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Chidambaran Kollengode (Chid) is a Systems Professional, working as Director Cloud Computing at Yahoo! India R&D, exploring the boundaries of distributed computing for very large volume data processing.

Prior to joining Yahoo!, he worked with Amazon in building a highly scalable distributed architecture and a cost effective implementation for processing huge amounts of search and advertisement (Internet) data.

Chid has a wealth of experience in technology development and organization building with a successful track record in building models and sustainable infrastructures for evidence-based management and quantitative fact-based analysis.

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Chid has a Masters Degree in Business Administration (M.B.A) from Pennsylvania State University (major in Information Systems) and a Bachelors in Engineering from NIT, Trichy (Formerly REC, Trichy).

He has been a visiting professor at the University of Phoenix and continues to be a faculty member and faculty mentor, teaching masters and undergraduate courses.

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