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Lee Johns is director of Converged Storage for HP Enterprise Business. In this role, Johns is responsible for driving and evangelizing Converged Storage as a new category of modular, scale-out storage that enables customers to improve IT processes and gain control of their information to achieve an Instant-On Enterprise.

Johns focuses on the impact of mobility on IT and the convergence of server, storage and networking to enable simple, scalable and adaptive solutions for next-generation data centers.

Previously, Johns was director of Product Marketing for HP Storage, where he worked on the storage portfolio, including the acquisitions of LeftHand Networks, IBRIX and 3PAR. Prior to that role, Johns ran a marketing and engineering organization focused on unified management of servers and storage and building out the management ecosystem "Insight Control" for HP BladeSystem.

Johns was previously director in the Compaq server division, responsible for operating system and management strategy.

Johns also worked in marketing for Compaq UK, where he led advertising and PR as a product manager. He helped launch Compaq's first printers and first consumer PC into the UK market.

Johns holds a Bachelor of Science honors degree in zoology from the University of Leeds in the UK.

