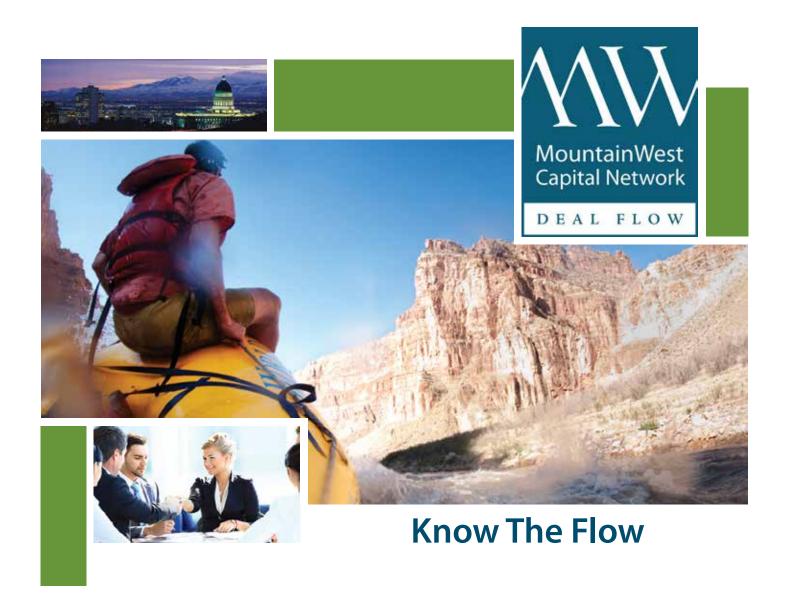
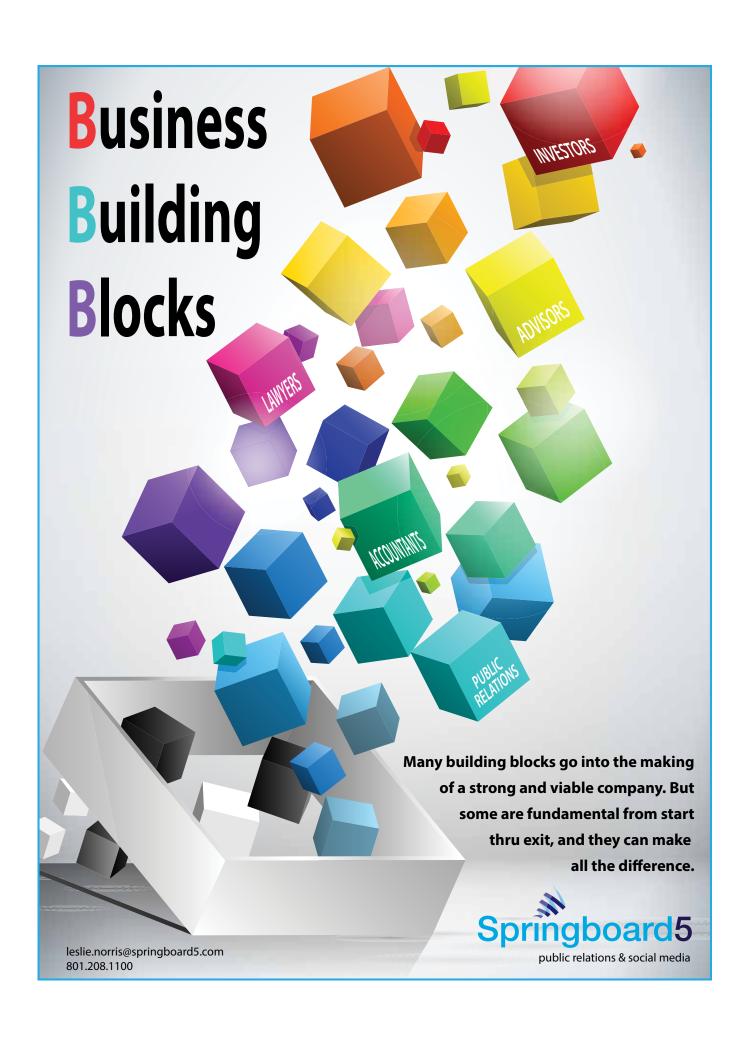
# MWCN 2013 Utah Deal Flow Report





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#### INTRODUCTION

The MountainWest Capital Network is pleased to present the 2013 Deal Flow Report! The Deal Flow Report is Utah's only comprehensive publication tracking all financial transactions throughout the state during the calendar year. The information presented in this year's report was collected predominantly from the following methods:

- Direct calling/verification efforts of MWCN Deal Flow Committee Members to dealmakers, companies, service providers, and other media sources
- Electronic data gathering from various internet sites
- Review of all Form D's filed in Utah

This is the 19th year of the MountainWest Capital Network Deal Flow Report! Similar to previous years, this year's Report contains a wide range of deals, including public offerings, mergers and acquisitions, venture capital and private equity transactions, angel/seed investments, private placements, and other financings. The transactions reported are separated into the following three categories:

- 1. Public Offerings
- 2. Mergers and Acquisitions
- 3. Venture Capital / Private Equity / Angel Investments (not including transactions less than \$20,000)

We encourage you to continue to report your deals throughout the year by submitting online at www.mwcn.org/deal-flow or contacting one of the Mountain West Capital Network Deal Flow Committee Members listed in this Report. By highlighting these transactions, our goal is to showcase our state's dynamic business environment and ultimately attract and promote greater attention from the investment communities both locally and nationwide.

We would like to personally thank the members of this year's Deal Flow Committee. Their level of dedication, volunteerism, and hard work cannot be overstated ... thank you to each of you! Also, we'd like to thank this year's sponsors, many of whom played a very active role in the Committee. Without each sponsor's support, the Deal Flow Report would not be possible! Lastly, we'd like to congratulate each of the companies and principals recognized in this year's Report. You are the ones who make Utah such a great state to do business!

Sincerely,

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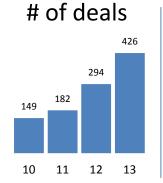
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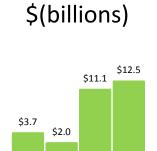
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Total deal flow ... trend continues upward





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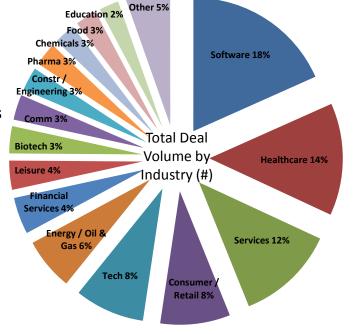
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Deal criteria consistent year over year, which excludes real estate, pure debt, transactions less than \$20,000, and direct capital provider fund raising

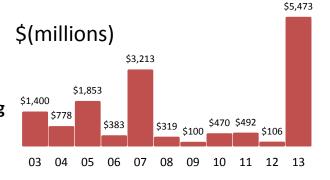
Diverse industries ... software preserving lead



Utah continues to showcase its depth and expertise in software applications, which is understated as healthcare specific software solutions were classified in healthcare. Similarly, some tech companies may have also been classified as software.

Other category consists of manufacturing, real estate, and transportation/logistics.

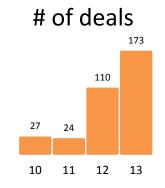
Public markets ... markedly improving

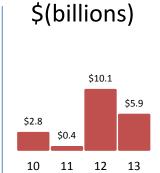


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Healthy stock market valuations and performance adds to public market activity, S&P 500 up nearly 30% in 2013 The information in this report has not been independently verified and should not be relied upon in any way. Furthermore, this is not a complete listing of all the deals in Utah, since many were confidential, not reported or had insufficient data for inclusion.

# M&A activity ... sharply up but deal size down





Sustained improvement in economic conditions , continued favorable credit markets, and increased corporate cash / private equity capital all contributed to increased M&A activity

Fewer large sized transactions mainly impacted dollar volume as top ten M&A transactions decreased from \$8.6B to \$5.5B year over year

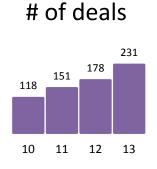
# Top ten M&A transactions





8 of 10 acquired by out-of-state entities, whereas 2 of 10 acquired out-of-state entities (Huntstman purchase of Rockwood, Fusion-io purchase of NexGen Storage)

# Private placement ... consistently up



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Analysis was not conducted by stage of development, but is noted within the Deal Flow Report when known

# Top ten private placements





Top ten raises represent various stages and structures, see individual deal data for further details



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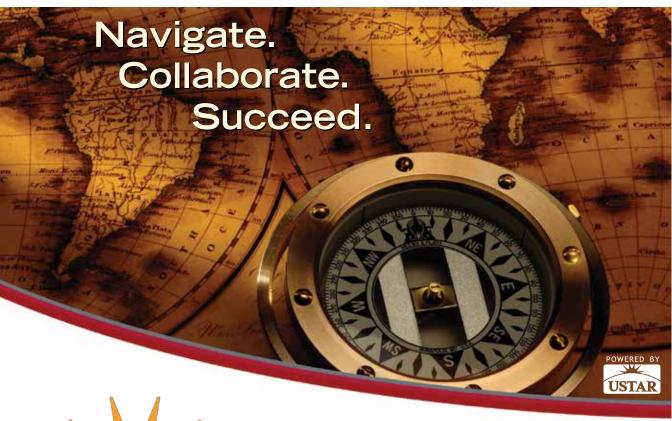
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Sept 17, 2014	Women Tech Awards, Grand America Hotel
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### 2013 MoneyTree Results

#### **Utah and National Venture Capital Investment Results**

#### **2013 National Results**

Venture capitalists invested \$29.4 billion in 3,995 deals in 2013, an increase of 7 percent in dollars and a 4 percent increase in deals over the prior year, according to the Money-Tree Report by PricewaterhouseCoopers LLP and the National Venture Capital Association (NVCA), based on data from Thomson Reuters.

Internet-specific companies captured \$7.1 billion in 2013, marking the highest level of Internet investment since 2001. Additionally, annual investments into the Software industry also reached the highest level since 2000 with \$11.0 billion flowing into 1,523 deals in 2013. Dollars going into Software companies accounted for 37 percent of total venture capital invested in 2013, the highest percentage since the inception of the MoneyTree Report in 1995.

"Advances in technology continue to revolutionize how companies engage their customers on nearly every level and has changed the landscape of virtually every industry," said Mark McCaffrey, global software leader and technology partner at PwC. "Consumers can see how innovation is changing their lives in the internet and software spaces and are eager to embrace technology at a faster and faster rate. Combined with the high ROI being driven by the success of recent IPOs and an active acquisition market, it is no surprise that more venture capital dollars are flowing into early stage software and internet companies."

#### **Sector and Industry Summary**

Ten of the 17 industry categories experienced increases in dollars invested for the year, a stark contrast to 2012 when only two of the 17 industry categories experienced increases. The most significant dollar increases were in Software, Biotechnology and Internet-specific companies. Industry sectors experiencing the largest percentage increases were: Networking & Equipment (111%), Financial Services (100%) and Business Products and Services (61%).

#### **Stage of Development**

Seed stage, Early stage and Expansion stage companies all experienced increases in funding as compared to 2012. Later state companies had a slight decrease. First time financings increased 14% over 2012 and represented 17% of all invested dollars during 2013.

#### 2013 Utah Results

The results for Utah in 2013 did not necessarily follow the national trend. In 2013, an overall decrease in the number of deals and total dollars invested in Utah was observed compared to 2012. Deal flow represented \$314.9 million across 34 deals, highlighting a 23 percent decrease in the number of deals. However, annual investment totals dipped less than two percent over the prior year. Aside from this decrease, the deal flow represents the second highest annual investment total in Utah since 2000 when venture capital investment totaled \$666.9 million.

Similar to the previous three years, the Software industry received the lion's share of investment dollars and comprised over 60% of total funding in Utah. The Medical Devices sector and Healthcare Services sectors were the next most significant sectors, rounding out the year at \$30 million and \$30.7 million respectively.

National and Utah data discussed in this article is primarily obtained from a quarterly survey of venture capital practitioners conducted by Thomson Reuters and is limited to what is reported. Information is augmented by other research techniques including other public and private sources. All data is subject to verification with the venture capital firms and/or the investee companies. Only professional independent venture capital firms, institutional venture capital groups, and recognized corporate venture capital groups are included in venture capital industry rankings. MoneyTree is not intended to be a complete representation of all venture capital or private equity funding. As I know from personal experience with many of my clients, private equity firms often prefer, or are required, to maintain deal data private.

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# Merger & Acquisition Market Outlook

For buyers and sellers of businesses, many factors impact the success of a transaction. For both sides, there may be transaction-related issues such as buyer and seller motives, cultural fit and value added via synergies. Furthermore, these issues are often evaluated within the context of current market conditions, including the level of economic activity, availability of capital, tax laws and legislative/regulatory environments. While transaction-related issues are typically specific to each deal, market conditions affect nearly all transactions. This article evaluates current and forecasted market conditions through 2014 to develop an outlook on the U.S. merger and acquisition ("M&A") market.

#### **Year in Review - 2013**

When the results are tallied, the total M&A transaction volume is expected to be lower than prior year levels. At the beginning of 2013, deal activity was slow in both Q1 and Q2 due to record-breaking deal volume near the end of 2012 as dealmakers pushed to close transactions before tax rates increased in 2013. As a result, many buyers were still preoccupied with managing their latest acquisitions while active investors were left with a limited supply of high-quality, highgrowth companies. During 3Q 2013, M&A activity rebounded as both strategic and financial buyers began refilling their pipelines. According to Thomson Reuters, middle market M&A transactions (<\$500mm) in the Q3 2013 increased 17 percent over Q2. It is anticipated that further gains in deal activity will be reported for Q4 2013. Still, the recent spur in activity will not be enough to offset the year's slow start, and it is expected that the total deal volume will be lower than

#### **Outlook for 2014**

With deal activity gaining momentum in the last half of 2013, companies and investors are optimistic. An improving economy, favorable capital markets and growing appetites from both strategic and financial buyers present compelling evidence for an active M&A market in 2014.

Economic Conditions: As the housing market improves, consumer confidence builds, and capital spending rises, we will continue to see the domestic economy strengthen. Concerns related to the fiscal cliff and changing tax laws appear to be behind us. As a result, companies and investors should be more comfortable pursuing a strategy of growth via acquisition.

Capital Markets: Strong capital markets will also help sustain growth in the overall M&A market. Some equity market participants are worried that the current bull market is aging fast and could soon end. However, the equity markets likely have room to expand and credit financing remains relatively cheap and widely available. With the Fed announcing its intention to begin tapering its bond purchasing stimulus program in 2014, rates are expected to move modestly higher, but likely not enough to offset the improving market conditions and heightened optimism.

Strategic Buyers: Corporate cash reserves remain at or near record highs and many companies have considerable liquidity to pursue acquisitions. Non-financial members of the S&P 500 held an aggregate of over \$1.2 trillion in cash reserves as of Q2 2013, according to Capital IQ. Companies looking to post growth rates beyond market levels will require M&A to achieve their corporate goals.

Financial Buyers: Financial buyers, such as private equity groups, are facing pressure to deploy vast sums of "dry powder" (unspent capital provided by investors) before investment periods expire. According to Pitchbook, financial buyers had \$328 billion in dry powder as of Q2 2013. As a result, these buyers are actively looking to acquire new companies as both stand-alone investments, called platform acquisitions, and as add-on acquisitions that will complement current portfolio holdings.

The 2014 M&A market will likely experience a strong rebound from 2013 as conditions remain favorable to support future deal making. According to a recent survey conducted by Mergers & Acquisitions, 71 percent of respondents believe 2014 will be a better year for middle market M&A than 2013.

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# **Tangible Property**

### Capture Tax Opportunities Within the Final Tangible Property Regulations

The largest change in tax law for businesses since the revamp of the Internal Revenue Code in 1986 could signal potential tax savings, but taking advantage of the changes promises to be challenging.

Finalized rules for the tangible property regulations (TRPs) were released in September 2013 and bring significant changes to tangible property write-offs. The extent of the changes makes the new TRPs especially complex. Businesses will have to examine their expenditures for materials and supplies, repairs and maintenance and asset purchases and the depreciation of those expenditures in order to comply with regulations. Internal processes and annual tax return elections will also have to be considered.

The final TRPs take effect for tax years beginning on or after January 1, 2014, but businesses can retroactively adopt TPR changes for the 2012 and 2013 tax years. If they are more beneficial, businesses can adopt the 2011 temporary TPRs related to asset dispositions that can be adopted for 2012, 2013, or 2014. Businesses have many options to consider and may pick and choose which provisions, if any, they want to implement in the 2013 and 2013 tax years.

#### **Tax deduction opportunities**

Businesses may be able to deduct greater amounts for repairs, materials and supplies, routine maintenance, small asset purchases, and for smaller taxpayers, maintenance on buildings. The net tax value of certain previously capitalized improvement costs potentially can be written off as well, including:

- Roof or land improvement costs if a roof improvement or paving was subsequently made;
- · Manufacturer or franchisor-required
- refreshments;
- Leasehold improvements or portions of leasehold improvements; and
- Improvements that are now considered deductible repairs under the new TPRs.

Accounting rules now dictate that "non-incidental" material and supplies should be inventoried at tax-year end and not expensed until first used or consumed in the business.

Businesses with an asset capitalization policy can make a de minimis safe harbor election and deduct all asset purchases under their policy up to a limit of \$500 per item without worrying that the IRS will try to capitalize the purchases if audited. If the business has an audited financial statement, the threshold increases to \$5,000 but the capitalization policy must be written. The policy must be in place as of the first day of the year, so some businesses may need to prepare for next year to document a policy or raise their threshold to increase deductions.

Small taxpayers have an additional safe harbor election for maintenance to eligible building property. They may deduct instead of capitalized improvements or repairs within certain limitations (the lesser of 2% of the unadjusted basis of the building or \$10,000).

#### AdequateimplementationtimevitalforTPRs

Businesses should closely examine the finalized TPRs at their earliest convenience in order to maximize their tax benefit and allow time for the necessary adjustments. Internal processes for some situations may have to be adjusted to stay in compliance with the final regulations.

While some of these accounting changes can be made with an annual election on a tax return, many of them will require an Application for Change in Accounting Method (Form 3115). To properly institute the change, businesses must file a form for every change in accounting method and every separate entity, trade or business within their organization. Rev. Proc. 2014-16, which the IRS released on January 24, outlines many of the automatic consent procedures for accounting method changes required or permitted by the final TPSs.

Some of the more common accounting method changes may include:

- A change to deducting repairs and maintenance amounts that were typically capitalized;
- A change to deducting under the routine maintenance safe harbor amounts that were typically capitalized;
- A change to capitalizing and depreciating amounts typically deducted as repairs and maintenance;
- A change to deducting amounts paid for non-incidental materials and supplies in the year they are used; and
- A change to deducting amounts paid for incidental materials and supplies in the year paid or incurred.

Form 3115s must be properly filed. Should businesses not file the applications and undergo an audit, they risk losing their deduction for the reaming depreciable basis that should have already been taken to date. To determine which accounting method changes and elections are required and in which years to apply TPR changes, businesses should consult with their tax advisor, or contact CBIZ MHM, LLC's Salt Lake City office at 801.364.9300

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### **Connecting Entrepreneurs with Resources**

#### Utilizing BRC's, Incubators and Accelerators to get to Market

Making the right connections is essential to the success of any entrepreneur and business owner, but making those connections is not always easy.

Business Resource Centers provide services that allow businesses to flourish by providing access to funding, mentoring, and training that is often hard to get. In addition to the basic services provided by BRC's, incubators and accelerators can help propel a new start-up to market and increase the impact on the Utah economy.

#### **TOIP**

One of the Utah Science Technology and Research initiative's (USTAR) founding purposes was to include five Technology Outreach and Innovation Program (TOIP) regions throughout the state. These TOIP regions act as a resource for collaboration with universities, entrepreneurs, businesses and innovators across the state. The technology outreach centers are generally found at regional higher education institutions. Additionally, the program helps to connect private investors to promising opportunities and maximizes the economic impact of new technologies that are created in Utah.

There are several USTAR supported BRC's and incubators located throughout the state. They are housed at the USTAR centers at Utah Valley University (UVU), Southern Utah University (SUU), Dixie State University (DSU), Weber State University (WSU) and at the Granite Technical Institute.

#### **SUU & DSU BRC, ITRE & Outlier Labs**

Southern Utah is home to two regional university business resource centers: the DSU BRC and the SUU BRC. These two offices provide small businesses in the region a wide range of services from partners including the Small Business Development Centers (SBDC), Procurement Technical Assistance Centers (PTAC), economic development offices and chambers of commerce.

Jill Elliss, director of USTAR South and executive director of the DSU BRC, says the BRC's and incubators in southern Utah offer a breadth of experience to their clients. For more information on the DSU BRC, visit www.brcdixie.com

"We are all part of organizations that have a wide reach," said Elliss. "In southern Utah we are somewhat remote, and we rely on our partners from not only within the BRC but their partners throughout the state to strengthen the businesses here."

The DSU BRC shares space with Outlier Labs and the Information Technology and Renewable Energy (ITRE) Incubator.

Outlier Labs is a co-working community for entrepreneurs that provides office space, conference rooms, training seminars and

advisors associated with the BRC to help with training. Local entrepreneurs capable of helping others grow their business provide support, training and mentorship.

"They are really the biggest supporters of the shared space," said Elliss of the Outlier Labs team. "They spend a lot of time with the tenants, helping them, making sure they are connected to other people, giving them referrals from the point of view of an experienced entrepreneur."

Outlier Labs opened on Nov. 1, 2013, and acts as a connector for local entrepreneurs by enabling them to tap into resources from other organizations such as the City of St. George, the BRC, DSU, USTAR and Corporate Alliance. For more information on Outlier Labs, visit www.outlierlabs.com

The ITRE supports companies that are moving from the infancy stage of their startup, perhaps in their garage or basement, and are ready to have a dedicated, professional space to work in with their employees. While selective in choosing tenants, the ITRE requires that tenant companies agree to an aggressive mentoring program that includes regular progress updates.

"The incubator is designed to provide the right sized space, along with local mentors and experts from across the state," said Elliss. "The companies also have access to high speed internet, interns and even small amounts of seed funding designed to help meet the early milestones."

For more information on the ITRE, visit www.incubatortechnologyandrenewableenergy.com.

#### **UVU BRC, UVU Accelerator**

The USTAR Technology Outreach Center, or USTAR Central, is located at UVU within the BRC. The UVU BRC services Utah, Summit and Wasatch.

"The value of the BRC is it's a one stop shop that allows a small business owner or an entrepreneur to come to one location and be able to receive multiple types of help," said Steve Roy, director of USTAR Central and associate vice president for economic development. "Whether it is business planning, how to raise financing or helping them vet an idea and teaching them a process to do that, all of those things are right here in one location."

Roy said BRC's were created to assist entrepreneurs and small businesses in getting their product to market and to reduce the number of small businesses that fail due to lack of knowledge and resources in business planning and financing. With a higher success rate, the state enjoys an increase in revenue through sales tax.

UVU's BRC has a USTAR go-to-market accelerator program designed to help new entrepreneurs validate ideas and help existing business owners re-connect with customers. Participants in the go-to-market accelerator program have access to tools, methodologies, financial resources, mentors, grants and office space.

"At the UVU BRC, we are trying some creative, unique cutting edge processes," said Roy. "We've got our go-to-market process that allows us to use USTAR grant funds in a fairly creative way by screening those that would really best benefit from that. We can help a client vet their product or service, get validation from their customers, prototype it using the rapid development center, get out to the market place and test prototypes, get more validation, do some more refinement, and then start to accelerate revenue and sales."

For more information on the UVU BRC and go-to-market grants, visit www.uvu.edu/brc/

#### **BiG**

The BioInnovations Gateway (BiG), located inside the Granite Technical Institute is an academic training ground for students that incorporates an incubator for early-stage life science companies and the training of the next generation of life science professionals. BiG provides life science companies access to laboratories, machines and office space to get their business off the ground, and to train students.

Scott Marland, executive director of BiG, says that the unique collaboration with secondary education allows students in the Granite Technical Institute to actively participate in resident companies' R&D, product development, manufacturing and business efforts.

"These intern opportunities not only give students essential career training but also give resident companies access to a well-managed, motivated young workforce," said Marland. "Having state-of-the-art equipment provides opportunities for students to see and learn about scientific research, opportunities which would otherwise not be available to high school students."

As a partner in the TOIP, USTAR supports BiG by providing funding, equipment and team support.

"USTAR is an integral partner with BiG and provides management and operations support for the incubator and training program," said Marland. "They also provide funding, recommendations for appropriate staffing, training and maintenance of the facilities and equipment to ensure long-term viability and effectiveness of BiG."

TOIP regions work together and support each other with facilities and expertise. BiG provides an incubator, lab and prototyping facility to the team along with product design, development and lab experience.

"We regularly work with all of the TOIP regions to serve Utah the best we can," said Marland. "Sometimes it's housing a company, sometimes it's helping design a product, sometimes it running laboratory experiments and sometimes it's sharing best practices with others on the team."

For more information on BiG, visit www.bioinnovationsgateway.org

#### **Startup Ogden**

Startup Ogden is a co-working space and accelerator for mobile app development whose purpose is to create an innovation center for mobile app development in the Ogden area. Located in downtown Ogden at the Weber State Downtown building, Startup Ogden shares space with an extension of Weber State's campus store and continuing education program. The 40-person classroom is also available for mentors of Startup Ogden to teach classes.

Jeff Jackson, director of USTAR North, says that Weber area entrepreneurs benefit from Startup Ogden because it provides a hub of support, training, mentorship and education to help turn good ideas in to successful businesses.

"There's a chasm between a good idea, and a viable business," said Jackson. "And there are a lot of good ideas that could turn in to viable businesses, but they don't because the entrepreneur doesn't have all the necessary skill sets."

Though Startup Ogden has a focus on tech-based entrepreneurs and mobile app development, any type of company is welcome. For more information about Startup Ogden visit www.startupogden.com.

These USTAR supported BRC's, accelerators and incubators, as well as other BRC's throughout the state, help startups commercialize their ideas by providing a centralized location for office space, mentorship, support and guidance from experienced entrepreneurs and other business leaders. Through these centers, the Utah economy will be bolstered by successful startups that increase the tax base and also create additional jobs.

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# More Than Money; Finding The Right Capital Partner

Venture capitalists invested \$29.4 billion in 3,995 deals in If you've made the decision to seek capital for your business, you have a myriad of decisions to make and a lot of work ahead of you. Many entrepreneurs struggle with the process of finding a good capital partner. As if nailing the perfect pitch and generating investor interest in your venture weren't enough work, there are a host of considerations when evaluating potential partners beyond just valuation and finances.

For better or worse, joining forces with a partner is a form of marriage. Like any marriage it's important to spend the time up front to assure that your values, priorities and expectations are aligned. The courtship phase is important, and of course good chemistry doesn't hurt either.

Making a smart capital partner decision requires asking the right questions. Here are a few areas to be explored when evaluating a potential partner.

### 1. What is the actual capital source? Where does the money come from?

Understanding the investor's source of capital is extremely important given the significant impact on the dynamics of the overall investment relationship as well as everyone's expectations. Do investment dollars originate from a small set of partners or a larger group? Is it fund-based capital and what are the implications of being tied to a fund? There are variations within all types of capital sources. Some sources of capital are much more patient than others. Invest the time to dig a little deeper. Make sure your needs align with the ultimate source of capital.

#### 2. What is their track record?

Seems obvious enough, but understanding a potential capital partner's previous investments and overall business trajectory is important and surprisingly often overlooked. The types of investments, business engagements and overall history as an investment entity can be an important indicator of what to expect and provide a feel for the nature of the potential partner.

#### 3. What about their team?

The quality and experience of your management team will be heavily scrutinized by most potential capital partners. As an entrepreneur you should apply that same rigorous review to the team of your potential partner. Knowing as much as possible about the investment team, their strengths and capabilities, is critical for evaluating whether you are selecting the right partner for your business.

#### 4. What can a capital partner provide beyond funding?

A strong capital partner provides much more than just money. A well-chosen partner should have a wide, diverse and high-quality network of contacts and affiliations. Whether it's locating a resource to address a specific tactical business issue or finding just the right expertise on more strategic challenges, there is enormous potential value in a strong network. Learn what you can about the breadth, depth and strength of your potential partner's network.

Some capital partners also provide high-caliber in-house resources in IT, marketing, operations, sales or other functional areas, which can be extremely valuable. Learn if these resources are available to you and how they could be applied to your business.

#### 5. Do they have industry-specific expertise?

Specific knowledge and experience in your industry is certainly not a requirement for a capital partner, but it can provide a running start and be a valuable asset. A partner with industry knowledge will more quickly understand your positioning in a market and be better able to see potential opportunities. Targeted industry connections and resources can also add significant value to the overall relationship.

#### 6. Are they flexible?

Every business, entrepreneur and investment is unique and requires a creative, open approach to be successful. Get a feel for flexibility through collaborating on how an actual deal might come together as well as how subsequent changes within the business might be handled.

#### 7. Do you like them?

A good business relationship is a personal relationship. Chemistry is an intangible, but we all know how important positive rapport can be when it comes time to deal with the inevitable bumps in the road. Find a partner you enjoy working with and who you believe is excited to work with you through good times and bad. Likeability on both sides of a partnership can create a "halo effect" and make a partnership more effective and more enjoyable.

#### 8. Are they excited about your business?

Another intangible, but do you sense genuine excitement about your team and business from the potential investors? Capital partners don't need to be wildly excited about your business to be a good fit, but as an element of the overall relationship it can play a positive role if your investment partner is passionate about your business.

#### 9. Are you clear on priorities and expectations?

To effectively evaluate the answers to all these key questions and provide the right context for your capital search, it's critically important to have a clear vision about your key business and personal objectives, and how your capital partner can help you accomplish them.

Beyond investment dollars, where are your most significant areas of need or interest? How active or passive would your ideal partner be? What would you like the day-to-day engagement to look like and how would you like to handle reporting and communication? No investment partner will be equally strong in all areas but a clear understanding of your priorities will be key to effectively evaluate all your options, weigh the tradeoffs, and make the best decision.

Ultimately, it's all about finding the best overall fit. The right capital partner can create an enormous multiplier effect on the success of your business. Like the pursuit of any long-term relationship, you will need to spend the time, ask the hard questions and be selective. It could be one of the most important choices you will ever make.

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# Critical Issues for Sellers of Closely Held Businesses

The sale of their companies is rarely the primary day-to-day focus of successful business owners. There is too much to do: manufacture products, provide services, generate sales, collect receivables, manage inventory, and deal with human resources, marketing and finance. Then a usually unsolicited sale offer appears, and the owner must quickly navigate the unfamiliar territory of deciding whether and on what terms to sell. Typically, this will happen only once in an owner's lifetime, so selling a company is a skillset even the most experienced entrepreneurs rarely possess. Although the opportunities for making mistakes, large and small, are too numerous to list here and would fill many books, here are some thoughts on three critical issues for owners who are or may soon be facing the prospect of selling.

