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in its Series B Financing led by



for total consideration of

\$17,200,000

## FT Partners Advises Zafin on its Series B Financing

## Zafin's \$17 million Series B Financing



#### Overview of Transaction

- On January 23, 2019, Zafin announced it has raised \$17.2 million in its Series
  B financing led by Vistara Capital Partners, Beedie Capital, and Accenture
  Ventures
- Headquartered in Toronto, Zafin is a global leader in financial services software that drives relationship pricing, bundling, and rates management strategies for global financial institutions
  - The Company's technology platform is designed to modernize and augment legacy IT infrastructures that underpin the financial services industry
  - Zafin's solutions enable banks to increase revenue generation, drive customer transparency, and aid in regulatory compliance, ultimately enhancing the customer experience

## Significance of Transaction

- The new funding will be used to expand sales and marketing growth along with continued product innovation
- Following its strategic alliance with Accenture in December 2018, the two
  companies will continue to work together in the fields of open banking, core
  transformation, AI, and machine learning

#### FT Partners' Role

- FT Partners served as exclusive strategic and financial advisor to Zafin
- FT Partners recently advised Zafin on its <u>strategic alliance and sale of select</u> <u>professional services assets to Accenture</u>
- This transaction underscores FT Partners' expertise across the Banking Tech landscape and highlights its position as the "Advisor of Choice" to leading FinTech companies

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## **Zafin Overview**

## **Company Overview**



Founder / CEO:

Al Karim Somji

**Headquarters:** 

Toronto, Ontario, Canada

Founded:

2002

- Zafin is a worldwide leader in digital banking and relationship banking software
- The Company provides retail banking solutions such as fee and loyalty management, and relationship analytics; and corporate banking solutions, including client offer and billing management
- Additionally, Zafin offers miRevenue, a retail banking solution to incentivize desired client behavior and build client relationships

## **Selected Zafin Clients:**

















#### **Product Suite**

# Strategic pricing technology for deposits & lending, designed to drive profitability

- ✓ Dynamically modify rates to provide competitive advantage
- ✓ Customize fees to optimize profitability with variable micro-segmentation
- ✓ Offer multi-product bundles to general compelling deals that influence loyalty and increase net new deposit volume

#### **RETAIL BANKING**

- Relationship Pricing
- Analytics
- Enterprise Product Catalog
- Digital Origination

#### CORPORATE BANKING

- Enterprise Product Hub
- Client Offer Management
- Billing Management

## **Key Benefits**



#### Revenue Enhancement

Creates new revenue and / or reduce revenue leakage



## **Operational Efficiency**

Reduces expenses, overhead, or core system retirement and modernization



#### **Regulatory Compliance**

Assists banks with operating transparently, and within local rules and regulations



#### **Customer Experience**

Improves the customer relationship and interaction between banks and their clients

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## Overview of FT Partners

- Financial Technology Partners ("FT Partners") was founded in 2001 and is the only investment banking firm focused exclusively on FinTech
- FT Partners regularly publishes research highlighting the most important transactions, trends and insights impacting the global Financial Technology landscape. Our unique insight into FinTech is a direct result of executing hundreds of transactions in the sector combined with over 17 years of exclusive focus on Financial Technology

## FT Partners' Advisory Capabilities



## FT Partners' FinTech Industry Research





Named Silicon Valley's #1 FinTech Banker (2016) and ranked #2 Overall by The Information



Ranked #1 Most Influential Person in all of FinTech in Institutional Investors "FinTech Finance 40"



Numerous Awards for Transaction Excellence including "Deal of the Decade"

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## Proven Track Record of Success Across the Banking / Lending Tech Sector











































# TAFIN ZAFIN

## FT Partners Advises Zafin on its Strategic Alliance with Accenture

#### **Overview of Transaction**

- On December 12, 2018, Zafin announced Accenture has entered into a strategic alliance and agreed to acquire select professional services assets from Zafin
  - Accenture will serve as a preferred integrator of the Zafin financial software platform as part of a joint go-to-market strategy
- Headquartered in Toronto, Zafin is a global leader in financial services software that drives relationship pricing, bundling and rates management strategies for global financial institutions
- Accenture (NYSE:ACN) is a global professional services company, providing a broad range of services and solutions in strategy, consulting, digital technology, and operations
- Select employees from Zafin's professional services business will join Accenture's global Financial Services practice

