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Robinhood Raises \$660 million in Series G Financing



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Transaction Summary

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- On September 22, 2020, Robinhood announced it has raised an additional \$460 million in Series G financing, bringing the total round to \$660 million (1)
 - The round was initially announced on August 17, 2020 at a total of \$200 million and was led by D1 Capital Partners
 - The new additional funding comes from Andreessen Horowitz, Seguoia, DST Global, Ribbit Capital, and 9Yards Capital
 - Robinhood has raised more than \$2.1 billion to date
- According to Reuters, this latest round of financing values Robinhood at \$11.7 billion (1)
- Robinhood will use the funds to continue to invest in improving its core product and customer experience and new offerings like cash management and recurring investments
 - The Company plans to hire hundreds of new registered financial services representatives throughout 2020 for its Southlake, Texas and Tempe, Arizona offices
 - Robinhood is also hiring new staff across all offices to reduce response times and improve educational tools
- The Company noted that amid this period of stock market volatility, the number of daily visitors to its educational "Learn" resources has increased 250% since January 2020
 - The Company has published more than 650 articles on Learn, which provides easily-digestible information on the basics of investing, market trends, and financial terms
 - The Robinhood Snacks weekly newsletter has 20 million+ subscribers and the podcast has 1.9 million+ monthly active listeners
- With the Company's surge of new investors on the platform, Robinhood doubled its revenue from customer trades in Q2 2020 (2)
- There is speculation that Robinhood is looking to file for an IPO in the coming months $^{(3)}$

Company Statistics

13 million
Users on Platform

3+ million Funded Accounts Added in 2020 YTD

4.3 million

Daily Average Revenue Trades (DARTs) in June 2020 - outperforming all publicly traded brokerage firms ⁽³⁾

Selected Competitors

Company	Market Cap / Valuation (\$ in bn)*	
robinhood	\$11.7	
charles schwab	45.0	
€ InteractiveBrokers	19.6	
TD Ameritrade	20.5**	
E*TRADE	10.7**	
TradeKing	0.3^	
Fidelity.	na	

^{*} Market Cap as of September 25, 2020

^{**} TD Ameritrade and E*TRADE have agreed to be acquired by Charles Schwab and Morgan Stanley, respectively

[^]Ally Financial acquired TradeKing in April 2016 for \$275 million

⁽¹⁾ Reuters: "Trading app Robinhood raises \$660 million in latest funding round"

⁽²⁾ Forbes: "Robinhood Doubles Its Second-Quarter Trading Revenue, Reaching \$180 Million"

⁽³⁾ Forbes: "Robinhood Valuation Soars To \$11.2 Billion With New Funding And Record Growth"

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Robinhood Overview

Company Overview



Headquarters:

Palo Alto, CA

Founded:

2012

- Robinhood provides a new way to invest in the stock market through a mobile, no-fee trading platform
 - The Company's mission is to democratize access to the financial markets
 - Robinhood wants to empower the millennial generation to take greater ownership in their financial future to help shrink the wealth gap between the "haves" and "have nots"

Co-Founders



Baiju Bhatt



Vladimir Tenev

Products & Services Overview



Robinhood Stocks & Cryptos

- Ability to trade cryptocurrencies, stocks, ETFs, and options in one place
- Instant access to funds
- Secure and trusted platform

Robinhood Instant

- Instant access to deposits and immediate access to funds
- Transfer up to \$1,000 instantly
- Eliminates the friction from settlement periods or bank transfers







Robinhood Snacks

- Daily Financial news podcast and newsletter to bring synthesized top stories affecting the markets
- Introduced through the acquisition of MarketSnacks in May 2019

Robinhood Options Trading

- Buy calls and puts
- Allows users to take larger positions with less funds
- Transacted over \$2 billion in options premium volume since release in 2018