#### Don't Do It (At Least Not Yet)

Too often, business owners want to sell mainly because a third party proposes a sale. Typically such parties are strategic buyers (often competitors) looking to expand existing businesses or neutralize competition, or financial buyers (usually private equity firms). Even if the initial response is "no thanks, we're not for sale," many owners quickly warm to the idea, although they've never considered or planned for it. There are a variety of reasons for such an about-face. Entrepreneurial life is complicated, stress-filled and unpredictable. For the statistically lucky few who weather the formidable challenges of start-up and survival modes, there is little tranquil water ahead as they face different but equally stressful challenges of managing growth and increasing profits. Then, just when a positive trajectory starts to emerge, the unsolicited sale proposal appears, looks attractive to the overburdened and sometimes fatigued owner, and becomes difficult to pass up. But sometimes declining a sale proposal is the best option for both the owner and the business.

Good advisers often invite owners to slow down and carefully consider whether selling is right before jumping headlong into the process. Some potential sellers need to be reminded that they are living the entrepreneur's dream: Their business has sales and profits that predictably will repeat and grow; they are autonomous and accountable to no one except their customers and employees; they frequently receive more than respectable compensation through salary and distributions; they are highly engaged with the business, its customers, executives and employees and they are making a meaningful difference in their own lives and those of their employees. Why sell such a profitable business now for what likely will be four to seven times EBITDA (earnings before interest, taxes, depreciation and amortization)? If the owner keeps the business for four to five more years instead of proceeding with the sale, she will make most if not all of the money she would have received from the sale and potentially much more depending on the business's growth trajectory. She will still have a saleable business for what could be an even higher purchase price. She also has a longer time to prepare the business for sale.

There is some simple and compelling math that business owners may fail to grasp when considering a sale proposal: If the business is profitable and will continue to be profitable, for every dollar of EBITDA the company earns in the future over current EBITDA, the purchase price of the business increases four to seven dollars or more, depending on the applicable valuation multiple. Buyers understand this math and therefore want to buy good companies as early as possible. Obviously, if a business owner reasonably believes that the company is on a trajectory of increased sales and profits, she should not sell until the business has grown as much as possible in her hands, absent another compelling reason. Meanwhile, the owner harvests the earnings of the company and can appropriately reward valuable employees.

There are, of course, valid and compelling reasons to sell a business. An owner may be approaching retirement and have no other transition plan for the business. If the business has matured as much as it can in the hands of the current owner, a private equity partner may be instrumental in the further development of the business. A temporary market window may be open that requires the sale before appetite for the business wanes. An acquirer may have placed such a high valuation on the business that is difficult to decline. Financing conditions may support higher multiples than otherwise would apply. And so on. There clearly are times and circumstances when it is the correct decision to sell. The point is simply that, before launching into a sale process, the owner must understand clearly why and when a sale makes sense.

#### **Don't Do It Alone**

Advisers to business owners, including attorneys, accountants, investment bankers and other deal professionals, particularly those who work in the intermountain west, are familiar with entrepreneurs whose do-it-yourself ethos becomes a serious problem in executing the best deal possible. "What is wrong," the business owner may ask herself, "with negotiating my own deal before I get my attorneys, accountants and investment bankers involved?" Will she not save a material amount of money by negotiating herself and foregoing the services of a financial adviser? She knows her business and her own financial circumstances better than any third party. Who better to negotiate the deal?

This well-meaning and facially logical thought process has damaged or compromised many deals. Often, owners have no idea how much they've damaged their own deals by negotiating before involving advisers, and many of them will never know because little is served by their advisers telling them after the fact. But the sad truth is that money is frequently left on the table or the money actually paid is unnecessarily exposed to unduly severe post-closing indemnification liabilities.

How does this happen? There are two frequent mistakes: First, many buyers are adept at reaching out to business owners, developing trust and rapport, and then negotiating the terms of the transaction at the dinner table, before sellside advisers are even engaged. Though such processes are not necessarily unethical or illegal, common sense suggests that an owner would be best served by (i) understanding the deal terms that are being negotiated (or hiring someone who does), and (ii) having a sale process involving competing bidders for the business which will yield the highest purchase price and best terms to the seller. The fundamental mistake, therefore, is for the seller to negotiate with the first buyer who approaches her because they get her ear, earn her trust and seem to be genuinely interested in the business, rather than engaging competent advisers and setting up the most competitive sale process possible in the circumstances.

The second fundamental mistake of sellers is to enter into a preliminary statement of deal terms with a buyer without full involvement of advisers. Called a letter of intent, memorandum of understanding, term sheet or something comparable, these benign looking, supposedly non-binding documents are vitally important to the process. Sometimes, what the parties think is a non-binding term sheet or LOI, ends up being a binding agreement for the sale of the business. Even when the LOI is not, at least as to deal terms, legally binding, the parties will still, by agreeing to its terms, create important moral expectations and obligations. Such expectations are nearly impossible to back away from later in the transaction without much difficulty and sacrificing leverage on other critical deal terms.

Seller-negotiated LOIs may not address the points that are going to be critical to such sellers. Smart buyers generally prefer an LOI that is shorter, less specific and vague on certain important deal terms. Such buyers would rather negotiate specifics when the sell-side leverage is at its lowest ebb in the process. This low-point almost universally is after the LOI is signed, diligence is all but complete, and the definitive agreement is being negotiated. By this time, the seller has made her decision about which buyer to deal with exclusively, and will have a difficult time withdrawing from the negotiation unscathed. It is therefore important that the LOI contain sufficient specificity about the deal points that are most important to the seller. Most sellers, however, are not fully aware at the LOI stage what issues will be of most importance to them. Good advisers will know and help the seller understand these issues to maximize seller's leverage before signing the LOI to avoid problems down the road.

#### **Understand Your Deal**

Sellers frequently fail to clearly understand in their own minds the reason for selling the business until too late in the process. Why and what are they really selling? What are their expectations? What are the make or break deal terms?

Sellers need to understand is the relationship between the purchase price and the other deal terms. The non-price terms, they think, are boilerplate details for the lawyers to hammer out. It is a critical mistake to agree to a purchase price without understanding these terms, to leave them to your attorney, or to work with advisers who cannot themselves understand or explain clearly and concisely what is at stake in such non-price terms. A purchase price of \$50 million may be a substantially worse deal when coupled with unduly onerous representations, warranties, indemnities and earn-out provisions than a \$45 million purchase price that has fewer post-closing strings attached. Deal terms can only be understood in their entirety. Both the seller and seller's advisers must understand the seller's risk appetite and fundamental objectives for the transaction and communicate them to the buyer and its advisers, if possible, in the LOI. Once determined, these fundamental positions should not be abandoned except with a deliberate decision to do so and a clear understanding of the consequences.

#### **Conclusion**

The sale of a business is usually the most important transaction in the career of its owner and must be approached thoughtfully. It is not a boilerplate affair to be left to the lawyers after the price is determined. Even terms widely accepted in the market may be unacceptable to a specific seller. Each stage of the process must be carefully planned, and business owners will do themselves much good by engaging trusted advisers to help them understand the critical issues before the process begins.

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# PR Emergence...or Rather, Convergence

It may be the marketing element least known by business people, but it is now the power tool for investment attraction, brand growth and lead generation.

We live in a media blended, channel agnostic, transparency driven global business environment. Sounds intriguing, but what does it mean for small to mid-size business owners seeking growth, investment and diverse exit strategies?

I have been a strategic marketing professional for 30 years, owned 5 agencies and consulted in everything from Fortune 100 companies to start-ups in the garage. I started in international advertising at the Fortune 100 level. After 16 years I became disillusioned with the lack of brand power in advertising and fell in love with PR. In it I found integrity driven ideas and a place for clients to really establish thought leadership and market share control. After 14 years in PR I am once again intrigued and excited about where PR is going.

As a point of reference, consider the titles of recently published papers from the 17th Annual Public Relations Research Conference. Each is dedicated to the future of PR, and written by the finest minds from global agencies and universities. I encourage you to explore them further, but I mention them because the titles alone are very telling as to what now influences customer relationships – all via PR:

- The Role of Media Selection in Predicting Trust: Evidence from the Global Trust Study by Alan VanderMolen, Edelman; Michael Cacciatore, Juan Meng, Bryan Reber, PhD '01, Georgia.
- Telling the Untold Management: Transparent Leadership in Small Businesses by University of Missouri, School of Journalism master's student HyungJin Gill.

Some may find public relations a bit unknown or distant from other areas of marketing, and make no mistake – it is. Today, PR is revisiting something referred to in the 80's as "integrated". We are rediscovering it as "complete communications" or "convergence". No matter the term, it makes good sense. The essence is about using PR to reach further into every conceivable target audience, with content that is alluring and worthy of sharing. Simply speaking, it is about being prepared to reach any person, anywhere, with the right message at any time through any channel.

Companies today must understand that it is not enough to simply include marketing as an essential element of growth. Things have become far more sophisticated as to what types of marketing to use, how and when. PR and "expert" social media relations are now the premier success drivers from the marketing pallet. They are the true lead generation, brand building, market influencing power tools. That said, business people must also accept that because PR is such an unknown practice for most non-marketing professionals, they must seek beyond their comfort zone to bring those skills and capabilities into their world.

PR has moved so far beyond the simplicity of press releases. The convergence of innovative communications tools, media relations, particular elements of social media and business growth strategies have increased the complex nature of PR in the past two years. Hiring or contracting people with unique talents to effectively facilitate the convergence of these diverse, yet specific resources is the underlying success ingredient.

For those not as familiar with PR as other historical elements of the marketing mix, here is a bit of a crash course. PR is more than just a few press releases and some media outreach. It's a completely different way of thinking and communicating with the market; the strategies, content and ideas in PR are different than those in advertising or promotional marketing. Both are driven by storytelling, but only PR stimulates discussion and has the potential to keep a dialogue or conversation going over extended periods of time. PR fundamentally builds on two critical brand building ingredients - relevancy and newsworthiness, while advertising does not. PR also contributes credibility, multidirectional conversations and on-going story development. Advertorials, industry perspectives, product reviews and sponsored special reports are all content that is being consumed and shared again at alarming rates by industry agnostic channels, business people and consumers. Add the new media groups of the expert social media facilitators and the potential deepens even further.

The convergence process occurring within PR is bringing about many changes to the balance of the marketing mix. We are no longer simply selling to the audience as peer to peer advertising once did. No more controlled and fixed messages. We are now trying to build dynamic relationships with audiences, and do so across many communities of stakeholders. Not only is the promotional side of marketing being affected by the growing power of this "bigger" PR, we are now seeing that social media is being absorbed more positively under the arm of PR – but not the social media you just became familiar with.

Leveraging the foundation of PR, the core of the new social media merging into PR is all about media relations with the "expert" social media facilitators that reach massive and targeted social communities. This means that the type and style of social media will reach to a much broader level than peer to peer strategies ever could.

You may know them as expert bloggers, but blogging is only about one-seventh of the social media pie. These "experts" bloggers, Tweeters, Pinners and LinkedIn group moderators are not replacing the media – they are extending it. They are simply the new media. With their extension into the world of recognized media, every company has the opportunity to significantly multiply their coverage, brand awareness and market influence to consumers, businesses, channels and investors.

I resist the use of the word paradigm, but in the case outlined above, the potential for companies through more strategic and forward thinking PR practices is nothing short of a paradigm shift in marketing. We know that prospective customers for any company are no longer simply buyers. They are consumers, strategic partners, shareholders, design advisors and sales force extension – at least. Talking to them is no longer effective – you must talk with them, and today PR is the remodeled platform to do that.

What does this mean for you? Throw out what you thought you knew about PR. If you are a newcomer to PR, then keep your mind open. Seek out new thinkers that are experts in PR to advise how new advancements can provide fast, effective and quality building blocks, investment opportunities or exit strategies. You will be amazed, I quarantee it!

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# Jump Start to the IPO Market for Smaller Companies

#### The IPO Market Window is Open

The cyclical IPO market is hot again. This time, it's not just larger companies taking advantage of the open IPO market window. For the first time in our experience since the 1990s, an increasing number of smaller companies are accessing the public equity markets through initial public offerings. The following table classifies and compares by market capitalization the number of companies with less than a \$1 billion market cap that have gone public in the last 12 months.

Market Cap (\$ in millions)	Number of IPOs by Market Cap, LTM(1)
\$0 - \$25	27
\$26 - \$50	10
\$51 - \$100	22
\$101 - \$500	90
\$501 - \$1,000	48

Source: Knowledge Mosaic

(1) Last twelve months as of March 20, 2014. This source shows more activity than CapitallO which shows 43 IPOs in the last twelve months by companies with market capitalizations less than \$1 billion.

As the table demonstrates, a number of smaller companies are taking advantage of the recent IPO market window. To further demonstrate how the IPO market is open to smaller companies, an investment banker told us recently that his firm was looking for IPO candidate companies that have at least \$15 million in annual revenues, \$3 million in annual EBITDA or pretax income and that are growing at a rate of over a 20% annually, either organically or through acquisitions. While it may not be wise for all companies meeting these metrics to consider an IPO, it is remarkable that the IPO option is again open to smaller companies. Why is this? We believe there are four principal reasons.

#### **Access to Public Capital Markets**

First, an IPO offers companies access to capital and continuing access to the public capital markets through follow-on offerings. An IPO can strengthen an issuer's balance sheet making debt financing more available. The cost of equity capital obtained from the public markets is typically lower than the cost of venture capital. The increased public financial and business disclosure provided by public

companies and the availability of liquidity through a public trading market often results in enhanced investor appeal and typically a better share price compared to private equity that typically trades at minority and restricted stock discounts.

#### **Access to Acquisition Currency**

Second, public companies have greater flexibility to use registered shares instead of cash to fund acquisitions. Stock for stock acquisitions can be structured with favorable tax treatment and can be "accretive" or enhance shareholder value if the issuer's stock price is high enough. Of course, the higher the public trading price, the more valuable this "acquisition currency" will be.

#### **Access to Liquidity**

Third, subject to post-IPO, 180 day lockups, non-affiliate shareholders of a public company may have access to greater liquidity than they would if they held restricted securities of a private company. If a public company can establish a deep liquid trading market for its shares by listing on a national stock exchange, building a sufficiently large public float and appropriate trading volume, building a broad retail and institutional shareholder base, and attracting research coverage from respected analysts, then the company's shareholders can enjoy access to liquidity for their shares at market prices.

#### **JOBS Act Benefits**

Fourth, in our view, a major contributing factor to the increase in smaller company IPOs is the Jump Start Our Business Startups Act (JOBS Act). The JOBS Act was enacted in April 2012 to provide smaller companies a less burdensome and costly path to raising capital, including through an IPO. The JOBS Act reduced or eliminated a number of IPO requirements under the federal securities laws, including certain requirements under the Sarbanes-Oxley and Dodd-Frank Acts, to create an "IPO on ramp" for "emerging growth companies," or EGCs. The benefits of the JOBS Act are only available to EGCs, which are essentially companies that had less than \$1 billion in gross revenue in their most recently completed fiscal year and that have not issued more than \$1 billion in non-convertible debt during the previous three-year period.

The JOBS Act reduces the cost and burden of going public in a variety of ways. For example, under the JOBS Act, EGCs are only required to include two years of audited financial statements in their registration statements as opposed to the usual three years and EGCs are subject to a lighter executive compensation disclosure requirement. Also, many new or revised FASB accounting standards adopted after April 2012 that a company would normally have to adopt when going public are not initially applicable to EGC IPOs. The stock exchange listing requirements are also less for smaller reporting companies.

In addition to removing many of the costs and burdens associated with going public, the JOBS Act also reduces the uncertainty a smaller company may face regarding how its stock will be accepted by the market. For example, under the JOBS Act, EGCs are entitled to "test the waters" of the market by having oral or written communications with "qualified institutional buyers" or "accredited investors" prior to and after filing a registration statement. Also, EGCs may initially file a registration statement with the SEC on a confidential basis provided the registration statement is publicly filed at least 21 days prior to the company's "road show." These provisions allow EGCs to evaluate market interest in their securities and better gauge the likely success of their offerings before their financial and competitive information becomes publicly available and before they make the commitment to becoming a public company. EGCs also benefit from fewer research analyst restrictions which can help EGCs more readily gain recognition in the public capital markets.

#### **Caution**

With all of this positive news for smaller IPO candidates, we must add a word of caution. Smaller IPOs do not always yield the hoped-for benefits. For example, if a company has a post IPO market capitalization below \$100 million, a deep, sustainable and active trading market may never emerge for that company. As a practical matter, a low trading volume may prohibit institutional investors from acquiring or disposing of meaningful positions in a small cap company's stock. In addition, management may find itself distracted both by the IPO process and by the short term operating focus that can result from the requirement to report quarterly and annual financial results. Also, if a small cap company cannot qualify to list its shares on a national securities exchange in connection with its offering, it may face restrictions in accessing the capital markets prior to such listing. Further, smaller cap companies may also suffer from lack of exposure among analysts and institutional investors.

Essentially, a small cap company can find that it is bearing all of the market risks, loss of control and privacy risks, and the regulatory burdens of being public with no real access to the public markets at an attractive valuation. All of these challenges should be considered before undertaking a small cap IPO.

Companies considering an IPO should consult with experienced legal counsel and seek the opinions of potential underwriters before proceeding. Experienced independent auditors are also a necessary part of the IPO team. Despite the challenges faced by smaller companies who go public, the market is currently open for such offerings and congress has cleared the "IPO on-ramp" to the public markets for smaller issuers. If you're ready, fasten your seat belt and enjoy the ride.

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# **Keeping Trade Secrets Secret**

### How to identify and protect your Trade Secrets

When it comes to intellectual property, most people's knowledge begins and ends with patents. While patents are important for protecting your inventions, most companies have not invented anything, yet they still own intellectual property that needs to be protected.

For example, their company's names and logos are trademarks and some may copyright their written work. And most companies have trade secrets, which include any confidential formula, list, process, information or method that gives you a competitive edge over your competition. For some companies, the most valuable assets are their trade secrets. Yet, most do little to protect them from being stolen or inadvertently disclosed. A good trade secrets policy can minimize the chances of that happening. While there is no one-size fits all policy, the following discussion lays out the basics of protecting your company's trade secrets.

#### What are Trade Secrets?

What constitutes a trade secret depends on the business. Trade secrets can comprise of a company's source code, client lists, sensitive marketing information, unpatented inventions, techniques, customer names and contact information, customer email lists, vendor lists, distributor lists, recipes, know-how, formulas, supplier lists, renewal dates, salaries, pricing, and a host of other things that are or can be trade secrets. Even compilations of publicly available information gathered for a proprietary purpose can and should be protected as a trade secret. For example, a list of all your vendors can be a trade secret that you want to keep out of the hands of your competitors.

Information is more likely to be considered a trade secret if it is: (a) valuable; (b) known only by employees and others involved in the business; (c) difficult for others to ascertain or independently duplicate; and (d) the subject of efforts that are reasonable under the circumstances to maintain its secrecy.

Trade secrets are most at risk from being breached by employees who are lured away by a competitor or who decide to start their own competing business. In some instances, an

employee stays late to copy documents containing trade secrets prior to their departure. Or in one instance, a new client came to see me after one of his supervisors wrongfully copied his customer list prior to his termination through an unsuspecting employee. The supervisor tricked a new employee, who was his subordinate, into forwarding the customer list to him for "work" purposes. In other situations, employees often times leave a job with a wealth of trade secret knowledge stored in their head only to be unloaded at their new job. Such theft of trade secrets can be the basis for an injunction against the employee and their new employer but anyone who has ever been involved in a lawsuit knows that they are costly and should be avoided if possible. Most trade secret theft can be avoided before it happens. It starts with a good trade secrets policy.

#### **Identify and Mark Your Trade Secrets**

The first step to protecting your trademarks is to identify your proprietary information and the risk of loss. Categorize the importance of the information and think through the various ways in which the information can be breached intentionally or disclosed inadvertently. Make a list of the employees who have access to your proprietary information. Do those employees know who they can or can't share the information with or who else is authorized to access the information?

You should outline your company trade secret policy in your employee handbook. It should detail the importance of keeping information confidential and how it can hurt the company when secrecy is breached. Your policy should articulate how the company determines what is confidential information and the procedures for protecting it, highlighting the employees' role in that process. Employees must understand the collections of information that the company considers to be trade secrets. Disclosure should require two or more signatures to prevent a supervisor from wrongly obtaining the information through intimidation of a subordinate. You may want to institute a procedure that the employee who has access to the proprietary information must notify you personally and obtain your written approval before disclosing it to anyone, including their supervisor.

You should limit the people who need to know and make

it inaccessible to anybody who does not need to know by using a safe, or, for computer files, password protection. Change the passwords often. If the trade secret is a process or formula, some companies fragment the process so that no one employee knows it from beginning to end. KFC, for example, separately mixes parts of its "11 herbs and spices" at two locations.

Once the trade secrets are identified, they should be marked as CONFIDENTIAL with labels, headers, and footers. Once the material has been labeled as confidential, the next step is simply to keep it secret.

You should institute periodic training and email reminders to remind employees of the information that constitutes trade secrets of the business. Employees with access to proprietary information should sign confidentiality, nondisclosure and or non-compete agreements. However, you should not rely on a non-compete agreement as courts are growing less likely to enforce them. Some courts, such as California courts, refuse to enforce them altogether, with few exceptions.

Putting safeguards in place not only protects your trade secrets but also shows interested parties, such as judges and juries, that you tried to protect it, should a dispute ever come to litigation. A trade secret is protected by law only when the owner has, as the Utah Uniform Trade Secrets Act puts it, made "efforts that are reasonable under the circumstances to maintain its secrecy." Therefore, you must be able to clearly show that you recognized it as a trade secret and took measures to protect it should it ever be necessary to protect your trade secrets though litigation.

In conclusion, it is important to understand that trade secrets are often one of the company's most valuable treasures. It is essential to establish a policy that protects your trade secrets from being disclosed to a competitor, whether intentionally or inadvertently. Therefore, you should immediately begin building a Fort Knox-like fortress around your trade secrets.

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# Tips for Raising Capital - What to Know Before you Start the Startup

Many budding entrepreneurs believe that there is only one path to success: Come up with a great idea, pull together a team, raise some equity capital, build the product or technology, then sell a ton of it and get rich! Unfortunately it is neither that simple nor that easy. Starting a successful company takes a great deal of planning and work before you can even think about raising capital. One of the questions that too few entrepreneurs even ask themselves is: "Can or should I raise equity capital for my business?" Actually that is two questions, but when you realize that less than 10% of the money used to fund startup businesses in the U.S. comes from angel or venture capital investors, it makes a great deal of sense to consider this carefully before you start your startup.

The real "first" question is "Should I raise equity capital?" because the decision to do so changes everything. If you are looking to be a well respected business owner in the community, to have control over your work, have salary security and a great lifestyle with work and family balance, the answer is "no"! In this case, you want to build a solid business using lean startup techniques, surround yourself with a solid team and advisors and move deliberately to establish your foothold in the market then take advantage of opportunities to grow your business in increase profitability. Please don't consider this a "second class" decision because if you are a good entrepreneur, you can make a lot of money and have a great lifestyle.

If those qualities of life aren't that important to you or if you still want to make your mark as the next "big thing" in your industry, then you have to ask yourself the second part of that question, "Can I raise equity capital?" In order to do so, you must:

- Have the makings of a "high impact" business with a large market potential that you can scale and make people very wealthy.
- Know your space better than anyone else. This includes knowing who your potential customers are and what they want. You'll need them to validate your plan to solve their pain. Remember: If the "dog won't eat the dog food", you don't have a business at all – prove this out early and often.
- 3. A killer idea that you've already funded into a proof of concept unless you're a serial entrepreneur with past successes, you need to have proof that you can do what you claim.
- 4. A strong, dedicated management team with some past experience in the field. Money follows people the team is the single most important aspect of a startup.

- 5. Get good mentors/coaches/advisors. You need to "know what you don't know" and find people who have experience and wisdom in the trenches of the kind of thing you're trying to do. Their presence and advice will bring much needed credibility and contacts and will help you avoid a lot of pitfalls.
- Be willing to fail but don't be willing to give up until you're sure it cannot succeed. Every startup has several "pivots" before finding the secret sauce that makes their business work.

You also have to understand that once you get equity financing, you won't be the "boss" any longer. Your equity partners will have a good deal of control even if you still own the majority of the shares. Also, if you don't succeed, they may take control of your company and kick you out. Remember that once the investor writes the check, she has done most of what she promised and you have done nothing so don't be offended if they require control mechanisms (usually called preferences) in the equity security that they buy from you.

If you don't have past experience raising capital or the world of startups, consider joining an accelerator – there are several in Utah and other states where you can get a little bit of money and a lot of valuable help that can help prepare you for sophisticated investors.

Finally, be ready to jump in and enjoy the ride. It can be fast and furious but you'll gain an MBA-level education that will serve you well in the next startup that you're already thinking about!

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Ancestry.com Holdings LLC, through its subsidiary, operates as an online family history resource for subscribers.

### **Company Details**

Principal: Timothy Sullivan
CFO: Howard Hochhauser
Industry: Internet Software

and Services

Year Founded: 1983

### **Transaction Details**

**Description:** Promissory Notes **Amount:** \$297,000,000 **Date:** 9/10/2013



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Industry: Internet Software

and Services

Year Founded: 1983

### **Transaction Details**

Description: Senior Notes
Amount: \$ 300,000,000
Date: 6/6/13



4931 North 300 West, Provo, UT 84604 www.vivint.com P: 801.377.9111



APX Group, Inc. offers residential security solutions and home automation services.

### **Company Details**

**Industry:** Consumer

Electronics

Year Founded: 1999

### **Transaction Details**

**Description:** Senior Notes **Amount:** \$250,000,000 **Date:** 12/13/13 **Outside Professionals** 

CPA: Eide Bailly LLP







APX Group, Inc. offers residential security solutions and home automation services.

### **Company Details**

**Industry:** Consumer Electronics

Year Founded: 1999

### **Transaction Details**

**Description:** Senior Secured Notes **Amount:** \$1,505,000,000

**Date:** 9/12/13

### **Outside Professionals**

CPA: Eide Bailly LLP





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APX Group, Inc. offers residential security solutions and home automation services.

### **Company Details**

**Industry:** Consumer Electronics

Year Founded: 1999

### **Transaction Details**

Description: Senior Notes
Amount: \$203,500,000
Date: 5/28/13

### **Outside Professionals**

CPA: Eide Bailly LLP





11734 South Election Road, Salt Lake City, UT 84020 www.control4.com P: 801.523.3100



Control4 provides automation and control solutions for the connected home.

### **Company Details**

**Principal:** Martin Plaehn **CFO:** Dan Strong

**Industry:** Electronic Equipment

and Instruments

Year Founded: 2003

### **Transaction Details**

**Description:** Initial Public Offering

Amount: \$64,000,000 Date: 7/1/13



Control4 Corp. (NasdagGS:CTRL)

### 2795 East Cottonwood Parkway, Suite 400, Salt Lake City, UT 84121 www.extraspace.com P: 801.562.5556



Extra Space Storage operates as a real estate investment trust, engaging in property management and development activities that include acquiring, managing, developing, and selling, as well as the rental of self-storage facilities.

### **Company Details**

Principal: Spencer Kirk

CFO: Scott Stubbs

Industry: Specialized REITs

Year Founded: 1977

### **Transaction Details**

Amount: \$206,150,000 Date: 11/4/13



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### **Company Details**

Principal: Spencer Kirk

CFO: Scott Stubbs
Industry: Specialized REITs

Year Founded: 1977

### **Transaction Details**

Description: Long Term Notes
Amount: \$250,000,000
Date: 6/17/13



Extra Space Storage Inc.

10653 South River Front Parkway, Suite 300, South Jordan, UT 84095 www.hdwtrs.com P: 801.984.9400



Headwaters Incorporated, a building products company, provides products and services in the light and heavy building materials sectors primarily in the United States and Canada.

### **Company Details**

Principal: Kirk Benson, CEO
CFO: Donald Newman
Industry: Construction
Materials

Year Founded: 1987

### **Transaction Details**

Description: Senior Notes
Amount: \$150,000,000
Date: 12/4/2013



500 Huntsman Way, Salt Lake City, UT 84108 www.huntsman.com
P: 801.584.5700



Huntsman International LLC manufactures and sells differentiated organic and inorganic chemical products worldwide.

### **Company Details**

Principal: Peter Huntsman,

CEO

CFO: J. Kimo Esplin

**Industry:** Specialty Chemicals

Year Founded: 1970

### **Transaction Details**

Description: Senior Notes
Amount: \$413,650,000
Date: 12/10/2013



500 Huntsman Way, Salt Lake City, UT 84108 www.huntsman.com
P: 801.584.5700



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Huntsman International LLC manufactures and sells differentiated organic and inorganic chemical products worldwide.

### **Company Details**

Principal: Peter Huntsman,

CEO

CFO: J. Kimo Esplin

**Industry:** Specialty Chemicals

Year Founded: 1970

### **Transaction Details**

Description: Senior Notes
Amount: \$250,000,000
Date: 3/25/2013



7730 South Union Park Ave., Suite 500, Midvale, UT 84047 www.incontact.com
P: 801.320.3300



inContact Inc. is flexible cloud-based software helps contact centers efficiently support their customers with personalized interactions, resulting in high customer satisfaction, low attrition and brand loyalty.

### **Company Details**

**Principal:** Paul Jarman, CEO

**CFO:** Gregory S. Ayers **Industry:** Internet Software

and Services

Year Founded: 1994

### **Transaction Details**

**Description:** Secondary Offering

Amount: \$3,000,000 Date: 7/2/13 **Woodside Homes Corp.** 

675 Arapeen Drive, Suite 202, Salt Lake City, UT 84108 www.lipocine.com P: 801.994.7383



Lipocine proprietary technologies enable and enhance oral therapy of poorly absorbed drugs.

### **Company Details**

Principal: Mahesh V. Patel,

CEO

**CFO:** Morgan Brown **Industry:** Pharmaceuticals

Year Founded: 1997

### **Transaction Details**

**Description:** Public offering of

common stock

**Amount:** \$12,310,000 **Date:** 11/4/2013

### **Outside Professionals**

Law Firm: Cooley LLP
CPA: KPMG LLP

39 East Eagle Ridge Drive, Suite 100, North Salt Lake, UT 84054 www.woodside-homes.com
P: 801.299.6700



Woodside Homes Corporation engages in building homes.

### **Company Details**

Principal: Joel Shine, CEO

**Industry:** Homebuilding

Year Founded: 1977

### **Transaction Details**

**Description:** Senior Secured

Notes

Amount: \$220,000,000 Date: 7/22/2013

One South Main Street, 15th Floor, Salt Lake City, UT 84133 www.zionsbancorporation.com
P: 800.974.8800



Zions Bancorporation, a financial holding company, provides corporate and personal banking and related services.

