

# Articles by Our Experts

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## Recent Releases

### **Moving or Merging? Start Here.**

Much like when moving into a new home or apartment, there are many factors to consider before committing to move from one core processor to another or merge with another credit union. Check out this new article for a checklist of questions to ask before your next core conversion or credit union merger.

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### **Short-Staffed? Maybe Staffing Isn't the Problem (or Solution)**

Now more than ever, credit union leadership must find ways to protect and support their already-overtaxed staff – but perhaps the long-term solution is not found in bolstering the size of one's workforce, but in finding innovative ways to do more with fewer people. We spoke with a few credit union leaders that have found ways to do just that.

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## Past Topics

[\*\*Subordinated Debt: To issue or invest, that is the question.\*\*](#), by Tom Slefinger, Senior Vice President, Institutional Fixed Income Sales, Alloya Investment Services

[\*\*2021 Faster Payments Fraud Survey & Report\*\*](#), featuring Neil Kumar, Vice President, Compliance

[\*\*FraudClassifier Model: Helping a Corporate Credit Union Classify Fraud\*\*](#), featuring

Neil Kumar, Vice President, Compliance

**Operational Resilience: Stronger On the Other Side** by Tahiti Weaver, Assistant Vice President, Compliance

**The Truth About ITMs: “Look! I’m a live person!”** by Jim Olney, Vice President, Payments Strategy

**Do You Have a Special Someone?** by Neil Kumar, Vice President, Compliance

**Applying Social Distancing Guidance to Your Digital Life** by Dean Choudhri, Vice President, Cybersecurity & Information Assurance

**Examining Faster Payments Fraud Prevention**, contributing author Neil Kumar, Vice President, Compliance

**Information Security Risk Management** by Dean Choudhri, Vice President, Cybersecurity & Information Assurance

**Expect the Unexpected: Business Continuity Checklists** by Tahiti Weaver, Manager, Compliance

**Anatomy of a Merger** by John Collins, Senior Vice President, Risk Management & Administration

**IT Infrastructure and Cloud Services** – These quick-read articles examine information-technology topics: cloud-hosted services, disaster recovery, offsite technology, etc.

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