



Cheng Lu

President and Chief Executive Officer
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Cheng Lu is the President and Chief Executive Officer of CreateAI. Cheng was first named President and CFO in 2018, became CEO in 2020 and returned to the position in November, 2022. While serving as CEO, Cheng led CreateAI as it became the first company to demonstrate fully autonomous trucks on surface streets and highways, launched CreateAI's Autonomous Freight Network (AFN), and forged partnerships with UPS, the United States Post Office, Traton Group and Navistar. In addition, Cheng guided CreateAI as it became the first self-driving tech company to go public.

Cheng has over 16 years of experience in operations, strategy and corporate finance in the U.S. and Asia. Prior to joining CreateAI, Cheng co-founded KCA Capital Partners, a growth stage investment firm. Prior, he was a private equity investor in the US and Asia. He started his career in the investment banking division of Citigroup in New York.

Cheng earned an MBA from Harvard Business School, and B.S. in computer science and economics at the University of Virginia.