### **Company Details**

**Principal:** Harris Simmons,

CEO

**CFO:** Doyle Arnold **Industry:** Regional Banks

Year Founded: 1873

### **Transaction Details**

**Description:** Secondary Public

Offering

Amount: \$162,000,000

Date: 10/28/2013

**Outside Professionals** 

CPA: EY





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### **Company Details**

Principal: Harris Simmons,

CEO

CFO: Doyle Arnold **Industry:** Regional Banks

Year Founded: 1873

### **Transaction Details**

**Description:** Secondary Public

Offering

Amount: \$87,890,000

**Date:** 9/9/13

### **Outside Professionals**

CPA: EY





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Principal: Harris Simmons,

CEO

CFO: Doyle Arnold

**Industry:** Regional Banks

Year Founded: 1873

### **Transaction Details**

**Description:** Secondary Public

Offering

Amount: \$195,150,000

**Date:** 8/5/13

### **Outside Professionals**

CPA: EY





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Year Founded: 1873

### **Transaction Details**

**Description:** Secondary Public

Offering

**Amount:** \$5,090,000

**Date:** 7/24/13

### **Outside Professionals**

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### **Company Details**

Principal: Harris Simmons,

CEO

**CFO:** Doyle Arnold **Industry:** Regional Banks

Year Founded: 1873

### **Transaction Details**

**Description:** Secondary Public

Offering

**Amount:** \$299,160,000

**Date:** 6/10/13

### **Outside Professionals**

CPA: EY





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Principal: Harris Simmons,

CEO

**CFO:** Doyle Arnold

Industry: Regional Banks

Year Founded: 1873

### **Transaction Details**

**Description:** Secondary Public

Offering

**Amount:** \$300,890,000

**Date:** 5/13/13

### **Outside Professionals**

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### **Company Details**

Principal: Harris Simmons,

CEO

**CFO:** Doyle Arnold **Industry:** Regional Banks

Year Founded: 1873

### **Transaction Details**

**Description:** Secondary Public

Offering

**Amount:** \$126,220,000

Date: 4/22/13

### **Outside Professionals**

CPA: EY





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### **Company Details**

Principal: Harris Simmons,

CEO

**CFO:** Doyle Arnold

**Industry:** Regional Banks

**Year Founded:** 1873

### **Transaction Details**

**Description:** Secondary Public

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**Amount:** \$171,830,000

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### **Company Details**

**Principal:** David Derrick, CEO CFO: Michael G. Acton

**Industry:** Health Care

Year Founded: 1998 # Employees: 63

### **Transaction Details**

**Amount:** \$3,885,158

Date: 12/16/2013

### **Outside Professionals**

Law Firm: Durham Jones &

Pinegar, P.C.

CPA: Tanner LLC





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ActiveCare provides patented diabetes and chronic disease management and wellness solutions that increase visibility, lower costs and provide real-time visibility to health conditions and risk.

### **Company Details**

Principal: David Derrick, CEO CFO: Michael G. Acton

**Industry:** Health Care

Year Founded: 1998 # Employees: 63

### **Transaction Details**

Amount: \$840,000 Date: 9/4/2013

### **Outside Professionals**

Law Firm: Durham Jones &

Pinegar, P.C. CPA: Tanner LLC





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**Principal:** David Derrick, CEO

CFO: Michael G. Acton

Industry: Health Care Year Founded: 1998 # Employees: 63

### **Transaction Details**

Description: Equity, Debt, War-

rant/Option

Amount: \$550,000 Date: 8/2/2013

### **Outside Professionals**

Law Firm: Durham Jones &

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### **Company Details**

# Employees: 63

Principal: David Derrick, CEO
CFO: Michael G. Acton
Industry: Health Care
Year Founded: 1998

### **Transaction Details**

Description: Common Stock
Amount: \$2,240,000
Date: 4/30/2013

### **Outside Professionals**

Law Firm: Durham Jones & Pinegar, P.C.
CPA: Tanner LLC
Investor(s): ADP Management

Corporation



2165 Verona Circle, Pleasant Grove, UT 84062 P: 801.310.4407

### **Company Details**

Principal: Daniel B. Hillstrom,

President

**Industry:** Other Health Care

**Health Care** 

Year Founded: 2013

### **Transaction Details**

**Amount:** \$193,990 **Date:** 6/14/13

2165 Verona Circle, Pleasant Grove, UT 84062 P: 801.310.4407

### **Company Details**

Principal: Daniel B. Hillstrom,

President

**Industry:** Other Health Care

Health Care

Year Founded: 2013

### **Transaction Details**

**Amount:** \$179,892 **Date:** 7/1/13

588 West 400 South, Suite 350, Lindon, UT 84042 www.accessdata.com P: 801.377.5410



AccessData Group, Inc. provides digital investigations software solutions to law enforcement agencies, government agencies, corporations, consultancies, and law firms worldwide.

### **Company Details**

Principal: Tim Leehealey
Industry: Application Software

Year Founded: 1987

### **Transaction Details**

**Description:** Minority Share

Purchase

Amount: Not disclosed

**Date:** 3/14/13

### **Outside Professionals**

Law Firm: Dorsey & Whitney

LLP

**Investor(s):** Sorenson Capital

**Partners** 





1712 South East Bay Blvd., Suite 300, Provo, UT 84606 www.adaptivecomputing.com
P: 801.717.3700



Adaptive Computing Enterprises Inc. provides intelligent automation software solutions for data center, cloud, and high-performance computing environments.

### **Company Details**

**Principal:** Robert A. Clyde, CEO

CFO: Alan D. Taylor
Industry: Technology Computers

Year Founded: 2001

### **Transaction Details**

**Description:** Convertible Debt

**Amount:** \$3,000,000 **Date:** 12/27/13

5035 South 4630 East, Vernal, UT 84078 www.adlerhotoil.com
P: 435.828.0900



Adler Hot Oil Services, Inc. provides oilfield services in the Uintah Basin, Wyoming, Colorado, Montana, and North Dakota.

### **Company Details**

**Principal:** Ryan Runolfson **Industry:** Oil & Gas Equipment

and Services

Year Founded: 1989

### **Transaction Details**

**Description:** Subordinated Debt,

Equity

Amount: Not disclosed

Date: 10/16/13

### **Outside Professionals**

Investor(s): Spell Cap. Partners

LLC; Fifth Third Bank;

Aldine Cap. Partners,

Inc.; Kemper Corp.,

Investment Arm;

Indus. Innovation

**Partners** 

Aisle

202 East Center Street, Provo, UT 84606 www.air-vend.com
P: 800.321.9601



AirVend, Inc., a vending technology company, manufactures touchscreen vending devices.

### **Company Details**

**Industry:** Electronic

Equipment and Instruments

Year Founded: 2012

### **Transaction Details**

**Description:** Seed Round **Amount:** \$1,200,000 **Date:** 12/31/13

### **Outside Professionals**

Investor(s): 365 Retail Markets, LLC; PS27 Ventures,

LLC

### Orem, Utah www.aisleup.com

Aisleup provides online, mobile, and social media commerce services.

# AISLE

### **Company Details**

Principal: David Clark,

President

**Industry:** Commerce

### **Transaction Details**

Amount: Not disclosed

Date: 10/9/13

### **Outside Professionals**

Investor(s): Plus550

333 South 520 West, Lindon, UT 84042 www.alianza.com P: 801.802.6400



Alianza engages in the sale of software as a service (SaaS) and telecommunications services.

### **Company Details**

**Principal:** Brian Beutler, CEO **CFO:** Scott Bell

Industry: Technology -

Telecommunications

Year Founded: 2003 Stage: Growth

### **Transaction Details**

Description: Series B Preferred
Amount: \$3,499,999
Date: 10/21/13

### **Outside Professionals**

Law Firm: Kunzler Law Grp, PC

CPA: Tanner LLC

Investor(s): Greyhawk Venture

Fund, Kickstart Seed

Fund



P: 801.617.8000



Allegiance Software, Inc. provides cloud-based voice of customer and enterprise feedback management solutions including email, Web, print, and Web-based SaaS data.

### **Company Details**

Principal: Carine S. Clark, CEO **Industry:** Application

Software

Year Founded: 2005

### **Transaction Details**

**Description:** Series B-1 Preferred **Amount:** \$4,000,000 **Date:** 1/10/13

### **Outside Professionals**

Law Firm: Kunzler Law Group, PC CPA: Tanner LLC





10235 South Jordan Gateway, Suite 500, South Jordan, UT 84095 www.allegiance.com P: 801.617.8000



Allegiance Software, Inc. provides cloud-based voice of customer and enterprise feedback management solutions including email, Web, print, and Web-based SaaS data.

### **Company Details**

Principal: Carine S. Clark, CEO CFO: Dana Russell **Industry:** Application

Software

Year Founded: 2005

### **Transaction Details**

**Description:** Series C Preferred Amount: \$7,000,000 **Date:** 12/4/13

### **Outside Professionals**

Law Firm: Kunzler Law Group, PC CPA: Tanner LLC





255 North 950 West, Suite A10, Logan, UT 84321 www.amasyn.com P: 435.258.6523



AmaSyn helps small to medium sized companies sell their products online.

### **Company Details**

Principal: Justin Hoopes, Director

**Industry:** Retailing Year Founded: 2012

### **Transaction Details**

Description: Debt/Equity Amount: \$340,000 **Date:** 8/5/13

Amedica Corp.

1885 West 2100 South, Salt Lake City, UT 84119 www.amedica.com
P: 801.839.3516



Amedica Corporation, a commercial biomaterial company, develops, manufactures, and sells various medical devices.

### **Company Details**

Principal: Eric Olsen, CEO
CFO: Jay Moyes
Industry: Other Health Care

Year Founded: 1996

### **Transaction Details**

Description: Equity, Warrant/
Amount: Option
Date: \$3,128,802
3/29/13

### **Outside Professionals**

CPA: Tanner LLC **TANNER** 

1885 West 2100 South, Salt Lake City, UT 84119 www.amedica.com P: 801.839.3516



Amedica Corporation, a commercial biomaterial company, develops, manufactures, and sells various medical devices.

### **Company Details**

Principal: Eric Olsen, CEO
CFO: Jay Moyes
Industry: Other Health Care

Year Founded: 1996

### **Transaction Details**

**Description:** Equity, Warrant/Option **Amount:** \$9,480,000 **Date:** 9/20/13

### **Outside Professionals**

CPA: Tanner LLC

222 South Main Street, Salt Lake City, UT, 84101 P: 801.232.9206

### **Company Details**

**Principal:** Tim Pickett,

Executive Officer Industry: Manufacturing

Year Founded: 2012

### **Transaction Details**

**Description:** Equity, Debt, Warrant/Option

Amount: \$875,000 Date: 5/28/13 4760 South Highland Drive, Suite 341, Salt Lake City, UT 84117 www.americansands.com P: 801.277.7887



American Sands Energy Corp. has an extraction and recovery system using a licensed proprietary solvent that separates oil and other hydrocarbons from sand, dirt and other substances without creating tailing ponds and other environmental hazards.

### **Company Details**

Principal: William C. Gibbs,

Chairman and CEO

CFO: Daniel F. Carlson

Industry: Oil & Gas Exploration &

Prod.

Year Founded: 2011 # Employees: 4

### **Transaction Details**

**Description:** Convertible Debt

**Amount:** \$50,000 **Date:** 8/20/13

### **Outside Professionals**

Law Firm: Ronald N. Vance &

Associates; Parsons Behle & Latimer

Behle & Latime

CPA: Tanner LLC
Investor(s): Bleeding Rock LLC

**☆ TANNER** 

4760 South Highland Drive, Suite 341, Salt Lake City, UT 84117 www.americansands.com P: 801.277.7886



American Sands Energy Corp. has an extraction and recovery system using a licensed proprietary solvent that separates oil and other hydrocarbons from sand, dirt and other substances without creating tailing ponds and other environmental hazards.

### **Company Details**

Principal: JWilliam C. Gibbs,

Chairman and CEO

CFO: Daniel F. Carlson
Industry: Oil & Gas Exploration &

Prod.

Year Founded: 2011 # Employees: 4

### **Transaction Details**

**Description:** Convertible Debt

**Amount:** \$2,000,000

Date: 10/28/13

### **Outside Professionals**

Law Firm: Ronald N. Vance &

Associates; Parsons

Behle & Latimer

CPA: Tanner LLC

Other Advisor: Merriman Cap. Inc.



10421 South Jordan Gateway, Suite 500, Salt Lake City, UT 84095 P: 801.748.1780

American Smartphone, Inc. operates in the telecommunication industry. The company was formerly known as Rocky Point, Inc.

### **Company Details**

Principal: Kristian Scott Beckett,

President

Industry: Technology -

Telecommunications

Year Founded: 2008

### **Transaction Details**

Amount: \$561,500

Date: 8/21/13

ANEW Life, Inc. n/k/a Sundance Strategies, Inc.

1024 Newham Court, North Salt Lake, UT 84054 www.amiigo.co P: 801.618.5621



Amiigo, Inc. develops a bracelet that tracks health and activities of the body.

### **Company Details**

**Principal:** David J. Scott,

President

**Industry:** Electronic Equipment

& Instruments

Year Founded: 2011

### **Transaction Details**

**Description:** Equity, Warrant/Option

Amount: \$9,480,000 Date: 9/20/13

### **Outside Professionals**

Investor(s): Alpha Investments

4626 North 300 West, Provo, UT 84604 P: 801.705.8968

ANEW Life, Inc. is engaged in the business of purchasing or otherwise acquiring or settling notes, drafts, acceptances, open accounts receivable and other obligations representing part or all of the sales price of insurance, life settlements and related insurance contracts, policies and obligations.

### **Company Details**

Principal: Randall F. Pearson,

President

**Industry:** Insurance

Year Founded: 2013

### **Transaction Details**

**Description:** Reverse Merger Amount: \$3,872,995

**Date:** 3/8/13

12685 South 125 East, Draper, UT 84020 P: 801.514.5786

Applied Bioresearch, Inc. merges the intelligence from several technologies to explore new solutions to the most pressing problems in healthcare and biotechnology.

### **Company Details**

**Principal:** Kendal Edwin Svedeen,

CEO

**Industry:** Pharmaceuticals

Year Founded: 2011

### **Transaction Details**

Amount: \$50,000 Date: 5/10/13

### Park City, UT P: 435.659.0397

Spinal Implant for Active Adults.

### **Company Details**

**Principal:** Richard Zipnick, CEO **Industry:** Medical Devices &

Equipment

Year Founded: 2013

### **Transaction Details**

Amount: Not Disclosed

Date: August, 2013

### **Outside Professionals**

Investor(s): Park City Angel
Network

515 East 100 South, Suite 700, Salt Lake City, UT 84102 www.aviacode.com P: 801.858.3800



Aviacode, Inc. operates in the healthcare technology industry by providing cloud-delivered medical coding solutions and streamlined coding services.

### **Company Details**

Principal: David Jensen, CEO
CFO: Steve Erickson
Industry: Health Care Technology

Year Founded: 2000

# Employees: Approximately 60

### **Transaction Details**

Amount: \$7,500,000 Date: 3/5/13

### **Outside Professionals**

Law Firm: Countryman Law LLC
CPA: Tanner LLC
Investor(s): Heritage Group, LLC

Other Advisor Brentwood Cap.

Advisors



378 North Main Street, #151, Layton, UT 84041 P: 801.668.2000

### **Company Details**

**Principal:** Steven Barnett,

Managing Member

**Industry:** Banking and Financial

Services - Investing

Year Founded: 2013

### **Transaction Details**

Amount: \$220,000 Date: 6/4/13 390 Wakara Way, Salt Lake City, UT 84108 www.biofiredx.com P: 801.736.6354



BioFire Diagnostics, Inc., a clinical diagnostics company, develops, manufactures, and distributes molecular diagnostic systems to hospital-based clinical laboratories.

### **Company Details**

Industry: Medical: Pharmaceuticals

Year Founded: 1990

### **Transaction Details**

**Description:** Equity, Warrant/Option

**Amount:** \$45,000,000

Date: 5/2/13

### **Outside Professionals**

**CPA:** PricewaterhouseCoopers

LLP,

**Eide Bailly LLP** 

Investor(s): Athyrium Opportunities

Fund





630 Komas Drive, Ste 200, Salt Lake City, UT 84108 www.blackrockmicro.com P: 801.582.5533

Blackrock Microsystems, LLC provides enabling tools for the neuroscience, neural engineering and neuroprosthetics research and clinical community worldwide.

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### **Company Details**

Year Founded: 2008

### **Transaction Details**

**Description:** Venture Debt **Amount:** \$250,000

**Date:** 3/14/13

### **Outside Professionals**

Investor(s): Innoventures

**Capital Partners** 

Other Advisor: Advanced CFO

Solutions



**Outside Professionals** 

Law Firm: Durham Jones &

Pinegar, P.C. CPA: Tanner LLC



**BLOXR Corp.** 

960 West Levoy Drive, Suite 100, Salt Lake City, UT 84123 www.bloxr.com P: 801.598.9880

BloXR Corporation operates in the industry of medical devices and supplies.



### **Company Details**

Principal: Ashok Khandkar,

President and CEO

**CFO:** Michael Henderson **Industry:** Healthcare Supplies

Year Founded: 2009

### **Transaction Details**

**Description:** Convertible Debt,

Options/Warrants

**Amount:** \$3,000,000 **Date:** 10/30/13





### 11576 S State Street, Ste 201, Draper, UT 84020 www.blueroof.com



Blueroof360, Inc. provides web and mobile solutions for real estate brokers.

### **Company Details**

**Principal:** Richard Zipnick, CEO **Industry:** Medical Devices &

Equipment

Year Founded: 2013

### **Transaction Details**

**Description:** Purchase of Series Seed

Preferred Stock

Amount: \$500,000 Date: 1/15/13

### **Outside Professionals**

**CPA:** Haynie & Co **Investor(s):** Peak Ventures

226 West 300 North, Salt Lake City, UT 84103 P: 801.556.7402

### **Company Details**

**Principal:** Meredith Price, CEO **Industry:** Other Technology

Year Founded: 2013

### **Transaction Details**

Amount: \$60,000 Date: 6/25/13

**Transaction Details** 

**Date:** 8/21/13

**Amount:** Not Disclosed

775 West Concorde Park Drive, Bluffdale, UT 84065 www.bodyguardz.com P: 801.495.3514

BodyGuardz, L.L.C provides mobile device protection products worldwide.

### **Company Details**

**Principal:** Kirk Feller **CFO:** April Feller

**Industry:** Consumer Electronics

Year Founded: 2002



### **Outside Professionals**

Investor(s): Peery Partners

Capital Financial Global, Inc.

95 N 200 E, American Fork, UT 84003 www.burninghamtrucking.com P: 801.756.8138



Burningham Enterprises, Inc. is primarily engaged in furnishing trucking or transfer services without storage for freight generally weighing more than 100 pounds, in a single municipality, contiguous municipalities, or a municipality and its suburban areas.

### **Company Details**

**Principal:** Gary Burningham, Owner **CFO:** Gary Burningham

Year Founded: 1988

### **Transaction Details**

Description: Venture Debt
Amount: \$250,000
Date: 3/8/13

### **Outside Professionals**

Investor(s): Innoventures Capital

Partners

1042 Fort Union Boulevard, Suite 521, Midvale, UT 84047 www.capfiglobal.com P: 801.747.2000



Capital Financial Global, Inc. is a specialty finance company that provides asset-backed financing and loan advisory services to insurance trusts and pension funds, owners of commercial real estate, owners of residential real estate pools, and owners of mining and precious metals assets.

### **Company Details**

Principal: Paul Edward Norat,

President and CEO

**Industry:** Other Banking and

**Financial Services** 

### **Transaction Details**

**Amount:** \$25,000 **Date:** 7/24/13

### **Outside Professionals**

CPA: Eide Bailly LLP



2455 East Parleys Way, Suite 150, Salt Lake City, UT 84109 www.catheterconnections.com P: 1.888.706.8883



Catheter Connections is an innovator in infection control, eliminating preventable health-care acquired infection (HAI).

### **Company Details**

**Principal:** Guy J. Jordan, PhD **Industry:** Medical Devices &

Equipment

Year Founded: 2008

### **Transaction Details**

**Description:** Series B Financing **Amount:** Not Disclosed **Date:** July,2013

### **Outside Professionals**

CPA: Tanner LLC
Investor(s): Park City Angel
Network



8681 South 700 West, Suite A, Sandy, UT 84070 www.chamtechops.com
P: 801.566.4124



Chamtech Enterprises, Inc. develops custom antenna systems for RF devices and applications used in government, military and public safety applications.

### **Company Details**

**Principal:** Anthony Sutera **Industry:** Communications

Equipment

Year Founded: 2010

### **Transaction Details**

Amount: \$5,500,000 Date: 11/7/13

814 E. Bamberger Drive, Suite C, American Fork, UT 84003 www.chargeback.com P: 801.753.0800



Chargeback.com provides merchants with credit card chargeback representment services and software.

### **Company Details**

**Principal:** Tim Coltrell, CEO **Industry:** Software and Services

Year Founded: 2011

### **Transaction Details**

Amount: \$547,673 Date: 2/8/13

### **Outside Professionals**

Law Firm: Kunzler Law Grp, PC Investor(s): Kickstart Seed Fund,

Solutions

Plus550, Park City Angel Network

Other Advisor: Advanced CFO

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814 E. Bamberger Drive, Suite C, American Fork, UT 84003 www.chargeback.com P: 801.753.0800



Chargeback.com provides merchants with credit card chargeback representment services and software.

### **Company Details**

**Principal:** Tim Coltrell, CEO **Industry:** Software & Services

Year Founded: 2011

### **Transaction Details**

Description: Seed 2 Preferred Amount: \$881,570 Date: 4/15/13

### **Outside Professionals**

Law Firm: Kunzler Law Grp, PC Investor(s): Kickstart Seed Fund,

Solutions

Plus550, Park City Angel Network

Other Advisor: Advanced CFO

ADVANCED CFO SOLUTIONS

**Cherry Peak Resort, LLC** 

9750 South 300 West, Sandy, UT 84070 www.ferevo.com
P: 530.830.2428



ChatAds is a self-serve mobile advertising platform that allows brands to bid on keywords and place targeted ads in Communication Apps when relevant to what the end user is actually talking about.

### **Company Details**

Principal: Mike Evans
Industry: Mobile Advertising

### **Transaction Details**

**Description:** Convertible Note **Amount:** \$350,000 **Date:** 12/10/13

### **Outside Professionals**

Investor(s): Kickstart Seed Fund,
Park City Angel
Network, various
angel groups

140 East 2200 North, Suite 100, North Logan, UT 84341 P: 208.569.5170



### **Company Details**

Principal: Rick Rowberry, CEO Industry: Other
Year Founded: 2013

**Transaction Details** 

**Amount:** \$1,345,000 **Date:** 5/7/13

920 East State Road, Suite F, American Fork, UT 84003 P: 801.756.1041

### **Company Details**

Year Founded: 2012

### **Transaction Details**

Amount: \$240,000 Date: 2/8/13

### 1337 West 560 South, St. George, UT 84770 P: 801.362.4033

Clearstone Sports Inc. manufactures, markets, and teaches using sports instructional devices and technologies.

### **Company Details**

**Principal:** Jeff Gibbs, Executive

Officer

**Industry:** Manufacturing

Year Founded: 2013

### **Transaction Details**

Amount: \$24,999 Date: 5/14/13

9100 South 500 West, Sandy, UT 84070 www.cloudvu.com P: 801.895.7760



CloudVu is a cloud-based SaaS company focused on optimizing the convergence of IT monitoring, web analytics, and business intelligence.

### **Company Details**

Principal: Christopher Skillings,

President

**Industry:** Software

Year Founded: 2011

### **Transaction Details**

**Description:** Equity, Warrant/Option

Amount: \$1,050,000 Date: 5/6/13

282 North Riverbend Lane Provo, UT 84604 www.coachalba.com



Coach Alba operates as a behavioral change company that builds Web and mobile technologies.

### **Company Details**

Principal: Vincent Han Industry: Application Software

Year Founded: 2010

### **Transaction Details**

Amount: \$3,000,000 Date: 1/28/13 3958 West 1820 South, Salt Lake City, UT 84104 www.coherex.com P: 801.433.9900



Coherex Medical, Inc. is focused on the development and commercialization of a unique device for the treatment of patients diagnosed with atrial fibrillation and at risk of stroke.

### **Company Details**

**Principal:** Alex Martin, CEO **CFO:** Sheri Thomas

### **Transaction Details**

Amount: Not disclosed

### **Outside Professionals**

Law Firm: Holland & Hart LLP
CPA: Tanner LLC







**CoNextions Medical Corp.** 

1930 South Milestone Drive, Suite B, Salt Lake City, UT 84104 P: 801.557.7588

CoNextions Medical Corp. is a medical device company focused on innovative solutions for Orthopedic Surgery.

### **Company Details**

Principal: Richard J. Linder,

President

Industry: Medical Devices and

Equipment

Year Founded: 2011

### **Transaction Details**

Amount: \$20,000 Date: 12/4/13

50 W Broadway, Salt Lake City, UT 84101 www.conenersys.com



**Transaction Details** 

**Amount:** \$500,000

**Outside Professionals** 

Investor(s): Renewable Tech

Ventures

1664 South Dixie Drive, Suite H107, St. George, UT 84770 www.contactpoint.com
P: 435.674.670



ContactPoint, L.C. develops marketing technology to capture, analyze, integrate, and apply phone based customer intelligence.

### **Company Details**

**Principal:** Jason Wells, CEO **Industry:** Software and Services

Year Founded: 2001

### **Transaction Details**

**Amount:** \$1,000,000 **Date:** 6/6/13

### **Outside Professionals**

**Law Firm:** Durham Jones & Pinegar, P.C.



824 South 400 West, Suite B104, Salt Lake City, UT 84101 www.contraventmedia.com
P: 801.918.1037



Contravent LLC develops and creates video content. It serves audiences, content creators, agencies, brands and advertisers.

### **Company Details**

**Principal:** Matt Seegmiller,

Manager

Industry: Movies and

Entertainment

Year Founded: 2012

### **Transaction Details**

Amount: \$600,000

Date: 10/23/13

2825 Cottonwood Parkway, Suite 500, Salt Lake City, UT 84121 www. correctiveeducation.com P: 877.318.0983



Corrective Education Company provides incident intake and management systems, and education programs to reduce recidivism and retail theft.

### **Company Details**

**Principal:** Jeffrey Mitchell **Industry:** Diversified Support

Services

Year Founded: 2010

### **Transaction Details**

Amount: Not disclosed

Date: 6/11/13

### **Company Details**

Principal: Cameron Olthuis,

Manager

**Industry:** Other

### **Transaction Details**

Amount: \$25,000 Date: 4/16/13

231 South Mountain Way Drive, Orem, UT 84058 www.creativemediagroup.com P: 801.221.9570



Creative Media Group, Inc. is a full service media production house. They specialize in high quality digital video production, post-production, and motion graphics.

### **Company Details**

**Principal:** John Farr, Director

### **Transaction Details**

Description: Venture Debt Amount: \$250,000 Date: 12/26/13

### **Outside Professionals**

Investor(s): Innoventures Capital
Partners

3630 West South Jordan Parkway, Suite 202, South Jordan, UT 84095 www.creditera.com P: 801.937.4621



Creditera, Inc. provides personal and business credit monitoring services with focus on business to business customers online.

### **Company Details**

Principal: D. Levi King,

President and CEO

**Industry:** Internet Software

and Services

Year Founded: 2012

### **Transaction Details**

**Description:** Seed Preferred **Amount:** \$800,000

**Date:** 5/14/13

### **Outside Professionals**

Law Firm: Holland & Hart LLP, Kunzler Law Grp, PC Investor(s): Kickstart Seed Fund



5152 North Edgewood Drive, Suite 280, Provo, UT 84604 www.cruxcase.com P: 801.376.8469



CruxCase LLC manufactures and markets accessories for the Apple iPad and and the IOS operating system.

### **Company Details**

**Principal:** Brian Probst **Industry:** Computer Hardware

Year Founded: 2010

### **Transaction Details**

**Description:** Private placement **Amount:** \$1,000,000

Date: 10/25/13

### **Outside Professionals**

Law Firm: Kunzler Law Group,

PC

CPA: Tanner LLC



57 West 200 South, Salt Lake City, UT 84101 P: 801.575.5000

### **Company Details**

**Principal:** John C. Klock **Industry:** Medical Year Founded: 2011

### **Transaction Details**

Amount: \$9,000,000 **Date:** 1/16/13

10808 River Front Parkway, Suite 450, South Jordan, UT 84095 www.cyphercorp.com P: 801.867.4536



CYPHER develops software solutions for real-time noise reduction via signal identification and signal extraction on various platforms, devices, and applications, including smartphones and mobile devices.

### **Company Details**

Principal: Glenn D. Mella, CEO and

Manager

**Industry:** Software

Year Founded: 2012

### **Transaction Details**

**Description:** Debt **Amount:** \$1,193,333

**Date:** 6/27/13

### **Outside Professionals**

Law Firm: Durham Jones &

Pinegar, P.C.

Other Advisor: Advanced CFO

Solutions





DiscGenics, Inc

265 N. Country Manor Lane, Alpine, UT 84004 www.degreed.com
P: 801.722.5707



Degreed, Inc. provides course-by-course scores and validation of education from accredited and non-accredited sources.

### **Company Details**

Principal: David Blake, CEO Industry: Education Services

Year Founded: 2012

### **Transaction Details**

Description: Debt, Equity
Amount: \$1,670,000
Date: Various Dates

### **Outside Professionals**

Law Firm: Holland & Hart LLP

HOLLAND&HART

675 Arapeen Drive, Suite 304, Salt Lake City, UT 84108 www.discgenics.com P: 801.410.0703



### **Company Details**

**Principal:** Flagg Flannagen **CFO:** Advanced CFO

Solutions

**Industry:** Medical **Stage:** Pre Revenue

### **Transaction Details**

**Description:** Seed Round **Amount:** \$3,004,000 **Date:** 9/1/13

### **Outside Professionals**

Law Firm: Paulson PC, Dorsey

& Whitney

CPA: Eide Bailey LLP

Investor(s): Various Investors

Advisor: Advanced CFO

Solutions







10967 Topview Road, South Jordan, UT 84095 www.sphenocath.com P: 360.907.6831



A new patented device and method for achieving an SPG block in migraine patients.

### **Company Details**

**Principal:** Mark J. Wright, CEO **Industry:** Medical Devices and

Equipment

### **Transaction Details**

Amount: \$800,000 Date: 12/31/13 1370 South 2100 East, Salt Lake City, UT 84106 www.domainsurgical.com P: 801.924.4956



Domain Surgical, Inc. develops and commercializes patent-pending surgical cutting and coagulation.

# **Company Details**

**Principal:** David McNally,

President and CEO

**CFO:** Phill McStotts **Industry:** Healthcare Equipment

Year Founded: 2009

**Stage:** Development # **Employees:** Approx 34

# **Transaction Details**

**Description:** Convertible Debt

**Amount:** \$2,000,000

**Date:** 7/3/13

# **Outside Professionals**

Law Firm: Durham Jones &

Pinegar

CPA: Tanner LLC

Investor(s): Park City Angel

Network



# 772 East Utah Valley Drive, American Fork, UT 84003 www.domo.com P: 801.899.1000



Domo, Inc. provides an executive management platform as a software-as-a-service solution for managers and executives to run their business.

# **Company Details**

**Principal:** Joshua James **CFO:** Scott Lindeman

**Industry:** Internet Software and

Services

Year Founded: 2010

# **Transaction Details**

**Description:** Series B round **Amount:** \$60,000,000

**Date:** 3/11/13

# **Outside Professionals**

Investor(s): Greylock Partners;

Institutional Venture Partners; GGV Capital; The Founders Fund; Bezos Expeditions, LLC; Mercato Partners; BYU Cougar Capital

1549 South 100 E, Salt Lake City, UT 84105 www.dpsskis.com P: 801.413.1737



DPS is a trusted brand of serious skis worldwide.