### Significance of Transaction

- The new relationship will strengthen Accenture's ability to help financial institutions modernize their legacy IT systems and enhance their digital services programs
- Additionally, the agreement enables Zafin to continue to focus on developing market-leading financial services software solutions

#### FT Partners' Role

- FT Partners served as exclusive strategic and financial advisor to Zafin
- This transaction underscores FT Partners' versatility and expertise across the FinTech universe and highlights its position as the "Advisor of Choice" to leading FinTech companies

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sale of

**Select Professional Services Assets** 

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## FT Partners Advises Nomis on its Financing from Accenture

#### Overview of Transaction

- On May 23, 2017, Nomis Solutions Inc. ("Nomis" or the "Company")
   announced a minority financing round and strategic alliance with Accenture
- Headquartered in San Bruno, California, Nomis is a leading provider of analytics-driven pricing and profitability-management solutions to retail banks
  - Nomis provides cutting-edge solutions to support big data, advanced modeling and analytics, optimizing nearly \$1 trillion in banking transactions annually
- Accenture is a leading global professional services company providing a range of strategy, consulting, digital, technology and operations services and solutions across the globe
  - Accenture's core banking services help banks enhance, upgrade and transform their products, services and processes for efficiency and growth

#### Significance of Transaction

- The investment by Accenture enhances Nomis' ability to pursue its global growth strategy
- Under the alliance agreement, Accenture will be the preferred systems
  integrator for Nomis' profitability-management solutions, extending
  Accenture's capabilities in analytics pricing and providing Nomis with access
  to Accenture's financial services expertise and global scale

#### FT Partners' Role

- FT Partners served as exclusive strategic and financial advisor to Nomis in this transaction
- This transaction demonstrates FT Partners' continued success advising leading FinTech companies and generating highly successful outcomes in the Banking Technology space

# FTP Securities LLC

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in its strategic minority financing from





## FT Partners Advises DataX on its Sale to Equifax



#### **Overview of Transaction**

- DataX has been acquired by Equifax
- Headquartered in Las Vegas, NV, DataX is one of the fastest growing alternative data credit reporting agencies, offering premier financial management solutions to businesses through a suite of advanced products focused on mitigating risk and improving profitability
- Equifax (NYSE:EFX) uses unique data, analytics and technology to help organizations and individuals make more informed business decisions
- Through the acquisition, DataX and its employees are now part of the Equifax Banking and Lending division

## Significance of Transaction

- DataX's data assets complement the Equifax core credit database adding alternative credit and payment data, analytics and identity solutions on underbanked consumers to the installment loan, rent-toown and lease-to-own markets
- The acquisition of DataX also complements other unique Equifax data assets that help provide greater depth and reach to those seeking credit

## FT Partners' Role

- FT Partners served as exclusive strategic and financial advisor to DataX
- This transaction highlights FT Partners' versatility and expertise across the FinTech universe and exhibits its position as the "Advisor of Choice" to the highest quality FinTech Companies

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in its sale to





## FT Partners Advises Custom Credit Systems on its Sale



#### Overview of Transaction

- On August, 11, 2014, Custom Credit Systems ("CCS"), owned by Triton
  Pacific Capital Partners, announced its sale to Misys, owned by Vista Equity
  Partners
- Backed by Triton Pacific, CCS is a premier provider of commercial credit origination, servicing and portfolio monitoring systems to leading financial institutions
- Financial terms of the transaction were not disclosed

### Significance of Transaction

- CCS's comprehensive credit lifecycle management platform is one of the few in the marketplace that satisfies the breadth and depth of both small / middle market and large corporate commercial credit origination, servicing and portfolio platform needs
- The combination of CCS and Misys results in the most comprehensive solution for the entire loan lifecycle across all lending asset classes, globally

