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**Financial
Engines®**

**Hellman & Friedman Acquires
Financial Engines (Nasdaq:FNGN) for ~\$3.0 billion**

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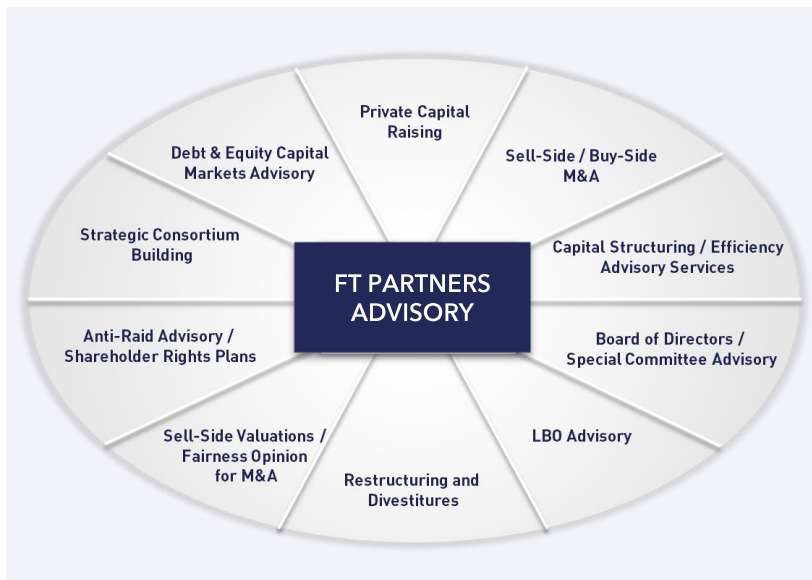
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FT Partners Overview

- 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 15 years of exclusive focus on Financial Technology

FT Partners' Advisory Capabilities



FT Partners' FinTech Industry Research

In-Depth Industry Research Reports

Proprietary FinTech Infographics

Monthly FinTech Market Analysis

FinTech M&A / Financing Transaction Profiles



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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"



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



Transaction Summary

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- On April 30, 2018, Hellman & Friedman announced it has entered into a definitive agreement to acquire Financial Engines (Nasdaq:FNGN) in an all cash deal valued at approximately **\$3.02 billion**
 - Financial Engines will be combined with Edelman Financial Services, another Hellman & Friedman portfolio company
 - Edelman is a large independent financial planning firm, managing more than \$21.7 billion for more than 35,000 clients across the country
- Financial Engines shareholders will receive **\$45.00 per share** in cash upon the closing of the transaction
 - The price per share represents more than a **32% premium** above the closing share price of \$33.95 on April 27, 2018
- The transaction is expected to close in the third quarter of 2018

Transaction Multiples

Equity Value = \$3.02 bn

Implied EV = \$2.80 bn

5.7x EV / LTM Rev	5.5x EV / 2018E Rev	5.0x EV / 2019E Rev
16.6x EV / LTM EBITDA	16.5x EV / 2018E EBITDA	14.7x EV / 2019E EBITDA
31.0x LTM P / E	24.6x 2018E P / E	21.6x 2019E P / E

Transaction Commentary

"Financial Engines is extremely excited to enter the next chapter of growth through a partnership with Hellman & Friedman...We see tremendous alignment and commitment to our vision, and we believe the H&F partnership and the combination with Edelman is the best path for us to achieve our long-term strategic objectives, while providing significant and immediate upside to our stockholders, employees and clients."



Larry Raffone
President & CEO



*Larry will be President, CEO and a board member of the combined company

"Our unwavering focus on our clients has allowed us to build a rapidly growing business and we are proud of our long-time commitment to delivering high-quality financial planning and investment advice...We are very excited to join forces with Financial Engines to serve more clients better than ever and to accelerate growth in the business."



Ric Edelman
Founder & Chairman



*Ric will be a board member and Chairman of Financial and Investment Education of the combined company

"Financial Engines is a pioneer in the high-growth financial technology sector. It brings a competitively superior investment methodology to its trusted relationships with the largest employers and recordkeepers in America...We look forward to further investing in Financial Engines to accelerate its growth and success. We will work closely with Larry and the rest of the Financial Engines team and Ryan Parker and the Edelman team to bring these companies together into a unique business with an unparalleled mission to bring better financial help to millions of investors."