# **Company Details**

Principal: Stephen Drake, CEO Industry: Action Sports

Year Founded: 2005

# **Transaction Details**

**Description:** Equity **Amount:** \$905,000 **Date:** 12/13/13

# **Outside Professionals**

Other Provider: Preferred CFO

**Dress Code** 

560 S State St, Orem, UT 84058 www.drescodecustom.com P: (855) 444-7848



Dress Code designs custom suits and shirts.

# **Company Details**

**Principal:** Chase Murdock, CEO **Industry:** Retailing/Distribution

Year Founded: 2012

# **Transaction Details**

**Description:** Convertible Note **Amount:** Not Disclosed **Date:** 11/2013

### **Outside Professionals**

Investor(s): Park City Angel
Network

733 East Utah Valley Road, Suite 130, American Fork, UT 84003 www.dropship.com P: 801.765.6800



DropShip Commerce is the scalable online platform for integrating and managing drop ship partners, inventory, data, and orders and enhancing the back office system.

# **Company Details**

Principal: Jeremy Hanks Industry: Software Year Founded: 2011

# **Transaction Details**

Amount: \$4,300,000 Date: 2/4/13

# **Outside Professionals**

Investor(s): Peterson Ventures, LLC, Kickstart Seed Fund, Plus550, Park City Angel Network, SL



Angels

Advisor: Advanced CFO

Solutions

4752 West California Ave., Bldg. A, Suite 1000, Salt Lake City, UT 84104 www. durhambrands.com P: 801.450.1174

Durham Enterprises Corporation develops hundreds of new innovative products annually housed under a variety of revered brands.



# **Company Details**

**Principal:** Jeff Durham, President

and CEO

Industry: Other Stage: 1998

# **Transaction Details**

Amount: \$3,200,000

Date: 12/18/13

# **Outside Professionals**

Law Firm: Durham Jones & Pinegar, P.C.

CPA: Eide Bailly LLP

Advisor: Advanced CFO

Solutions









180 North 300 East, Suite 201, St. George, UT 84770 www.dxna.com P: 435.628.0324



DxNA LLC is a molecular diagnostic company that focuses on simple, rapid and affordable real time PCR technology for users such as clinics, small to medium sized hospitals, doctors' offices, and others with a need for low throughput or portable PCR diagnostics.

# **Company Details**

**Principal:** David Taus, President **CFO:** James Maples **Industry:** Biotechnology

Year Founded: 2008

# **Transaction Details**

**Amount:** \$3,750,000 **Date:** 12/30/13

# **Outside Professionals**

Law Firm: Durham Jones & Pinegar, P.C



489 West Parkland Drive, Sandy, UT 84070 www.ecoscraps.net P: 801.415.4015



Eco Scraps, Inc. is an environmentally friendly retail product company selling organic lawn and garden products specifically designed to be free of chemicals and poop based waste.

# **Company Details**

**Principal:** Daniel Blake, CEO **Industry:** Fertilizers and

Agricultural Chemicals

Year Founded: 2010

# **Transaction Details**

**Description:** Convertible Debt, Options/Warrants

Amount: \$2,603,444

Date: 4/12/13

# **Outside Professionals**

Law Firm: Holland & Hart LLP,

Kunzler Law Group, PC (investor counsel)

CPA: Tanner LLC

Investor(s): Peterson Ventures,

Kickstart Seed Fund



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**Principal:** Daniel Blake, CEO **Industry:** Fertilizers and

Agricultural Chemicals

Year Founded: 2010

# **Transaction Details**

**Description:** Convertible Debt,

Options/Warrants

Amount: \$1,225,000 Date: 11/8/13

# **Outside Professionals**

**Law Firm:** Holland & Hart LLP, Kunzler Law Group,

PC (investor counsel)

CPA: Tanner LLC





Engodo

P.O Box 160500, F4 Freeport West Industrial Park, Clearfield, UT 84016 www.econovainc.com
P: 801.217.2090



EcoNova, Inc. advances the quality and quantity of the world's most important resource - water - with patented technology, cutting-edge water cleaning innovation, and dedicated customer service.

# **Company Details**

Principal: Mark A Kendell,

Chairman and CEO

Industry: Technology

Year Founded: 2000

# **Transaction Details**

**Amount:** \$8,000,000

**Date:** 9/30/13

# **Outside Professionals**

Law Firm: Holland & Hart

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148 West 600 South Provo, Utah 84601 www.engodo.com



Engodo is a content-driven advertising platform that simplifies the way publishers endorse brand content on social media.

# **Company Details**

**Principal:** Trygve Jensen, CEO **Industry:** Advertising/Tech

# **Transaction Details**

Amount: Not disclosed

Date: 6/13/13

# **Outside Professionals**

Investor(s): Plus550

13512 S. Aintree Ave., Draper, UT 84020 www.enicotinetechnology.com P: 925.876.2765



Taking the Smoke Out of Smoking

e-Nicotine Technology, Inc. is a healthcare company committed to reducing the harm associated with tobacco products by combining clean nicotine aerosols for inhalation with empowering e-health tools to help people transition from smoking.

# **Company Details**

**Principal:** Jeffrey Williams,

President

**CFO:** Ryan Davis **Industry:** Biotechnology

Stage: 2013

# **Transaction Details**

Amount: \$3,977,587

Date: 8/15/13

**EventBoard** 

630 Komas Drive, Suite 235, Salt Lake City, UT 84108 www.e-sense.com P: 801.839.1071

e-SENS, Inc. is disrupting the aqueous chemical sensing field by employing solid-state semiconductor technology to bring to market multi-parameter chemical sensing instruments that leverage patented electrochemical technologies.



# **Company Details**

Principal: Richard B. Brown, CEO **Industry:** Other Technology

Year Founded: 2010

# **Transaction Details**

**Description:** Equity, Warrant/

Option

Amount: \$1,060,000 Date: 12/27/13

# **Outside Professionals**

Other Advisor: Advanced CFO Solutions



Salt Lake City, UT www.eventboardmobile.com



EventBoard is the low cost, hassle free way for conference organizers to bring their conference catalog to life on a mobile device

# **Company Details**

**Industry:** Mobile App

# **Transaction Details**

Amount: Not disclosed

Date: 9/26/13

# **Outside Professionals**

Investor(s): Plus550, Park City

Angel Network

Other Advisor: Advanced CFO

Solutions



6300 N Sagewood Drive H-342, Park City, UT www.androidtv.com P: 855.396.6688



Exo Level, LLC manufactures and supplies set top boxes for entertainment media streaming. Its products are used for streaming online or offline television, music, files, and games.

# **Company Details**

**Industry:** Communications

Equipment

# **Transaction Details**

Amount: \$69,000,000 **Date:** 12/23/13

# **Outside Professionals**

Investor(s): Lexinta Group

Falls Event Center LLC

4990 Huega Court, Park City, UT 84098 www.ezliftrescue.com P: 8435.602.0933



EZ Lift Rescue Systems, Inc. designs, manuactures, sells and services patient immobilization and lift systems that incorporate a unique patented lift and transport system designed to minimize the torque to the back.

# **Company Details**

Principal: David C. Robinson,

President

**Industry:** Other Health Care

Year Founded: 2011

# **Transaction Details**

Amount: \$316,539 **Date:** 12/31/13 **Outside Professionals** 

Investor(s): Park City Angel

Network

9067 South 300 West, Suite 301, West Jordan, UT 84088 www.thefallseventcenter.com P: 801.537.7700



Falls Event Center LLC owns and operates a center that hosts events.

# **Company Details**

**Industry:** Leisure Facilities

Year Founded: 2011

# **Transaction Details**

**Description:** Membership units Amount: \$20,000,000

**Date:** 9/2/13

2244 North Canyon Road, #315, Provo, UT 84604 P: 801.647.8532



Ferevo, LLC develops a smart phone based messaging application which also rewards its users to text and also adds relevant links to the bottom of the text messages.

# **Company Details**

Principal: Michael Evans, Manager

**Industry:** Software

Year Founded: 2011

# **Transaction Details**

**Description:** Debt, Warrant/

Option

Amount: \$35,000

**Date:** 3/19/13

# **Outside Professionals**

Investor(s): Park City Angel

Network, Boom

Startup

360 South Rio Grande Street, Salt Lake City, UT 84101 www.fixes4kids.com
P: 650.520.0521



Fixes 4 Kids, Inc. is a medical device company focused on developing innovative solutions for supracondylar fractures and the pediatric orthopedics market.

# **Company Details**

**Principal:** Kurt Vedder, President

**Industry:** Biotechnology

Year Founded: 2009

# **Transaction Details**

Amount: \$1,675,926

Date: Various dates in 2013



307 West 200 South, Salt Lake City, UT 84101 www.friendemic.com
P: 801.415.9314

Friendemic, Inc. operates as a social media engagement company.

# **Company Details**

**Principal:** Steven Pearson, CEO **Industry:** Advertising

Year Founded: 2013

# **Transaction Details**

Amount: \$1,323,711

Date: 4/11/13

# **Outside Professionals**

Law Firm: Holland & Hart LLP



6340 South 3000 East, Suite 340, Salt Lake City, UT 84121 www.fuzenetwork.com
P: 888.389.3832

Fuze Network, Inc. is a financial service company that provides the ability for cash to be loaded on credit, debit, and prepaid cards at the point of sale.



**Principal:** David Wilkes, CEO **CFO:** Spencer Bowman

Industry: Banking and
Year Founded: Finance

2010

# **Transaction Details**

Amount: Not disclosed



Law Firm: Bennett Tueller

Johnson & Deere

**CPA:** Tanner LLC



# 175 South Main Street 15th Floor, Salt Lake City, UT 84111 P: 801.719.7258

Galt Petroleum, Inc. explores and develops oil and gas properties.

# **Company Details**

**Principal:** Cary Valerio **Industry:** Oil & Gas Exploration

and Production

Year Founded: 2011

# **Transaction Details**

**Description:** Common stock **Amount:** \$1,000,000 **Date:** 2/14/13

# **Outside Professionals**

CPA: Eide Bailly LLP



934 East 300 South, Provo, UT 84606 P: 801.361.7903

# **Company Details**

**Principal:** Grant Gordon, Executive Officer

**Industry:** Other Technology

Year Founded: 2013

# **Transaction Details**

**Amount:** \$795,000 **Date:** 12/26/13

# **Outside Professionals**

Law Firm: Kunzler Law Group,

PC (investor counsel)

Investors: Kickstart Seed Fund

175 West Canyon Crest Road, Alpine, UT 84004 www.geopowerenergy.com P: 435.565.0089

Geopower Energy, LLC develops a portfolio of renewable projects with a focus on base load generation renewable energy power projects.



# **Company Details**

Principal: Benjamin W. Mead, CEO

of the Manager

**Industry:** Other Energy

Year Founded: 2010

# **Transaction Details**

**Description:** Debt, Warrant/Option

Amount: \$5,000,000

Date: 11/13/13

# **Outside Professionals**

**Law Firm:** Durham Jones & Pinegar, P.C.



825 East 800 North, Orem, UT 84097 www.globalbased.com P: 917.744.8379



GlobalBased Technologies, Inc. focuses on the research of new data abstraction models and predictive analytics that can be applied to various institutional trading models.

# **Company Details**

**Principal:** Patrick Coleman, CEO **Industry:** Computers

Year Founded: 2008

# **Transaction Details**

Description: Debt, Warrant/Option

Amount: \$450,000 Date: 4/1/13

310 South Main Street, Salt Lake City, UT 84101 www.graduationallianc801.931.2707 801.217.2090



Graduation Alliance, Inc. provides resources and support needed to serve students for whom life obstacles have prevented prior academic success.

# **Company Details**

**Principal:** Ray Kelly, CEO **Industry:** Education Services

Year Founded: 2007

# **Transaction Details**

**Description:** Series C Preferred

**Amount:** \$3,759,128

Date: 8/20/13

# **Outside Professionals**

Law Firm: Holland & Hart LLP,

Kunzler Law Grp, PC

Investor(s): Signal Peak
Other Advisor: Advanced CFO

Solutions





2441 South 3850 West, Salt Lake City, UT 84120 www.gbscience.com P: 801.990.1055



Great Basin Corporation, a molecular diagnostics company, develops sample-to-result technology and products that provide multiple-pathogen diagnoses of infectious diseases.

# **Company Details**

Principal: Ryan Ashton,

President and CEO

**Industry:** Healthcare Equipment

Year Founded: 2005

# **Transaction Details**

**Description:** Series B **Amount:** \$9,500,000

Date: 1/7/13

# **Outside Professionals**

Law Firm: Dorsey & Whitney

LLP



Hammerton, Inc.

2441 South 3850 West, Salt Lake City, UT 84120 www.gbscience.com P: 801.990.1055



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# **Company Details**

Principal: Ryan Ashton, President

and CEO

Industry: Healthcare Equipment

Year Founded: 2005

# **Transaction Details**

Amount: \$5,797,653

**Date:** 11/26/13

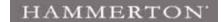
# **Outside Professionals**

Law Firm: Dorsey & Whitney

LLP



217 Wright Brothers Drive, Suite A, Salt Lake City, UT 84116 www.hammerton.com P: 801.708.6800



Hammerton, Inc. engages in the design, manufacture, and market of lighting fixtures.

# **Company Details**

Principal: William Shott, CEO

**Industry:** Electrical

Components and

Equipment

Year Founded: 1995

# **Transaction Details**

Amount: \$870,000

Date: 7/24/13

# **Outside Professionals**

Investor(s): Trident Cap, Inc.;

EPIC Vent.; In-Q-Tel, Inc.: Granite Vent., LLC; VMware, Inc. (NYSE:VMW); Intel Cap.; Fortinet Inc. (NasdaqGS:FTNT); Cisco Sys., Invest. Arm

3165 East Millrock Drive, Suite 400, Salt Lake City, UT 84121 www.healthcatalyst.com P: 801.839.1071



Health Catalyst, LLC is the leader in healthcare data warehousing.

# **Company Details**

Principal: Dan Burton, CEO CFO: Jeff Selander **Industry:** Health Care Tech.

Year Founded: 2008 # Employees: 130

# **Transaction Details**

**Description:** Preferred Stock **Amount:** \$5,000,000 **Date:** 2/25/13

# **Outside Professionals**

Law Firm: Dorsey & Whitney

LLP

Investor(s): Kaiser Permanente

Ventures and CHV

Capital





# **Company Details**

**Principal:** Tod Schulthess, David

Hardman, Managers

Year Founded: 2012

# **Transaction Details**

**Description:** Membership units

**Amount:** \$500,000 **Date:** 1/8/13

703 Park Ave, Park City, UT 84060 www.highwest.com P: 435-649-8300

High West Distillery crafts award winning, small batch whiskies and is positioned uniquely in the fastest growing segment of the spirits market.



**Industry:** Retailing

# **Transaction Details**

Amount: Not disclosed



# **Outside Professionals**

CPA: Tanner LLC Investor(s): Park City Angel

Network



12227 South Business Park Drive, Suite 120, Draper, UT 84020 ww.hirevue.com P: 801.316.2910

HireVue's Talent Interaction Platform augments existing applicant tracking, talent management and social applications, accelerating productivity and decision-making by delivering high-definition clarity into people's character, cultural fit, personality, and potential.

# **Company Details**

Principal: Mark Newman, CEO
CFO: Jared Wilks
Industry: Internet Software

and Services

# **Transaction Details**

Description: Series D
Amount: \$25,000,000
Date: 8/1/13

# **Outside Professionals**

CPA: Tanner LLC
Investor(s): Sequoia Cap.; Granite
Vent., LLC; Investor
Growth Cap.; Rose Park
Advisors, LLC; Peterson

Vent., LLC; Kickstart





# HZO, Inc.

# **Company Details**

**Principal:** Cory Brent Jensen,

Manager

Industry: Energy - Oil and Gas

Year Founded: 2013

# **Transaction Details**

Amount: \$450,000 Date: 11/26/13

500 Huntsman Way, Salt Lake City, UT 84108 www.huntsman.com P: 801.584.5700



Huntsman Corporation manufactures and sells differentiated organic and inorganic chemical products worldwide.

# **Company Details**

Principal: Peter Huntsman, CEO
CFO: J. Kimo Esplin
Industry: Diversified Chemicals

Year Founded: 1970

# **Transaction Details**

**Description:** Minority stake **Amount:** \$7,290,000 **Date:** 3/14/13



12637 South 265 West, Draper, UT 84020 www. hzoinside.com P: 801.268.1900



HzO, Inc. is an innovative and rapidly growing nanotechnology company offering next-generation solutions that protect electronic devices and components from damage caused by water, other corrosive liquids, humidity, sweat, dust and debris.

# **Company Details**

Principal: Michael Bartholomeusz,

CEO

**Industry:** Other Technology

Year Founded: 2009

# **Transaction Details**

Amount: \$3,625,000 Date: 5/2/13

# **Outside Professionals**

Other Advisor: Advanced CFO Solutions



5255 North Edgewood Drive, Suite 125, Provo, UT 84604 www.i.TV.com P: 801.201.2565



i.TV, LLC develops an online television (TV) guide application platform for iOS and Android mobiles.

# **Company Details**

**Principal:** Brad Pelo, CEO **Industry:** Internet Software and

Services

Year Founded: 2008

# **Transaction Details**

 $\textbf{Description:} \ \ \text{New investor, DIRECTV}$ 

Amount: Not Disclosed

**Date:** 12/4/13

# **Outside Professionals**

Law Firm: Dorsey & Whitney

LLP

Investor(s): DIRECTV

(NasdagGS:DTV)

Other Advisor: Preferred CFO



5255 North Edgewood Drive, Suite 125, Provo, UT 84604 www.i.TV.com P: 801.201.2565

i.TV, LLC develops an online television (TV) guide application platform for iOS and Android mobiles.



# **Company Details**

Principal: Brad Pelo, CEO
Industry: Internet Software

and Services

Year Founded: 2008

# **Transaction Details**

**Description:** Series A **Amount:** \$9,197,854

**Date:** 8/9/13

# **Outside Professionals**

Law Firms: Dorsey & Whitney

LLP

Other Advisor: Preferred CFO



1739 Devonshire Drive, Salt Lake City, UT 84108 P: 888.625.0026

# **Company Details**

**Principal:** Robert Brazell, Manager **Industry:** Other Technology

Year Founded: 2010

# **Transaction Details**

Amount: \$100,000 Date: 4/16/13

# **Outside Professionals**

CPA: Eide Bailly LLP



Infinia Corp.

13043 Fort Street, Draper, UT 84020 www. idealresponse.com P: 801.867.7070



iDealResponse provides online business intelligence, performance management, and training solution across various sectors and helps sales and support reps hone sales pitches, master winning responses to customer objections, and prepare for critical negotiations.

# **Company Details**

**Principal:** Chris Bijou, CEO

Industry: Internet Software and

Services

Year Founded: 2013

# **Transaction Details**

Amount: \$350,000

# **Outside Professionals**

Law Firm: Holland & Hart LLP

CPA: Tanner LLC





563 West 500 South, Suite 420, Bountiful, UT 84010 P: 801.951.0420



Independent Stock Market Corporation provides the benefits of a public market for privately held businesses without all the costs, expenses or risks associated with the traditional stock markets.

# **Company Details**

**Principal:** Adam K. Brandley, CEO **Industry:** Specialized Finance

Year Founded: 2010

# **Transaction Details**

Amount: \$100,000 Date: 3/11/13

300 West 12th Street, Ogden, UT 84404 P: 801.752.0100



Infinia Corporation is an energy technology company developing and manufacturing high-efficiency, free-piston Stirling engines that convert readily available and low cost heat sources such as solar, biogas and natural gas into reliable on- or off-grid electricity.

# **Company Details**

**Principal:** Michael Ward, CEO **Industry:** Energy, Industrial

products & services

# **Transaction Details**

Description: Debt, Warrant/Option
Amount: \$10,275,000
Date: 1/15/03

# **Outside Professionals**

CPA: Eide Bailly LLP



# 727 North 1550 East, Suite 450, Orem, UT 84097 P: 801.787.0277

Influence International, Inc. offers business relationship development services. The company's relationship-building system includes software and training that combine to increase the quality and speed of the relationship building process.

# **Company Details**

**Principal:** Jared Steward, CEO **Industry:** Business Services

Year Founded: 1999

# **Transaction Details**

**Description:** Equity, Warrant/Option

Amount: \$105,000 Date: 4/4/13

9883 South 500 West, Sandy, UT 84070 www.ingrammedical.com P: 877.215.0452

**Company Details** 

# Employees: Approx. 80

Year Founded: 2011

Principal: Jeff Smith, CEO

**CFO:** Justin Leavitt

**Industry:** Healthcare Distributors

Ingram Medical specializes in delivering medications and diabetes testing supplies to employees with chronic illnesses, saving employers money on health care costs and improving employee adherence to medications.

# Transaction Details

**Description:** Series B **Amount:** \$30,000,000

**Date:** 9/5/13

# **Outside Professionals**

Law Firm: Bennett Tueller

Johnson & Deere
CPA: Tanner LLC

Investor(s): Intermountain

Healthcare, Inc.;

INGRAM MEDICAL

StepStone Group.

LP; Mercato
Partners: Kickstart

Seed Fund





34 E 1700 S, Ste 220, Provo, UT 84606 www.insidesales.com P: 801.853.4090

InsideSales.com provides cloud-based, sales automation and predictive analytics tools for inside sales professionals.

# **Company Details**

**Principal:** David Elkington, CEO **Industry:** Computer software,

Telecommunications:

Hardware

# **Transaction Details**

Description: Series B
Amount: \$35,000,000
Date: 1/8/13

# **Outside Professionals**

**CPA:** Tanner LLC, Eide Bailly LLP









Instructure, Inc.

# 619 East 550 South, Heber City, UT 84032 P: 801.674.5226

Inspired Applications Group, LLC offers a solution for saving storage and protection software product license keys to consumers, business, and educational institutions.

# **Company Details**

**Principal:** Mark Bay, Partner **Industry:** Internet Software and

Services

# **Transaction Details**

**Amount:** \$150,000 **Date:** 8/16/13

9020 Sandy Parkway, Suite 300, Sandy, UT 84070 www.instructure.com P: 801.869.5000



Instructure, Inc. was created with the purpose of disrupting the Learning Management System (LMS) market by setting a new, open standard for education technology. The Company's primary product, Canvas, is an open source cloud-based learning management system that is marketed to institutions of learning.

# **Company Details**

**Principal:** Josh Coates, CEO **CFO:** Mat Searle

**Industry:** Application Software

Year Founded: 2008

# **Transaction Details**

Amount: \$30,000,000 Date: 5/13/13

# **Outside Professionals**

Law Firm: Cooley LLP

CPA: EY

Investor(s): Bessemer Venture
Partners; EPIC



Ventures; OpenView

Venture Prtns;

TomorrowVentures,

LLC

12244 South Business Park Drive, Suite 230, Draper, UT 84020 www.iosnow.com P: 888.225.3148



Integrated Ordering Systems, Inc. provides POS ordering systems for restaurants.

# **Company Details**

Principal: Joshua Stevens, CEO Industry: Application Software

Year Founded: 2009

# **Transaction Details**

Amount: \$750,000

Date: 11/15/13

# **Outside Professionals**

Investor(s): Park City Angel
Network

4225 West Lake Park Blvd, Suite 100, West Valley City, UT 84120 www.inthinc.com
P: 866.294.8637



Inthinc, Inc. is a telematics service provider focused on driver safety, fleet management and compliance.

# **Company Details**

**Principal:** Todd W. Follmer, CEO **CFO:** Vivek Chaturvedi

**Industry:** Communications

Equipment

Year Founded: 1997

# **Transaction Details**

Amount: \$24,000,000 Date: 9/17/13

675 Arapeen Drive, Suite 302, Salt Lake City, UT 84108 www.jadetherapeutics.com
P: 646.918.7479



Jade Therapeutics, Inc. develops ophthalmic sustained-release drug delivery platforms.

# **Company Details**

**Principal:** Arthur Klausner

Industry: Biotechnology Year Founded: 2011

# **Transaction Details**

**Description:** Common stock, Options, Warrants

Amount: \$600,000 Date: 11/8/13

1275 West 1600 North, Suite 100, Orem, UT 84057 www.getjive.com P: 801.426.5782



Jive Communications, Inc. provides enterprise-grade Hosted VoIP and Unified Communications to businesses and institutions and is rapidly becoming the standard for business communications worldwide.

# **Company Details**

Principal: John Pope, CEO
CFO: Sam Simmons
Industry: Technology -

**Telecommunications** 

Year Founded: 2006

# **Transaction Details**

Description: Preferred Stock
Amount: \$21,624,803
Date: 9/12/13





**Outside Professionals** 

Law Firm: Holland & Hart LLP

CPA: Tanner LLC

JustFamily

2749 East Parley's Way, Suite 210, Salt Lake City, UT 84109 www.juneaubiosciences.com
P: 888.362.4496



Juneau Biosciences, LLC offers medical diagnostic services such as diagnostic services for women's health issues and medical diagnostic testing services.

# **Company Details**

**Principal:** Kenneth Ward, CEO **CPA:** Eric L. Robinson

**Industry:** Biotechnology

Year Founded: 2006

# **Transaction Details**

Description: Equity, Debt, War-

rant/Option

**Amount:** \$25,000 **Date:** 11/22/13

# **Outside Professionals**

CPA: Tanner LLC



# www.justfamily.com



JustFamily is a mobile and web application purposefully designed to help families stay close.

# **Company Details**

**Principal:** Nate Quigley **Industry:** Software

# **Transaction Details**

Amount: Not disclosed

Date: 10/9/13

# **Outside Professionals**

Investor(s): Plus550

90 East 100 South, Suite 208, St. George, UT 84770 www.keymedimaging.com
P: 435.272.4321



KeyMed Imaging LLC operates a diagnostic imaging center.

# **Company Details**

Industry: Healthcare Services

Year Founded: 2012

# **Transaction Details**

Amount: \$1,880,000 Date: 9/16/13 5320 South 900 East, Suite 120, Salt Lake City, UT 84117 www.klevermarketing.com P: 801.847.6444



Klever Marketing, Inc. offers a mobile management services platform for retail and manufacturer clients looking to implement mobile strategies.

# **Company Details**

Principal: Paul Begum
CFO: Robert Campbell
Industry: Application Software

# **Transaction Details**

**Description:** Equity bridge funding **Amount:** Not Disclosed **Date:** 7/17/13

10235 S. Jordan Gateway, Suite 410, South Jordan, UT 84095 www.lendio.com P: 855.853.6346



Lendio matches qualified small business owners to banks, credit unions and other lending sources.

# **Company Details**

Principal: Brock Blake, CEO
CFO: Mark Santiago
Industry: Other
Year Founded: 2010

# **Transaction Details**

Amount: \$4,500,000 Date: 8/6/13

# **Outside Professionals**

Law Firm: Holland & Hart LLP
CPA: Tanner LLC
Investor(s): Tribeca Venture

Partners; Highway 12 Ventures; Runa

Capital

Other Advisor: Advanced CFO









# 1115 Fallbrook Way, Sandy, UT 84094 P: 801.647.4019

# **Company Details**

Year Founded: 2013

# **Transaction Details**

Amount: \$500,000 Date: 12/17/13 LineaGen, Inc.

Park City, UT www.lightheadedbeds.com P: 435.565.4490



LightHeaded Beds allow for interchangeable images, known as HeadLightz, to be illuminated within the patented headboard.

# **Company Details**

Principal: Dennis Forchic, CEO **Industry:** Consumer Products

Year Founded: 2011

# **Transaction Details**

Amount: Not disclosed Date: January, 2013

# **Outside Professionals**

Law Firm: Kunzler Law Grp. PC Investor(s): Park City Angel

Network

423 Wakara Way, Suite 200, Salt Lake City, UT 84108 www.lineagen.com P: 801.931.6200



Lineagen, Inc. provides physicians with a fully integrated genetic testing, counseling, and developmental screening service to aid in the diagnostic evaluation of individuals with autism spectrum disorders or other forms of developmental delay.

# **Company Details**

Principal: Michael S. Paul,

President and CEO

CFO: Brian Garner, Dir of

Finance

**Industry:** Biotechnology

Year Founded: 2002

Stage: Expansion

# **Transaction Details**

**Description:** Series B and Series C

Preferred Stock

Amount: \$23,580,000

**Date:** 11/9/13

# **Outside Professionals**

CPA: Tanner LLC

Investor(s): Kickstart Seed

Fund, Signal Peak Ventures, Sanderling Ventures, Prairie **Gold Ventures** 

Other Advisor: Advanced CFO Solutions







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# **Company Details**

Principal: Michael S. Paul,

President and CEO

**Industry:** Biotechnology

Year Founded: 2002

Stage: Expansion

# **Transaction Details**

Description: Convertible Debt, Op-

tions/Warrants

Amount: \$1,000,000

Date: 2/20/13

# **Outside Professionals**

CPA: Tanner LLC Investor(s): Kickstart Seed Fund, Signal Peak

Ventures, Sanderling Ventures, Prairie Gold Ventures

Other Advisor: Advanced CFO Solutions







675 Arapeen Drive, Suite 202, Salt Lake City, UT 84108 www.lipocine.com P: 801.994.7383



Lipocine, Inc. proprietary technologies enable and enhance oral therapy of poorly absorbed drugs.

# **Company Details**

Principal: Mahesh V. Patel, CEO
CFO: Morgan Brown
Industry: Pharmaceuticals

Year Founded: 1997

# **Transaction Details**

**Amount:** \$38,019,984 **Date:** 7/30/13

# **Outside Professionals**

Law Firm: Cooley LLP
CPA: KPMG LLP

629 Parkway Drive, Suite A, Park City, UT 84098 www.mspaceholdings.com P: 732.223.4407

M Space is a leading modular building company.



# **Company Details**

Principal: Jeffrey Deutschendorf,

President and CEO

CFO: Emily Adler

Industry: Construction and

Engineering

Year Founded: 2001

# **Transaction Details**

Amount: \$2,176,550 Date: 7/30/13

Eden, UT www.mapittrackit.com P: 801.698.8770



MiTi is a simple location-based tool, empowering field reps to accurately capture information in a visual, secure and paperless format.

# **Company Details**

Principal: Brad Hess Industry: SAAS Year Founded: 2013

Stage: Pre Revenue

# **Transaction Details**

**Amount:** \$105,000 **Date:** 9/30/13

# **Outside Professionals**

Law Firm: Bennett Tueller Johnson & Deere

CPA: Allred Jackson
Investor(s): BoomStartup, Park

City Angel Network

Other Advisor: Advanced CFO Solutions

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175 West 200 South, Suite 1004, Salt Lake City, UT 84101 www.masteryconnect.com
P: 801.736.0258



MasteryConnect Inc. provides formative assessment tools.

