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SentiLink Raises \$70 million in Series B Financing Led by Craft Ventures

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Transaction Summary



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- On August 5, 2021, SentiLink, a provider of identity verification technology, announced it has raised \$70 million in Series B financing led by Craft Ventures
 - Existing investors Andreessen Horowitz, Felicis Ventures, and NYCA Partners also participated in the round
- This round brings Sentilink's total funding raised to \$85 million
- Craft Ventures' David Sacks and Felicis Ventures' Victoria Treyger will be joining SentiLink's board as observers
- SentiLink plans to use the funding to build out its product offerings as well as expand its team (1)
- With increasing levels of identity theft and fraud, SentiLink aims to detect fake and stolen identities for new account applications in real-time, assisting financial institutions with synthetic fraud, ID theft, and other emerging fraud vectors

Selected Financing History

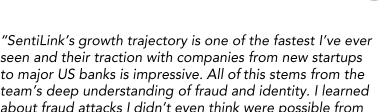
Date	Size (\$ mm)	Investor(s)
08/05/21	\$ 70	Craft Ventures; Felicis Ventures; Andreessen Horowitz; NYCA Partners
03/26/19	14	Andreessen Horowitz; NYCA Partners; Goldcrest Capital; Felicis Ventures; Caffeinated Capital

Transaction Commentary

"SentiLink is reinventing identify verification in the US. Despite businesses spending large amounts of time and money trying to figure out if people are who they say they are, identity fraud is rampant and real customers suffer from false positives and unnecessary friction. Our new approach is grounded in our deep understanding of fraud and identity and is changing how identity verification works in the US."



Naftali Harris Co-Founder & CEO



seen and their traction with companies from new startups to major US banks is impressive. All of this stems from the team's deep understanding of fraud and identity. I learned about fraud attacks I didn't even think were possible from talking with Naftali and Max. We're excited to lead SentiLink's series B and to support them as they transform how identity verification works in the US."



David Sacks Co-Founder & General Partner

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SentiLink Overview



Company Overview



CEO & Co-Founder:

Naftali Harris

Headquarters:

San Francisco, CA

Founded:

2017

- SentiLink provides identity verification technology and fraud visualization solutions in order to combat moneylaundering, contractor fraud, synthetic identities, and third-party stolen identities
- The Company was founded by Naftali Harris and Maxwell Blumenfeld in 2017, two former risk leaders from online lender Affirm
- SentiLink employs risk analysts and collaborates with clients to investigate new types of fraud on an ongoing basis in order to provide protection in an area that costs financial institutions billions of dollars a year in losses (1)
- The Company has verified several hundred million applications to date and works with over 100 financial institutions (1)

Product Offerings



Synthetic Fraud Scores

- SentiLink taps into multiple data sources to verify an applicant's identity, leveraging their Risk Operation team and synthetic fraud model to catch nuances and edge cases that typically would go unnoticed
- The result is three synthetic fraud scores which provide a robust system of ensuring applicants are real



ID Theft Scores

- SentiLink's models adapt to changing fraud tactics to protect businesses against traditional and newer forms of ID theft and fraud
- Utilize integrated APIs to get ID Theft scores in milliseconds



Manifest

- Manifest is a catalog of all identities in the US Proprietary and integrates relevant datasets and organizes the information for use in other models or case investigations
- Manifest, which is available real-time via API, highlights red flags at an identity level for quick evaluation





- eCBSV automates the manual process of validating Social Security numbers via digital consent and real-time API responses to increase efficiency in the application process
- eCBSV reduces loan origination processing time by days by eliminating the need for paper-based SSA-89 forms



ID Complete

- ID Complete applies matching logic to complete partial or missing DOB or SSN data
- In addition, ID Complete verifies the accuracy of information provided and corrects typos/other errors to improve approval rates

Selected Fraud Management Landscape













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Selected Digital Identity & Authentication Landscape



















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AvidXchange's \$388 million Financing