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Allen Thorpe
Partner





Financial Engines Overview

Company Overview



President & CEO: Lawrence M. Raffone

Headquarters: Sunnyvale, CA

Founded: 1996

- Financial Engines is America's largest independent investment advisor
 - Leverages proprietary technology and a network of advisors to deliver a broad range of financial planning and investment advice through nationwide advisor centers and employees at their workplace
- Provides objective, fee-based advice and asset management, with an aim to help build a better financial future for its customers
- The Company serves over 750 employers, helping more than 10 million employees nationwide

Management Team



Lawrence Raffone
CEO



Craig L. Foster
Chief Financial Officer



John B. Bunch
Chief Operating Officer

Products & Services Overview

Financial Planning

- Budgeting
- Employer Sponsored Plans
- Life Insurance
- College
- Estate
- Taxes
- Health Care
- Long-Term Care
- Social Security
- Retirement Distribution

Investment Management

- 401(k)
- IRA
- Taxable Accounts



Retirement Income

- Social Security



Recent Stock Performance (LSE:NEX)





Hellman & Friedman Overview

Overview

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Allen Thorpe
Partner



Benjamin Farkas
Partner



Blake Kleinman
Partner



David Tunnell
Partner

Locations

- San Francisco, CA (HQ)
- London, UK
- New York, NY

About

- Founded in 1984, Hellman & Friedman has raised over \$35 bn in committed capital and invested in over 80 companies
- Hellman & Friedman focuses on a long-term investment strategy to support portfolio companies in reaching financial and strategic goals
- Looks for companies with strong management, defensible positions in a growing market, predictable revenue and earnings growth and high levels of free cash flow
- Comfortable taking a majority stake or an influential minority position

Investment Preferences

Investment Criteria

Fund Size:	\$10,950 mm
Fund Raised:	2014
Investment Range:	\$50 – 1,200 mm
Revenue:	NA
EBITDA:	NA

General Preferences ¹

Control:	Majority, Minority
Geography:	North America, Europe, Australia
Transaction Type:	Growth, Buyout, MBO, Recapitalization
Industry Focus:	Financial Services, Healthcare, Energy, Industrials, Insurance, Internet & Digital Media, Business, Marketing, Information Services, Software, Retail, Consumer

Selected Recent Investments / Exits

FinTech / Financial Services Investments ²

Date	Company	Deal Amt. ³	Board Rep.	Sector
04/18	Financial Engines (Buyout)	\$3,020	NA	CapMkts
04/18	Six Group (Buyout)	1,810	NA	Pymts
09/17	Nets Holding (Buyout)	5,300	NA	Pymts
03/17	Allfunds Bank (Buyout)	1,900	NA	CapMkts
05/16	MultiPlan (Secondary)	7,500	NA	HCIT
12/15	TeamSystem (Buyout)	1,280	NA	FMS
10/15	Edelman Financial Services (Buyout)	800	NA	CapMkts
01/15	MMZ Associates (Buyout)	NA	NA	Ins
07/14	Free Market Insurance (Buyout)	NA	NA	Ins
01/14	Applied Systems (Buyout)	1,800	David Tunnell, Robert Henske, Sameer Narang	Ins
10/13	HUB International (Buyout)	4,400	Paul Emery, Hunter Philbrick, David Tunnell	Ins
09/11	OpenLink (ION Trading, The Carlyle Group)*	NA	David Tunnell, Robert Henske	CapMkts
05/10	Sedgwick CMS (KKR)*	1,100	NA	Ins
09/08	SSP Holdings (LDC)*	357	NA	Ins
01/07	Paris Re (Buyout)**	158	David Tunnell	Ins
12/06	PartnerRe (Stone Point)*	NA	NA	CapMkts
05/06	Artisan Partners (PE Growth)**	500	NA	CapMkts

