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THE IT LANDSCAPE CONTINUES TO evolve. The diverse influences impacting the IT scene today include expanding streams of Internet of Things data, the interrelated forces of virtualization and cloud technologies, the need for real-time computing, the rise of data lakes, and the continuing demand for high-level data analytics. Along with those trends, there are also pressing business requirements for high availability and performance, intensifying demand for self-service data access, and a growing understanding of the need for data governance and data quality in light of strict regulatory requirements such as GDPR.

While the mainframe and relational and MultiValue databases are still trusted workhorses, there are now many additional options for storing and processing data, including Hadoop, and NoSQL and "translytical" databases. Although still in the early stages, organizations are also looking at how the blockchain distributed ledger technology can address new data management needs, while AI and machine learning are being tapped to add automation to routine tasks, helping data management experts focus on higher-level issues. And, the move to the cloud is well underway with hybrid arrangements most favored that include on-premise deployments coupled with public or private clouds.

As a result, today, more than ever, it is a heterogeneous world. In the 5 years since Database Trends and Applications published the first DBTA 100 list, the IT landscape has become more complex—and that trend is certainly continuing. However, innovative vendors are helping to point the way forward with technologies and services to take advantage of the wealth of data that is pouring into companies.

This sixth DBTA 100 list spans a wide variety of companies that are each addressing the evolving demands for hardware, software, and services. Some are long-standing companies with well-established offerings that have evolved over time, while others are much newer to the data scene.

In addition to the list itself, in this issue, we have included "View From The Top" articles written by executives who provide their own points of view on how their companies are uniquely addressing today's data challenges.

We encourage you to explore these companies and their offerings. You can also review original research reports in Unisphere Research's library at www.dbta.com/DBTA-Downloads/ResearchReports. And, to stay on top of the latest news, IT trends, and research, go to www.dbta.com. ∎

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**Ken Dickinson,
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SOLUTIONS THAT WORK. PEOPLE WHO CARE is not just a slogan to us. At Kore Technologies, this is our creed and the reason we've been in business for 20 years with an impeccable reputation for quality and dependability. We've always specialized in best-in-class integration for UniData/UniVerse ("U2") environments, helping our clients maintain their operational efficiency at the lowest cost so they can remain competitive in the marketplace. Today, our solutions support a wide variety of database environments, including Oracle, Microsoft SQL Server, MySQL, Access, and PostgreSQL. As a Microsoft certified partner, we utilize only corporate standard technology for all our solutions without reliance on open-source layers of technology that can be difficult to support and deploy.

Our flagship product, Kourier Integrator, is a data management suite used for many applications. Use it to build a consolidated data warehouse from disparate data sources for corporate-level business intelligence reporting and dashboards. Use it to integrate your back-office ERP system to a best-in-class solution such as Salesforce.com. Use it to build your own RESTful Web Services to expose real-time information such as pricing and inventory levels to your key clients or partners.

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eCommerce is another "kore" competency we have developed over the course of our history. We've learned that there is no single platform that fits all businesses as each has its own unique challenges, objectives, and resources available. We can help you achieve your on-line goals through integration to the platform of your choice, leveraging our own B2B/B2C eCommerce solution called KommerceServer, or a hybrid solution.

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