Channel *Partner* Program

PROGRAM GUIDE: MEMBER BENEFITS AND REQUIREMENTS



WHO IS

Quantum?

Quantum technology, software, and services provide the solutions that today's organizations need to make video and other unstructured data smarter—so their data works for them and not the other way around. With over 40 years of innovation, Quantum's end-to-end platform is uniquely equipped to orchestrate, protect, and enrich data across its lifecycle, providing enhanced intelligence and actionable insights. Leading organizations in cloud services, entertainment, government, research, education, transportation, and enterprise IT trust Quantum to bring their data to life, because data makes life better, safer, and smarter. Quantum is listed on Nasdag (QMCO) and the Russell 2000® Index.

WHAT IS

Quantum Alliance?

Quantum Alliance is a CRN 5-Star rated channel partner program, designed to help partners like you grow your business profitably. With Quantum's portfolio, you can solve customers' toughest challenges with solutions that are unmatched for performance, data accessibility, and return on investment.



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- Neil Maycock EVP of Marketing, Snell Advanced Media (SAM)



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Is Quantum Right for You?

Quantum Alliance is a CRN 5-Star rated program, designed to help partners like you grow your business. We are dedicated to working with partners who share our goal of solving customers' toughest challenges by storing, managing, protecting, and unlocking value in video and unstructured data.



For Partners Whose Customers Need:

- Intelligent multi-tiered storage solutions
- Primary and object storage, public cloud, and tape
- High-speed access to shared data
- On-demand access to archived data
- High-performance hybrid-flash storage
- Data protection across multiple sites
- Security infrastructure for video surveillance and physical security
- Private and public cloud storage
- In-vehicle data capture

Partners Who:

- Value independent vendors providing differentiated solutions
- Require flexibility and responsiveness
- Provide consulting on how to effectively manage storage environments to support business objectives

Helping Your Customers to Manage, Protect, and Enrich Data Across Its Lifecycle:







Media & Entertainment

Surveillance & Physical Security

Enterprise Backup & Archive







ADAS & Mobility



Geospatial



Genomics & Life Science



Energy

Achieving Success for You and Your Customers

Our channel-focused business model means our partners are the key to delivering rock-solid Quantum storage solutions that solve customers' most challenging problems. We provide technical and financial support every step of the way—from opportunity identification through deal close.



Business and Sales Support

We provide a dedicated team of specialists who understand the market and customers' needs to help you identify the best solution for any situation. All partners can take advantage of Quantum's field sales team, sales engineers (SEs), solution architects, and channel team and marketing support. Plus, Expert and Premier partners receive additional dedicated resources as an added benefit.

Financial Incentives

Deal Registration

Quantum Deal Registration (QDR) provides an additional MSRP discount for you as a Quantum partner in exchange for registering qualified sales opportunities. Our goal is to provide deal registration approval within 48 hours to ensure you can respond to your customer quickly.

Sales Incentive Program

New Business Opportunity Bonus, our generous sales incentive program, awards sales representatives for winning Quantum qualified opportunities, up to US\$20,000 per win.

Value-Based Incentive Program

Expert and Premier partners have the opportunity to earn additional rebates for providing specific value to their partnership with Quantum. This program focuses on mutual success through engagement and investment.

Training

To support your go-to-market strategy, we provide training at no cost to help you effectively sell the Quantum solution portfolio and get certified. Training options include:

Online Training

Our online training platform makes it easy for you to learn about all the Quantum solutions and the markets they serve.

Quantum Virtual Learning Lab

Partners can access demos, simulations, and troubleshooting sandboxes of Quantum products and services on a sophisticated virtual lab platform.

On-Site Training

We can even set up interactive face-to-face training at your site to ensure your team is equipped with the knowledge it needs to succeed.

Sales Tools

In addition to great sales productivity tools and a proactive support team, Quantum's appointment setting program goes beyond traditional lead sharing to provide a multitouch campaign that drives real results. We also provide easy access to playbooks, a full content library, and an online demo center to ensure you are prepared for any customer meeting. When you are ready to register a deal, our configuration and quoting system will provide a frictionless process.



Demo Units

All partners have access to our online demo center featuring Quantum and application vendor solutions. We also offer SE training to ensure your SEs are ready to demonstrate our solutions to customers. However, if physical systems are required for your lab or proof of concepts (POC), we offer two programs:

90-Day No-Cost Demo

Quantum will ship and install the equipment at your site with the requirement that the equipment is returned within 90 days.

Permanent Demo Purchase Program

Partners can purchase Quantum equipment at 50% to 70% off MSRP depending on product and partner level. After six months demo time, the equipment can be resold.

Marketing Support

Market Development Funds

Expert and Premier partners receive market development funds (MDF) based on joint planning sessions for enduser events, appointment setting campaigns, and other activities. In addition, Quantum provides design and agency services to support these activities including custom co-branded content. Registered partners may take advantage of the same opportunities with prior approval.

Web, Email, and Social Media Services
All partners have access to free, co-branded email
campaigns and social media content on the Quantum
Alliance partner portal.