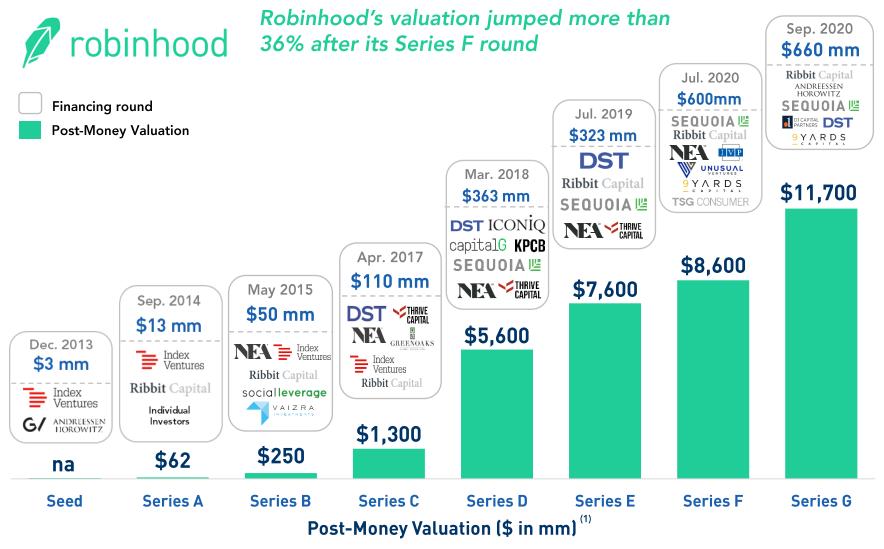


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Selected Financing and Valuation History



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Trumid's \$200 million Financing



Clearpool's Sale to BMO



Moneyfarm's £36 million Series C Financing



Forge's Merger with SharesPost



Scalable Capital Raises €50 million in Series D Financing



Robinhood Raises \$600 million in Series F Financing



Empower Retirement Acquires
Personal Capital for up to \$1
billion



Pagaya Raises \$102 million in Series D Financing

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M&A Transactions















































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

FT Partners Advises Trumid on its \$200 million Financing

Overview of Transaction

- On August 12, 2020, Trumid announced the completion of a \$200 million growth capital investment at a valuation of over \$1 billion led by Dragoneer Investment Group, with participation from new investors including TPG Capital, and funds and accounts managed by BlackRock and T. Rowe Price Associates, Inc
- Trumid is a US corporate bond trading platform that brings trading efficiency and connectivity to credit professionals
- The Company has differentiated itself by collaborating with market participants to create innovative trading solutions
 - Since its launch one year ago, Trumid's Attributed Trading (AT)
 protocol has established a dominant position in dealer streaming and
 bilateral dealer-client trading
- Trumid has experienced extraordinary growth in activity across its trading platform, with volumes up nearly 500% in 2020 from its network that has grown to over 500 institutions worldwide

Significance of Transaction

 The growth capital from this financing will support broadening of Trumid's trading protocols and expansion into adjacent products and geographies

FT Partners' Role

- FT Partners served as exclusive financial and strategic advisor to Trumid
- This transaction highlights FT Partners' deep domain expertise within Capital Markets Tech, as well as its successful track record generating highly favorable outcomes for high-growth FinTech companies globally

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\$200,000,000



FT Partners Advises Circle on its \$25 million Financing

Overview of Transaction

- On July 30, 2020, Circle announced it has raised \$25 million in financing from
 Digital Currency Group as part of a strategic partnership with Genesis aimed at
 enhancing Circle's new suite of products for businesses and developers with
 USDC-based yield and lending services
 - Digital Currency Group is the parent company of Genesis
- Circle is a global FinTech firm that enables businesses of all sizes to harness the power of digital currencies and blockchains for payments, commerce and financial applications
 - Circle is the pioneer of USDC, the fastest growing, regulated digital currency backed by the US Dollar
- In Q2 2020, Circle launched its new suite of Platform Services, providing businesses with a comprehensive suite of products and APIs for integrating and implementing stablecoins for payments, global commerce, and financial applications

Significance of Transaction

- Through the partnership, Circle and Genesis will offer market solutions for businesses and developers who are seeking to generate strong positive yield from their own or customer USDC holdings
- The partnership will also provide access to USDC-based credit for businesses and merchants that are using USDC for treasury operations and business payments
- Circle and Genesis have established a leadership position providing core infrastructure supporting a new global financial system

FT Partners' Role

- FT Partners served as exclusive financial advisor to Circle
- This transaction highlights FT Partners' deep domain expertise in the digital asset and and blockchain sectors, as well as its successful track record generating highly favorable outcomes for high-growth FinTech companies globally

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DIGITAL CURRENCY GROUP

for a total amount of

\$25,000,000



FT Partners Advises Forge on its Merger with SharesPost

Overview of Transaction

- On May 12, 2020, Forge announced its merger with SharesPost
- SharesPost is a private market alternative trading system focused on enabling retail and institutional investors and company employees to access liquidity
 - Founded in 2009, SharesPost built the first private equity marketplace, which strove to connect buyers and sellers of private securities through its proprietary trading platform
- Forge's digital platform streamlines liquidity for hundreds of unicorn issuers and thousands of institutional and retail investors from around the world
 - Leveraging its robust technology, operations and trust infrastructure,
 Forge delivers a suite of services that includes trading, custody, data
 and company solutions

