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Jason Kelley, General Manager, IBM Global Strategic Partnerships, is responsible for the strategy, organization and performance of IBM strategic alliances, building on his track record in blockchain, AI, IoT, 5G and other emerging technologies across clients, industries, and network ecosystems. Prior to this role, Mr. Kelley led IBM Blockchain Services, partnering with organizations and consortia to unleash exponential business value through rapid adoption of blockchain-enabled digital ledgers and digital identity capabilities. Mr. Kelley has been a successful entrepreneur, as well as a business unit creator for IBM, having led IBM Services Solutions, Design & Innovation, helping clients transform to differentiate and lead in the market through digital reinvention. His teams bring endless energy, creativity, and outcomes for IBM clients globally delivering unique business capability with the marriage of hybrid cloud and emerging technologies.

In addition to his executive responsibilities, Mr. Kelley is also the IBM Texas Senior State Executive. In this role, he represents IBM in education and government relations advocacy and creates constituent relationships with key state government and community leaders.

A holder of 4 U.S. Patents Jason is also a U.S. Army Airborne Ranger veteran, serves on a number of boards, is Co-Chair of the Nation Security Innovation Council, and leads the community of black employees & mentors (BEAM) globally for the IBM Services organization.