# **Company Details**

CFO: Mark Pocock
Industry: Internet Software and

Services

Year Founded: 2009

### **Transaction Details**

Description: Series A
Amount: \$4,130,000
Date: 1/19/13

# **Outside Professionals**

Investor(s): Catamount

Ventures

Management

LLC, Learn Capital

Venture Partners

# Salt Lake City, Utah 84101UNITED STATES www.miabathandbody.com P: 800.899.1642



MiA Bath & Body lets you create your own custom scent and add it to any of the luxurious bath and body products.

# **Company Details**

Principal: Joe Appleton, CEO Industry: Cosmetics
Year Founded: 2011

# **Transaction Details**

Description: Seed Preferred
Amount: \$675,000
Date: 6/24/13

# **Outside Professionals**

**Law Firm:** Kunzler Law Group, PC

10808 South River Front Parkway, Suite 150, South Jordan, UT 84095 www.michebag.com P: 801.566.4243



Miche Bag Holdings, LLC designs, manufactures, and sells handbags for women in the United States and internationally.

# **Company Details**

**Principal:** Corbin Church **Industry:** Apparel, Accessories and

**Luxury Goods** 

Year Founded: 2005

# **Transaction Details**

Amount: \$8,000,000 Date: 7/25/13



14621 South 800 West, Suite 100, Bluffdale, UT 84065 www.m-vac.com
P: 801.523.3962



Microbial-Vac Systems Inc. manufactures and supplies surface pathogen sampling solutions.

# **Company Details**

**Industry:** Electronic Equipment

and Instruments

Year Founded: 2002

# **Transaction Details**

**Description:** Convertible debt **Amount:** \$1,000,000 **Date:** 10/10/13

310 East 4500 South, Suite 450, Salt Lake City, UT 84107 www.mshare.net P: 801.263.2333



Mindshare Technologies, Inc. provides software as a service based customer survey and enterprise feedback management solutions.

# **Company Details**

Principal: John Sperry, CEO
CFO: Mark Webb
Industry: Internet Software and

Services

Year Founded: 1996

# **Transaction Details**

Description: Series D Amount: \$18,999,996 Date: 9/17/13

# **Outside Professionals**

Law Firm: Kunzler Law

Group, PC (investor

counsel)

CPA: CBIZ MHM, LLC

Investor(s): Peterson Partners

LP; Sorenson

Capital





Mindshare Technologies, Inc.

55 South Geneva Road, Lindon, UT 84042 www.royalquantum.com P: 801.796.8944

MineralRite Corporation engages in the processing, certification, and sale of precious metals in Utah.

# **Company Details**

**Principal:** Guy Peckham **Industry:** Oil and Gas Exploration

and Production

# **Transaction Details**

Description: Debt
Amount: \$100,000
Date: 4/17/13

# **Outside Professionals**

Law Firm: Davisson Associates



MityLite is a global manufacturer of professionally designed, highly durable furniture products.

# **Company Details**

Principal: John Dudash, President

and CEO

CFO: Brent Barton

**Industry:** Home Furnishings

Year Founded: 1987

# **Transaction Details**

**Amount:** \$385,000

**Date:** 11/4/13

2600 Executive Parkway, Lehi, UT 84043 www.mokimobility.com
P: 801.653.0365



The Moki platform allows you to see and manage one, or thousands, of installed applications to enable continuous compliance monitoring, sophisticated rule-based messaging, and remote app settings control to empower the support and operations of mission critical apps.

# **Company Details**

Principal: Tom Karren, CEO
CFO: Eric Johnson
Industry: Other Technology

**Year Founded:** 2012 **Stage:** Expansion

# **Transaction Details**

Description: Seed Preferred Amount: \$2,133,946 Date: 4/3/13

# **Outside Professionals**

Law Firm: Countryman Law LLC; Kunzler Law Group, PC CPA: Tanner LLC



2600 Executive Parkway, Lehi, UT 84043 www.mokimobility.com P: 801.653.0365



The Moki platform allows you to see and manage one or thousands of installed applications to enable continuous compliance monitoring, sophisticated rule-based messaging, and remote app settings control to empower the support and operations of mission critical apps.

# **Company Details**

Principal: Tom Karren, CEO
CFO: Eric Johnson
Industry: Other Technology

Year Founded: 2012 Stage: Expansion

# **Transaction Details**

**Desccription:** Series A Preferred **Amount:** \$6,249,996 **Date:** 9/9/13

# **Outside Professionals**

Law Firm: Countryman Law
LLC; Kunzler Law
Group, PC
CPA: Tanner LLC
Investor(s): Pelican Venture



Multiling

Mommi has created a protein plus vitamin supplement for women, pregnant and otherwise.

# **Company Details**

Principal: Erin Shurtz, CEO **Industry:** Vitamin, Supplements

Year Founded: 2013

# **Transaction Details**

**Description:** Seed funding Amount: \$240,000 **Date:** 11/1/13

# **Outside Professionals**

Investor(s): SLC Angels

86 North University Avenue, Third Floor, Provo, UT 84601 www.multiling.com P: 801.377.2000

MultiLing Corporation provides translation services.



Principal: Michael Sneddon, CEO **CFO:** Kent Thomas **Industry:** Publishing Year Founded: 1992

# **Transaction Details**

**Amount:** \$10,300,000 **Date:** 8/13/13

# **Outside Professionals**

Law Firm: Ray Quinney & Nebeker

CPA: Tanner LLC

Investor(s): Frontier Capital LLC Other Advisor: Advanced CFO







MyRooms Inc. is a technology company creating web software and specializing in social networking, gamification methods, advanced graphics and visual identities.

# **Company Details**

Principal: Jeremiah Barker **Industry:** Computer software

Year Founded: 2013

# **Transaction Details**

Amount: \$2,450,000 **Date:** 12/2/13



Noah Corp.

357 West 200 South, Salt Lake City, UT 84101 www.myrooms.org
P: 801.201.1365



MyRooms Inc. is a technology company creating web software and specializing in social networking, gamification methods, advanced graphics and visual identities.

**Company Details** 

**Principal:** Jeremiah Barker **Industry:** Computer software

Year Founded: 2013

**Transaction Details** 

**Amount:** \$1,510,000

Date: 4/30/13

59 West 100 South, Salt Lake City, UT 84101 www.nexiaholdings.com
P: 801.575.8073



Nexia Holdings, Inc. is a diversified holdings company with operations in entertainment, health & beauty, and real estate.

# **Company Details**

**Principal:** Richard Surber,

President and CEO

CFO: Richard Surber

**Industry:** Specialized Consumer

Services

Year Founded: 1987

# **Transaction Details**

Amount: \$50,000 Date: 3/6/13

2640 West 15090 South, Riverton, UT 84065 www.mynoahs.com P: 801.859.2656



Noah Corp. operates a multi-use facility for various life events.

# **Company Details**

Principal: William Bowser,

President

**Industry:** Real Estate Operating

Companies

Year Founded: 2007

# **Transaction Details**

Amount: \$50,000 Date: 9/25/13

Date: 9/25/

1280 South 800 East, Orem, UT 84097 www.northstaralarm.com P: 801.373.7827



NorthStar is a top home security provider and authorized dealer of Honeywell Security Products.

# **Company Details**

Principal: Jason Christensen,

President

CFO: Justin Dinehart,

Controller

**Industry:** Home Security

# **Transaction Details**

Amount: \$22,590,000 Date: 5/14/13

466 East 500 South, Salt Lake City, UT 84111 P: 801.232.3364

Owns and operates a photovoltaic power plant.

# **Company Details**

**Industry:** Independent Power

**Producers and Energy** 

**Traders** 

Year Founded: 2013

# **Transaction Details**

Amount: \$5,000,000 Date: 10/21/13

Date: 10/21/

456 East 500 South, Suite 205, Salt Lake City, UT 84111 www.nu-medplus.com P: 801.746.3570



Nu-Med Plus is an early stage medical device company, principally engaged in the design, innovation, development, enhancement, and commercialization of beginning, early, and selective later-stage medical devices.

# **Company Details**

**Principal:** Jeffrey L. Robins, CEO **Industry:** Biotechnology

Year Founded: 2011

# **Transaction Details**

Amount: \$190,000

Date: Various

# **Outside Professionals**

Investor(s): Smith Corporate
Services Inc

**Nutranomics Inc.** 

420 E. South Temple, Suite 520, Salt Lake City, UT 84111 www.numirabio.com P: 801.320.0682



Numira Biosciences, Inc., a contract research organization, provides imaging services for disease research, drug discovery, and pre-clinical studies in animal models.

# **Company Details**

Principal: Michael Beeuwsaert,

CEO

Industry: Medical Research

# **Transaction Details**

**Description:** Convertible Note **Amount:** \$2,135,000

Date: 3/7/13

# **Outside Professionals**

Law Firm: Holland & Hart LLP
Investor(s): Kickstart Seed
Fund, Signal Peak
Ventures, Crocker

Ventures



11487 South 700 East, Salt Lake City, UT www.nutranomics.com P: 801.576.8350



Researches and develops nutritional food and supplements.

# **Company Details**

Principal: Tracy Gibbs
Industry: Pharmaceuticals

Year Founded: 1995

# **Transaction Details**

Amount: \$10,000,000 Date: 12/9/13

3046 East Brighton Place, Salt Lake City, UT 84121 www.oakridgemicro.com
P: 801.201.7635



Designs and develops project models for forest development and forest conservation.

# **Company Details**

**Principal:** Stephen Barber **Industry:** Electrical Components

and Equipment

Year Founded: 2008

# **Transaction Details**

Amount: \$3,100,000

Date: Various

# **Outside Professionals**

Investor(s): Precept Fund
Management
Segregated
Portfolio
Corporation

Olive Tree Ad Network, LLC

1960 Sidewinder Suite 212, Park Ciity, Ut 84060

Pressurized Fluid Delivery.

# **Company Details**

CFO: Harlan Gardiner, CEO **Industry:** Consumer Products

Year Founded: 2008

# **Transaction Details**

Amount: Not disclosed Date: January, 2013

# **Outside Professionals**

Investor(s): Park City Angel Network

# 7538 South Main Street, Midvale, UT 84097 P: 801.602.4673

Olive Tree Network is a digital ad network and marketing company specializing in connecting its customers with the right audience.

# **Company Details**

**Principal:** Andrew Oman, CEO **Industry:** Business Services

Year Founded: 2012

# **Transaction Details**

Amount: \$250,000 **Date:** 12/5/12

9100 South 500 West, Sandy, UT 84070 www.omnilytics.com P: 801.746.3600



OmniLytics is a biotechnology company engaged in the research and development of bacteriophage solutions for pathogen control in agricultural, food and water, industrial, pharmaceutical, and defense markets.

# **Company Details**

**Principal:** Justin C. Reber, CEO **Industry:** Biotechnology

Year Founded: 1954

# **Transaction Details**

**Desccription:** Equity, Debt, Warrant/

Option

Amount: \$200,000 **Date:** 6/27/13

OnSite Care, Inc.

98 West Center, Suite B, Logan, UT 84321 www.onapp.com P: 866.234.3240



On App provides a complete Infrastructure-as-a-Service platform for hosts, telcos and MSPs.

**Company Details** 

**Industry:** Computer software

**Transaction Details** 

Amount: \$20,000,000 Date: 1/16/13

247 South 500 East, Salt Lake City, UT 84102 www.onsitecareclinics.com P: 801.441.1002



On Site Care operates a chain of on-site primary care clinics and offers medical consulting, medical clinic, vendor negotiation, and wellness options.

# **Company Details**

Principal: Donna Milavetz,

President and CEO

**Industry:** Healthcare Services

Year Founded: 2007

# **Transaction Details**

Amount: \$750,000 Date: 2/11/13

419 Wakara Way, Suite 207C, Salt Lake City, UT 84108 www.oscillapower.com P: 206.999.5373



Engages in the development of a suite of renewable energy and energy harvesting solutions.

# **Company Details**

**Industry:** Heavy Electrical

Equipment

Year Founded: 2009

# **Transaction Details**

**Description:** Convertible debt

Amount: \$940,000 Date: 5/31/13

# **Outside Professionals**

CPA: Eide Bailly LLP



419 Wakara Way, Suite 207C, Salt Lake City, UT 84108 www.oscillapower.com P: 206.999.5373



Oscilla Power engages in the development of a suite of renewable energy and energy harvesting solutions.

# **Company Details**

**Industry:** Heavy Electrical

Equipment

Year Founded: 2009

# **Transaction Details**

**Description:** Common stock Amount: \$2,480,000 Date: Various

# **Outside Professionals**

CPA: Eide Bailly LLP



2150 South 1300 East, Suite 500, Salt Lake City, UT www.otokinetics.com P: 801.990.2980



OtoKinetics engages in the development of hearing aid devices.

# **Company Details**

Principal: Gregory Koskowich Industry: Healthcare Equip.

Year Founded: 2009

# **Transaction Details**

**Description:** Convertible debt **Amount:** \$1,500,000 Date: 5/20/13

# **Outside Professionals**

CPA: CBIZ MHM, LLC Other Advisor: Advanced CFO Solutions







1 East Center Street, Provo, UT 84606 www.madewithstudio.com P: 801.310.6827

Overlay Studio develops mobile applications. The company's products include Studio, a design creation and sharing application for iPhone.

# **Company Details**

Principal: Joseph Wilson,

President

**Industry:** Software Year Founded: 2013

# **Transaction Details**

**Description:** Seed Preferred **Amount:** \$1,000,000 **Date:** 9/10/13

# **Outside Professionals**

CPA: Haynie & Co Investor(s): SV Angel; Kickstart

Seed Fund;

CrunchFund; Peak

Ventures



Owlet manufactures healthcare products which monitor heart rate, oxygen levels, and skin temperature for babies.

**Company Details** 

**Principal:** Kurt Workman **Industry:** Healthcare Equipment

Year Founded: 2012

**Transaction Details** 

**Amount:** \$20,000

**Date:** 12/2/13

**Outside Professionals** 

Investor(s): TechStars, LLC

210 North 1200 East, Suite 101, Lehi, UT 84043 www.oxzen.com P: 801.851.5589



Oxzen operates as an online and Internet marketing services company.

**Company Details** 

**Industry:** Advertising

**Transaction Details** 

**Description:** Majority share to

investors

Amount: Not Disclosed **Date:** 4/30/13

9160 South 300 West, Suite 101, Sandy, UT 84070 P: 801.706.9429

Pacific Ventures Group markets and underwrites specialized property and casualty coverage in the general aviation insurance marketplace.

**Company Details** 

**Industry:** Brett Bertolami CFO: Bertolami, Brett **Industry:** Property and Casualty

Insurance

Year Founded: 1986

**Transaction Details** 

**Description:** Preferred stock Amount: \$170,000 **Date:** 6/21/13

299 South Main Street, Salt Lake City, UT 84111 www.parkcitygroup.com P: 435.645.2000



Park City Group, Inc. has developed a cloud-based, SAAS technology platform that allows retailers and their suppliers to make sense of the millions of consumer transactions that occur daily and use that information to reduce out of stocks, increase sales, and lower inventory levels throughout the supply chain.

# **Company Details**

Principal: Randall K. Fields,

Chairman and CEO

CFO: Ed Clissold

**Industry:** Other Technology

Year Founded: 2001 # Employees 48

# **Transaction Details**

**Description:** Common stock **Amount:** \$3,922,015

**Date:** 3/12/13

# **Outside Professionals**

CPA: Tanner LLC



4956 North 300 West, 3rd Floor, Provo, UT 84604 www.peakcapitalpartners.com P: 801.341.0300



Peak Capital Partners acquires, owns, and manages traditional and student apartment complexes in the United States.

# **Company Details**

**Principal:** Bryant, Kandis **Industry:** Real Estate Operating

Companies

Year Founded: 2000

# **Transaction Details**

**Amount:** \$850,000 **Date:** 12/12/13

# **Outside Professionals**

CPA: Eide Bailly LLP
Investor(s): Advanced CFO
Solutions





50 Red Pine Drive, Alpine, UT 84004 www.peer60.com
P: 801.692.1536



Peer60, Inc. offers solutions to discover customer insights and insights from executive decision-makers for B2B companies and healthcare providers in North America, Europe, Asia, and Australia.

# **Company Details**

**Principal:** Bikman, Jeremy **Industry:** Internet Software and

Other Services

Year Founded: 2010

# **Transaction Details**

**Description:** Seed Preferred **Amount:** \$750,000

Date: 11/15/13

# **Outside Professionals**

Law Firm: Holland & Hart

LLP, Kunzler Law Group, PC (investor

counsel)

Investor(s): Kickstart Seed

Fund, Park City Angel Network



PO Box 980632, Park City, UT, 84098 www.penblade.net P: 385.312.0484



PenBlade's no-look blade retraction helps keep surgical staff safe when passing or disposing.

# **Company Details**

Principal: Barry K. Hanover,

CEO

Industry: Health/Medical

# **Transaction Details**

**Decription:** Series A Preferred

**Amount:** \$1,100,000

**Date:** 12/24/13

# **Outside Professionals**

Law Firm: Kunzler Law Group,

Investor(s): PC

Kickstart Seed Fund, Park City Angel Network

500 East Technology Ave., Orem, UT 84097 www.perfectsearchcorp.com P: 801.437.1100



Perfect Search Corporation's patented technology delivers enterprise search technology.

# **Company Details**

Principal: Kurt Garbe, CEO

**Industry:** Other Technology

Year Founded: 2007

# **Transaction Details**

**Description:** Debt, Warrant/Option

Amount: \$4,500,000 Date: 3/30/12

6222 West, 10480 North Highland, UT 84003 www.photopharmics.com
P: 801.770.6960

PhotoPharmics offers a breakthrough medical treatment which stops the progression of Parkinson's.

# **Company Details**

Principal: Kent Savage, CEO Industry: Medical Devices &

Equipment

Year Founded: 2011

# **Transaction Details**

Amount: Not Disclosed

Date: January, 2013

# **Outside Professionals**

Law Firm: Kunzler Law Group

PC

Investor(s): Park City Angel

Network, SLC

Angels

1488 Westbury Way, #H, Lehi, UT 84043 www.rentcomfy.com P: 801.712.5094



Comfy provides an advanced web and mobile app based software platform that helps students and other renters find their ideal appartment.

# **Company Details**

Principal: Jordan Wright,

President

**Industry:** Technology

Year Founded: 2013

# **Transaction Details**

**Amount:** \$600,000

Date: 11/15/14

# **Outside Professionals**

Law Firm: Holland & Hart LLP



67 South Main Street, Suite 300 , Layton, Utah 84041 www.pluralsight.com
P: 801.784.9007

Pluralsight LLC provides online developer training services.

# **Company Details**

**Principal:** Aaron Skonnard, CEO **CFO:** Greg Woodward

**Industry:** Education Services

Year Founded: 2004

# **Transaction Details**

**Amount:** \$27,500,000

**Date:** 1/2/13

# **Outside Professionals**

**CPA:** PricewaterhouseCoopers

LLP

**Investors(s):** Insight Venture Partners





67 South Main Street, Suite 300 , Layton, Utah 84041 www.pluralsight.com P: 801.784.9007

Pluralsight LLC provides online developer training services.

# **Company Details**

**Principal:** Aaron Skonnard, CEO

CFO: Greg Woodward

**Industry:** Education Services

Year Founded: 2004

# **Transaction Details**

Amount: \$5,000,000

**Date:** 7/31/13

# **Outside Professionals**

CPA: PricewaterhouseCoopers

ПD

**Investors(s):** Insight Venture Partners







PrimaryData, Inc.

244 West 300 North, Suite 210, Salt Lake City, UT 84103 www.thepowerpot.com P: 801.554.4205



Power Practical, Inc. develops energy products.

# **Company Details**

**Principal:** Matt Ford, CEO **Industry:** Other Technology

Year Founded: 2011

# **Transaction Details**

Description: Seed Preferred
Amount: \$1,000,000
Date: 1/22/13

# **Outside Professionals**

Law Firm: Kunzler Law Group,

PC

CPA: CBIZ MHM, LLC

Investor(s): Kickstart Seed Fund,

Park City Angel



Network

11222 Eagle View Drive, Sandy, UT 84092 www.primarydata.com P: 818.335.0336



PrimaryData is developing next generation data virtualization and mobility technologies to manage how information is stored and shared globally.

# **Company Details**

**Principal:** David Flynn, CEO **Industry:** Other Technology

Year Founded: 2010

# **Transaction Details**

Amount: \$62,500,000 Date: 10/28/13

# **Outside Professionals**

Law Firm: Holland & Hart LLP Investor(s): Accel Partners, Battery

Ventures, Lightspeed Venture Partners, Pelion



Venture Partners and Wing Venture Partners, Mercato Partners, Epic

Ventures

321 South 1250 West, Lindon, UT 84042 www.profireenergy.com P: 801.796.5127



Profire Energy, Inc. engages in the manufacture, installation, and service of oilfield combustion management technologies and related products for the oil and gas industry.

# **Company Details**

Principal: Brenton Hatch,

President and CEO

**CFO:** Andrew Limpert **Industry:** Oil and Gas Equipment

and Services

# **Transaction Details**

Amount: \$4,735,843

**Date:** 11/18/13

# **Outside Professionals**

Law Firm: Dorsey & Whitney LLP
CPA: Sadler, Gibb, and Ass., LLC

Investor(s): Downsview Cap., Inc.;

Wolverine Asset Mgmt, LLC; Walrus PRs LLC; Bibicoff Family Trust; Hudson Bay Cap. Mgmt LP; Brio Cap. L.P.; Cranshire Cap. Advisors, LLC.





# **Company Details**

**Industry:** Gary R. Sams, Manager

Biotechnology

Year Founded: 2012

# **Transaction Details**

Description: Common stock
Amount: \$2,480,000
Date: Various

330 North Cutler Drive, North Salt Lake , UT 84054 www.progrexion.com P: 801.384.4100



Progrexion is a technology enabled consumer services business that leads the way in credit repair.

#### **Company Details**

**Principal:** Jeffrey Johnson, CEO **Industry:** Software/Credit Repair

Year Founded: 1995

#### **Transaction Details**

**Description:** Equity **Amount:** \$45,000,000 **Date:** 12/31/13

#### **Outside Professionals**

Investor(s): Prospect Capital

# www.meltorganic.com



Melt Organic's flagship product, Rich & Cream MELT Organic, is a luscious butter improvement.

# **Company Details**

Principal: Cygnia Rapp, Founder Industry: Organic Foods

Year Founded: 2013

#### **Transaction Details**

**Description:** Seed funding **Amount:** \$55,000 **Date:** 7/1/13

#### **Outside Professionals**

Investor(s): SLC Angels

**Quail Creek Founders, LLC** 

Salt Lake City, Utah www.purepredictive.com P: 801.890.5190



PurePredictive takes the complicated task of predictive analytics, previously only performed by data scientists, and puts it in the hands of analysts, database administrators, programmers, and even business domain experts.

# **Company Details**

**Principal:** Justin C. Reber, CEO **Industry:** Software

#### **Transaction Details**

Amount: Not Disclosed

Date: 1/30/13

#### **Outside Professionals**

Investor(s): Plus550

6120 Verness Cove, Holladay, UT 84121 P: 801.918.9958

#### **Company Details**

**Principal:** Edward Ekstrom, Manager

**Industry:** Business Services

Year Founded: 2012

# **Transaction Details**

Amount: \$375,000 Date: 4/11/213

333 South State Street, PO Box 45360, Salt Lake City, UT 84145 www.questargas.com P: 801.324.5555



Engages in the distribution of natural gas to residential and commercial customers in Utah, southwestern Wyoming, and southeastern Idaho.

# **Company Details**

Principal: Ronald Jibson
CFO: Kevin Hadlock
Industry: Gas Utilities

Year Founded: 1922

#### **Transaction Details**

Description: Long Term Notes
Amount: \$150,000,000
Date: 7/18/13



3900 Freedom Circle, Suite 110, Santa Clara, CA, 95054 www.rackwareinc.com P: 408.430.5821



RackWare, Inc. is a privately held company focused on delivering solutions to easily and cost-effectively enable the use of cloud for today's enterprises.

# **Company Details**

Principal: Sash Sunkara
Industry: Enterprise Technology

Year Founded: 2009

#### **Transaction Details**

**Description:** Seed Preferred **Amount:** \$2,000,000 **Date:** 4/1/13

# **Outside Professionals**

Law Firm: Kunzler Law Group,

PC

Investor(s): Kickstart Seed

Fund, Park City Angel Network

266 West Center Street, Orem, UT 84057 www.freelinc.com P: 866.467.1199

Doing business as FreeLinc, the company operates as a wireless accessory communications company.

# **Company Details**

Principal: Anthony Sutera
CFO: Jared Jensen
Industry: Communications

Equipment

Year Founded: 2003

#### **Transaction Details**

**Amount:** \$2,000,000 **Date:** 11/16/13

90 South 400 West Salt Lake City, UT 84101 www.radiatemedia.com P: 801.214.2800

Radiate Media provides software and services that empower local media and businesses to find and capture the audience that matters most.

# **Company Details**

Year Founded: 2002

**Principal:** Chris Rothey, CEO **Industry:** Software

#### **Transaction Details**

Amount: Not disclosed

Date: August, 2013



#### **Outside Professionals**

CPA: Tanner LLC
Investor(s): Park City Angel
Network





49 West 9000 South, Suite 1, Sandy, UT 84070 www.rafarma.com P: 801.210.7135



Rafarma Pharmaceuticals, Inc. is a multi-product pharmaceutical company, produces and sells drugs, generic antibiotics, and specialty pharmaceuticals in the Russian Federation.

# **Company Details**

Principal: David Anderson
CFO: Sergey Brusnitsin
Industry: Pharmaceuticals

#### **Transaction Details**

Amount: \$1,200,000 Date: 12/12/13

1188 West Sportsplex Drive, Suite 201, Kaysville, UT 84037 www.ragnarrelay.com P: 801.499.5024

Ragnar provides overnight relay racing services in the United States.



#### **Company Details**

**Principal:** Christopher Infurchia **Industry:** Movies and

Entertainment

Year Founded: 2003

#### **Transaction Details**

**Description:** Membership units **Amount:** \$8,160,000 **Date:** 4/12/13

#### **Outside Professionals**

CPA: Tanner LLC



351 North 500 East, Orem, UT 84097 www.rainapps.com P: 801.602.4673

Rainapps, Inc. develops a technology for the massive distribution of social media pages to social network followers and video email campaigns.

# **Company Details**

Principal: Aaron Johnson,

**Executive Officer** 

Industry: Software

Year Founded: 2008

#### **Transaction Details**

**Description:** Equity, Warrant/Option

Amount: \$150,000 Date: 5/13/13 1775 North Warm Springs Road, Salt Lake City, UT 84116 www.reaganoutdoor.com
P: 801.526.1400



Reagan Outdoor leases advertising space on billboards.

# **Company Details**

**Principal:** William K. Reagan, CEO **CFO:** Landon Farnsworth

**Industry:** Outdoor Advertising

Year Founded: 1965 # Employees: Approx. 80

#### **Transaction Details**

Amount: Not disclosed

#### **Outside Professionals**

Law Firm: Clyde Snow & Sessions
CPA: Tanner LLC



15 West South Temple, Suite 1050, Salt Lake City, UT 84101 www.richfieldoilandgas.com P: 801.519.8500



Richfield Oil & Gas Company is a publicly held independent oil and gas company engaged in the exploration, exploitation, acquisition, and production of crude oil and natural gas in the U.S.

#### **Company Details**

Principal: Douglas C. Hewitt, Sr.,

President and CEO
CFO: Glenn G. MacNeil
Industry: Oil & Gas Exploration &

Production

Year Founded: 2002

#### **Transaction Details**

**Description:** Equity, Warrant/Option

Amount: \$505,000 Date: 5/3/13

#### **Outside Professionals**

CPA: Mantyla

McReynolds, LLC

1992 Churchill Dr., Saratoga Springs, UT 84045 www.sagebin.com



# **Company Details**

Principal: Rodrigo Sagebin

#### **Transaction Details**

**Description:** Convertible Note **Amount:** \$120,000

Date: 11/15/13

# **Outside Professionals**

Investor(s): Kickstart Seed Fund, various angels Salt Stack, Inc.

# 3550 N University Ave, Suite 375 Provo, UT, 84604 www.mysalesrabbit.com P: 801.418.9009



Sales Rabbit specializes in tracking leads, assigning areas, tracking results, etc, making it the best single tool for field sales reps and canvassers available.

# **Company Details**

**Principal:** Brady Anderson, CEO **Industry:** Software

Year Founded: 2011

#### **Transaction Details**

Amount: Not disclosed

**Date:** May, 2013

#### **Outside Professionals**

Law Firm: Kunzler Law Group

PC

Investor(s): Park City Angel

Network, Kickstart

Seed Fund

5272 S. College Drive, Suite 301, Murray, UT 84123 www.saltstack.com P: 801.590.0557



SaltStack, Inc. develops powerful and efficient software used by the world's largest businesses for data center automation, cloud orchestration, server provisioning and application configuration management.

# **Company Details**

Principal: Marc Chen, CEO **Industry:** Internet Software and

Services

Year Founded: 2012

#### **Transaction Details**

Amount: \$1,760,000 **Date:** 2/15/13

#### **Outside Professionals**

Law Firm: Holland & Hart LLP CPA: Tanner LLC





62 West 220 South, Orem, UT 84058 P: 801.301.1421



Scan, Inc. connects the real world with the digital universe.

#### **Company Details**

**Principal:** Garrett Gee, CEO **Industry:** Other Technology

Year Founded: 2011

#### **Transaction Details**

Amount: \$6,499,998 **Date:** 11/2/12

# **Company Details**

**Principal:** Jeff Bullock, Manager **Industry:** Other Health Care

Year Founded: 2013

#### **Transaction Details**

Amount: \$250,000 Date: 6/5/13

#### **Outside Professionals**

Other Advisor: Advanced CFO Solutions



67 North Center Street, American Fork, UT 84003 www.screenie.com P: 855.782.4473

Screenie, Inc. provides digital interviewing and screening products that help businesses to find and hire job candidates.

#### **Company Details**

Principal: Kenneth Frei, President Industry: Other Technology

Year Founded: 2013

#### **Transaction Details**

**Amount:** \$425,000 **Date:** 10/10/13

# **Outside Professionals**

**CPA:** Haynie & Co **Investor(s):** Peak Ventures, Park

City Angel Network

150 West Civic Center Drive, Suite 100, Sandy, UT 84070 www.securealert.com P: 801.451.6141



SecureAlert, Inc., together with its subsidiaries, markets and deploys offender management programs, combining patented global positioning system tracking technologies, intervention-based monitoring capabilities, and case management services.

# **Company Details**

**CFO:** Chad Olsen **Industry:** Electronic Equipment

and Instruments

Year Founded: 1995

# **Transaction Details**

**Description:** Promissory notes **Amount:** \$1,200,000 **Date:** 2/1/13

# **Outside Professionals**

Law Firm: Durham Jones & Pinegar, PC
CPA: Eide Bailly LLP
Investors(s): Sapinda Asia Ltd







2749 East Parley's Way, Suite 200, Salt Lake City, UT 84109 www.seraprognostics.com P: 801.990.0520



Sera Prognostics, Inc., a biotechnology company, develops diagnostic and blood tests that help physicians to predict and manage preterm birth, preeclampsia, and other pregnancy complications.