Source: Company website, PitchBook

1) Italics indicate preferred control / geography

2) * denotes M&A exit; ** denotes IPO exit

3) Deal Amount in mm

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FT PARTNERS RESEARCH

Selected FT Partners' Research – *Click to View*



Research Report: Innovations in Capital Markets Technology



CVC Capital Partners Acquires OANDA



Addepar's \$140 million Series D Financing



TCA's \$275 million sale to E*TRADE



Uphold Announces Financing, Partnership and Acquisition – includes CEO Interview



S&P Global Acquires Kensho for Approximately \$550 million



Wealthsimple Raises \$51 million in Financing

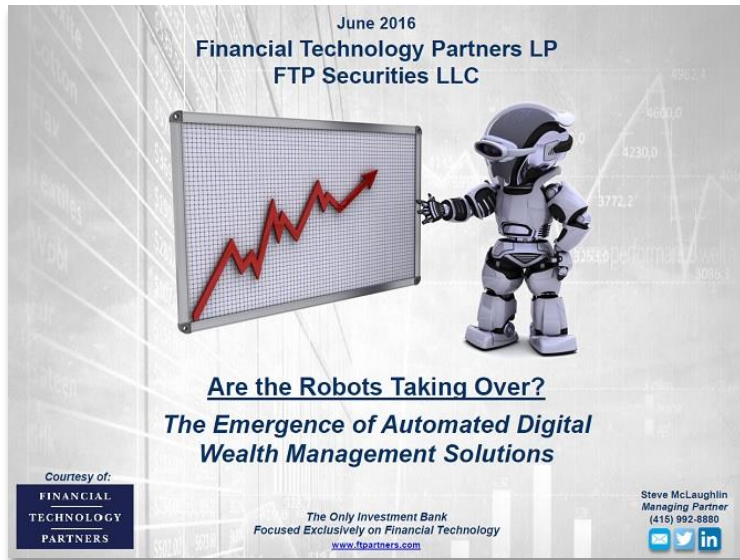


Symphony Raises \$67 million in Financing

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Selected FT Partners Research – Digital Wealth Management

Are the Robots Taking Over? The Emergence of Automated Digital Wealth Management Solutions



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FT Partners' 150+ page report provides a comprehensive overview of key industry trends driving innovation in the wealth management space and how the industry is reacting to the emergence of Robo Advisors and other Digital Wealth Management disruptors.

Additional highlights of the report include:

- A discussion of the different Automated Digital Wealth Management platforms and business models
- The responses of incumbents in the wealth management space, including the innovations, partnerships and acquisitions being made to stay ahead of the game
- Interviews with eight CEOs of leading Digital Wealth pioneers including Betterment, Link Pacific Advisors, MyVest, NextCapital, Nutmeg, Riskalyze, SigFig and Vanare
- A detailed industry landscape of Digital Wealth Management providers as well as other innovative, tangential companies, profiles of 28 companies and a comprehensive list of private equity financing and M&A transactions in the space

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Selected FT Partners Capital Markets / WealthTech Transactions

