



Forerunners Consulting delivers specialized and focused consulting services, solving for today's most challenging supply chain and transportation complexities.

OUR CAPABILITIES

Forerunners is made up of a team of experienced consultants combining strategic insight with technical expertise. We understand market trends and industry best practices, helping organizations navigate complex challenges with clarity and confidence. Our work is structured in three key areas: Strategy, Analysis & Design, and Implementation.

WHAT ROLE DOES FORERUNNERS PLAY IN AUTOMATION?

As automation technologies rapidly evolve, staying current and adaptable is essential. At Forerunners, we have deep expertise across many industry verticals while also understand the specific nuance of our client's business model. Our experience, combined with a strong commitment to continuous learning, ensures we understand the latest tools and trends. Our team of industrial engineers, implementation specialists, and functional experts are instrumental in identifying opportunities for automation, and better yet, implementing them! This multidisciplinary approach allows us to deliver practical, effective automation strategies tailored to each client's unique needs.

WE SUPPORT OUR CLIENTS AUTOMATION NEEDS THROUGH...

- Strategy Development and Capability Building
- Facility Layout Optimization in preparation for Automated MHE
- Business Process Design for Automated Workflows
- Technology Selection and Solution Sourcing
- Labor Optimization enabled by Automation
- Material Handling System Design (e.g., Conveyors, AMRs, AGVs)
- System Integrations to Support Automated Workflows Across Software Platforms (WMS, TMS, ERP)
- Automation Implementation Planning and Execution
- Change Management and Workforce Transition Training and Planning

CLIENT BENEFITS

- Gain a strategic partner with deep automation and operations expertise
- Access a vendor-neutral perspective to guide technology choices
- Leverage proven methodologies to move from concept to execution effectively
- Reduce internal workload with dedicated project leadership and support
- Benefit from tailored designs aligned to your specific business needs
- Navigate complex decisions with clear, data-driven recommendations

OUR APPROACH

Forerunners applies a structured, data-driven approach to helping clients evaluate the appropriate use cases for automation. We assess operations to identify opportunities and ensure automation is applied where it will deliver the greatest benefit. Our team designs solutions aligned with facility layouts, business processes, and client objectives, carefully balancing technical feasibility with operational and strategic goals. We work closely with clients to identify the highest value-add opportunities and craft a strategic roadmap that guides technology selection, solution design, and implementation – with hands-on support from our team every step of the way.



OUR CLIENTS



Forerunners differentiated and targeted approach is what set us apart; we execute our projects with an energy that builds momentum and delivers quality outcomes that build trust with our clients. We challenge our clients to think critically based on what we can help them achieve and to focus on the business case value of the task at hand. To learn more about Forerunners, visit www.forerunnersconsulting.com.

