

Nominated Company: Tarmin, Inc.

Nomination Title: Tarmin

Tarmin is an innovative startup, bringing the latest in proven technologies to the information and data management market. Delivering an unparalleled software solution, Tarmin delivers key benefits to organizations seeking to store continuously growing data, control escalating risk and understand business critical information.

In 2013, the company introduced Data Defined Storage which delivers a massively scalable, transparent and unified approach for consistent data retention, search, policy and security across cloud and traditional storage infrastructure. Tarmin delivers its proprietary GridBank Data Management Platform, the industry's first purpose built data management architecture with a comprehensive data management capability.

The GridBank family of products address the key challenges faced by organizations seeking to better manage their existing mixed infrastructures or build their own modern multi-site, petabyte scale, geographically distributed data repositories. It provides highly available, application aware access to information for users in pursuit of improved business operational efficiencies, strategic new undertakings, proactive responses to increased compliance mandates and analytic insight requirements. GridBank empowers clients to lower costs and take benefit from its rich management capabilities for storing enterprise scale workloads, as well as its information governance framework for controlling risk and its big data analytic functionality for understanding information.

This year, Tarmin is strategically partnered with IBM to underpin business growth, expand on channel partnerships and leverage competencies to provide a comprehensive solution. Signing a multi-year agreement, the Tarmin GridBank 3.0 with IBM System Storage and IBM System X combined solution is expected to represent significant revenues for IBM and Tarmin in 2013 and going forward.

The company services businesses in various industry including Oil & Gas, Healthcare and Financial services. One company, Premier Oil, a leading FTSE 250 exploration and production company chose Tarmin GridBank to help optimize their fast-growing globally distributed data.

Why nominee should win

- Tarmin is a frontrunner in solving the crisis of continuously growing data volume with its unparalleled software solution.
- Data Defined Storage is a new solution coined by Tarmin which unlocks the value of data as a business asset – The next generation data management.
- Tarmin's GridBank comprehensive big unstructured data management platform is a highly available, high-performance, massively scalable, hardware agnostic software solution.
- The company has been recognized by esteemed organizations including Gartner, CRN and DCS.
- GridBank empowers clients to lower costs and take benefit from its rich management capabilities for storing enterprise scale workloads.