M&A Transactions

<p>Financial Technology Partners LP FTP Securities LLC</p> <p>is pleased to announce its exclusive role as advisor to</p> <p>BLACKROCK</p> <p>in its 100% acquisition of</p> <p>FutureAdvisor</p> <p>FINANCIAL TECHNOLOGY PARTNERS The Only Investment Bank Focused Exclusively on Financial Technology</p>	<p>Financial Technology Partners LP FTP Securities LLC</p> <p>is pleased to announce its exclusive role as sole strategic and financial advisor to</p> <p>PENSIO TRUST COMPANY</p> <p>in its sale to</p> <p>OpusBank "BUILD YOUR MASTERPIECE"</p> <p>for total consideration of</p> <p>\$ 104,000,000</p> <p>FINANCIAL TECHNOLOGY PARTNERS The Only Investment Bank Focused Exclusively on Financial Technology</p>	<p>Financial Technology Partners LP FTP Securities LLC</p> <p>is pleased to announce its exclusive role as strategic and financial advisor to</p> <p>TRUST COMPANY OF AMERICA</p> <p>in its sale to</p> <p>EXTRADE</p> <p>for total consideration of</p> <p>\$ 275,000,000</p> <p>FINANCIAL TECHNOLOGY PARTNERS The Only Investment Bank Focused Exclusively on Financial Technology</p>
<p>Financial Technology Partners LP FTP Securities LLC</p> <p>is pleased to announce its exclusive role as sole strategic and financial advisor to</p> <p>ATD Assisted Trading Desk, LLC</p> <p>in its sale to</p> <p>citi</p> <p>for cash and stock consideration of approximately</p> <p>\$ 680,000,000</p> <p>FINANCIAL TECHNOLOGY PARTNERS The Only Investment Bank Focused Exclusively on Financial Technology</p>	<p>Financial Technology Partners LP FTP Securities LLC</p> <p>is pleased to announce its exclusive role as sole strategic and financial advisor to</p> <p>INSTINET</p> <p>in the sale of its stake in</p> <p>CHIX EUROPE</p> <p>to</p> <p>BATS</p> <p>for total consideration of approximately</p> <p>\$ 305,000,000</p> <p>FINANCIAL TECHNOLOGY PARTNERS The Only Investment Bank Focused Exclusively on Financial Technology</p>	<p>Financial Technology Partners LP FTP Securities LLC</p> <p>is pleased to announce its exclusive role as sole strategic and financial advisor to</p> <p>THE MARKETS.COM</p> <p>in its sale to</p> <p>Capital IQ A Division of Standard & Poor's</p> <p>for total consideration of approximately</p> <p>\$ 300,000,000</p> <p>FINANCIAL TECHNOLOGY PARTNERS The Only Investment Bank Focused Exclusively on Financial Technology</p>
<p>Financial Technology Partners LP FTP Securities LLC</p> <p>is pleased to announce its exclusive role as sole strategic and financial advisor to</p> <p>WOMBAT FINANCIAL SOFTWARE</p> <p>in its sale to</p> <p>NYSE Euronext</p> <p>for total consideration of approximately</p> <p>\$ 225,000,000</p> <p>FINANCIAL TECHNOLOGY PARTNERS The Only Investment Bank Focused Exclusively on Financial Technology</p>	<p>Financial Technology Partners LP FTP Securities LLC</p> <p>is pleased to announce its exclusive role as sole strategic and financial advisor to</p> <p>Alpha</p> <p>in its acquisition by</p> <p>CHIX EUROPE</p> <p>TMX Maple Group</p> <p>valued at approximately</p> <p>\$ 175,000,000</p> <p>FINANCIAL TECHNOLOGY PARTNERS The Only Investment Bank Focused Exclusively on Financial Technology</p>	<p>Financial Technology Partners LP FTP Securities LLC</p> <p>is pleased to announce its exclusive role as sole strategic and financial advisor to</p> <p>ITC INVESTMENT TECHNOLOGY CORPORATION</p> <p>in the acquisition of</p> <p>macgregor</p> <p>for cash consideration of approximately</p> <p>\$ 230,000,000</p> <p>FINANCIAL TECHNOLOGY PARTNERS The Only Investment Bank Focused Exclusively on Financial Technology</p>

