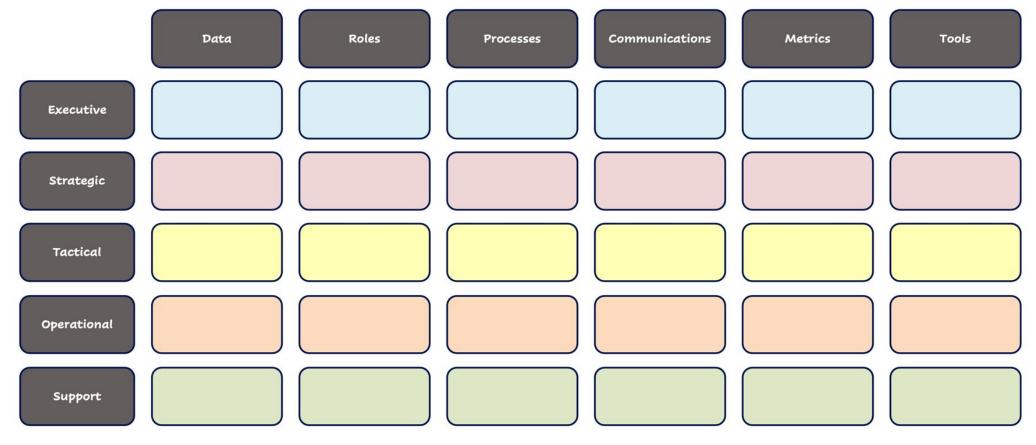
Integrating Data Stewardship into Your Governance Framework

- Embed Stewardship in Existing Roles
- Define Clear Stewardship Responsibilities
- Cross-Functional Stewardship Collaboration
- Continuous Improvement Through Stewardship



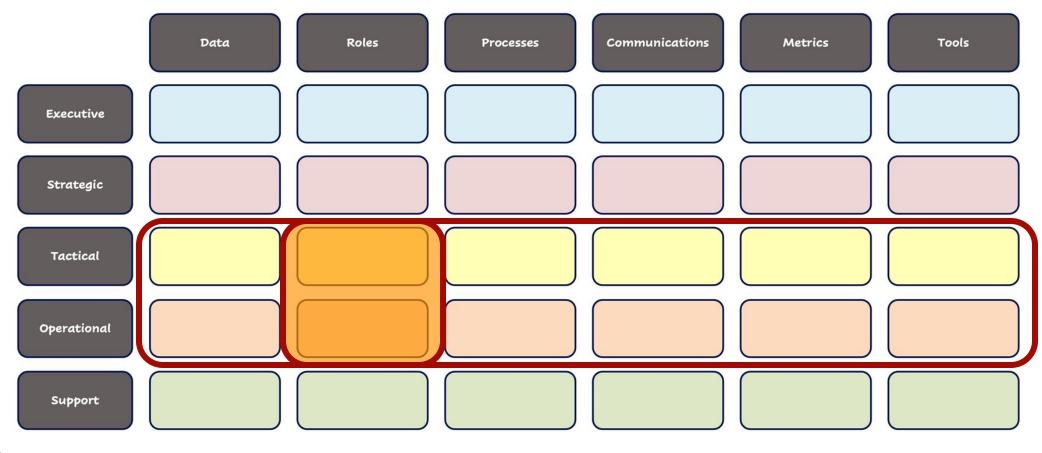
















- Embed Stewardship in Existing Roles Rather than creating new roles, data stewardship can be naturally integrated into existing responsibilities, ensuring minimal disruption while enhancing accountability for data governance.
  - Embed stewardship into current roles ensures seamless integration without adding extra layers of complexity.
  - NIDG emphasizes leveraging existing relationships with data (as definers, producers and users of data), fostering accountability without overburdening employees.
  - By utilizing existing structures, data governance can be enhanced without disrupting ongoing business operations.
  - Natural role integration empowers teams to take ownership of data governance within their established workflows,
     driving efficiency and consistency.