Divvy's \$2.5 billion Sale to Bill.com



ContaAzul's \$30 million Series D Financing



Feedzai's Series D Financing



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Riskified Completes its IPO

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Company	Amount Raised	Selected Prominent Investors in FT Partners Led Rounds
GreenSky"	\$1,560,000,000 *	- Accel Temasek Visa Pimco
stone ^{co}	1,545,000,000 *	
	956,000,000 *	RCP CAPITAL PARTNERS DST SANT ASSOCIATES INSIGHT
Revolut	800,000,000	PARTNERS STATE OF THE PARTNERS Great Hill
mollie	800,000,000	ICONIQ Premji Invest SoftBank
MERCURY°	420,000,000	Rein Comital LONI
Remitly	374,000,000 *	PRIVATE EQUITY CROSSOVER PARTINESS COPY SCOTIODATES
bblo	370,000,000 *	BainCapital Capital khosla ventures
Next	333,000,000 *	VENTURES LONE PINE CAPITAL
OakNorth	270,000,000	NVCa KeyBank OED ING ING
feedzai	267,500,000 *	INVESTORS Blackstone
Liquidnet ~~	250,000,000	RRVA ◆Santander RV WELLINGTON 乾源资本 YUAN CAPITAL
square trade potection	238,000,000	InnoVentures Battery Ventures MANAGEMENT THEL
	230,000,000	ADAMS STREET Flavon PayPol
Forge	220,000,000 *	Elavoii
TRUMID:	200,000,000	Redpoint PayU a G/ edisonpartners
Clearcover	200,000,000	NEUBERGER BERMAN KKR DRAGONEER Munich RE
№ NIUM	200,000,000	CARRICK C Investing more than capital ELDRIDGE edbi
cloudwalk	190,000,000	mastercard nabventures
dailypay.	175,000,000	QUESTMARK PARTNERS VALOR generation_
\ * Divvy	165,000,000	EQUITY PARTNERS
Better	160,000,000	SILVERLAKE PARTHENON SUMMIT PARTNERS

^{*} Total includes multiple financing rounds

^{**} Primary amount

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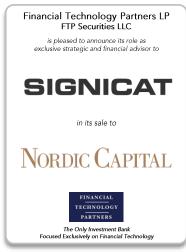
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Digital Identity Verification



Digital Identity Verification



Alternative Data Credit Scoring



Digital Identity Verification



Al-Powered Fraud Prevention Solutions



Alternative Data Credit Reporting



Integrated Risk Management Solutions



FT Partners Advises Feedzai on its Series D Financing

Overview of Transaction

- On March 24, 2021, Feedzai announced it has raised \$200 million of capital in its Series D financing at a valuation in excess of \$1 billion
- The investment was led by KRR with participation from existing investors Sapphire Ventures & Citi Ventures
- Founded in 2009 and headquartered in San Mateo, CA, Feedzai is the market leader in fighting financial crime with today's most advanced cloud-based risk management platform, power by machine learning and artificial intelligence
 - Feedzai has one mission: to make banking and commerce safe by combining fraud prevention and anti-money laundering under one platform to manage financial crime

Significance of Transaction

 The new investment will be used to accelerate the company's global expansion, further develop its product offerings, and boost its partner strategy to strengthen its position as one of the most comprehensive financial crime prevention and risk management solutions in the market

FT Partners' Role

- FT Partners served as exclusive financial and strategic advisor to Feedzai
- FT Partners previously advised Feedzai on its \$50 million Series C financing in 2017, and its \$17.5 million Series B financing in 2015
- This transaction highlights FT Partners' deep domain expertise in the Fraud Prevention and Risk Management sector, as well as its successful track record generating highly favorable outcomes for high-growth, unicorn FinTech companies globally

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for a total amount of

\$200,000,000

at a valuation of

>\$1,000,000,000



FT Partners Advises Feedzai on its Series C Financing

Overview of Transaction

- On October 17, 2017 Feedzai announced it has raised \$50 million in its Series C financing round from an undisclosed investor with participation from existing investor Sapphire Ventures
- This new funding brings the total venture capital raised to \$82 million from nine major investors including Oak HC/FT, Capital One Growth Ventures, Citi Ventures and more.
- Founded in 2009 and headquartered in San Mateo, CA, Feedzai is a leader in using artificial intelligence to empower enterprises to manage risk and fight fraud in real-time
 - Feedzai's machine learning technology and its omnichannel fraud prevention solutions serve customers that transact in virtually every country in the world, across numerous use cases for leading banks and merchants

Significance of Transaction

- Feedzai will use the capital to continue its rapid growth trajectory
- The Company is on track to more than double its headcount this year from where it was at the end of 2016, planning to reach 300 employees by the end of 2017
- Additionally, Feedzai has added key sales leaders worldwide, including hiring former Box SVP Jim Priestley as Chief Revenue Officer

FT Partners' Role

- FT Partners served as exclusive strategic and financial advisor to Feedzai and its Board of Directors
- FT Partners also represented Feedzai on its <u>\$17.5 million Series B financing</u> from Oak HC/FT, Sapphire Ventures and Espirito Ventures
- This transaction demonstrates FT Partners' continued leadership role advising world-class FinTech companies

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in its Series C financing for a total consideration of

\$50,000,000



FT Partners Advises Emailage on its Sale to RELX

Overview of Transaction

- On February 3, 2020, RELX announced it has entered into an agreement to acquire Emailage Corp ("Emailage"), a global provider of fraud prevention and risk management solutions
 - Emailage will become a part of the Business Services group of LexisNexis Risk Solutions
- Founded in 2012 and based in the Phoenix metro area with offices across the globe, Emailage helps organizations reduce online fraud by building multidimensional profiles associated with customer email addresses to render predictive risk scores
- RELX (LSE:REL) is a global provider of information-based analytics and decision tools for professional and business customers, headquartered in London, United Kingdom with offices in about 40 countries