Financing Transactions

<p>Financial Technology Partners LP FTP Securities LLC</p> <p>is pleased to announce its exclusive role as strategic and financial advisor to</p> <p>riskalyze</p> <p>in its growth equity investment led by</p> <p>FTV CAPITAL</p> <p>for total consideration of</p> <p>\$ 20,000,000</p> <p>FINANCIAL TECHNOLOGY PARTNERS The Only Investment Bank Focused Exclusively on Financial Technology</p>	<p>Financial Technology Partners LP FTP Securities LLC</p> <p>is pleased to announce its exclusive role as sole strategic and financial advisor to</p> <p>alphasense</p> <p>in its growth financing from</p> <p>Quantum Strategic Partners</p> <p>in private investment vehicle management by DELTA</p> <p>Triangle Peak TVP TRIANGLE VENTURE PARTNERS</p> <p>for total consideration of</p> <p>\$ 33,000,000+</p> <p>FINANCIAL TECHNOLOGY PARTNERS The Only Investment Bank Focused Exclusively on Financial Technology</p>	<p>Financial Technology Partners LP FTP Securities LLC</p> <p>is pleased to announce its exclusive role as strategic and financial advisor to</p> <p>ADDEPAR</p> <p>in its Series D financing co-led by</p> <p>VALOR 8VC EQUITY PARTNERS</p> <p>Harald McPike</p> <p>for total consideration of</p> <p>\$ 140,000,000</p> <p>FINANCIAL TECHNOLOGY PARTNERS The Only Investment Bank Focused Exclusively on Financial Technology</p>
<p>Financial Technology Partners LP FTP Securities LLC</p> <p>is pleased to announce its exclusive role as Capital Markets & IPO Advisor to</p> <p>ENVESTNET</p> <p>in its</p> <p>\$69,000,000 Initial Public Offering</p> <p>valuing the equity at approximately</p> <p>\$ 300,000,000</p> <p>FINANCIAL TECHNOLOGY PARTNERS The Only Investment Bank Focused Exclusively on Financial Technology</p>	<p>Financial Technology Partners LP FTP Securities LLC</p> <p>is pleased to announce its exclusive role as sole strategic and financial advisor to</p> <p>liquidnet</p> <p>in its financing for approximately</p> <p>\$ 250,000,000</p> <p>valued at approximately</p> <p>\$ 1,800,000,000</p> <p>FINANCIAL TECHNOLOGY PARTNERS The Only Investment Bank Focused Exclusively on Financial Technology</p>	<p>Financial Technology Partners LP FTP Securities LLC</p> <p>is pleased to announce its exclusive role as sole strategic and financial advisor to</p> <p>AXIAL</p> <p>in its financing led by</p> <p>Edison PARTNERS</p> <p>for total consideration of approximately</p> <p>\$ 14,000,000</p> <p>FINANCIAL TECHNOLOGY PARTNERS The Only Investment Bank Focused Exclusively on Financial Technology</p>
<p>Financial Technology Partners LP FTP Securities LLC</p> <p>is pleased to announce its exclusive role as sole strategic and financial advisor to</p> <p>TradingScreen SIMPLIFYING GLOBAL MARKETS</p> <p>in its minority recapitalization for</p> <p>\$ 110,000,000</p> <p>FINANCIAL TECHNOLOGY PARTNERS The Only Investment Bank Focused Exclusively on Financial Technology</p>	<p>Financial Technology Partners LP FTP Securities LLC</p> <p>is pleased to announce its exclusive role as sole strategic and financial advisor to</p> <p>ITC INVESTMENT TECHNOLOGY CORPORATION</p> <p>in its debt financing</p> <p>Senior Revolving Credit Facility Senior Term Loan</p> <p>of approximately</p> <p>\$ 205,000,000</p> <p>FINANCIAL TECHNOLOGY PARTNERS The Only Investment Bank Focused Exclusively on Financial Technology</p>	<p>Financial Technology Partners LP FTP Securities LLC</p> <p>is pleased to announce its exclusive role as sole strategic and financial advisor to</p> <p>MarketAxxess</p> <p>in its minority capital raise with</p> <p>TCV TECHNOLOGY CAPITAL VENTURES</p> <p>for approximately</p> <p>\$ 35,000,000</p> <p>FINANCIAL TECHNOLOGY PARTNERS The Only Investment Bank Focused Exclusively on Financial Technology</p>

FT Partners has advised on some of the most prominent and groundbreaking transactions in the Securities / Capital Markets / Wealth Technology sectors

FT Partners Advises TCA on its Sale to E*TRADE

Overview of Transaction

- On October 19, 2017, Trust Company of America (“TCA”) announced its sale to E*TRADE Financial Corporation (“E*TRADE”) (Nasdaq: ETFC) for \$275 million in cash
- Headquartered in Denver, CO, TCA is a leading provider of technology solutions and custody services to independent RIAs, helping them scale operations, more effectively manage client relationships and focus on growing their practice
- E*TRADE is a leading financial services company and a pioneer in the online brokerage industry, offering easy-to-use solutions for individual investors and stock plan participants
- The transaction is expected to close in the second quarter of 2018

Significance of Transaction

- The acquisition will allow E*TRADE to tap into the growing RIA segment in the industry and bolster its ability to attract and retain customers in need of higher-touch services
- Leverages E*TRADE’s brand to accelerate growth at TCA
- Creates additional upside opportunities over time through cross-selling of margin lending, securities-based lending, options, etc.