- Define Clear Stewardship Responsibilities To ensure success, it's critical to clearly define the roles and expectations of data stewards within the governance framework, ensuring they have the authority and tools to manage data quality effectively.
  - Clear stewardship responsibilities align with the NIDG approach by recognizing roles based on natural data relationships, not creating new ones.
  - Defined responsibilities ensure that data stewards are empowered to manage data quality without disrupting existing workflows.
  - Provide data stewards with the right tools and authority ensures accountability while maintaining a non-invasive governance structure.
  - Establishing clear expectations minimizes confusion and strengthens the impact of data governance across the organization.







- Cross-Functional Stewardship Collaboration Integrating data stewardship means fostering collaboration across departments, ensuring that data ownership and governance practices are shared responsibilities across business units and IT.
  - Cross-functional collaboration aligns with NIDG by encouraging teams to naturally govern data within their current roles and responsibilities.
  - Fostering stewardship collaboration strengthens communication between business units and IT without adding complexity.
  - Sharing responsibility across departments ensures that data governance becomes a collective effort rather than siloed within specific teams.
  - NIDG enables seamless integration of governance practices into everyday workflows, promoting collaboration without disruption.







- Continuous Improvement Through Stewardship Data stewards play a crucial role in identifying gaps and driving continuous improvements in governance practices, making the framework more agile and adaptable to evolving data needs.
  - Data stewards must learn to naturally identify gaps in data governance through their existing roles, ensuring improvements are both practical and non-invasive.
  - NIDG empowers stewards to drive continuous improvement by embedding responsibility within current processes, fostering adaptability.
  - Continuous feedback loops in NIDG allow stewards to refine governance practices without disrupting the organization's workflow.
  - Stewards enhance agility by addressing data challenges as they arise, making governance more responsive to evolving business needs.







#### Stories of Stewardship's Role in Governance Success

- Case Study: Stewardship Driving Data Quality Improvements
- Cross-Departmental Success Through Stewardship
- Stewardship's Impact on Regulatory Compliance
- Transforming Data Culture Through Stewardship







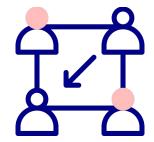
- Case Study: Stewardship Driving Data Quality Improvements Data stewards played a pivotal role in improving data quality, highlighting the practical benefits of stewardship in real-world governance.
  - Data stewards, embedded in existing roles, identified data quality issues and addressed them without disrupting business operations.
  - Leveraging NIDG empowered stewards to enhance data quality by working within their current workflows.
  - Emphasizing the role of stewards in fostering accountability for data quality across departments, lead to measurable improvements.
  - NIDG approach enabled continuous data quality enhancements through steward-led initiatives, driving long-term success.







- Cross-Departmental Success Through Stewardship Data stewards fostered collaboration across departments,
   leading to better decision-making and governance alignment across business units.
  - Stewards bridged the gap between business units and IT, fostering better collaboration and understanding of governance needs.
  - Cross-departmental stewardship led to shared data governance responsibilities, improving decision-making across the organization.
  - Integrated stewardship into existing processes, ensuring seamless collaboration without disrupting workflows.
  - Stewardship-driven collaboration led to aligned governance strategies, resulting in improved data accuracy and business outcomes.







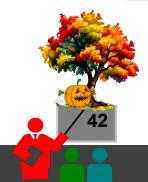


- Stewardship's Impact on Regulatory Compliance Data stewardship helped an organization meet stringent regulatory requirements, avoiding penalties and enhancing data management practices.
  - Embedded data stewards ensured continuous regulatory compliance by making it part of everyday operations.
  - Stewardship helped prevent costly penalties by aligning data practices with evolving regulatory requirements.
  - Enabled stewards to manage compliance seamlessly within their existing roles, reducing the need for additional oversight.
  - Stewardship-driven governance improved the organization's ability to adapt quickly to new regulations, ensuring long-term compliance success.









- Transforming Data Culture Through Stewardship A culture of data accountability and ownership was built through effective stewardship, transforming how the organization treated and leveraged its data.
  - Data stewardship fostered a culture of accountability by embedding ownership (sic) into existing roles, transforming data management practices.
  - The Non-Invasive Data Governance approach empowered stewards to drive cultural change without disrupting current workflows.
  - Promoted data stewardship as a shared responsibilit across the organization, improving data quality and trust.
  - Shifted the organization's mindset, making data a valued asset and enhancing decision-making capabilities.







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