

**CENTREON
LEADERSHIP TEAM
Biographies**



Romain Le Merlus
Co-founder and Chief Executive Officer, North America

Romain Le Merlus is co-founder and CEO of Centreon Software Systems Ltd., responsible for accelerating the company's growth in Canada and the U.S.

Prior to the launch of the North American operations, Romain (Rom) served as CEO of Centreon, where he had been responsible for corporate direction and strategy almost from the start. He moved from hands-on development of Centreon open source monitoring, which he co-conceived to take ownership of the business front as the software uptake grew.

During this time, Romain was instrumental in commercializing and driving Centreon's deployment into large multinational enterprise accounts. He oversaw robust sales in the company's markets and customer base in France and Europe, leading to its position as one of today's industry standards for broad base IT infrastructure monitoring. Under his leadership, Centreon revenues grew steadily year on year over 30%, and its workforce doubled between 2015 and 2017.

Romain graduated from EPITECH, the European Institute of Technology, with a master's degree in computer science. He is also certified in ITIL. He was a member of APM France, a club of C-suite executives, and contributed to the open source movement, such as PLOSS (Paris Libre Open Source Software). Romain remains an ardent believer of technology and is interested by the evolutions of SDx and the blockchain.

Romain now lives in Toronto, Canada, with his wife and two daughters. A keen sportsperson, he plays soccer and runs every chance he gets. He has also embraced his new home fully by becoming a steadfast fan of the Toronto Raptors.