In her new role at Organon & Co., Rachel will be responsible for all information technology strategy, infrastructure, operations and delivery and will drive digital capabilities in support of the company’s innovation strategy.

Rachel joins Organon from Allergan where she recently served as CIO. She brings expertise in a broad range of information technology disciplines combined with a passion for bringing innovative new treatments to patients in need. Rachel understands what it takes to develop, manufacture and commercialize a product, having held Information Technology roles in all three domains. Prior to Allergan, Rachel held CIO positions in multiple global healthcare organizations including Syneos Health/Inventiv Health and Optimer Pharmaceuticals.

Rachel also spent eight years at Pfizer, Inc., where she held senior level roles in its pharmaceutical and diversified businesses, including technology lead for a Global Center of Excellence for a significant business unit and global technology leadership positions for sales, marketing, market access, strategy and multiple therapeutic areas. She has also worked as a consultant at PriceWaterhouseCoopers.

Rachel holds a Master of Business Administration from Columbia Business School and a Bachelor of Arts from the University of Pennsylvania.

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