## FT Partners' Role

- FT Partners served as exclusive strategic and financial advisor to CCS and its Board of Directors
- FT Partners leveraged its deep knowledge, extensive experience and broad industry relationships to help achieve a highly favorable outcome for stakeholders
- Transaction demonstrates FT Partners' continued success in achieving highly attractive outcomes for leading banking technology / loan origination software firms

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## FT Partners Advises WebEquity on its Sale



#### **Overview of Transaction**

- On June 9, 2014, WebEquity Solutions ("WebEquity") announced its sale to Moody's Analytics ("Moody's"), a unit of Moody's Corporation
- Backed by Alpine Investors, WebEquity is a leading provider of cloud-based / SaaS loan origination solutions for financial institutions
- The transaction is expected to close in the third quarter; financial terms of the transaction were not disclosed

## Significance of Transaction

- WebEquity is one of the higher growing SaaS-based software models across the financial technology sector
- FT Partners also represented WebEquity's majority holder, Alpine Investors, in the highly successful \$145,000,000 sale of EDC to Cardtronics
- The acquisition strengthens Moody's position in loan origination software and bolsters its suite of risk management products for banks, insurance companies and corporations

#### FT Partners' Role

- FT Partners served as exclusive strategic and financial advisor to WebEquity and its Board of Directors
- FT Partners leveraged its deep knowledge, extensive experience and broad industry relationships to help achieve a highly favorable outcome for stakeholders
- Transaction demonstrates FT Partners' continued success in achieving highly attractive outcomes for leading banking technology firms

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## Award-Winning Investment Banking Franchise Focused on Superior Client Results