Significance of Transaction

- Together, the two companies will create one of the largest global private securities marketplaces, bringing liquidity and transparency at scale to pre-IPO companies and investors
- Combined, the two will have facilitated thousands of transactions with more than \$6 billion in private market transaction volume, for hundreds of unique issuers and over 1 million customers
- The deal will provide Forge with deeper insight on private company trends, as well as bid, offer, and pricing data that provides transparency to clients and partners to better understand and engage in the private markets

FT Partners' Role

- FT Partners served as exclusive strategic and financial advisor to Forge
- FT Partners previously advised Forge on its <u>\$70 million Series B financing</u>
- This transaction underscores FT Partners' deep alternative marketplace domain expertise and its continued success in providing buy-side advisory to top-tier FinTech companies

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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

\$ 140,000,000



FT Partners Advises AlphaSense on its \$50 million Series B Financing

Overview of Transaction

- On July 17, 2019, AlphaSense announced it has raised \$50 million in a Series B financing round led by Innovation Endeavors
 - Innovation Endeavors, a Silicon Valley-based investment firm founded in 2010 and backed by former Google CEO Eric Schmidt, is a new investor in AlphaSense
 - Existing investors, including Soros Fund Management and others, also participated in the round
- Headquartered in New York, NY, AlphaSense is an artificial intelligence-based market intelligence search engine operating in the United States and Europe
 - AlphaSense leverages deep-learning AI and natural language processing to search and monitor thousands of previously fragmented data sources, enabling better, quicker and more confident decision making
 - AlphaSense serves more than 1,000 institutional clients in both the financial and corporate sectors including the largest corporations, investment firms, and banks in the world

Significance of Transaction

- AlphaSense will use the new capital to continue to further develop its groundbreaking Al and natural language processing technology, accelerate product development, and drive global expansion of the platform
- The transaction demonstrates Innovation Endeavors' confidence in the potential of AlphaSense to transform the market intelligence landscape through groundbreaking Al and search technology

FT Partners' Role

- FT Partners served as exclusive strategic and financial advisor to AlphaSense
- FT Partners previously advised AlphaSense on its \$33 million growth financing round in 2016
- This transaction underscores FT Partners' strong domain expertise and successful track record in the Information Technology / Capital Markets space

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FT Partners Advises Nutmeg on its Series E Financing

Overview of Transaction

- On January 22, 2019, Nutmeg announced it has raised £45 million in its Series
 E financing round led by Goldman Sachs and Convoy
 - Goldman Sachs' Principal Strategic Investments Group is a new investor in the Nutmeg platform, while Convoy, a Hong Kong-based financial advisory firm, is investing for a second time
 - Convoy first invested in Nutmeg in November 2016
- Headquartered in London, Nutmeg is a digital wealth manager operating in the U.K. and Asia (Hong Kong / Taiwan)
 - Nutmeg provides bespoke automated advice and discretionary portfolio management with exposure to multiple asset classes, through its diversified ETF-based portfolios
 - Nutmeg serves more than 60,000 active investors and manages approximately £1.5 billion in assets under management

Significance of Transaction

- Nutmeg's Series E financing is the largest funding round by a European digital wealth manager to-date
- Demonstrates Goldman Sachs' continued focus on consumer facing FinTech following the launch of Marcus, its online savings account in the UK

FT Partners' Role

- FT Partners served as exclusive strategic and financial advisor to Nutmeg
- This transaction underscores FT Partners' strong domain expertise and successful track record in the WealthTech space

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FT Partners Advises Moneyfarm on its £36 million Series C Financing

Overview of Transaction

- On September 26, 2019, Moneyfarm announced it has raised £36 million in a Series C financing round led by Poste Italiane, the Italian postal and financial services firm
 - Existing investor Allianz Asset Management, the investment arm of global insurer Allianz, also participated in the round
- Headquartered in London, U.K., Moneyfarm is a digital wealth manager operating in Italy, the U.K. and Germany
 - Moneyfarm provides bespoke automated advice and discretionary portfolio management with exposure to multiple asset classes, through its diversified ETF-based portfolios
 - Moneyfarm serves nearly 40,000 active investors, manages over £700 million in assets under management, and is led by its co-founders,
 Paolo Galvani and Giovanni Daprà