FT Partners’ Role

- FT Partners served as exclusive strategic and financial advisor to TCA and its Board of Directors
- This transaction underscores FT Partners’ successful track record generating highly favorable outcomes for leading WealthTech companies

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FT Partners Advises BlackRock on its Acquisition of FutureAdvisor

Overview of Transaction

- On August 26, 2015, BlackRock (NYSE: BLK) announced a definitive agreement to acquire 100% of FutureAdvisor
- FutureAdvisor is a leading digital wealth management platform with technology-enabled investment advice capabilities
- BlackRock offers investment management, risk management and advisory services to institutional and retail clients worldwide and has over \$4.7tn in assets under management
- Following the transaction, FutureAdvisor will operate as a business within BlackRock Solutions (“BRS”), BlackRock’s investment and risk management platform
- The transaction is expected to close in Q4 2015

Significance of Transaction

- Combines FutureAdvisor’s tech-enabled advice capabilities with BRS’ investment and risk management solutions
- Enables BlackRock to provide a B2B digital advice platform, which helps financial institution partners both improve their clients’ investment experiences and grow advisory assets
- Empowers partners to meet the growing demand among consumers to engage with technology to gain insights on their investment portfolios
 - Demand is particularly strong among the mass-affluent, who account for ~30% of investable assets in the U.S.

FT Partners’ Role

- **FT Partners served as exclusive advisor to BlackRock**
- Highlights FT Partners’ continued success advising a broad range of top-tier strategic investors across the financial technology landscape

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FT Partners Advises Addepar on its Series D Financing

Overview of Transaction

- On June 8, 2017, Addepar announced it has raised \$140 million in Series D financing co-led by Harald McPike, the founder of QuantRes, along with Valor Equity Partners and 8VC
- Headquartered in Mountain View, CA, Addepar is a leading provider of portfolio management and reporting software and services that seeks to become the infrastructure that will connect all aspects of global finance
- Harald McPike is the founder of QuantRes, a quantitative trading firm, and a global private investor with a focus on the financial and technology sectors
- Valor Equity Partners is an operational growth investment firm that does both minority and majority investments in high growth companies at various stages of development
- 8VC is a venture capital firm that makes seed to later stage investments with a focus on the technology industry

Significance of Transaction

- The financing capitalizes on Addepar's unprecedented growth — from \$300 billion to over \$650 billion assets on platform in less than 18 months — as top wealth managers embraced Addepar's category-defining client reporting software
- With the new capital, Addepar will continue investing significantly in R&D, expanding its product, platform and tech-enabled services to unlock more value for its clients while also serving a wider range of wealth and asset management firms

FT Partners' Role

- FT Partners served as exclusive strategic and financial advisor to Addepar
- Transaction demonstrates FT Partners' continued leadership position as the "advisor of choice" to the highest quality FinTech companies as well as its deep domain expertise and experience in the WealthTech space

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in its Series D financing co-led by



Harald McPike

for total consideration of

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FT Partners Advises Riskalyze on its Growth Equity Investment

Overview of Transaction

- On October 31, 2016, Riskalyze announced it closed a \$20 million minority growth equity investment led by FTV Capital
- Headquartered in Auburn, CA, Riskalyze invented the Risk Number®, which powers the world's first Risk Alignment Platform and empowers advisors to execute a digital advice business model with Autopilot; Riskalyze also enables compliance teams to spot issues, develop real-time visibility and navigate changing fiduciary rules with Compliance Cloud
- FTV Capital is a growth equity investment firm that has raised over \$2.7 billion to invest in high-growth companies within the enterprise technology & services, financial services and payments & transaction processing sectors

Significance of Transaction

- The transaction capitalizes on Riskalyze's strong growth and traction within the advisor market and demonstrates the need for quantified risk alignment
- With the investment, Riskalyze will look to bolster and expand its line of digital offerings

FT Partners' Role

- FT Partners served as exclusive strategic and financial advisor to Riskalyze and its Board of Directors
- Transaction demonstrates FT Partners' continued success advising on financings for top-tier FinTech companies

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FT Partners Advises Moneyfarm on its Acquisition of Ernest

Overview of Transaction

- On October 6, 2017, Moneyfarm announced it has acquired the technology behind Ernest
 - Ernest is a personal banker chatbot, powered by Artificial Intelligence that combines natural language processing technology with machine learning, Ernest aims to help individuals manage their money better
- Headquartered in London, U.K., Moneyfarm is a digital wealth manager operating in both Italy and the U.K.
- Moneyfarm will work to combine Ernest's technology with its existing services

