

Landoop announces merger with DataMountaineer

London, UK - December 14, 2017 - Landoop today announced the completion of the merger with DataMountaineer.

Netherlands-based DataMountaineer is the creator of the largest collection of Apache Kafka connectors in the open source community. DataMountaineer solutions are often used by enterprises to build streaming ETL pipelines capable of managing billions of messages per day. DataMountaineer pioneered the use of SQL in Apache Kafka connectors since 2016 allowing for simplified integration and configuration between Apache Kafka and numerous NoSQL datastore systems.

DataMountaineer Director and CTO Andrew Stevenson stated "I am really excited to join Landoop, our shared vision and combined forces will be a game changer in the streaming data landscape. We are committed to help companies adopt real time streaming platforms and help them build world-class products and operations. We stay committed to our Open Source background and we look forward to share more of our inventions with the amazing Apache Kafka community".

London-based Landoop provides an enterprise-ready, unified, real-time platform for data streaming systems named **Lenses for Apache Kafka**. Lenses leverages Apache Kafka, and becomes the standard tool of choice for developers, data scientists and business analysts to extract value from streaming data. Lenses simplifies data streaming operations and provides high level capabilities, allowing companies to innovate at speed. Large corporations in Finance, Telecoms, Utilities, Retail and others, are already using Lenses to fully capture the value of data streaming.

"We are excited to bring the DataMountaineer team onboard and welcome Andrew Stevenson as Landoop's new CTO", said Antonios Chalkiopoulos, CEO of Landoop. "The combined offering of our Lenses SQL engine, along with the collection of connectors that DataMountaineer has built, creates a unique offering in the market. The two leading companies in data streaming are now operating as one, under the Landoop brand. We are confident that our pace of innovation will accelerate and our existing and new customers will benefit from our combined expertise in the space. We are doubling down on our commitment to help enterprises adopt and leverage state-of-the-art streaming technologies".

About Lenses

Lenses is a data streaming product based on Apache Kafka that provides <u>SQL semantics</u> for building and operating real time data pipelines at scale. With Lenses, businesses and developers can jumpstart their data streaming projects and applications quickly, slashing development time, cost, and management overhead. Lenses is used by IT operators, engineers and analysts alike, providing a turn-key solution for real-time data analytics & integration.

About Landoop

Landoop Ltd., the company behind the data streaming product Lenses, and a significant contributor in the Apache Kafka ecosystem, was founded in 2016 by data architects and operators with the mission to help companies build and use data streaming platforms and products that meet the modern enterprise needs.

The solutions of Landoop are used by some of the world's most innovative organizations including SAS Software, Accenture, Barclays, Cision, Argos and others. Landoop has offices in London, UK, Amsterdam, Netherlands and Athens, Greece.

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