# **Company Details**

Principal: Gregory C. Critchfield,

CEO

**CFO:** Andrew A. Sauter **Industry:** Other Health Care

Year Founded: 2008

#### **Transaction Details**

Description: Debt

Amount: \$1,250,000 Date: 9/20/13

#### **Outside Professionals**

**CPA:** Tanner LLC



5511 South 6055 West, West Valley City, UT 84118 www.silencerco.com P: 801.417.5384

Silencerco LLC is a gun silencer manufacturing company.



#### **Company Details**

Principal: Joshua Waldron,

Executive Officer

**CFO:** Joshua Mercer **Industry:** Manufacturing

Year Founded: 2008

Stage: Growth

# Employees: 50

#### **Transaction Details**

**Amount:** \$620,639

**Date:** 11/18/13



Law Firm: Durham Jones &

Pinegar, P.C.

CPA: Tanner LLC







**Snap Advances LLC** 

136 East South Temple, Suite 2420, Salt Lake City, UT 84111 www.snapadvances.com P: 516.247.1909

Snap Advances LLC provides Merchant Cash Advance Funding.



# **Company Details**

Principal: Matthew Hawkins,

Manager

**Industry:** Banking and Finance

Year Founded: 2009

#### **Transaction Details**

Amount: \$3,500,000

**Date:** 10/4/13

#### **Outside Professionals**

Law Firm: Parr Brown Gee &

Loveless

CPA: Tanner LLC

Other Advisor: Advanced CFO

Solutions





136 East South Temple, Suite 2420, Salt Lake City, UT 84111 www.snapfinance.com P: 801.336.5230



Snap Finance LLC provides short term lending to consumers.

# **Company Details**

Principal: Matthew Hawkins,

Manager

**Industry:** Banking and Finance

Year Founded: 2012

# **Transaction Details**

**Amount:** \$3,000,000

**Date:** 10/4/13

#### **Outside Professionals**

Law Firm: Parr Brown Gee &

Loveless

**CPA:** Tanner LLC

Other Advisor: Advanced CFO

Solutions





180 N University Ave, Ste 810, Provo, UT 84604

**Transaction Details** 

Amount: \$725,000

**Outside Professionals** 

Investor(s): Renewable Tech

Ventures

260 South 2500 West, Suite 102, Pleasant Grove, UT 84062 www.sollenaturals.com
P: 888.787.0665

Solle Naturals, LLC develops and markets natural health supplements.



**Industry:** Personal Products

Year Founded: 2011

**Transaction Details** 

Amount: \$300,000 Date: 9/20/13



815 West 1250 South, Orem, UT 84058 www.speakworks.com P: 801.717.3499



SpeakWorks, Inc. develops a video coaching and feedback system for educational and professional organizations.

# **Company Details**

**Principal:** Ken Meyers, President

and CEO

**Industry:** Internet Software and

Services

Year Founded: 2011

#### **Transaction Details**

**Description:** Seed 2 Preferred

**Amount:** \$300,000

Date: 10/8/13

#### **Outside Professionals**

Law Firm: Kunzler Law Group,

PC

# 1781 Sidewinder Drive, Suite 201, Park City, UT 84068 P: 435.658.1349

Spectrum DNA, Inc. operates a social media studio that creates digital networked applications, which are engines of engagement (enginets) primarily for media outlets and brand advertisers.

#### **Company Details**

Principal: Parrish Ketchmark,

Owner CFO: Terrence Dunne

**Industry:** Internet Software and

Services

Year Founded: 2006

# **Transaction Details**

**Description:** Common stock **Amount:** \$250,000

Date: 4/22/13

14193 S Minuteman Dr. Suite 100, Draper, Utah www.spingo.com P: 877.377.4646



SpinGo Solutions, Inc. offers a SaaS online calendar that communities, publishers and others can offer to their clients.

# **Company Details**

**Principal:** Kreg Peeler, CEO

Internet

**Industry:** Software and Services

Year Founded: 2013

# **Transaction Details**

**Description:** Bridge Financing **Amount:** \$2,400,000

Date: 5/16/13

# **Outside Professionals**

Law Firm: Kunzler Law Group,

Solutions

PC

Investor(s): Plus550

Other Advisor: Advanced CFO

ADVANCED CFO SOLUTIONS 1890 South 3850 West, Salt Lake City, UT 84104 www.sportenduranceinc.com P: 888.511.9018



Sport Endurance, Inc. develops, manufactures, markets and distributes quality dietary supplement products throughout the United States.

# **Company Details**

Principal: Gerald Ricks, President

and CEO

Industry: RetailingYear Founded: 2001

#### **Transaction Details**

Amount: \$250,000 Date: 1/21/13

8211 North Sapphire Drive, St. George, UT 84770 www.sportstocks.com P: 435.705.4449



Sportfolio, LLC operates a stock market Website for sports enthusiasts in the United States.

# **Company Details**

**Industry:** Internet Software and

Services

Year Founded: 2011

#### **Transaction Details**

**Description:** Membership units

Amount: \$500,000 Date: 8/30/13

#### **Outside Professionals**

Law Firm: Durham Jones & Pinegar, P.C.



4626 North 300 West, Provo, UT 84604 P: 801.705.8968

Sundance Strategies, Inc., a specialty financial services company, engages in the life insurance secondary market settlement activities in the United States.

# **Company Details**

Principal: Randall F. Pearson,

President

**Industry:** Insurance

# **Transaction Details**

Amount: \$15,092,500

Date: 5/31/13

Sandy, UT www.Symptom.ly P: 801.296.9000



Symptom.ly is a clinically validated symptom tracking platform for insurers, doctors, and patients, to reduce the costs of chronic illness.

# **Company Details**

**Principal:** Shane Willard, CEO **Industry:** SAAS

#### **Transaction Details**

**Amount:** \$225,000 **Date:** 9/30/13

#### **Outside Professionals**

Law Firm: Bennett Tueller
Johnson & Deere
CPA: Grant Thornton
Investor(s): University of Utah,

BoomStartup, Park City Angel Network

Other Advisor: Advanced CFO

Solutions



1350 East Main Street, Lehi, UT 84043 P: 801.372.4215

Thermal Imaging Radar, LLC manufactures Thermal Radar, a rotating LWIR camera.

#### **Company Details**

**Principal:** Michael Dortch,

President

Industry: Other Technology

Year Founded: 2012

#### **Transaction Details**

Amount: \$400,000 Date: 10/28/13

75 North 200 West, Hurricane, UT 84737 P: 701.390.9383

# **Company Details**

**Principal:** Beau Davis, Manager

and President

CFO: Kevin Tallman

Industry: Other Year Founded: 2013

#### **Transaction Details**

**Amount:** \$180,000 **Date:** 10/3/13

364 West 2720 South, Salt Lake City, UT 84115 www.tutegenomics.com P: 858.779.4363



Tute Genomics, Inc. provides a cloud-based clinical genome interpretation solution that enables researchers to expedite scientific discovery by analyzing, organizing, and querying human genomic data. It offers its medical-grade Web application to researchers, laboratories, and pharmaceuticals.

#### **Company Details**

Principal: Reid J. Robison, CEO **Industry:** Health Care Technology

Year Founded: 2012

#### **Transaction Details**

Amount: \$20,000 Date: 6/3/13

#### **Outside Professionals**

CPA: Haynie & Co Investor(s): BoomStartup Other Advisor: Advanced CFO

Solutions



364 West 2720 South, Salt Lake City, UT 84115 www.tutegenomics.com P: 858.779.4363



Tute Genomics, Inc. provides a cloud-based clinical genome interpretation solution that enables researchers to expedite scientific discovery by analyzing, organizing, and querying human genomic data. It offers its medical-grade Web application to researchers, laboratories, and pharmaceuticals.

#### **Company Details**

Principal: Reid J. Robison, CEO **Industry:** Health Care Technology

Year Founded: 2012

#### **Transaction Details**

Amount: \$1,225,000

Date: 12/12/13

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## **Outside Professionals**

CPA: Haynie & Co Investor(s): Wilmington Pharm.,

> LLC; Salt Lake Life Science Angels; Park City Angel Network;

Peak Ventures; SLC

Other Advisor: Angels

Advanced CFO Solutions

364 West 2720 South, Salt Lake City, UT 84115 www.tutegenomics.com



Tute Genomics, Inc. provides a cloud-based clinical genome interpretation solution that enables researchers to expedite scientific discovery by analyzing, organizing, and querying human genomic data. It offers its medical-grade Web application to researchers, laboratories, and pharmaceuticals.

#### **Company Details**

Principal: Reid J. Robison, CEO Industry: Health Care Technology

Year Founded: 2012

P: 858.779.4363

#### **Transaction Details**

**Description:** Purchase of Convertible

**Promissory Note** 

Amount: \$50,000 Date: 9/11/13

#### **Outside Professionals**

CPA: Haynie & Co Investor(s): Peak Ventures Other Advisor: Advanced CFO Solutions



**Utah Film Investment Group, LLC** 

# 3165 East Millrock Drive, Suite 550, Salt Lake City, UT 84121 P: 435.608.6395



Uintah Gateway Holdings, LLC develops environmental facility for processing of crude oil and other heavy hydrocarbon resources from the Uintah Basin of Northeastern Utah and surrounding regions.

# **Company Details**

Principal: Vince Memmott,

President

**Industry:** Other Energy

Year Founded: 2012

#### **Transaction Details**

Amount: \$5,300,032 Date: 8/26/13

255 Main Street, Park City, UT 84060 P: 312.346.1460

**Company Details** 

Year Founded: 2013

**Transaction Details** 

**Amount:** \$1,000,000 **Date:** 12/23/13

10011 South Centennial Parkway, #100, Sandy, UT 84070 www.southtownesurgery.com P: 615.344.9551



Utah Surgery Center, L.P., doing business as South Towne Surgery Center, operates as a multi-specialty ambulatory surgical center. It offers a range of procedures in various specialties, including dental, ENT, gastro-intestinal, general surgery, gynecology, interstim, orthopedic, lap bands, minimally invasive spine, plastic, podiatry, sports/spine, and urology.

**Company Details** 

**Principal:** John M. Franck II, Vice

President of General

Partner

**Industry:** Healthcare Facilities

**Transaction Details** 

**Amount:** \$1,679,020 **Date:** 3/12/13

VAPORSENS EXPLOSIVES & NARCOTICS DETECTION

Vaporsens develops highly sensitive gas and vapor sensors for the detection of Volatile Organic Compounds including explosives, narcotics, amines and peroxides.

## **Company Details**

Principal: Ben Rollins, CEO Industry: Technology Year Founded: 2011

#### **Transaction Details**

Amount: Not Disclosed

Date: 5/15/13

#### **Outside Professionals**

Investor(s): Plus550
Other Advisor: Advanced CFO
Solutions



1682 E. Yale Avenue, Salt Lake City, UT 84105 www.veritract.com P: 801.990.2498



Veritract develops feeding tubes with integrated optics and steering allowing precision tube placement and confirmation in the GI tract through direct vision.

#### **Company Details**

**Principal:** Hunter Jackson, CEO **Industry:** Medical Supplies

#### **Transaction Details**

Description: Series A
Amount: \$500,000
Date: 3/8/13

#### **Outside Professionals**

Investors(s): Kickstart Seed Fund, Upstart, Park City Angel Network

165 Mountain Way Drive, Orem, UT 84058 www.viamotors.com P: 801.764.9111



VIA Motors, Inc. develops and manufactures electric vehicles.

#### **Company Details**

Principal: John Weber, CEO
CFO: Richard D. Clayton
Industry: Manufacturing

Year Founded: 2010

#### **Transaction Details**

**Description:** Equity, Warrant/Option

Amount: \$5,754,300 Date: 10/25/13 165 Mountain Way Drive, Orem, UT 84058 www.viamotors.com
P: 801.764.9111



VIA Motors, Inc. develops and manufactures electric vehicles.

# **Company Details**

Principal: John Weber, CEO
CFO: Richard D. Clayton
Industry: Manufacturing

Year Founded: 2010

#### **Transaction Details**

**Amount:** \$8,881,378 **Date:** 11/22/13

2802 West 1100 North, Layton, UT 84041 P: 801.792.9099

# **Company Details**

**Principal:** Rene Rodriguez,

Member, Board of Managers

Industry: Other

#### **Transaction Details**

**Amount:** \$600,000 **Date:** 9/10/13

350 East 500 South, Suite 101, Salt Lake City, UT 84111 www.visualshare.com P: 801.521.0257



VisualShare, Inc. provides software solutions for image exchange, management and collaboration for Multi Disciplinary Team Review.

# **Company Details**

**Principal:** Patricia Goede, CEO **Industry:** Health Care Technology

#### **Transaction Details**

Description: Debt, Warrant/Option
Amount: \$500,000
Date: 3/25/13

#### **Outside Professionals**

Law Firm: Holland & Hart LLP
Other Advisor: Preferred CFO



615 Arapeen #304, Salt Lake City, UT 84108 www.vutara.com P: 801.512.2664



Vutara enables researchers to study the structures and processes of cells at the single molecule level by delivering the first ever super-resolution, single-molecule localization microscope with 3D capability.

#### **Company Details**

**Principal:** Stan Kanarowski, CEO **Industry:** Biotechnology

#### **Transaction Details**

Description: Series A Amount: \$750,000 Date: 6/4/13

#### **Outside Professionals**

Law Firm: Kunzler Law

Group PC (investor

counsel)

Investor(s): Kickstart Seed

Fund, Signal Peak Ventures, Park City Angel Network

9690 South 300 West, Sandy, Utah 84070 www.WarmZe.com P: 407.620.3758



Warmze is a solution for warming baby bottles.

#### **Company Details**

**Principal:** Maureen Christy, CEO **Industry:** Consumer Products

Year Founded: 2009

#### **Transaction Details**

Amount: Not disclosed

Date: March, 2013

#### **Outside Professionals**

Investor(s): Park City Angel
Network

100 South 500 West, Bountiful, UT 84010 www.wasatchcredit.com P: 801.298.1847



# **Company Details**

**Principal:** David L. Nelson, Pres. **Industry:** Real Estate - Comm.

Year Founded: 2012

#### **Transaction Details**

**Amount:** \$100,000 **Date:** 11/19/13

#### **Outside Professionals**

Law Firm: Holland & Hart LLP



Waste Water Compliance Systems

# 825 North 300 West, Suite C325, Salt Lake City, UT 84103 www.microfl.com P: 801.532.4486



Wasatch Microfluidics, Inc. designs, manufactures and sells microfluidic devices and life science instrumentation.

# **Company Details**

**Principal:** Josh Eckman, President **Industry:** Medical Devices and

Equipment

Year Founded: 2005

#### **Transaction Details**

**Amount:** \$482,631 **Date:** 12/26/13

# **Outside Professionals**

CPA: Eide Bailly LLP



Salt Lake City, UT www.wcs-utah.com P: 801.999.827



Wastewater Compliance Systems Inc.

Wastewater Compliance Systems, Inc. are proprietary, igloo-shaped, submergible aeration devices (PooGloos) that competitively fulfill unmet needs of non-compliant wastewater lagoon operators.

#### **Company Details**

Principal: Fred Jaeger, CEO Industry: Clean Tech
Year Founded: 2008

#### **Transaction Details**

Amount: Not Disclosed

Date: June, 2013

#### **Outside Professionals**

Law Firm: Kunzler Law

Group PC (Investor

Counsel)

Investor(s): Park City Angel

Network

136 E South Temple, Ste 925, Salt Lake City, UT 84111



**Transaction Details** 

**Amount:** \$921,010

# **Outside Professionals**

Investor(s): Renewable Tech
Ventures

Ramona Avenue, Salt Lake City, UT 84105 www.wedgies.com P: 603.724.0108



Wedgies owns and operates an online platform which allows its users to create, conduct, and share surveys.

#### **Company Details**

Principal: Porter Haney, CEO Industry: Internet Software and

Services

#### **Transaction Details**

**Description:** Seed funding Amount: Not Disclosed Date: 2/25/13

#### **Outside Professionals**

Investor(s): SV Angel; 500

Startups

Swaner EcoCenter, 1258 Center Drive, Park City, UT 84068 www.waveipt.com P: 435.731.0308



Wireless Advanced Technologies, a Utah State University technology spin-out company, tackels the problem of heavy and expensive vehcile batteries through wireless power, transferring electricity between vehicle and roadway.

#### **Company Details**

Principal: Mike Masquelier, CEO **Industry:** Other Technology

Year Founded: 2011

#### **Transaction Details**

Description: Debt, Warrant/Option Amount: \$750,000

Date: 12/23/13

#### **Outside Professionals**

Law Firm: Kunzler Law Group, PC (investor

counsel)

3340 American Saddler Drive, Park City, UT 84060 www.waveipt.com P: 435.731.0308



Wireless Advanced Technologies, a Utah State University technology spin-out company, tackels the problem of heavy and expensive vehcile batteries through wireless power, transferring electricity between vehicle and roadway.

# **Company Details**

Principal: Mike Masquelier, CEO **Industry:** Other Technology

Year Founded: 2011

#### **Transaction Details**

Description: Seed Preferred Amount: \$1,400,000 5/29/13 Date:

#### **Outside Professionals**

Law Firm: Kunzler Law Group, PC (investor counsel)

# 2420 Briarcreek Circle, Holladay, UT 84117 P: 801.201.4677

WKFH Funding, LLC offers business services.

#### **Company Details**

**Industry:** Business Services

Year Founded: 2013

#### **Transaction Details**

Amount: \$1,700,000 **Date:** 2/25/13

20 North Main Street, Ste. 301, St. George, UT 84770 P: 435.313.2549

Xeron Oil & Gas provides oil and gas exploration services.

# **Company Details**

Principal: Michael V. Lee, CEO

Industry: Oil & Gas Year Founded: 2010

**Transaction Details Amount:** \$342,000

Date: Various dates in 2013

60 East South Temple, Suite 1800, Salt Lake City, UT 84111

www.Xi3.com P: 801.534.4401



Xi3 Corporation creates incredibly small, adaptable, lower-cost computers, servers and other devices.

# **Company Details**

Principal: Jason Sullivan, CEO **Industry:** Computer Hardware

#### **Transaction Details**

Description: Convertible Debt, Warrant/Option

Amount: \$10,000,000

#### **Outside Professionals**

CPA: Tanner LLC



6030 North Market Street, Park City, UT 84098 www.zaniaclearning.com P: 435.575.7737



Zaniac is on a mission to get kids worldwide engaged in math and technology, giving them the skills and motivation to create a better future.

# **Company Details**

**Principal:** Paul Zane Pilzer, CEO **Industry:** Education

#### **Transaction Details**

Amount: Not Disclosed

Date: February, 2013

#### **Outside Professionals**

Investor(s): Park City Angel
Network

Other Advisor: Preferred CFO

11650 South State Street, Suite 101, Draper, UT 84020 www.zarbees.com P: 801.599.8558



Zarbee's, Inc. is a manufacturer and distributor of natural cough and cold remedies with an emphasis on cough and cold remedies for children under the age of 12 years of age.

#### **Company Details**

**Principal:** Bryce Johnson, CEO **CFO:** Joel Hinz

Industry: Other Health Care
Year Founded: 2008

#### **Transaction Details**

**Amount:** \$2,200,000 **Date:** 9/25/13

#### **Outside Professionals**

Law Firm: Holland & Hart LLP
CPA: CBIZ MHM, LLC
Other Advisor: Advanced CFO

Solutions









3165 Millrock Drive, Salt Lake City, UT 84121 www.zulde.com P: 801.414.6859



Zulde provides an integrated mobile marketing platform that allows any business to create a mobile app in minutes.

# **Company Details**

**Principal:** Brad Wright, CEO **Industry:** Software applications

#### **Transaction Details**

**Description:** Seed Round **Amount:** \$ 220,000

#### **Outside Professionals**

Other Advisor: Preferred CFO



# Mergers and Acquisitions

2961 West Maple Loop Drive, Suite 300, Lehi, UT 84043 www.2gig.com P: 801.221.9162



2Gig Technologies, Inc. manufactures the most technologically advanced residential security and home automation solutions in the industry.

# **Company Details**

**Princi** Todd Santiago

**Indus** Electronic Equipment

and Instruments

Year Founded: 2007

#### **Transaction Details**

**Amount:** \$135,000,000 **Date:** 2/14/13

Acquirer: Linear LLC

Acquiree: 2GIG Technologies

#### **Outside Professionals**

Law Firm: Durham Jones &

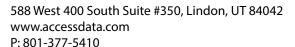
Pinegar, PC; Simpson Thacher & Barlett, WeilGotshal &

Manges

CPA: Tanner LLC











#### **Company Details**

Principal: Tim Leehealey, CEO

**Industry:** Technology

Year Founded: 1987

#### **Transaction Details**

Amount: Not disclosed

**Date:** 4/8/13

**Acquirer:** AccessData Group, Inc. **Acquiree:** Software Forensics, Inc.

#### **Outside Professionals**

Law Firm: Dorsey & Whitney LLP





# 3400 North Ashton Boulevard, Suite 500, Lehi, UT 84043 www.agel.com P: 801.806.4200

Agel Enterprises, LLC develops, produces, and distributes nutritional supplements and cosmetics in gel form.



#### **Company Details**

**Principal:** Craig Bradley **CFO:** Richard Holt

**Industry:** Personal Products

Year Founded: 2005

#### **Transaction Details**

Amount: Not disclosed

**Date:** 8/14/13

Acquirer: CVSL Inc. (OTCPK:CVSL)
Acquiree: Agel Enterprises, LLC

25 East 200 South, Lehi, UT 84043 www.agriconglobal.com P: 801.592.3000



Agricon Global Corporation, a development stage company, plans to clear, cultivate, plant, and produce rotation crops in Ghana, West Africa.

# **Company Details**

Principal: Allan Kronborg

CFO: Robert Bench

Industry: Agricultural Products

#### **Transaction Details**

**Description:** Reverse merger **Amount:** Not disclosed **Date:** 1/3/13

**Acquirer:** Africa Farmlands, Inc. **Acquiree:** Agricon Global Corp.

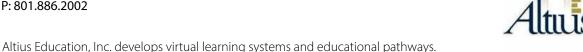
(OTCPK:AGRC)

#### **Outside Professionals**

CPA: Eide Bailly LLP



175 South West Temple, Suite 700, Salt Lake City, UT www.datamark.com P: 801.886.2002



Altius Education, inc. develops virtual learning systems and educa

# **Company Details**

Principal: Matthew Schnittman Industry: Advertising
Year Founded: 2009

# **Transaction Details**

Amount: Not disclosed
Date: 10/10/13
Acquirer: Datamark, Inc.
Acquiree: Altius Education, Inc.

170 S Main Street, Ste 700, Salt Lake City, UT 84101 www.ambreenergy.com
P: 801.539.3789



Ambre Energy Ltd. operates and co-owns US mines that provide high quality coal for powering US homes and businesses, while working to supply modern and emerging Asian economies with affordable energy.

# **Company Details**

**Principal:** Everett King, CEO **CFO:** Everett King

#### **Transaction Details**

**Description:** Purchase of 400,000 shares

Amount: \$200,000 Date: 1/15/13

**Acquirer:** PC Venture Holdings, LLC **Acquiree:** TRG Investors, LLC

# **Outside Professionals**

CPA: Haynie & Co
Investor(s): Peak Ventures

AviaraMD, LLC

# 500 Chipeta Way, Salt Lake City, UT 84108 www.animalreferencepathology.com P: 800.426.2099





# **Company Details**

**Principal:** David Gardiner **Industry:** Healthcare Facilities

Year Founded: 1985

#### **Transaction Details**

Amount: Not disclosed

Date: 8/8/13

**Acquirer:** Gardiner Smith Laboratories, LLC **Acquiree:** Animal Reference Pathology, Inc.

UT

AviaraMD, LLC offers revenue cycle management services and consulting services to the physicians and healthcare sector.

#### **Company Details**

Principal: Newman Brandon Industry: Healthcare Services

Year Founded: 2011

#### **Transaction Details**

Amount: Not disclosed

Date: 11/18/13

**Acquirer:** CureMD Corporation **Acquiree:** AviaraMD, LLC

2989 West Maple Loop, Suite 300, Lehi, UT 84043 www.axispointe.com P: 801.753.0070



AxisPointe, Inc. provides facilities capital planning and asset lifecycle management solutions for managing facilities.

#### **Company Details**

**Industry:** Data Processing and

**Outsourced Services** 

Year Founded: 2002

#### **Transaction Details**

Amount: Not disclosed

**Date:** 8/23/13

Acquirer: Herbert L. Jamison & Co., LLC

Acquiree: AxisPointe, Inc.

2607 South 3200 West, Suite A, West Valley City, UT www.backcountrycorp.com P: 801.973.4553



Bergfreunde GmbH sells climbing and trekking equipment and will operate as a subsidiary of Backcountry.com, Inc.

#### **Company Details**

Principal: Jill Layfield **Industry:** Internet Retail

Year Founded: 1996

#### **Transaction Details**

Amount: Not disclosed **Date:** 12/5/13

Acquirer: Backcountry.com, Inc. Acquiree: Bergfreunde GmbH



33 East Main Street, American Fork, UT 84003 www.bankaf.com P: 801.756.7681

Bank of American Fork engages in general commercial banking business.

#### **Company Details**

**Principal:** Richard Beard, CEO **CFO** Wolf Muelleck **Industry:** Banking

Year Founded: 1913

#### **Transaction Details**

Amount: Not disclosed Date: 10/18/13

**Acquirer:** Bank of American Fork

(People's Utah Bancorp) Acquiree: Lewiston State Bank

# **Outside Professionals**

Law Firm: Dorsey & Whitney LLP **CPA:** Tanner LLC

Other Advisor: D.A. Davidson





7172 South Airport Road, West Jordan, UT www.bctechnical.com P: 801.280.2900

BC Technical, Inc. spealizes in diagnostic imaging.



# **Company Details**

Principal: Mark Alvarez Industry: Healthcare Dist.

Year Founded: 1995

#### **Transaction Details**

**Amount:** Not disclosed **Date:** 8/6/13

Acquirer: BC Technical, Inc. Acquiree: C&G Technologies, Inc.



7172 South Airport Road, West Jordan, UT www.bctechnical.com
P: 801.280.2900



BC Technical spealizes in great service in diagnostic imaging.

# **Company Details**

Principal: Mark Alvarez Industry: Healthcare Dist.

Year Founded: 1995

#### **Transaction Details**

Amount: Not disclosed

Date: 6/8/13

**Acquirer:** BC Technical, Inc. **Acquiree:** MEDX, LLC



7172 South Airport Road, West Jordan, UT www.bctechnical.com
P: 801.280.2900



BC Technical spealizes in great service in diagnostic imaging.

# **Company Details**

Principal: Mark Alvarez Industry: Healthcare Dist.

Year Founded: 1995

#### **Transaction Details**

Amount: Not disclosed

Date: 5/9/13

**Acquirer:** BC Technical, Inc. **Acquiree:** Nuclear Cardiology

Systems, Inc.



7172 South Airport Road, West Jordan, UT www.bctechnical.com
P: 801.280.2900



BC Technical spealizes in great service in diagnostic imaging.

# **Company Details**

**Principal:** Mark Alvarez **Industry:** Healthcare Dist.

Year Founded: 1995

#### **Transaction Details**

Amount: Not disclosed

Date: 1/15/13

**Acquirer:** BC Technical, Inc.

**Acquiree:** Genesis Medical Imaging, Inc.



2320 West Indiana Avenue, Salt Lake City, UT www.bhsmarketing.com
P: 801.973.8232



Steam Engineering, Inc., a steam engineering and maintenance company, engages in developing and modifying steam, cooling, and wastewater systems for food and beverage processing, wood products, industrial, medical, educational, and government sector clients in the United States.

# **Company Details**

**Industry:** Diversified Chemicals

Year Founded: 1998

#### **Transaction Details**

Amount: Not disclosed

Date: 8/19/13

**Acquirer:** BHS Specialty Chemicals **Acquiree:** Steam Engineering, Inc.

390 Wakara Way, Salt Lake City, UT 84108 www.biofiredx.com P: 801.736.6354



BioFire Diagnostics, Inc., a clinical diagnostics company, develops, manufactures, and distributes molecular diagnostic systems to hospital-based clinical laboratories.

#### **Company Details**

**Principal:** Kirk Ririe

CFO; Robert Lollini

Industry: Healthcare Equipment

Year Founded: 1990

# **Transaction Details**

**Description:** Stock purchase, debt

assumption

Amount: \$450,000,000

**Date:** 9/3/13

Acquirer: bioMérieux SA

(ENXTPA:BIM)

Acquiree: BioFire Diagnostics, Inc.

#### **Outside Professionals**

**CPA:** PricewaterhouseCoopers LLP, Eide Bailly LLP







5255 Edgewood Drive #275, Provo UT 84604 www.braven.com P: 801.851.5070

Braven LC, a mobile device accessories company, designs, manufactures, and sells portable Bluetooth speakers for mobile consumers across the world.

# **Company Details**

Principal: Warren Osborn,

CEO

Industry: Consumer

Electronics

Year Founded: 2011

#### **Transaction Details**

Amount: Not disclosed

Date: 8/16/13
Acquirer: Incipio

Technologies, Inc.

Acquiree: Braven LC

#### **Outside Professionals**

Law Firm: Dorsey & Whitney

BRAVED

LLP





**Cambric Corporation** 

UT www.cachevalleybank.com



Cache Valley Bank is a community bank.

#### **Company Details**

**Industry:** Regional Banks

#### **Transaction Details**

**Description:** Certain assets (8 branches)

Amount: Not disclosed

Date: 5/24/13

**Acquirer:** Cache Valley Bank

Acquiree: AmericanWest Bank, N.A., Eight Branches In Central,

Southern Utah

555 East Broadway, Suite 300 Salt Lake City, UT 84102 www.cambric.com P: 801.415.7300



Cambric Corporation provides engineering services to Fortune 100 equipment manufacturing companies in construction, agriculture, mining, rail, and automotive industries around the world.

#### **Company Details**

Principal: Timothy Hayes

CFO: Joyce Lundbom

Industry: Construction and

Engineering

Year Founded: 1989

#### **Transaction Details**

**Description:** Portion performance

based

Amount: \$32,500,000 Date: 4/26/13

**Acquirer:** Tata Technologies

Limited

Acquiree: Cambric Corporation

#### **Outside Professionals**

Law Firm: Holland & Hart LLP



6955 Union Park Center, Suite 540, Midvale, UT 84047 P: 801.539.4700

Canyon Fuel Company, LLC is engaged in the exploration of coal mines in Utah.

#### **Company Details**

Industry: Coal & Consumable

Fuels

Year Founded: 1996

#### **Transaction Details**

**Amount:** \$423,000,000

**Date:** 6/28/13

Acquirer: Bowie Resources Ltd.
Acquiree: Canyon Fuel Company,

LLC

#### **Outside Professionals**

Investor(s): Galena Private Equity

Resources



Canyons Resort comprises a resort with ski area and related amenities.

# **Company Details**

**Industry:** Hotels, Resorts and Cruise Lines

#### **Transaction Details**

Amount: Not disclosed

Date: 5/30/13

**Acquirer:** VR CPC Holdings, Inc. **Acquiree:** Canyons Resort

200 North Fairgrounds Road, Suite 1, Price, UT 84501 www.castleviewhospital.net



Castleview Hospital Surgery Center operates a surgical centre that specializes in pediatric dentistry, dentistry, ophthalmology and oculoplastics surgical services.

