Michelle Walshe

Walshe Management Consultants



Recognised leader in the food industry and is a highly accomplished executive director with extensive experience at managing director and board level.

Spearheaded the sale of the M&M Walshe Group, which facilitated a successful exit for all family members and enabled the launch of the next venture, Walshe Management Consultants. WMC offer SME's professional practical advice on developing strategies, securing funding, and diversification into new markets.

Executive director for the M&M Walshe Group (€120m turnover/500 employees)

Responsible for:

- · Finance and compliance,
- Human Resources, New Product Development and Health & Safety
- · Managing large projects including Brexit preparation and Covid mitigation,
- · Securing funding, setting up joint venture and
- Finding €1m annual cost savings and streamlining support functions.

Managing Director of Ribworld

- Led rapid expansion of turnover from €7m to €50m,
- Built an entire new management team across 10 departments to manage a workforce which expanded from 60 to 240,
- Oversaw the entry into several new markets and new customer with new products and new brands.

Currently sits on three company boards and has a wealth of experience in designing and implementing robust corporate governance frameworks.

A proven strategic leader. Skilled at training and mentoring large teams to achieve the goals of an organisation. A qualified accountant.

Vast range of business expertise including strategy design and execution, sourcing funding, financial planning, management of large teams, entry into new export markets and new product development specifically for the food sector.