

Press Release

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Aquila Heywood's Altair platform ranked first in industry survey

Aquila Heywood's Altair™ platform was ranked first amongst Pension Scheme administration software providers in the [Professional Pensions Administration Survey 2018](#).

Aquila Heywood's Altair administration platform is designed specifically for both in-house company and Public Sector pension schemes, as well as catering for the needs of all Defined Benefit (DB), Defined Contribution (DC) and Career Average Revalued Earnings (CARE) schemes. With an extensive suite of tools, Altair can be tailored to the diverse needs of our customers. In addition, customers can achieve high data quality and governance through Altair's strong grounding in automation and workflow-led processing.

Over a quarter of survey respondents stated that they keep their administration in-house, with quality of service and level of expertise cited as primary reasons. In addition to a flexible platform solution, Altair customers receive dedicated, focused and expert knowledge and over 40 years of industry experience.

Aquila Heywood is leading the field in providing solutions that respond to a wide range of industry challenges such as increased auto-enrolment contributions, DB and legacy scheme management, digital engagement and future legislative and regulatory changes. As one of six technology development partners working on the ABI Pensions Dashboard project, Aquila Heywood can ensure that the integration needs and requirements of both DB and Public Sector pension schemes are seamlessly included within the Dashboard.

Simon Barker, CEO at Aquila Heywood, said:

'Our customers are at the heart of everything we do. We work collaboratively with our customers to ensure our Altair software platform evolves and adapts to meet their changing needs and to provide solutions to any new challenges they face. We are delighted that our Altair platform solution has been recognised as a leader in its field within the Professional Pensions Administration Survey 2018.'

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We lead the industry by empowering digital engagement, operational efficiency and creating business value for all our markets.