Quantum Elevate Partner Conference

At Quantum Elevate, our yearly invitation-only conference, our community of channel partners, application partners, Quantum sales professionals, engineers, and executives come together to share insights and learn about the latest solutions, competitive information, customer implementations, and future roadmaps.

Dedicated Partner Portal

Every partner receives access to our award-winning Quantum Alliance partner portal (alliance.quantum.com). This is the entry point to your partner benefits and information. In addition, we send out periodic communication to keep you up-to-date on the latest product releases, enablement tools, and webinars.

Requirements

Membership in the Quantum Alliance Partner Program at the Expert and Premier levels requires achievement of revenue and business goals. In addition, partners must have the minimum number of technical and sales professionals who have completed the specified Quantum training curriculum. Your Quantum representative will work with you one-on-one to explain those goals and develop a joint plan to ensure mutual success.



Quantum Service Provider Program

The Quantum Service Provider (QSP) Program is designed for partners who wish to provide comprehensive Quantum solutions and services to their customers.

QSP partners receive discounts on training, service, and spares. In additional, QSP partners earn additional margin on service and own the projects executed with their customers.

Candidates for this program:

- Generate long-term client relationships
- Drive future Quantum sales growth
- Demonstrate robust installation and integration capability

There are four QSP classifications that vary in benefits, requirements, and also vary by region.

	Authorized StorNext Integrator	First Call Provider	Partner On-Site Program	Partner-Owned Spare Provider
Region	Global	StorNext®, Global Data Center Products, United States	Europe, Middle East, Latin America, Asia-Pacific	Developing Markets
Installation	QSP for Certified Products, Quantum for Other			
Support and Spares	Quantum	1st Level Only	1st, 2nd, 3rd Level, On-Site Spares, On-Site Support	1st, 2nd, 3rd Level, On-Site Spares, On-Site Support, Manage Spares Logistics
Discounts	Training	Training, Software and Hardware Service	Training, Software and Hardware Service	Training, Software and Hardware Service, Spares

Membership and Benefits Summary

Business and Sales Support

Business and Sales Support	Registered	Premier	Expert
Dedicated Sales and Engineering Support		✓	✓
Dedicated Field Marketing Support		✓	✓
Access to Full Product Line		✓	✓
Deal-Based Sales and Engineering Support	✓	✓	✓

Financial Incentives

Financial Incentives	Registered	Premier	Expert
Annual Incentive Rebates		✓	√ √
New Business Opportunity Bonus for Won Opportunities		✓	✓
Margin and Deal Protection via Quantum Deal Registration (QDR)		✓	✓

Marketing

Marketing	Registered	Premier	Expert
Co-branded Demand Generation Support	Requires Approval	✓	✓
Co-branded Content	Requires Approval	✓	✓
Funding for End-User Events	Requires Approval	✓	✓
Appointment Setting Campaigns	Requires Approval	✓	✓
Design and Agency Services	Requires Approval	✓	✓
Social Media Content	Requires Approval	✓	✓

Sales Enablement

Sales Enablement	Registered	Premier	Expert
Lead Sharing		✓	✓
Elevate Attendance (Annual Partner Conference)	Invitation Only	Invitation Only	Invitation Only
Demo/Executive Briefing Center (EBC) Access	Requires Approval	✓	✓
Online 24/7 Demo Capability	Requires Approval	✓	✓
Configuration and Quoting System	✓	✓	✓
Full Sales Tool Library and Playbook Access	✓	✓	✓
Online Sales Training	✓	✓	✓
Sales Representative Certification Program	✓	✓	✓
SE Certification Program	✓	✓	✓
On-Site Training Activities	Requires Approval	✓	✓
90-Day Demo/Eval Program	Requires Approval	Requires Approval	Requires Approval
Discounted Demo Purchase Program	√	✓	✓

Requirements

Requirements	Registered	Premier	Expert
Revenue Attainment Requirements		✓	√ √
Business Planning and Growth Goals		✓	✓
Marketing Planning		✓	✓
Account Mapping		✓	✓
Sales Rep and SE Training Requirements		✓	√√
Reseller Agreement Acceptance		✓	✓
Portal Access Click-Thru Agreement Acceptance	✓	✓	✓

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How to Join

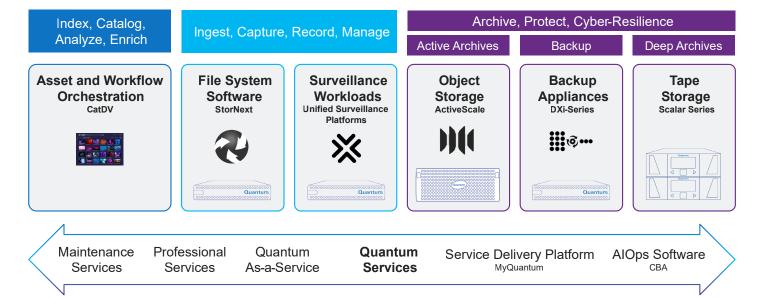




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Quantum Technology and Services



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