

CHECKLIST

Future of Ai-powered Strategic Decision-making

Building trust in AI-driven strategic decisions

- 1 Audit your current AI usage to identify where models actually make decisions.
 - 2 Mandate explainability requirements in all vendor RFPs and AI tool selections.
 - 3 Implement SHAP or LIME libraries to translate AI logic into human-readable terms.
 - 4 Measure strategic cycle time reduction, not just ROI, from AI implementations.
 - 5 Invest in automated data validation tools to ensure clean input data.
 - 6 Replace spreadsheet-based planning with AI-native platforms like Alteryx or Aera.
 - 7 Train leadership teams to actively challenge and override AI recommendations.
 - 8 Document one AI decision override to build organizational muscle for verification.
 - 9 Set up monthly explainability audits for all high-stakes AI recommendations.
 - 10 Evaluate AI platforms on ease-of-use for non-technical executives, not just power.
 - 11 Create a data governance policy with automated quality checks before decisions.
 - 12 Establish a human sign-off process for all AI recommendations over \$1M impact.
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