Significance of Transaction

- Moneyfarm will use the new capital to continue rolling out its digital wealth management services to investors across Europe
- The funding round coincides with the launch of Moneyfarm's strategic partnership with Poste Italiane, creating one of the largest digital wealth management partnerships in Europe
 - Through the partnership, Moneyfarm's unique blend of digital investment advice, human guidance and fully-managed portfolios will be integrated with Poste Italiane's digital platform

FT Partners' Role

- FT Partners served as exclusive strategic and financial advisor to Moneyfarm
- FT Partners previously advised Moneyfarm on its £40 million Series B financing and its acquisitions of <u>vaamo</u> and <u>Ernest</u>
- This transaction underscores the long-term nature of many of FT Partners' relationships as well as our strong domain expertise and successful track record in the global Digital Wealth Management space

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£36,000,000



FT Partners Advised Backstop on its \$20 million Minority Financing

Overview of Transaction

- On October 30, 2018, Backstop Solutions announced a minority \$20 mm financing round
 - Existing and new investors participating in the round include Roger Kafker, a 30-year veteran investor in the asset management space, Tao Huang, former COO of Morningstar, David Bradley, President of Huizenga Capital Management, and Vistara Capital Partners
- Headquartered in Chicago, IL., Backstop Solutions is a software-as-a-Service
 platform designed to help firms in the institutional and alternative investment
 management industry operate efficiently, invest intelligently and communicate
 effectively
 - Founded in 2003, the Company has quickly grown to service over 800 clientele providing its industry-leading cloud-based productivity suite to investment consultants, pensions, funds of funds, family offices, endowments, foundations, private equity, hedge funds, and real estate investment firms

Significance of Transaction

- The transaction builds on an strong year for Backstop, which saw a rapidly growing roster of clients, key executive appointments, and market momentum
- Backstop Solutions' minority financing will enable the Company to become globally recognized as the dominant cloud productivity suite for the institutional and alternative investment industry

FT Partners' Role

- FT Partners served as sole strategic and financial advisor to Backstop Solutions
- This transaction underscores FT Partners' strong domain expertise and successful track record in the WealthTech space

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in its minority financing from

Roger Kafker

Tao Huang

David Bradley



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FT Partners Advises Clearpool on its Sale to BMO

Overview of Transaction

- On January 22, 2020, Bank of Montreal (BMO) announced that it had signed an
 agreement to acquire 100% of the outstanding shares of Clearpool Group
 ("Clearpool"), an Algorithmic Management System transforming electronic
 trading with a fully customizable suite of trading tools
- Headquartered in New York, Clearpool empowers market participants by providing greater transparency, efficiency and control through next generation trading technology
- Clearpool's solution provides total visibility and control, from strategy to execution, through its cloud-based algorithmic management system, execution and analytics portals
- Bank of Montreal (TSX, NYSE: BMO) is a highly diversified financial services provider based in North America

Significance of Transaction

 BMO's electronic platform (Capital Markets, Securities and Equity) has a successful, fast-growing trading business in Canada, and adding Clearpool's capabilities in algorithmic management will allow BMO to deliver next-gen trading technology to its global client base

FT Partners' Role

- FT Partners served as exclusive strategic and financial advisor to Clearpool
- The transaction underscores FT Partners' successful track record generating highly favorable outcomes for Capital Markets Technology companies
- This transaction also highlights FT Partners' expertise in bringing our clients together with world class strategic investors and acquirers

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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 \sim 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 toptier strategic investors across the financial technology landscape

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BlackRock

in its 100% acquisition of





FT Partners' Recent Awards and Recognition

Bloomberg

Bloomberg

- o FT Partners' Steve McLaughlin was featured on Bloomberg / Bloomberg TV
- View the full article and watch the live TV interview



M&A Advisor Awards

- Technology Deal of the Year (2019)
- Cross Border Deal of the Year and Corporate / Strategic Deal of the Year (2018)
- Investment Banker of the Year (2017) Steve McLaughlin, CEO & Managing Partner of FT Partners
- Investment Banking Firm of the Year (2016) FT Partners



