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## LETTER FROM THE ASSOCIATE EDITOR

Welcome to the sixth issue of Proceedings of the VLDB Endowment (PVLDB) Volume 5. This issue is made up of eight research papers spanning a wide range of topics, including database cracking, differential privacy, query processing, crowd-enabled databases, data integration, graph mining and reusing results in MapReduce. We reviewed these papers in a journal-style process that allow revised and improved versions of the papers to be submitted for further considerations by the reviewers. All papers appearing in this volume will be presented at the VLDB 2012 Conference, to be held in Istanbul, Turkey, August 27-31, 2012.

We like to thank the authors for their excellent papers. The tireless effort of our members in our PVLDB Review Board (program committee) is instrumental in providing timely and useful reviews for these papers. We cannot thank them enough for their hard work. Personally, it is my pleasure to work with an outstanding set of editorial colleagues: the Editor-in-Chief (program committee chair), Associate Editors (PC co-chairs), and Proceedings Chairs.

Having published six issues of this volume of PVLDB and with more interesting papers in the pipeline, we are sure that we will be having an excellent program in Istanbul in August. We hope to see you there!

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