

**Assistant Vice President, EDIWS
Candidate Bio**

Richard Boyer

A native of Rochester, Mr. Boyer earned a BS in Finance and International Business from Rochester Institute of Technology. He then went on to earn a MBA in Finance, Competitive & Organizational Strategy from the University of Rochester's Simon School of Business.

Mr. Boyer possesses a background in IT, commercial operations, finance and accounting. During his 20+ year career, he has served in the capacities of Manager, Corporate Strategy & Insights, Manager, Sales Operations, Finance Manager, Fossil/Hydro Generation, Senior Financial Analyst, Financial Systems Consultant, and Controller.

The foundation of Mr. Boyer's work has been in providing information and analytics to support data driven planning, decision making and follow-up assessments. He attributes his career successes in his ability to align business objectives and application development around a culture of data driven decision making, as well as his capability to bridge communication gaps that often exist between teams. He says "...the opportunity to be a part of the solution that is addressing challenges faced by the local economy is extremely appealing."