

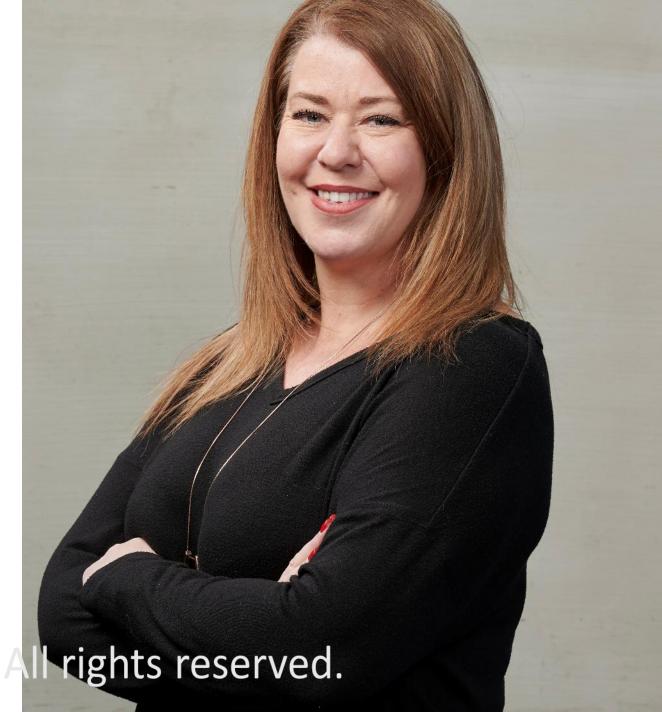


# Transforming CFO Operations with Al-Driven Financial Automation



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- 20+ years of AR experience
- Owned many AP-related initiatives
- Home base is chilly Chicago, USA





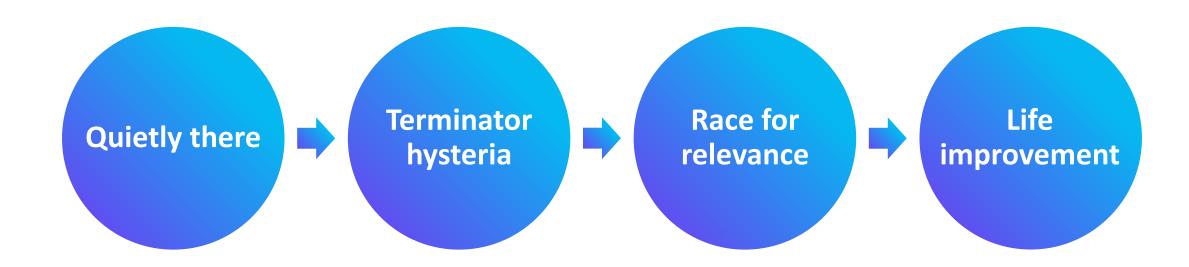
## Laura Elliston, Senior Manager of Product Marketing

- 5+ years in financial automation
- Passionate about advancing technologies while making them fun
- Home base in London, UK





## Al's marketplace evolution









Meet
George.



George Cash-3rd Order-to-Cash Director ACME Ltd.

London, United Kingdom

500+ Connections

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#### Activity

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Can anyone recommend a great accounts receivable solution? Tearing my hair out here! :(



#### Experience



Order-to-Cash Director ACME Ltd - Full Time

Jan 20 - Present · 1 month

Managing billing, invoicing and collections for UK-based scale-up. Working on DSO reduction and process efficiency

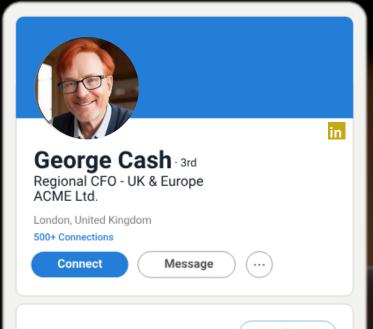
Senior Manager, Accounts Receivable ACME Ltd - Full Time

Jan 15 - Jan 20 · 5 years 1 month

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It's 2020. George is struggling at work...





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These e-invoicing regulations are a breeze with @Quadient solutions! Plus, DSO is down 50% and invoice processing costs are down by 83%. Now that's what I call ROI!:)



25 comments

#### Experience



Regional CFO - UK & Europe ACME Ltd - Full Time

Jan 25 - Present · 1 month

Spend management, procurement, order-to-cash, strategic planning and forecasting, P&L, risk and compliance

Order-to-Cash Director ACME Ltd - Full Time

Jan 20 - Jan 25 · 5 years 1 month







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Honoured to accept the Top CFO award yesterday evening for practical application of Al in Finance! Couldn't have done it without my team and of course, @Quadient technology! :D



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#### Experience



#### Group Chief Financial Officer ACME Global - Full Time

Jan 30 - Present · 1 month

Financial forecasting, strategy and compliance across EMEA, APAC and Americas. Liaising with the Board and promoting growth and revenue.

Regional CFO - UK & Europe
ACME Ltd - Full Time

Jan 25 - Jan 30 · 5 years 1 month





## George's professional life through the years



Chaotic, reactive, manual



2025

Predictable, process-driven, automated



2030

Proactive, strategic, insightbased



## **AI-powered AP today**



Data extraction and integration



**Payment initiation** 



**Invoice matching** 

## **AI-powered AR today**



Cash application

01

Revenue support 02

Dispute management 03

Payments 04

#### CASE STUDY





## Al turned AP into a collaborative business partner

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#### **Problem**

Manual processes for invoice creation, delivery, and tracking were straining employee bandwidth and customer relationships—and leaving no time for AR to support the business.

#### **Solution**

The team implemented Quadient Accounts Receivable, transforming relationships across the organization with Al capabilities.

#### Result

- Accurate, up-to-date financial data
- Focus on higher-value tasks and customer engagement
- Better cash flow management and forecasting

#### **Customer connections**

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Al case study: Financial Automation

Enhancing data extraction and payment allocation through Al

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Inbound accounts receivable emails processed via Quadient AR

3,408

Employee hours saved per company, per year on average







#### Main use cases

- All inbound accounts receivable emails automatically categorized according to subject matter
- Emails containing remittance data autoallocated to payments



## Data & predictive model

 Closed-loop environment learns from specific customer behavior for improved processing over time



### **Increased profitability**

- Zero human intervention required
- Identify, analyze, and generate responses to customer emails
- Faster Al-assisted cash application to open invoices