LendIt FinTech Industry Awards 2018:

o FT Partners wins Top Investment Bank in FinTech

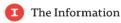
Institutional Investor





The FinTech Finance 40:

o Steve McLaughlin ranked #1 in 2017 and 2018

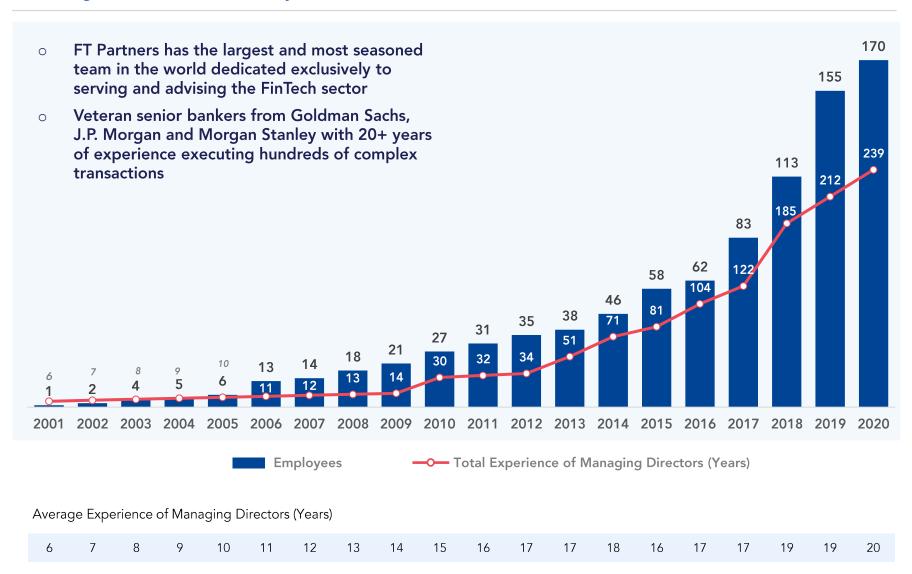




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The FT Partners Senior Banker Team

Name / Position	Prior Background	Experience / Education	Years of Experience
Steve McLaughlin Founder, CEO and Managing Partner	Goldman Sachs	 Formerly with Goldman Sachs in New York and San Francisco from 1995-2002 Formerly Co-Head of Goldman Sachs' Financial Technology Group (#1 market share) Wharton M.B.A. 	25
Mohit Agnihotri Managing Director	J.P.Morgan	 Formerly Managing Director and Global Head of Payments Investment Banking at J.P. Morgan Wharton M.B.A 	18
Kate Crespo Managing Director	RAYMOND JAMES®	 Formerly with Raymond James' Technology & Services investment banking 14+ years of FinTech transaction execution experience Dartmouth M.B.A. 	18
Larry Furlong Managing Director	Goldman Sachs	 Formerly with Goldman Sachs in New York, London and Los Angeles from 1995-2004 Wharton M.B.A. 	24
Osman Khan Managing Director	Mâ pwc	 Formerly Managing Director and 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 	23
Randall Little Managing Director	J.P.Morgan	 12 years as FIG / Capital Markets FinTech investment banker at J.P. Morgan 10 years as financial services technology consultant at Sun Microsystems and Ernst & Young NYU Stern M.B.A. (MBA w/Distinction) 	23
Andrew McLaughlin Managing Director	Deloitte.	 20+ years experience executing / implementing financial and operational strategy Formerly with Deloitte Consulting 	14
Amar Mehta Managing Director	J.P.Morgan	 Formerly with J.P. Morgan's Technology (FinTech & Technology Services) team in New York 7+ years of FinTech transaction execution experience MBA from IIM-K (India), Bachelor's in Computer Engineering from NTU (Singapore) 	15
Mike Nelson Managing Director	SUNTRUST	 Formerly head of FinTech M&A at SunTrust Robinson Humphrey Kellogg M.B.A. 	20
Timm Schipporeit Managing Director	Morgan Stanley Index Ventures	 Formerly with Morgan Stanley as Senior Executive Director of European Technology Investment Banking Team in London Formerly a Venture and Growth Investor focused on FinTech at Index Ventures 	17
Greg Smith Managing Director	Merrill Lynch J.P.Morgan	 Formerly award winning Equity Research Analyst at Merrill Lynch, J.P. Morgan and Hambrecht & Quist 20+ years of experience covering FinTech as both an Analyst and Investment Banker 	24
Tim Wolfe Managing Director	Goldman Sachs	 Formerly with Goldman Sachs from 2000-2002 40 Under 40 M&A Advisor Award Winner 2013 Harvard M.B.A. 	18