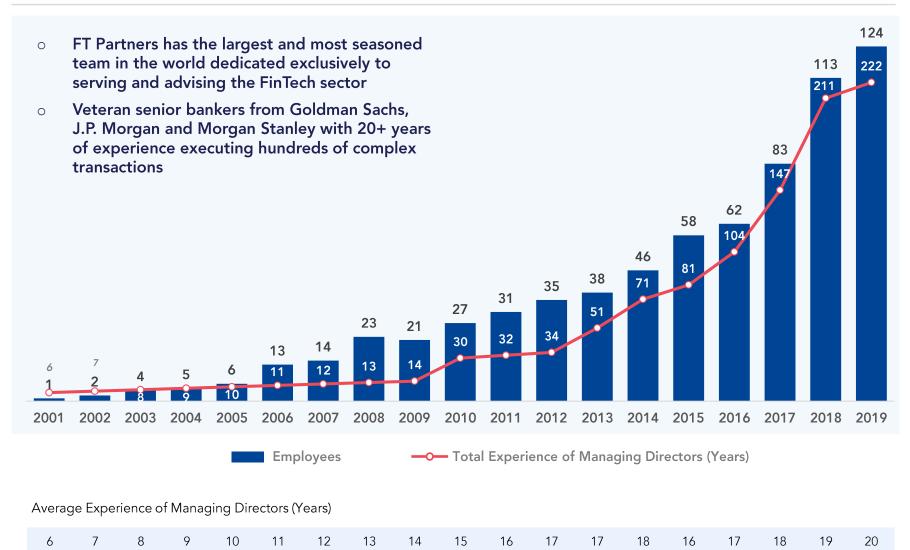


LendIt	2018	Top Investment Bank in FinTech				
Institutional Investor Institutional Investor Annual Ranking	2018	Steve McLaughlin Ranked #1 for the Second Year in a Row on Institutional Investor's FinTech 40 List				
	2017	Ranked #1 on Institutional Investor's FinTech 40 List				
	2015 & 2016	Ranked Top 5 on Institutional Investor's FinTech 35 List				
	2006 – 2008	Consecutively Ranked (2006, 2007 and 2008) among the Top Bankers on Institutional Investor's "Online Finance 40"				
The Information	2016	Ranked #2 Top Technology Investment Banker on The Information's "Silicon Valley's Most Popular Dealmakers"				
2018 -2004 ANNUALAWARDS WINNER M&A Advisor Awards	2018	Corporate / Strategic Deal of the Year	2011	Boutique Investment Bank of the Year		
	2018	Cross Border Deal of the Year	2011	Deal of the Decade		
	2017	Investment Banker of the Year	2010	Upper Middle Market Deal of the Year, \$500 mm+		
	2016	Investment Banking Firm of the Year	2010	IT Services Deal of the Year, Below \$500 mm		
	2016	Cross Border Deal of the Year	2010	Cross-Border Deal of the Year, Below \$500 mm		
	2015	Dealmaker of the Year	2007	Dealmaker of the Year – Steve McLaughlin		
	2015	Technology Deal of the Year	2007	Business to Business Services Deal of the Year		
	2014	Equity Financing Deal of the Year	2007	Computer & Information Tech Deal of the Year, \$100 mm-		
	2014	Professional Services Deal of the Year, \$100 mm+	2007	Financial Services Deal of the Year, \$100 mm+		
	2012	Dealmaker of the Year	2004	Investment Bank of the Year		
	2012	Professional Services Deal of the Year, \$100 mm+				

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## Platform of Choice for Clients and Bankers Alike





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## The FT Partners Senior Banker Team

Name / Position	Prior Background	Experience / Education	Years of Experience
<b>Steve McLaughlin</b> Founder, CEO and Managing Partner	Goldman Sachs	<ul> <li>Formerly with Goldman Sachs in New York and San Francisco from 1995-2002</li> <li>Former Co-Head of Goldman Sachs' Financial Technology Group (#1 market share)</li> <li>Wharton M.B.A.</li> </ul>	24
Kate Crespo Managing Director	RAYMOND JAMES®	<ul> <li>Formerly with Raymond James' Technology &amp; Services investment banking</li> <li>12+ years of FinTech transaction execution experience</li> <li>Dartmouth M.B.A.</li> </ul>	17
<b>Larry Furlong</b> Managing Director	Goldman Sachs	<ul> <li>Formerly with Goldman Sachs in New York, London and Los Angeles from 1995-2004</li> <li>Wharton M.B.A.</li> </ul>	23
<b>Osman Khan</b> Managing Director	pwc	<ul> <li>Formerly Managing Director and Head of FIG M&amp;A at Alvarez &amp; Marsal</li> <li>15+ years FIG deal, consulting and assurance experience at PwC</li> <li>40 Under 40 M&amp;A Advisor Award Winner in 2013</li> <li>LSE (BSc w/Honors), MBS (MBA w/Distinction), ICAEW (FCA)</li> </ul>	22
<b>Andrew McLaughlin</b> Managing Director	Deloitte.	<ul> <li>20+ years experience executing / implementing financial and operational strategy</li> <li>Formerly with Deloitte Consulting</li> </ul>	13
<b>Mike Nelson</b> Managing Director	SUNTRUST	<ul> <li>Formerly head of FinTech M&amp;A at SunTrust Robinson Humphrey</li> <li>Kellogg M.B.A.</li> </ul>	19
<b>Timm Schipporeit</b> Managing Director	Morgan Stanley Index Ventures  Formerly with Morgan Stanley as Senior Executive Director of European Telloward Investment Banking Team in London Formerly a Venture and Growth Investor focused on FinTech at Index Venture		16
<b>Greg Smith</b> <i>Managing Director</i>	Merrill Lynch J.P.Morgan	<ul> <li>Formerly award winning Equity Research Analyst at Merrill Lynch, J.P. Morgan and Hambrecht &amp; Quist</li> <li>20+ years of experience covering FinTech as both an Analyst and Investment Banker</li> </ul>	23
<b>Steve Stout</b> Managing Director	J.P.Morgan First Data	<ul> <li>Formerly Global Head of Strategy at First Data</li> <li>Formerly Led J.P. Morgan Payments Investment Banking Practice</li> <li>Former Equity Research Analyst on #1 ranked team at UBS</li> <li>Former Economist at the Federal Reserve Bank</li> </ul>	21
<b>Tim Wolfe</b> Managing Director	Goldman Sachs	<ul> <li>Formerly with Goldman Sachs from 2000-2002</li> <li>40 Under 40 M&amp;A Advisor Award Winner 2013</li> <li>Harvard M.B.A.</li> </ul>	17