Significance of Transaction

- Ernest's technology has the ability to tap into daily transactional behavior of customers, which will prove critical as Moneyfarm works to provide more personalized financial advice
- Ultimately, the acquihire will enhance Moneyfarm's product, improve underlying algorithms and better assist customers through the entire wealth lifecycle

FT Partners' Role

- FT Partners served as exclusive strategic and financial advisor to Moneyfarm
- This transaction underscores FT Partners' successful track record of transactions in the WealthTech space

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*in its acquisition of the technology
assets of*



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Institutional Investor
Institutional Investor
Annual Ranking

2017
2015 - 2016
2006 - 2008

- Ranked #1 Most Influential Executive on Institutional Investor's FinTech 40 List
- Steve McLaughlin Ranked Top 5 on Institutional Investor's FinTech 35 List
- Consecutively Ranked (2006, 2007 and 2008) among the Top Bankers on Institutional Investor's "Online Finance 40"

I The Information

2016

- Ranked #2 Top Technology Investment Banker on The Information's "Silicon Valley's Most Popular Dealmakers"



M&A Advisor
Awards

2015 - 2017

2010 - 2014

2004 - 2007

- Investment Banker of the Year – 2017
- Investment Banking Firm of the Year – 2016
- Cross Border Deal of the Year - 2016
- Dealmaker of the Year – 2015
- Technology Deal of the Year – 2015
- Equity Financing Deal of the Year - 2014
- Professional Services Deal of the Year, Above \$100 mm – 2014
- Dealmaker of the Year – 2012
- Professional Services Deal of the Year, Above \$100 mm – 2012
- Boutique Investment Bank of the Year – 2011
- Deal of the Decade – 2011
- Upper Middle Market Deal of the Year, Above \$500 mm – 2010
- IT Services Deal of the Year, Below \$500 mm – 2010
- Cross-Border Deal of the Year, Below \$500 mm – 2010
- Dealmaker of the Year – Steve McLaughlin – 2007
- Business to Business Services Deal of the Year - 2007
- Computer and Information Technology Deal of the Year, Above \$100 mm – 2007
- Financial Services Deal of the Year, Above \$100 mm – 2007
- Investment Bank of the Year – 2004



Middle Market
Financing Awards

2006 - 2008

- Equity Financing Dealmaker of the Year – Steve McLaughlin – 2008
- Information Technology Deal of the Year – 2008
- Financial Services Deal of the Year – 2008
- Financing Professional of the Year – Steve McLaughlin – 2006

The FT Partners Senior Banker Team

Name / Position	Prior Background	Experience / Education	Years of Experience
Steve McLaughlin <i>Founder, CEO and Managing Partner</i>		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Formerly with Goldman, Sachs & Co. in New York and San Francisco from 1995-2002 Former Co-Head of Goldman Sachs' Financial Technology Group (#1 market share) Wharton M.B.A. 	23
Greg Smith <i>Managing Director</i>		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Formerly award winning Equity Research Analyst at Merrill Lynch / J.P. Morgan / Hambrecht & Quist 20+ years of experience covering FinTech as both an Analyst and Investment Banker 	22
Osman Khan <i>Managing Director</i>		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Former Managing Director / Head of FIG M&A at Alvarez & Marsal 15+ years FIG deal, consulting and assurance experience at PwC 40 Under 40 M&A Advisor Award Winner in 2013 LSE (BSc w/Honors), MBS (MBA w/Distinction), ICAEW (FCA) 	21
Steve Stout <i>Managing Director</i>		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Former Global Head of Strategy at First Data Formerly Led J.P. Morgan Payments Investment Banking Former Equity Research Analyst on #1 ranked team at UBS and Economist at the Federal Reserve Bank 	20
Tim Wolfe <i>Managing Director</i>		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Formerly with Goldman, Sachs & Co. beginning in 2000 Started at FT Partners in 2002 40 Under 40 M&A Advisor Award Winner 2013 Harvard M.B.A. 	16
Timm Schipporeit <i>Managing Director</i>		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> 11+ years with Morgan Stanley, Senior Executive Director of European Technology Investment Banking Team in London Formerly a Venture and Growth Investor focused on FinTech at Index Ventures 	15
Andrew McLaughlin <i>Managing Director</i>		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> 20+ years experience executing / implementing financial and operational strategy Formerly with Deloitte Consulting 	12