# **Company Details**

**Industry:** Healthcare Facilities

# **Transaction Details**

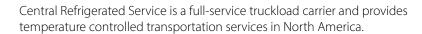
Amount: Not disclosed

Date: 10/3/13

Acquirer: Castleview Hospital, LLC

**Acquiree:** Castleview Hospital Surgery Center

5175 West 2100 South, West Valley City, UT 84120 www.centralref.com P: 801.924.7000





**Principal:** Jon Isaacson **CFO:** Bob Baer Trucking

Year Founded: 2002

#### **Transaction Details**

**Description:** Acquisition **Amount:** \$225,000,000 **Date:** 8/6/13

Acquirer: Swift Transportation Company (NYSE:SWFT)

**Acquiree:** Central Refrigerated Service, Inc.



ClearOne, Inc. (NasdaqCM:CLRO)

825 Gladiola Street, Salt Lake City, UT 84104 www.chelatedmin.com P: 801.746.3515



Chelated Minerals Corporation manufactures reacted amino acid chelates for the human and animals dietary supplement market.

# **Company Details**

**Principal:** Bruce Sherman **Industry:** Pharmaceuticals

Year Founded: 1961

#### **Transaction Details**

Description: Acq. of Chelated Min. Corp. by Innophos Holdings

Inc (NasdaqGS:IPHS)

Amount: \$5,000,000

Date: 10/17/13

Acquirer: Innophos Holdings Inc (NasdaqGS:IPHS)

Acquiree: Chelated Minerals Corp.

Edgewater Corp. Park South Tower, 5225 Wiley Post Way, Salt Lake City, UT www.clearone.com P: 801.975.7200



Dialcom Networks, Spontania Business comprises cloud-based group video conferencing software subscription business.

#### **Company Details**

Principal: Zeynep HakimogluNarsi

**CFO:** Narayanan **Industry:** Communications

Equipment

Year Founded: 1983

#### **Transaction Details**

Description: Acq. of Dialcom Networks, LLC, Spon-

tania Bus.

Amount: \$4,990,000

Date: 12/24/13

Acquirer: ClearOne, Inc. (NasdaqCM:CLRO)
Acquiree: Dialcom Networks, LLC, Spontania Bus.

6550 South Millrock Drive, Suite 200, Salt Lake City, UT 84121 www.coldwellutah.com P: 801.947.8300



Coldwell Banker Commercial Intermountain provides real estate brokerage services in the United States and internationally.

#### **Company Details**

Principal: Lew Cramer
Industry: Real Estate Services

Year Founded: 1906

#### **Transaction Details**

**Description:** Mang. buyout of Cold-

well Banker Comm. SLC,

UT from NRT LLC

Amount: Not disclosed Date: 10/28/13

Acquirer: Coldwell Banker Comm.

Intermountain

Acquiree: Coldwell Banker Comm.

#### **Outside Professionals**

Law Firm: Durham Jones & Pinegar, P.C.



7440 Creek Road, Suite 401, Sandy, UT 84093 www.contexomedia.com
P: 801.365.0700



Contexo Media, LLC is an independent provider of revenue-enhancing solutions for medical practices to maximize their coding, reimbursement and compliance efforts.

# **Company Details**

Principal: Kevin Marcum, CEO
Industry: Medical Coding and
Compliance

#### **Transaction Details**

Amount: Not disclosed

Date: 8/28/13

Acquirer: DecisionHealth LLC
Acquiree: Access Intelligence, LLC

#### **Outside Professionals**

CPA: Tanner LLC



2935 Powder Mountain Road, Eden, UT 84310 www.customsinfo.com P: 801.736.4356

Global Data Mining develops and provides item compliance software solutions.

#### **Company Details**

**Principal:** Ron Lackey **Industry:** Internet Software and

Services

Year Founded: 2004

#### **Transaction Details**

Amount: Not disclosed

Date: 5/21/13

Acquirer: CUSTOMS Info Inc.
Acquiree: Global Data Mining LLC

960 North 400 East, North Salt Lake, UT 84054 www.cycleface.com P: 801.477.7433

Cycleface, Inc. offers internet and mobile applications for the purchase of cycling nutrition products.

#### **Company Details**

Principal: Nate Walkingshaw,

Founder

**Industry:** Application Software

Year Founded: 2012

#### **Transaction Details**

**Description:** Acquisition of Cycleface, Inc. by

Strava, Inc.

Amount: Not disclosed

Date: 9/4/13

**Acquirer:** Strava, Inc. **Acquiree:** Cycleface, Inc.

8871 South Sandy Parkway, Suite 150, Salt Lake City, UT 84070 www.cymphonix.com P: 801.938.1500



Cymphonix Corporation aims to simplify network management for overburdened IT departments, improving Internet performance and reducing bandwidth costs.

# **Company Details**

Principal: Brent Nixon, Joe Lowry **Industry:** Communications Equipment

Year Founded: 2004

#### **Transaction Details**

Amount: Not disclosed **Date:** 10/1/13 **Acquirer:** Untangle, Inc. Acquiree: Cymphonix Corporation

#### **Outside Professionals**

Law Firm: Kunzler Law Group, PC

(investor counsel)

Investor(s): Mercato Partners,

Signal Peak

Other Advisor: Advanced CFO



275 East South Temple, Suite 305, Salt Lake City, UT www.delcam.com P: 801.575.6021



Delcam USA Inc. is one of the world's leading suppliers of advanced CADCAM solutions for the manufacturing industry.

#### **Company Details**

Principal: ZGlenn McMinn **Industry:** Systems Software

Year Founded: 1984

#### **Transaction Details**

Amount: Not disclosed **Date:** 6/24/13

Acquirer: Delcam USA Inc.

Acquiree: CAD CAM Systems, Inc.

1625 North 1100 West, Springville, UT 84663 www.digecor.com P: 801.691.7223



digEcor provides a low cost, turn-key in-flight entertainment solution by specializing in proprietary personal media platforms, content sourcing, & end-to-end programs.

#### **Company Details**

**Principal:** Brent Wood **Industry:** Aerospace & Aviation

Technology

#### **Transaction Details**

**Description:** Merger Amount: Not disclosed **Date:** 8/12/13

#### **Outside Professionals**

Law Firm: Durham Jones & Pinegar P.C.



1180 N Mountain Springs Pkwy, Springville, UT 84663 www.dtint.com P: 801.853.5000



Digital Technology International, LLC also known as DTI, is a provider of editorial, advertising, circulation, Web publishing and production solutions for the newspaper and media industries.

# **Company Details**

Princ Don Oldham, CEO
Indu: Computer software

Year Foun: 1981

#### **Transaction Details**

Amount: Not disclosed

Date: 7/22/13

**Acquirer:** Vista Equity Partners **Acquiree:** Digital Technology Intl.

4015 South Howick Street Salt Lake City, UT 84107 www.discoassociates.com P: 801.268.3500



Disco Associates Incoporated provides heat trace solutions for industry, commercial, and residential customers.

# **Company Details**

**Industry:** Technology Distributors

Year Founded: 1975

#### **Transaction Details**

Amount: Not disclosed

Date: 8/29/13

**Acquirer:** Valin Corporation **Acquiree:** Disco Associates Inc.

533 South 500 West, Provo, UT 84601 www.diversi-tech.net P: 800.950.0141



Diversi-Tech Corporation manufactures automotive parts and trailer towing products.

#### **Company Details**

**Principal:** Lucretia Clifton **Industry:** Auto Parts and Equip.

Year Founded: 2000

# **Transaction Details**

Amount: Not disclosed

Date: 4/25/13

**Acquirer:** Progress Mfg. Inc. **Acquiree:** Diversi-Tech Corp.

DoxTek, Inc.

Freeport Center, Building Z-13, P.O. Box 160492, Clearfield, UT 84016 www.donjuliofoods.com P: 801.775.9909

Don Julio Foods, Inc. produces and sells tortillas.



#### **Company Details**

Principal: Craig FisherIndustry: Packaged Foods and

Meats

Year Founded: 1993

#### **Transaction Details**

Amount: Not disclosed

Date: 2/15/13

**Acquirer:** Tyson Mexican Original, Inc. **Acquiree:** Don Julio Foods, Inc.

264 West Center Street, Orem, UT www.doxtekinc.com P: 877.705.7226



DoxTek, Inc. is a leading provider of electronic document management solutions to forward-thinking organizations in the public and private sectors.

# **Company Details**

Principal: Michael Miles
Industry: Technology

Distributors

# **Transaction Details**

Amount: Not disclosed

Date: 7/26/13

Acquirer: DoxTek, Inc.

Acquiree: Red Eagle Consulting, Inc.

179 North 300 East, Suite 201, St. George, UT 84770 www.dxna.com P: 435.628.0324



PathoGene, LLC, a molecular diagnostics company, engages in the development of molecular diagnostic assays for the detection of infectious diseases and rapid strain identification using DNA technologies for healthcare, veterinary, and public health markets.

# **Company Details**

Principal: David Taus, President
CFO: James Maples
Industry: Biotechnology
Year Founded: 2008

#### **Transaction Details**

Amount: Not disclosed
Date: 7/15/13
Acquirer: DxNA LLC
Acquiree: PathoGene, LLC

7324 South Union Park Avenue, Midvale, UT 84047 www.earthfax.com P: 801.561.1555

EarthFax

EarthFax Engineering Group, LLC is an engineering consulting company, providing environmental engineering, civil engineering, geotechnical engineering, hydrology, geology, land reclamation, and environmental permitting services in the United States and internationally.

#### **Company Details**

**Principal:** Richard White **Industry:** Research and

**Consulting Services** 

Year Founded: 1982

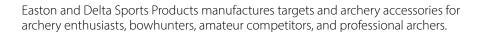
#### **Transaction Details**

Amount: Not disclosed

Date: 8/13/13

**Acquirer:** Pacific Western Technologies, Ltd. **Acquiree:** EarthFax Engineering Group, LLC

# 5040 West Harold Gatty Drive, Salt Lake City, UT 84116-2897 www.eastontp.com P: 801.539.1400





**Industry:** Leisure Products

Year Founded: 1922

#### **Transaction Details**

Amount: Not disclosed

Date: 9/20/13

**Acquirer:** Easton Technical

Products, Inc.

Acquiree: Delta Sports Products,

HC



#### **Outside Professionals**

**CPA:** Tanner LLC



158 E. 4500 S., Salt Lake City, UT 84107 www.ewsutah.com P: 801.268.2555

Electrical Wholesale Supply Company of Utah is one of the top electrical supply companies in the United States.

## **Company Details**

Principal: Reed W. Gardner,

President

**Industry:** Wholesale **Year Founded:** 1973

#### **Transaction Details**

Amount: Not disclosed

**Date:** 9/30/13

**Acquirer:** Border States Ind., Inc. **Acquiree:** Electrical Wholesale Supply

Company of Utah, Inc.

## **Outside Professionals**

Law Firm: Holland & Hart



4505 Wasatch Boulevard, Suite 280, Salt Lake City, UT 84124 www.eligibilityplus.com P: 801.278.9300



Eligibility Plus, Inc. provides eligibility and payment methods solutions for patients and hospitals.

#### **Company Details**

Industry: Managed Healthcare

#### **Transaction Details**

Amount: Not disclosed

Date: 11/4/13

Acquirer: Hawes Financial Group, Inc.

Acquiree: Eligibility Plus, Inc.

423 West 300 South, Suite 200, Salt Lake City, UT 84101 www.energysolutions.com
P: 801.649.2000



EnergySolutions, Inc. offers customers a full range of integrated services and solutions, including nuclear operations, characterization, decommissioning, decontamination, site closure, transportation, nuclear materials management, processing, recycling, and disposition of nuclear waste, and research and engineering services across the nuclear fuel cycle.

## **Company Details**

**Principal:** David Lockwood, CEO

**CFO:** Gregory Wood

**Industry:** Environmental and Facilities Services

Year Founded: 1988

## **Transaction Details**

Amount: \$1,177,920,000

**Date:** 1/7/13

**Acquirer:** Energy Capital Partners **Acquiree:** EnergySolutions, Inc.



90 South 400 West, Suite 620, Salt Lake City, UT 84101 www.equis.com P: 801.265.9996



Equis provides charting and technical analysis software solutions for Thomson Reuters' product line to individual investors and professional traders.

#### **Company Details**

**Industry:** Application Software

Year Founded: 1982

#### **Transaction Details**

Amount: Not disclosed

**Date:** 6/17/13

Acquirer: Innovative Market Analysis, LLC

Acquiree: Equis International LLC

1091 South 800 East, Salt Lake City, UT 84105 www.findagrave.com
P: 801.521.3839

# FIND A GRAVE

Find A Grave, Inc. provides online final disposition information from around the world as a virtual cemetery experience.

## **Company Details**

**Principal:** Jim Tipton, Founder **Industry:** Internet Software and

Services

Year Founded: 1995

#### **Transaction Details**

Amount: Not disclosed

Date: 9/30/13

**Acquirer:** Ancestry.com LLC **Acquiree:** Find A Grave, Inc.

4956 N 300 W, Ste 300, Provo, UT 84604 www.fireavert.com P: 800.677.9870



Kitchen fire prevention device

#### **Company Details**

**Industry:** Peter Thorpe, Owner

CFO: Rhett Weller

**Industry:** House Fire Prevention

#### **Transaction Details**

**Description:** Purchase assets of

ActiveFirePrevention, LLC

Amount: \$50,000

Date: 12/3/13

Acquirer: Fire Avert, LLC

Acquiree: ActiveFirePrevention, LLC

#### **Outside Professionals**

**CPA:** Haynie & Co **Investor(s):** Peak Ventures

1570 North Main Street, Spanish Fork, UT www.fivestarfranchising.com P: 855.200.1130



Bath Solutions Dealership Corporation Inc. provides bathroom renovation services including bathtub re-glazing, bathtub installation, tub and shower conversion services.

## **Company Details**

**Principal:** Scott Abbott, CEO **Industry:** Specialized Consumer

Services

Year Founded: 2009

#### **Transaction Details**

Amount: Not disclosed

Date: 6/12/13

Acquirer: Five Star Franchising, Inc.

**Acquiree:** Bath Solutions Dealership Corporation Inc.



730 South Sleepy Ridge Drive, Suite 220, Orem, UT www.franchisefoundry.com
P: 801.704.6500



franchisEssentials, Inc. provides franchise management, marketing, and development services.

#### **Company Details**

Principal: Paul Segreto, CEO Industry: Research and

Consulting Services

Year Founded: 2008

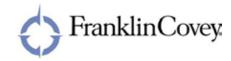
#### **Transaction Details**

Amount: Not disclosed

Date: 1/10/13

**Acquirer:** Franchise Foundry, LLC **Acquiree:** franchisEssentials, Inc.

2200 West Parkway Blvd., Salt Lake City, UT, 84119 www.franklincovey.com
P: 801-817-1776



FranklinCovey is the global consulting and training leader in the areas of strategy execution, customer loyalty, leadership and individual effectiveness.

## **Company Details**

Principal: Bob Whitman,

**CFO:** CEO Stephen

**Industry:** Young Business and

**Professional Services** 

Year Founded: 1984

## **Transaction Details**

**Description:** Remaining stake

purchase

**Amount:** \$12,700,000 **Date:** 3/11/13

**Acquirer:** Franklin Covey **Acquiree:** Ninety Five 5 LLC

## **Outside Professionals**

Law Firm: Dorsey & Whitney LLP





99 North Main Street, Suite 7, Cedar City, UT 84720 www.touchmd.com P: 435.867.0077



Fusion Global, Inc., doing business as TouchMD, provides a solution for medical practices that take patients visually through a consultation with photos, videos, and education.

## **Company Details**

Principal: Kary Smith, CEO
Industry: Health Care Technology

Year Founded: 2007

#### **Transaction Details**

Amount: Not disclosed

Date: 10/10/13

**Acquirer:** ALPHAEON Corp. **Acquiree:** Fusion Global, Inc.

601 Boro Street, Kaysville, UT 84037 www.fusion-imaging.com P: 801.546.4567



Fusion Imaging, inc. designs, prints, builds, installs, and manages custom display and print products for exhibitions, professional presentations, trade shows, conferences, and various events.

## **Company Details**

Principal: Kathy Boydstun,

President

**Industry:** Commercial Printing

Year Founded: 2005

#### **Transaction Details**

Amount: Not disclosed

**Date:** 1/2/13

Acquirer: Vomela Specialty

Company, Inc.

Acquiree: Fusion Imaging, inc.

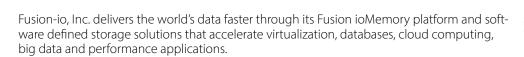
#### **Outside Professionals**

Law Firm: Dorsey & Whitney LLP

Other Advisor: D.A. Davidson



2855 East Cottonwood Parkway, Suite 100, Salt Lake City, UT 84121 www.fusionio.com P: 801.424.5500





#### **Company Details**

Industry: Shane Robison, CEO

CFO: Ted A. Hull

Industry: Computer Storage and

**Peripherals** 

Year Founded: 2006

#### **Transaction Details**

Amount: \$119,000,000

Date: 4/24/13

**Acquirer:** Fusion-io, Inc. (NYSE:FIO) Acquiree: NexGen Storage, Inc.



2855 East Cottonwood Parkway, Suite 100, Salt Lake City, UT 84121 www.fusionio.com P: 801.424.5500

Fusion-io, Inc. delivers the world's data faster through its Fusion ioMemory platform and software defined storage solutions that accelerate virtualization, databases, cloud computing, big data and performance applications.

## **Company Details**

Industry: Shane Robison, CEO

CFO: Ted A. Hull

Industry: Computer Storage and

**Peripherals** 

Year Founded: 2006

#### **Transaction Details**

Amount: Not disclosed

**Date:** 3/18/13

Acquirer: Fusion-io, Inc. (NYSE:FIO)

Acquiree: id7 limited





686 East 110 South, Suite 204, American Fork, UT 84003 www.gofoodsglobal.com P: 800.877.4739



GOFoods, LLC is a premier direct seller in daily use, quick fix, extended shelf-life food.

#### **Company Details**

Principal: Brad Stewart,

President & CEO

**CFO:** Steven Caten, Director

of Finance

**Industry:** Consumer Foods

Year Founded: 2010

#### **Transaction Details**

**Description:** Certain assets

Amount: Not disclosed

**Date:** 9/9/13

**Acquirer:** Youngevity Essential Life Sciences

Acquiree: GOFoods Global

368 South Gold Tip Drive, Orem, UT 84058 www.goldtip.com P: 801.229.1666



Gold Tip, L.L.C. manufactures carbon arrows.

#### **Company Details**

Principal: Marvin Carlston,

President

**Industry:** Leisure Products

Year Founded: 1989

#### **Transaction Details**

Amount: Not disclosed

**Date:** 2/1/13

Acquirer: Bushnell Inc.

Acquiree: Gold Tip, L.L.C.

55 South Geneva Road, Lindon, UT 84042 www.goldfieldeng.com P: 801.796.8944



Goldfield International, Inc. engages in designing and manufacturing recovery equipment for the recovery of gold, diamonds, sapphires, uranium, and other heavy minerals worldwide.

## **Company Details**

**Principal:** Richard Kehmeier, CEO **Industry:** Construction and Farm

Machinery and Heavy

Trucks

Year Founded: 1976

## **Transaction Details**

Amount: \$660,000 Date: 3/6/13

**Acquirer:** MineralRite Corp. (OTCPK:RITE) **Acquiree:** Goldfield International, Inc.

136 South Main Street, Suite 720, Salt Lake City, UT 84101 www.grandeurpeakglobal.com P: 801.384.0000



Grandeur Peak Funds Advisors, LLC is a small ASD microchip focused global equities investment firm.

## **Company Details**

**Principal:** Robert Gardiner **Industry:** Asset Management

and Custody Banks

Year Founded: 2011

#### **Transaction Details**

**Description:** Minority stake **Amount:** Not disclosed **Date:** 7/29/13

**Acquirer:** Grandeur Peak Global Advisors, LLC **Acquiree:** Prodware SA (ENXTPA:ALPRO)

2500 Executive Pkwy #120, Lehi, UT 84043 www.grosocial.com P: 801.717.1164



GroSocial, Inc. develops SaaS based social-media marketing software solutions.

## **Company Details**

**Industry:** Zachary Mangum, CEO **Industry:** Internet Software and

Services

Year Founded: 2009

#### **Transaction Details**

Amount: Not disclosed

Date: 1/22/13

**Acquirer:** Infusionsoft, Inc. **Acquiree:** GroSocial, Inc.

5 Triad Center, Suite 750, Salt Lake City, UT 84111 www.hbmcpas.com P: 801.532.2200

Certified public accounting firm.



## **Company Details**

Industry: Bob Bowen, Managing

Partner

**Industry:** Certified public

accounting & business

consulting

Year Founded: 1969

## **Transaction Details**

Amount: Not disclosed

Date: 9/1/13

Acquirer: Eide Bailly LLP
Acquiree: Hansen, Barnett &

Maxwell, P.C.

HemaSource, Inc.

102 West 12200 South, Draper, UT 84020 www.handstands.com P:801.727.1300



HandStands is a leading designer and supplier of automotive air freshener products sold through mass and aftermarket automotive channels.

#### **Company Details**

Year Founded: 1983

Principal: Chris Anderson, CEO
CFO: Rodd Steuart
Industry: Retail

#### **Transaction Details**

Description: Recapitalization
Amount: Not Disclosed
Date: 5/1/13
Acquirer: Trivest Partners
Acquiree: American Covers, Inc
dba Handstands

#### **Outside Professionals**

**Law Firm:** Holland & Hart **Other Advisor:** Sawaya Segalas



4158 Nike Drive, West Jordan, UT 84088 www.hemasource.com P: 801.280.5151



HemaSource distributes medical-related products and supplies to entities located throughout the United States.

## **Company Details**

Principal: Todd Tracy, CEO
CFO: Matt Johnson
Industry: Healthcare Dist.

Year Founded: 1998 # Employees: 21

#### **Transaction Details**

Amount: Not disclosed
Date: 11/6/13
Acquirer: HemaSource, Inc.
Acquiree: Medical Supplies of

America

#### **Outside Professionals**

Law Firm: Vancott, Bagley, Cornwall & McCarthy, PC CPA: Tanner LLC



1837 South East Bay Boulevard, Suite 201, Provo, UT 84606 www.heritagemakers.com
P: 801.437.8000



Heritage Makers, Inc. offers personalized storybooks, greeting cards, calendars, canvas prints, photo gifts, digital scrap-booking prints, and printed business supplies.

#### **Company Details**

Principal: Chris Lee, CEO Industry: Publishing
Year Founded: 2000

#### **Transaction Details**

Description: Certain assets
Amount: \$1,200,000
Date: 8/8/13

**Acquirer:** Youngevity Essential **Acquiree:** Life Sciences

Heritage Makers, Inc.

## **Outside Professionals**

Other Advisor: Oracle Capital LLC,
Preferred CFO

708 West 1800 North, Suite 11A, Logan, UT 84321 www.hotshotmanufacturing.com P: 435.752.9302



Hot Shot Manufacturing offers products for bows; products to collect and deliver light to the archer's eye; and replacement blades.

## **Company Details**

**Principal:** David White, CEO **Industry:** Leisure Products

#### **Transaction Details**

Amount: Not disclosed

Date: 1/4/13

Acquirer: Hot Shot Manufacturing

Acquiree: EP Hunting LLC

500 Huntsman Way, Salt Lake City, UT 84108 www.huntsman.com
P: 801.584.5700



Enriching lives through innovation

Huntsman International LLC manufactures and sells differentiated organic and inorganic chemical products worldwide.

## **Company Details**

**Principal:** Peter Huntsman, CEO **CFO:** J. Kimo Esplin

**Industry:** Diversified Chemicals

Year Founded: 1970

#### **Transaction Details**

Amount: \$86,000,000

Date: 8/29/13

**Acquirer:** Huntsman Corporation (NYSE:HUN)

Acquiree: Oxid L.P.



500 Huntsman Way, Salt Lake City, UT 84108 www.huntsman.com
P: 801.584.5700



Enriching lives through innovation

Huntsman International LLC manufactures and sells differentiated organic and inorganic chemical products worldwide.

## **Company Details**

Industry: Peter Huntsman, CEO CFO: J. Kimo Esplin

**Industry:** Specialty Chemicals

Year Founded: 1970

#### **Transaction Details**

**Amount:** \$1,325,000,000

**Date:** 9/17/13

**Acquirer:** Huntsman International LLC **Acquiree:** Rockwood Holdings, Inc.



5255 N. Edgewood Drive, Suite 125, Provo, UT 84604 www.i.TV.com P: 801.201.2565



i.TV, LLC develops an online television (TV) guide application platform for iOS and Android mobiles.

#### **Company Details**

**Principal:** Brad Pelo, CEO **Industry:** Internet Software and

Services

Year Founded: 2008

#### **Transaction Details**

Amount: Not disclosed Date: 11/6/13

**Acquirer:** i.TV, LLC **Acquiree:** GetGlue

#### **Outside Professionals**

Law Firm: Dorsey & Whitney

LLLP

Other Advisor: Preferred CFO



5255 N. Edgewood Drive, Suite 125, Provo, UT 84604 www.i.TV.com P: 801.201.2565



i.TV, LLC develops an online television (TV) guide application platform for iOS and Android mobiles.

#### **Company Details**

**Principal:** Brad Pelo, CEO

Industry: Internet Software and

Services

Year Founded: 2008

#### **Transaction Details**

Amount: Not disclosed

**Date:** 11/27/13

Acquirer: i.TV, LLC

Acquiree: AdaptiveBlue, Inc.

#### **Outside Professionals**

Law Firm: Dorsey & Whitney

LLP

Other Advisor: Preferred CFO



7730 South Union Park Avenue, Suite 500, Salt Lake City, UT www.incontact.com
P: 801.320.3200



inContact's flexible cloud-based software helps contact centers efficiently support their customers with personalized interactions, resulting in high customer satisfaction, low attrition and brand loyalty.

## **Company Details**

Principal: Paul Jarman, CEO

CFO: Gregory S. Ayers

**Industry:** Internet Software and

Services

Year Founded: 1994

#### **Transaction Details**

Amount: Not disclosed

Date: 4/1/13

Acquirer: inContact, Inc. (NasdaqCM:SAAS)

Acquiree: Sierra360 LLC

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P: 801.320.3200



inContact's flexible cloud-based software helps contact centers efficiently support their customers with personalized interactions, resulting in high customer satisfaction, low attrition and brand loyalty.

## **Company Details**

Principal: Paul Jarman, CEO
CFO: Gregory S. Ayers
Industry: Alternative Carriers

Year Founded: 1994

#### **Transaction Details**

Amount: \$7,000,000

Date: 7/31/13

Acquirer: inContact, Inc.

Acquiree: Transcent Products

LLC

#### **Outside Professionals**

Law Firm: Parsons Behle (acquirer) Stoel Rives (acquiree)

Other Advisor: D.A. Davidson

## 300 West 12th Street, Ogden, UT 84404 P: 801.753.0100



Infinia Corporation is an energy technology company developing and manufacturing high-efficiency, free-piston Stirling engines that convert readily available and low cost heat sources such as solar, biogas and natural gas into reliable on- or off-grid electricity.

## **Company Details**

Principal: Michael Ward, CEO Industry: Energy, Industrial

products and services

#### **Transaction Details**

Amount: Not disclosed

Date: 11/22/13

Acquirer: Qnergy, a subsidiary

of Ricor Cryogenic and Vacuum Systems

Acquiree: Infinia Corp.

## **Outside Professionals**

CPA: Eide Bailly LLP



1100 East 6600 South, Suite 300, Salt Lake City, UT 84121 www.iatsmartdial.com
P: 800.522.1801

Information Access Technology, Inc., a call center technology developer, provides auto dialing and other communication products for the collection industry.

#### **Company Details**

**Principal:** Randall Cooper, CEO **Industry:** Application Software

Year Founded: 1986

#### **Transaction Details**

Amount: Not disclosed

Date: 11/4/13

**Acquirer:** Enghouse Systems Limited (TSX:ESL) **Acquiree:** Information Access Technology, Inc.

**Interide Logistics LC** 

734 East UT Valley Drive, Suite 100, American Fork, UT 84003 www.integratechs.com
P: 801.216.8450



Integratechs, Inc. provides outsourced information technology (IT) services to businesses and organizations in the United States.

## **Company Details**

**Principal:** Erich Pletsch, President **Industry:** IT Consulting and Other

Services

Year Founded: 2003

#### **Transaction Details**

Amount: Not disclosed

Date: 9/25/13

**Acquirer:** C7 Data Centers, Inc. **Acquiree:** Integratechs, Inc.

2890 West 2100 South, Salt Lake City, UT 84119 www.xpologistics.com P: 801.487.1800



Interide Logistics LC offers freight brokerage services.

## **Company Details**

**Industry:** Air Freight and Logistics

Year Founded: 1984

## **Transaction Details**

Amount: \$3,730,000 Date: 5/7/13

Acquirer: XPO Logistics, Inc. (NYSE:XPO)

Acquiree: Interide Logistics LC

2999 West Highway 40, Roosevelt, UT 84066 P: 435.722.3996



J&R Construction, Inc. offers oil and gas field services, including building locations, roads, and tank batteries, and laying pipelines and roadways.

## **Company Details**

**Industry:** Oil and Gas
Equipment and

Services

## **Transaction Details**

Amount: Not disclosed

**Date:** 9/26/13

**Acquirer:** Jwright Companies, Inc. **Acquiree:** J&R Construction, Inc.

## **Outside Professionals**

Other Advisor: Generational Equity

8072 Highland Drive, Salt Lake City, UT 84121 www.journeyhealingcenters.com P: 801.947.0277



Journey Healing Centers provides treatments for drug and alcohol addictions.

## **Company Details**

**Principal:** Josh Lannon **Industry:** Healthcare Facilities

Year Founded: 2002

#### **Transaction Details**

Amount: Not disclosed

Date: 12/18/13

**Acquirer:** Elements Behavioral Health, Inc. **Acquiree:** Journey Healing Centers

3775 West California Avenue, Suite 100, Salt Lake City, UT 84104 www.justsports.com P: 888.326.9946



Just Sports operates as a sports apparel and merchandise retailer in the United States.

#### **Company Details**

Industry: Apparel Retail
Year Founded: 1987

#### **Transaction Details**

Amount: Not disclosed
Date: 9/22/13
Acquirer: Jazz Basketball

Investors, Inc. **Acquiree:** Just Sports

#### **Outside Professionals**

Other Advisor: Jazz Basketball Investors, Inc.

405 S Main St, Salt Lake City, UT 84111 www.kengarff.com P: 801.257.3400



Ken Garff Automotive Group operates various car dealerships across the Western U.S.

## **Company Details**

Principal: Brett Hopkins

CFO: Philip Johnson

Industry: Automotive Retail

## **Transaction Details**

Amount: Not disclosed

Date: 5/28/13

Acquirer: Ken Garff Automotive

Group

Acquiree: Millbro, Inc. and FMM,

Inc.

