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“Microsoft Seeks Startup Partnerships in Battle with Amazon Over Cloud”

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By: Aaron Trilley

This article is about how big businesses are starting to partner up with smaller businesses to help their business in certain departments. Amazon decided to partner up with a start-up company called “Apptio Inc.”. They made a deal that if Apptio helped expand their web services that Amazon would sell Apptio’s services to Amazon’s cloud services. Microsoft announced a partnership with Abnormal Security Corp., under which the San Francisco-based email-security startup will move its software onto the tech giant’s Azure cloud. For the two cloud-computing giants those partnership deals could help sustain growth in a business segment that has become crucial to their financial fortunes.

# “U.S. Likely Exceeded Authority in TikTok Ban, Judge Says”

*By*Katy Stech Ferek

# Sept. 28, 2020 3:30 pm ET

# This article is about the beloved app TikTok and how there are rumors going around saying that it might get banded in the United States by President Trump. But then those rumors were denied when a federal judge stop the Trump Administration from banning it. All was good for a couple of week but now, there are even more rumors coming out about how the national security law might over rule the federal judge and shut down TikTok in the US. In his ruling, the judge sided with attorneys for TikTok and its owner, Beijing-based ByteDance Ltd., in determining that the ban’s restrictions “likely exceed the lawful bounds proscribed by IEEPA.”

# “You Can Go Back to the Office—You Just Need a Virtual-Reality Headset”

ByJoanna Stern

# Sept. 28, 2020 7:00 am ET

In this article it is talking about a brand-new solution to this whole pandemic for the workforce! Joanna Stern has reported that some office jobs are now going to work by a virtual reality set. With covid going around, even the companies that are taking server in person precautions are still ending up with cases. It looked like there was no solution other than having workers stay at home. Which for some might seem like fun at first but in the long run, many people will lose their jobs or have already lost their jobs. But now, with the virtual technology getting better and better, what seems like every day, companies are now applying it to real jobs as a way of being “in” the office. I actually thought this article was interesting because I feel like I can see technology improving so much, instead of waiting 100 years for a breakthrough in new technology.