Significance of Transaction

- Emailage expands RELX's digital identity intelligence and fraud prevention capabilities, providing customers around the world with a more comprehensive view into consumers for predictive risk assessment
- Emailage's long-standing contributory network database will enhance the LexisNexis® Digital Identity Network®, which analyses an average of 39.9 billion transactions annually to provide organizations with actionable insight into the world's rapidly changing threat landscape

FT Partners' Role

- FT Partners served as exclusive strategic and financial advisor to Emailage
- The transaction is one of the largest in the sector and underscores FT Partners' successful track record in generating highly favorable outcomes for Fraud & Risk Management companies worldwide

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FT Partners Advises CardinalCommerce on its Strategic Sale to Visa

Overview of Transaction

- On December 1, 2016, CardinalCommerce announced its strategic sale to Visa in one of the largest payments deals of the year
- Headquartered in Cleveland, Ohio, CardinalCommerce is a pioneer and global leader in enabling authenticated payment transactions in the cardnot-present payments industry and is the largest authentication network in the world
- Founded in 1999, CardinalCommerce's products are used globally: across 6 continents (Africa, Asia, Australia, Europe, North America and South America), in more than 200 countries and used with more than 180 different currencies

Significance of Transaction

- The acquisition will help accelerate the growth of Visa's digital commerce by enabling more secure, seamless payments, through browsers, mobile apps and connected devices
- As Visa plans to integrate tokenization into Visa Checkout over the next 18 months, the addition of CardinalCommerce will allow a more seamless integration of 3-D Secure and delivery of these new fraud mitigation capabilities to merchants

FT Partners' Role

- FT Partners served as exclusive strategic and financial advisor to CardinalCommerce and its Board of Directors
- This transaction demonstrates FT Partners' continued leadership position as the "advisor of choice" to the highest quality FinTech companies

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for total consideration of approximately

\$ 300,000,000



FT Partners Advises Signicat on its Sale to Nordic Capital

Overview of Transaction

- On April 11, 2019, Signicat announced its sale to Nordic Capital
 - Signicat was acquired from Secure Identity Holding¹ and other shareholders
 - Viking Venture, Signicat's other major shareholder, will re-invest all proceeds and continue as a minority owner, together with employee shareholders and with Nordic Capital as the majority owner
- Headquartered in Trondheim, Norway, Signicat is a SaaS verified digital identity hub, which enables its enterprise customers to seamlessly onboard and authenticate end-users as well as sign and store their documents
 - Signicat provides a single integration point providing customers access to the widest available pool of electronic IDs (eIDs), registry lookups, and ID document scanning solutions via a single interface
- Nordic Capital is a leading private equity firm based in Sweden with offices across
 the Nordics and Europe, which invests in large and middle-market companies
 globally with a primary focus in Northern Europe and the DACH region
- Viking Venture is a Norwegian venture capital firm that invests in growth companies in the technology sector
- This transaction is comprised of both primary and secondary capital from Nordic Capital, as well as reinvestment from Viking Venture and current management

Significance of Transaction

- This transaction will enable Signicat to expand into new markets across Europe, North America and globally through hiring and establishing local offices, entering into partnerships with digital identity players, and by supporting existing customers to expand into new geographies
- This transaction will also support Signicat's development of its proprietary platform and widen its product capabilities

FT Partners' Role

- FT Partners served as exclusive strategic and financial advisor to Signicat
- This transaction underscores FT Partners' expertise in sell-side advisory across a broad range of SaaS-based companies in the fraud and identity management space

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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
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FT Partners Advises IdentityMind on its Sale to Acuant

Overview of Transaction

- On March 31, 2020, Acuant announced it has acquired IdentityMind, a global provider of trusted digital identities and risk management solutions
 - In 2019, IdentityMind announced a strategic partnership with Acuant
 - Founded in 2013 and based in the Palo Alto, CA, IdentityMind is a SaaS
 platform for online risk management and compliance automation that helps
 companies to reduce client onboarding fraud, transaction fraud and improve
 AML, sanctions screening and KYC
 - By continuously building, validating and risk scoring digital identities through its eDNA™ technology, IdentityMind ensures global business safety and compliance from customer onboarding and throughout the customer lifecycle
- Acuant provides identity verification solutions, including government-issued identity document and chip authentication and biometric facial recognition, for businesses in all industries

Significance of Transaction

- Expanding its reach across the digital identity lifecycle, Acuant will combine its award-winning Trusted Identity Platform for identity proofing and verification with IdentityMind's Digital Identity Platform for identity creation, risk scoring, transaction monitoring and regulatory compliance (KYC and AML)
 - The combination results in an advanced orchestration hub that provides accurate risk decisioning, allowing businesses to move faster and deliver the best user experience across all channels

FT Partners' Role

- FT Partners served as exclusive strategic and financial advisor to IdentityMind
- The transaction underscores FT Partners' successful track record in the Fraud & Risk Management space

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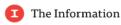
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