

# Executive biography



## Lee Johns

Director, Volume Software, Enterprise Servers and Storage

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Lee Johns is the director of the Volume Software business in the HP Enterprise Servers and Storage Business Unit. He is responsible for infrastructure management products for HP platforms such as Systems Insight Manager and Essentials Software with a focus on IT process automation and virtualization of IT resources. Currently he is working on unified management of servers and storage and building out the management capabilities for the HP BladeSystem.

Johns began his HP career with Compaq in the UK in 1987. He has been responsible for operating system strategy for ProLiant servers as well as driving the strategy for ProLiant server management. Johns was one of the architects of the Compaq Adaptive Infrastructure, a strategy to create IT infrastructures that adapt to change and conserve resources, which was the precursor for HP's Adaptive Enterprise and Adaptive Infrastructure strategies.

Based in Houston, Johns has 21 years of experience in the IT industry that includes holding a variety of management, marketing and business development roles. Johns earned a bachelor of science degree with honors from the University of Leeds in England.

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