#### **Outside Professionals**

CPA: CBIZ MHM, LLC



**Knight Construction** 

405 S Main St, Salt Lake City, UT 84111 www.kengarff.com P: 801.257.3400



Ken Garff Automotive Group operates various car dealerships across the Western U.S.

## **Company Details**

Principal: Brett Hopkins
CFO: Philip Johnson
Industry: Automotive Retail

#### **Transaction Details**

Amount: Not disclosed

Date: 6/4/13

Acquirer: Ken Garff

Automotive Group

Acquiree: Steve Harris Motors

#### **Outside Professionals**

CPA: CBIZ MHM, LLC



## Roosevelt, Utah

Knight Construction manufactures pipeline insulation solutions.

#### **Company Details**

**Industry:** Commodity Chemicals

## **Transaction Details**

Amount: Not disclosed
Date: 6/14/13
Acquirer: CIC Group, Inc.
Acquiree: Knight Construction

1245 East Brickyard Road, Suite 110, Salt Lake City, UT 84106 P: 801.466.4131

Korea Technology Industry America, Inc., through its subsidiaries, acquires and develops oil sands reserves and produces heavy crude oil (bitumen) and asphalt products.

## **Company Details**

Industry: Oil and Gas Exploration

and Production

Year Founded: 2007

#### **Transaction Details**

Amount: \$320,000 Date: 2/27/13

**Acquirer:** Rutter & Wilbanks Corp. **Acquiree:** Korea Technology

Industry America, Inc.

## **Outside Professionals**

Law Firm: Snell & Wilmer

7 South 1550 West, Suite 600, Lindon, UT 84042 www.kttape.com P: 801.224.2717



KT Tape / KT Health, LLC is a leading producer of kinesiology tape & sports medicine products.

## **Company Details**

**Principal:** John MacKay, CEO **Industry:** Consumer Health & Fitness

**Products** 

## **Transaction Details**

Amount: Not disclosed

Date: 12/31/13

**Acquirer:** Palladin Consumer

**Retail Partners** 

Acquiree: KT Health, LLC

#### **Outside Professionals**

Law Firm: Durham Jones &

Pinegar, P.C.

CPA: CBIZ MHM, LLC









6695 South 1300 East, Salt Lake City, UT 84121 www.lhmutah.com
P: 801.947.7500

Certified public accounting firm.

#### **Company Details**

Principal: Bob Lake, Managing

Partner

**Industry:** Certified Public

Accounting & Business Consulting

## **Transaction Details**

**Description:** Merger

Amount: Not disclosed

**Date:** 7/1/13

**Acquirer:** Eide Bailly LLP **Acquiree:** Lake, Hill & Myer

698 West 10000 South, Suite 500, South Jordan, UT www.landesk.com P: 801.208.1500



LANDesk Software provides systems management, security management, service management, asset management, and process management solutions to organizations.

## **Company Details**

**Principal:** Stephen Daly **CFO:** Mark McBride

**Industry:** Application Software

Year Founded: 2000

## **Transaction Details**

Amount: Not disclosed

Date: 4/9/13

**Acquirer:** LANDesk Software, Inc. **Acquiree:** Shavlik Tech., LLC

## **Outside Professionals**

Law Firm: Jones Day

CPA: Eide Bailly LLP



10905 Auto Mall Drive, Sandy, UT 84070 www.lhmchryslerjeep.com P: 801.938.4489



Larry H. Miller Chrysler Jeep Dodge RAM Sandy is a car dealership in Salt Lake City, Sandy, Draper, and South Jordan areas.

## **Company Details**

Principal: Greg Miller, CEO
CFO: Clark Whitworth
Industry: Automotive Retail

Year Founded: 1979

## **Transaction Details**

Amount: Not disclosed

Date: 12/13/13

Acquirer: Bryant Motors, Inc. Larry H. Miller Chrysler

Acquiree: Jeep Dodge RAM Sandy

10905 Auto Mall Drive, Sandy, UT 84070 www.lhmchryslerjeep.com P: 801.938.4489 Fang H. Willer Group of Companies

Larry H. Miller Chrysler Jeep Dodge RAM Sandy is a car dealership in Salt Lake City, Sandy, Draper, and South Jordan areas.

#### **Company Details**

Principal: Greg Miller, CEO
CFO: Clark Whitworth
Industry: Automotive Retail

Year Founded: 1979

#### **Transaction Details**

Amount: Not disclosed

Date: 6/3/13

Acquirer: Larry H. Miller Corporation

Acquiree: Chrysler/Fiat Dealerships in Phoenix

10905 Auto Mall Drive, Sandy, UT 84070 www.lhmchryslerjeep.com P: 801.938.4489



Larry H. Miller Chrysler Jeep Dodge RAM Sandy is a car dealership in Salt Lake City, Sandy, Draper, and South Jordan areas.

## **Company Details**

Principal: Greg Miller, CEO
CFO: Clark Whitworth
Industry: Automotive Retail

Year Founded: 1979

## **Transaction Details**

Amount: Not disclosed

Date: 3/31/13

Acquirer: Larry H. Miller Corp.

Acquiree: Avondale Auto Group

## **Company Details**

Principal: Greg Miller, CEO
CFO: Clark Whitworth
Industry: Automotive Retail

Year Founded: 1979

216 South 200 West, Cedar City, UT www.leavitt.com P: 435.586.6553



Golf Insurance Services, Inc. engages in insuring golf courses and country clubs in California, Nevada, Arizona, Oregon, Utah, Colorado, Washington, and Illinois. As of November 11, 2013, Golf Insurance Services, Inc. operates as a subsidiary of Leavitt Group Enterprises, Inc.

## **Company Details**

Principal: Dane Leavitt
CFO: Mark Kenney
Industry: Insurance Brokers

Year Founded: 1952

## **Transaction Details**

Description: Leavitt Group provides competitive, sophisticated

insurance and risk management solutions.

Amount: Not disclosed

Date: 11/11/13

**Acquirer:** Leavitt Group Enterprises, Inc. **Acquiree:** Golf Insurance Services, Inc.

216 South 200 West, Cedar City, UT www.leavitt.com P: 435.586.6553



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#### **Company Details**

**Principal:** Dane Leavitt **CFO:** Mark Kenney

**Industry:** Insurance Brokers

Year Founded: 1952

#### **Transaction Details**

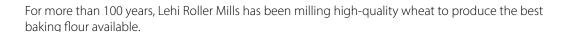
**Description:** Leavitt Group provides competitive, sophisticated

insurance and risk management solutions. **Amount:** Not disclosed

**Date:** 7/12/13

**Acquirer:** Leavitt Group Enterprises, Inc. **Acquiree:** United Valley Insurance Services, Inc.

833 East Main Street, Lehi, UT 84043-2286 www.lehirollermill.com P: 801.768.4401





#### **Company Details**

Principal: R. Sherman Robinson,

CEO

**CFO:** Kyle Standifird **Industry:** Pkg. Foods and Meats

Year Founded: 1910

#### **Transaction Details**

Amount: \$4,680,000 Date: 8/20/13

**Acquirer:** K.E.B. Enterprises LP **Acquiree:** Lehi Roller Mills Co., Inc.

## **Outside Professionals**

CPA: Tanner LLC



1450 West 105 North Orem, Utah 84057 www.lifestylecrafts.com P: 801.616.5900



Lifestyle Crafts, LLC provides dies, L Letterpress systems, adhesives, platforms, and evolution tools for applications ranging from paper crafting to home décor, and applications in between.

## **Company Details**

**Principal:** Michelle Rasmussen **Industry:** Specialty Chemicals

Year Founded: 2010

## **Transaction Details**

Amount: Not disclosed

Date: 9/5/13

Acquirer: We R, LLCLifestyle

Acquiree: Crafts, LLC

#### **Outside Professionals**

Law Firm: Dorsey & Whitney LLP



3838 South 700 East, Suite 202, Salt Lake City, UT 84106 www.crilifetree.com P: 801.269.8200

Lifetree Clinical Research, L.C., a specialized research organization, provides multi-therapeutic clinical research in phase 1-4 clinical trials for biopharmaceutical and device companies.

#### **Company Details**

Principal: Jeffrey Kinell

CFO: Scott Harper

Industry: Life Sciences Tools and

Services

Year Founded: 2003

#### **Transaction Details**

Amount: Not disclosed

Date: 11/13/13

Acquirer: PRA International, Inc.

Acquiree: Lifetree Clinical Research, LLC.

Orem, UT



#### **Transaction Details**

Amount: Not disclosed

**Date:** 9/7/13

**Acquirer:** Lift International **Acquiree:** Thrive Learning, LLC

#### **Outside Professionals**

Law Firm: Dorsey & Whitney LLP



675 Arapeen Drive, Suite 202, Salt Lake City, UT 84108 www.lipocine.com P: 801.994.7383



Lipocine proprietary technologies enable and enhance oral therapy of poorly absorbed drugs.

## **Company Details**

Principal: Mahesh V. Patel, CEO
CFO: Morgan Brown
Industry: Pharmaceuticals

Year Founded: 1997

#### **Transaction Details**

**Description:** Reverse merger **Amount:** Not disclosed **Date:** 7/25/13

Acquirer: Lipocine Inc. (OTCBB:LPCN)

Acquiree: Marathon Bar Corp.

1050 South 200 West, Salt Lake City, UT 84101 www.maxfieldcandy.com P: 801.355.5321



Maxfield Candy Company produces the "fines cholocates in creation."

#### **Company Details**

Principal: Rick Harris, President
CFO: Gil Bowles
Industry: Confection Manf.

Year Founded: 1940

#### **Transaction Details**

Amount: \$2,000,000

Date: 6/27/13

**Acquirer:** International Confections

Company

**Acquiree:** Dynamic Confections

#### **Outside Professionals**

Law Firm: Parr Brown Gee & Loveless

CPA: Tanner LLC



1600 West Merit Parkway, South Jordan, UT www.merit.com P: 801.253.1600



Merit Medical Systems, Inc. (Nasdaq: MMSI) is a worldwide designer, developer, manufacturer and marketer of medical devices used in interventional and diagnostic procedures.

## **Company Details**

Principal: Fred Lampropoulos
CFO: Kent Stanger
Industry: Healthcare Supplies

Year Founded: 1987

## **Transaction Details**

Amount: Not disclosed

Date: 10/7/13

Acquirer: Merit Medical Systems, Inc. (NasdagGS:MMSI)

**Acquiree:** Datascope Corp., Pressure-Assisted Hemostatic Devices



1600 West Merit Parkway, South Jordan, UT www.merit.com P: 801.253.1600



Merit Medical Systems, Inc. (Nasdaq: MMSI) is a worldwide designer, developer, manufacturer and marketer of medical devices used in interventional and diagnostic procedures.

## **Company Details**

**Principal:** Fred Lampropoulos **CFO:** Kent Stanger

**Industry:** Healthcare Supplies

Year Founded: 1987

#### **Transaction Details**

**Amount:** \$2,500,000 **Date:** 10/7/13

**Acquirer:** Merit Medical Systems, Inc. (NasdaqGS:MMSI)

Acquiree: Radial Assist, LLC



12894 Pony Express Road # 700, Draper, UT 84020 www.metasource.com P: 888-634-7684



MetaSource is a next generation Business Process Outsourcer that improves customer experience and shares the focus on your business outcomes.

#### **Company Details**

Year Founded: 2007

Principal: Adam Osthed
CFO: Randy Powell
Industry: Technology

## **Transaction Details**

Amount: Not disclosed

Date: 11/1/13

Acquirer: LaSalle Capital Group

**Acquiree:** MetaSource

#### **Outside Professionals**

Law Firm: Dorsey & Whitney LLP



309 East 4500 South, Suite 450, Salt Lake City, UT 84107 www.mshare.net P: 801.263.2333



Mindshare Technologies provides software as a service based customer survey and enterprise feedback management solutions.

## **Company Details**

Principal: John Sperry, CEO
CFO: Mark Webb

**Industry:** Internet Software and

Services

Year Founded: 1996

## **Transaction Details**

Amount: Not disclosed
Date: 9/19/13
Acquirer: Mindshare Tech., Inc.

Acquiros Empathica Inc

Acquiree: Empathica, Inc.

## **Outside Professionals**

Law Firm: Kunzler Law Group
PC (investor counsel)
CPA: CBIZ MHM, LLC
Investor(s): Peterson Partners LP;
Sorenson Capital





1301 West 400 North Orem, Utah 84057 P: 801.224.0589



**Outside Professionals** 

Other Advisor: D.A. Davidson

MityLite is a global manufacturer of professionally designed, highly durable furniture products.

**Company Details** 

Principal: John Dudash, President

and CEO

**CFO:** Brent Barton

**Industry:** Home Furnishings

Year Founded: 1987

**Transaction Details** 

**Amount:** Not disclosed

Date: 9/20/13

Acquirer: Prospect Cap. Corp.

(NasdaqGS:PSEC); Prospect Cap. Mang.

LLC

Acquiree: MITY Enterprises, Inc.

6415 South 3000 East, Suite 200, Salt Lake City, UT 84121 www.mojoness.com

P: 801.304.7716

MOJONESS
We enjoy creating and innovating.

Mojoness Inc. creates and manages an open network of sites.

**Company Details** 

**Industry:** Internet Software and

Services

Year Founded: 2010

**Transaction Details** 

Amount: Not disclosed

**Date:** 3/25/13

**Acquirer:** The Endurance International Group, Inc.

Acquiree: Mojoness Inc.

2878 West 3500 South, Salt Lake City, UT 84119 P: 801.964.9544

**Mower Specialist** 

Mower Specialists provides lawnmower spare parts and repair services.

**Company Details** 

**Industry:** Specialized Consumer

Services

Year Founded: 1985

**Transaction Details** 

Amount: Not disclosed

Date: 7/23/13

Acquirer: United Service & Sales, Inc.

**Acquiree:** Mower Specialists

## 2855 East Cottonwood Parkway, Suite 400, Salt Lake City, Utah 84121-1050 P: 801.736.5600



Mrs. Fields Famous Brands, LLC provides cookies and brownies in the United States and internationally.

## **Company Details**

Principal: Neal Courtney
CFO: Michael Chao
Industry: Food Retail
Year Founded: 2004

#### **Transaction Details**

**Description:** Minority stake sale **Amount:** Not disclosed **Date:** 7/1/13

**Acquirer:** Z Cap. Mang. LLC **Acquiree:** Mrs. Fields Famous

Brands, LLC

## **Outside Professionals**

CPA: Eide Bailly LLP



80 North 850 East, Suite D, PO Box 814, Lehi, UT 84043 www.naturalearthgrains.com
P: 801.420.3138

Natural Earth Grains LLC supplies food grains including wheat and other raw materials to Lehi Roller Mills Co.

#### **Company Details**

**Industry:** Food Distributors

#### **Transaction Details**

Description: Majority ownership
Amount: Not disclosed
Date: 8/26/13

**Acquirer:** K.E.B. Enterprises LP **Acquiree:** Natural Earth Grains

LLC

2089 Neways Drive, Springville, UT 84663 www.neways.com
P: 801.418.2000



Manufactures and distributes nutrition, personal care, and household care products through a network of independent distributors.

## **Company Details**

Principal: Robert Conlee
CFO: Sloan, James
Industry: Personal Products

Year Founded: 1987

## **Transaction Details**

**Description:** Additional minority stake **Amount:** \$750,000,000

**Date:** 7/12/13 **Acquirer:** Z Cap. Management LLC

Acquiree: Neways, Inc.

## **Outside Professionals**

**CPA:** PricewaterhouseCoopers

LLP

Investor(s): Z Capital Management LLC



1280 South 800 East, Suite 200 Orem, Utah 84097 www.northstaralarm.com P: 801.373.7827



NorthStar is a top home security provider and authorized dealer of Honeywell Security Products.

## **Company Details**

Principal: Jason Christensen,

President

CFO: Justin Dinehart,

Controller

**Industry:** Home Security

Year Founded: 2000

#### **Transaction Details**

Amount: Not disclosed **Date:** 5/15/13

Acquirer: Goldman Sachs Group, Merchant Banking

Division; The Beekman Group, LLC

Acquiree: NorthStar Alarm Services, LLC

75 West Center, Provo, UT 84606 www.nuskin.com P: 800-487-1000

Nu Skin is a personal care consumer products manufacturer.

## **Company Details**

Principal: Truman Hunt, CEO

CFO: Ritch Wood **Industry:** Life Sciences

Year Founded: 1984

#### **Transaction Details**

Amount: \$12,500,000

**Date:** 1/2/13 Acquirer: Nu Skin

**Acquiree:** Nox Technologies

## **Outside Professionals**

Law Firm: Dorsey & Whitney LLP

**CPA:** PricewaterhouseCoopers

LLP







Nu Skin Enterprises, Inc.

1525 West Business Park Drive, Orem, UT 84058 www.nustarmfg.com P: 801.226.3100

Provides nutritional supplement contract manufacturing services.

## **Company Details**

**Industry:** Personal Products

## **Transaction Details**

Amount: Not disclosed **Date:** 12/12/13

Acquirer: Nutroganics, Inc. (OTCPK:NUTT) Acquiree: NuStar Nutritional Manufacturing, LLC



11487 South 700 East, Salt Lake City, UT www.nutranomics.com P: 801.576.8350



Researches and develops nutritional food and supplements

#### **Company Details**

**Principal:** Tracy Gibbs **Industry:** Pharmaceuticals

Year Founded: 1995

#### **Transaction Details**

Amount: Not disclosed

Date: 9/12/13

**Acquirer:** Nutranomics Inc. (OTCBB:NNRX)

Acquiree: Buka Ventures Inc., Prior To Reverse Merger

With Nutranomics

## Ogden, UT

Provides a platform to collect photos of the headstones in a user's local cemetery with a smartphone camera app then to upload the mapped-out photos in the platform.

#### **Company Details**

Industry: Health Care Technology

## **Transaction Details**

Amount: Not disclosed

Date: 1/4/13

Acquirer: Otter Creek Holdings, L.L.C.

Acquiree: BillionGraves

750 Kearns Boulevard, Suite 150, Park City, UT 84068 www.parallelsolutions.com P: 435.214.4248



Provides payment processing solutions.

## **Company Details**

**Industry:** Consumer Finance

Year Founded: 2007

## **Transaction Details**

Amount: \$1,970,000 Date: 1/7/13

**Acquirer:** Spindle, Inc. (OTCPK:SPDL) **Acquiree:** Parallel Solutions Inc.

3222 South Washington Street, Salt Lake City, UT 84115 www.parvus.com P: 801.483.1533



PINNACLE QUEST CONSULTING

Operates as a strategic systems engineering and development partner for aerospace, defense, transportation, and industrial original equipment manufacturers.

#### **Company Details**

**Principal:** George Takach CFO: Childress, Kevin

**Industry:** Electronic Components

Year Founded: 1983

#### **Transaction Details**

Amount: \$38,000,000 **Date:** 10/1/13

Acquirer: Curtiss-Wright Controls, Inc.

**Acquiree:** Parvus Corporation



1532 Charter Oaks Circle, Sandy, UT 84093 www.pinnaclequestconsulting.com

P: 801.410.0466

Provides speaking, coaching, and consulting services to the real estate professionals

## **Company Details**

Indu: Research and

**Consulting Services** 

Year Found 2001

## **Transaction Details**

Amount: Not disclosed Date: 10/16/13

Acquirer: Corcoran Consulting & Coaching Inc.

Acquiree: Pinnacle Quest, LLC

1290 Sandhill Road, Orem, UT 84058



Offers proprietary IT infrastructure and software

## **Company Details**

**Industry:** Electronic Equipment

and Instruments

#### **Transaction Details**

Amount: Not disclosed **Date:** 1/25/13

Acquirer: Protection One, Inc.

Acquiree: Pinnacle Security LLC, Select Assets

90 W 500 S Bountiful, UT 84010 www.texturacorp.com P: 847.235.8400



PlanSwift is the nation's fastest growing developer and distributor of digital estimating and takeoff software for the construction industry.

## **Company Details**

Principal: Patrick Allin, CEO
CFO: Jillian Sheehan
Industry: Computer software,
Construction

#### **Transaction Details**

Amount: Not disclosed
Date: 2/12/13
Acquirer: Textura
Acquiree: Planswift

67 South Main Street, Suite 300, Layton, UT www.pluralsight.com
P: 801.784.9007



Pluralsight LLC provides online developer training services.

## **Company Details**

Principal: Aaron Skonnard, CEO
CFO: Greg Woodward
Industry: Education Services

Year Founded: 2004

#### **Transaction Details**

Amount: Not disclosed
Date: 10/31/13
Acquirer: Pluralsight LLC
Acquiree: Massive Studios Inc.

#### **Outside Professionals**

CPA: PricewaterhouseCoopers





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#### **Company Details**

Principal: Aaron Skonnard, CEO
CFO: Greg Woodward
Industry: Education Services

Year Founded: 2004

#### **Transaction Details**

Description: Cash, stock purchase Amount: \$23,600,000 Date: 8/6/13 Acquirer: Pluralsight LLC

Acquirer: Pluralsight LLC
Acquiree: TrainSignal, Inc.

#### **Outside Professionals**

CPA: PricewaterhouseCoopers





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P: 801.784.9007



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## **Company Details**

Principal: Aaron Skonnard, CEO
CFO: Greg Woodward
Industry: Education Services

Year Founded: 2004

#### **Transaction Details**

Amount: Not disclosed
Date: 7/24/13
Acquirer: Pluralsight LLC
Acquiree: PeepCode Screencasts

#### **Outside Professionals**

**CPA:** PricewaterhouseCoopers

LLP





216 North 700 West, Suite 4C, Ogden, UT 84404 P: 801.612.2223

Manufactures nutritional ingredient powders such as tablet and capsule ready blends.

#### **Company Details**

Industry: Pharmaceuticals

Year Founded: 1998

#### **Transaction Details**

Amount: Not disclosed

Date: 10/22/13

**Acquirer:** Pharmachem Laboratories, Inc. **Acquiree:** Powder Processors, Inc.

333 South 520 West, Lindon, UT 84042 www.power-innovations.com P: 801.785.4123



Provides energy generation and waste heat recovery solutions for individual homeowners and businesses.

#### **Company Details**

Principal: Robert Mount
CFO: Barney, Lynn
Industry: Application Software

Year Founded: 1997

#### **Transaction Details**

Amount: \$18,300,000 Date: 7/15/13

**Acquirer:** Lite-On Technology Corp. (TSEC:2301) **Acquiree:** Power Innovations International, Inc.



4750 West Wiley Post Way, Suite 200, Salt Lake City, UT www.primaryresidentialmortgage.com P: 801.596.8707



Provides residential mortgage lending services

## **Company Details**

Principal: David Zitting CFO: Chapman, Steve

**Industry:** Thrifts and Mortgage

Finance

Year Founded: 1998

## **Transaction Details**

Amount: Not disclosed **Date:** 12/6/13

Acquirer: Primary Residential Mortgage, Inc. Acquiree: The Executive Mortgage Group, Inc.

25 West 500 South, Suite 5, Provo, UT 84601 www.primeinfographics.com P: 801.893.2321



Makes infographics for press releases, product releases, brand recognition, social media, presentations, surveys, as well as motion graphics for commercials, presentations, and various other business events.

## **Company Details**

**Industry:** Advertising Year Founded: 2012

## **Transaction Details**

Amount: Not disclosed **Date:** 5/31/13

Acquirer: Oxzen Media LLC Acquiree: Prime Infographics LLC

166 East 14000 South, Suite 200, Draper, UT 84020 www.wadsco.com

P: 801.553.1661



Engages in the heavy civil construction business primarily in Utah.

## **Company Details**

**Principal:** Kip Wadsworth Industry: Construction and

Engineering

Year Founded: 1975

## **Transaction Details**

**Description:** Remaining share pur.

Amount: \$23,670,000 **Date:** 1/3/13

Acquirer: Sterling Constr. Co. Inc.

(NasdaqGS:STRL)

Acquiree: Ralph L. Wadsworth

Constr. Co., Inc.







## 124 S 400 E Ste 340, Salt Lake City, UT 84111-5317 www.rawdatainc.com P: 855.729.3282

A market research company that combines technology, smartphones, and computers to interact with consumers and track their media exposure.

#### **Company Details**

**Industry:** Services (other)

#### **Transaction Details**

**Description:** RawData purchased

by MarketTools

Amount: Not disclosed

Date: 7/25/13
Acquirer: Market Tools
Acquiree: RawData

#### **Outside Professionals**

CPA: Eide Bailly LLP



9256 South State, Sandy, UT 84070 P: 801.727.2700

A major league soccer club which owns and operates soccer teams

## **Company Details**

**Principal:** Bill Manning **Industry:** Movies and

Entertainment

Year Founded: 2005

#### **Transaction Details**

**Description:** Remaining stake purchase

Amount: Not disclosed

Date: 1/24/13

**Acquirer:** Dell Loy Hansen **Acquiree:** Real Salt Lake



## 2245 South Thunderbird Drive, Salt Lake City, UT 84087 P: 888.493.3822

Converts biomass into synthesis gas

## **Company Details**

**Industry:** Coal and Consumable

Fuels

#### **Transaction Details**

**Description:** Reverse merger **Amount:** Not disclosed **Date:** 7/22/13

**Acquirer:** Medical Cannabis Payment Solutions

(OTCPK:REFG)

Acquiree: Refill Energy, Inc.



**Rocky Mtn. Parts Specialists** 

1991 Commerce Way, West Haven, UT 84401 www.rocket-steel.com P: 801.430.8670



Constructs industrial, commercial, and institutional steel structures in the intermountain west

## **Company Details**

**Industry:** Construction and Engineering

#### **Transaction Details**

Amount: Not disclosed

Date: 7/11/13

Acquirer: APF Industrial, LLC

Acquiree: Rocket Steel Construction, LLC

870 W 410 N, Lindon, UT 84042 www.rmpsusa.com P: 801.443.7200

Rocky Mountain Parts Specialists provides retail of auto parts including suspension parts, hydraulics, batteries, and accessories.

#### **Company Details**

**Industry:** Blake Jackson, CEO **Year Founded:** Bryan Coats

#### **Transaction Details**

Amount: Not disclosed

Date: 1/17/13

**Acquirer:** Rocky Mountain Parts Specialists **Acquiree:** Truman Parts Company Inc.

2140 South 1260 West, Salt Lake City, UT 84119 www.royce-it.com P: 801.975.1234



Supplies photographic and prepress solutions

## **Company Details**

Principal: Roger Bland Industry: Distributors
Year Founded: 1981

## **Transaction Details**

Amount: Not disclosed

Date: 6/24/13

Acquirer: FUJIFILM North America Corporation Royce

Acquiree: Photo/Graphics Supply, Inc.

6415 North Business Park Loop Road, Suite K, Park City, UT 84098 www.s3entertainment.com P: 435.615.8138

Provides digital home automation and audio video solutions

## **Company Details**

**Industry:** Specialized Consumer

Services

#### **Transaction Details**

Amount: Not disclosed

Date: 8/26/13

Acquirer: DSI Entertainment Systems, Inc.

**Acquiree:** S3 Aurant Inc.

90 4th West, Salt Lake City, UT 84101 www.sltrib.com P: 801.257.8742

## The Salt Lake Tribune

Salt Lake Tribune Publishing Company, West Valley City Printing Plant comprises newspaper printing facility.

#### **Company Details**

Principal: Nancy Conway,

Mang.

CFO: Richard Smith

Industry: Commercial Printing

Year Founded: 1870

#### **Transaction Details**

**Description:** Remaining stake purchase

Amount: Not disclosed

Date: 10/21/13

Acquirer: Deseret News Publishing Company, Inc.

Acquiree: Salt Lake Tribune Publishing Company, West

Valley City Printing Plant

2024 N Chappel Dr, Spanish Fork, UT 84660 www.precorp.net P: 801.798.5425



Precorp manufactures a custom line of polycrystalline diamond tools and carbide tools for high speed machining of die cast aluminum, green carbide parts and advanced composite materials. Its products include drills, reamers, end mills, port tools and micro tools.

#### **Company Details**

**Principal:** John Bunting, CEO

**CFO:** Kathy Cowley

Industry: Industrial automation,

Industrial products and services, Manufacturing

(other), Transportation

Year Founded: 1986

## **Transaction Details**

**Description:** Remaining stake purchase

Amount: Not disclosed
Date: 9/24/13
Acquirer: Sandvik AB
Acquiree: Precorp Inc.

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SellUtah.com

6340 South 3000 East, Suite 600, Salt Lake City, UT www.savageservices.com
P: 801.944.6600



Savage Companies provides solutions in materials management systems, transportation systems and related facilities.

## **Company Details**

Principal: Allen Alexander, CEO
CFO: Curtis Dowd, CFO
Industry: Construction and

Engineering

Year Founded: 1946

#### **Transaction Details**

Amount: Not disclosed

Date: 6/11/13

Acquirer: Savage Industries,

Inc.

Acquiree: Ft. Worth Pipe Services,

L.P.

#### **Outside Professionals**

CPA: Eide Bailly LLP



684 East 2900 North, Suite 100, North Ogden, UT 84414 P: 801.737.3333

SellUtah.com operates an online searching site for residents and property owners for real estate properties on sale.

## **Company Details**

**Industry:** Internet Software and

Services

Year Founded: 1963

#### **Transaction Details**

Amount: Not disclosed
Date: 6/18/13
Acquirer: OwnUtah.com
Acquiree: SellUtah.com

Hanksville, UT www.uranium1.com P: 647-788-8461

The company mines for uranium.

## **Company Details**

Principal: Chris Sattler, CEO
CFO: Juliana Lam
Industry: Diversified Metals and

Mining

Year Founded: 1997

## **Transaction Details**

Amount: \$10,000,000 Date: 10/30/13

**Acquirer:** Black Range Minerals

Limited

Acquiree: Uranium One Inc.

#### **Outside Professionals**

Law Firm: Dorsey & Whitney

LLP



97 W 300 S, Millville, UT 84326 www.siliconeplastics.com P: 435.753.7307



Silicone Plastics specializes in moulds and precision engineering and plastics injection and assembly.

## **Company Details**

**Principal:** Brett Hadfield, Owner **Industry:** Chemicals and

materials, Industrial products and services, Manufacturing (other)

#### **Transaction Details**

Amount: \$9,000,000

Date: 2/14/13

Acquirer: Brett Hadfield

Acquiree: Silicone Plastics

3939 South Wasatch Blvd. Suite 1, Salt Lake City, UT 84124 www.simplymac.com
P: 801.308.1400



Simply Mac is committed to providing a quality Apply experience as the largest Apple Specialist in North America. At Simply Mac, we are all Apple, all the time. Same products. Same prices. Same warranties. Same employee expertise.

#### **Company Details**

Principal: Steve Bain, President

Industry: Retail
Year Founded: 2006

#### **Transaction Details**

Amount: Not disclosed

Date: 11/7/13

Acquirer: GameStop Corp.

Acquiree: SimplyMac, Inc.

#### **Outside Professionals**

Law Firm: Holland & Hart LLP
(Seller Counsel)
CPA: Eide Bailly LLP





3300 N. Ashton Boulevard, Suite 500, Lehi, UT 84043 www.sirsidynix.com
P: 801.223.5200



EOS International Inc. develops, markets, and supports cloud computing library automation, content, and knowledge management software and services for libraries worldwide.

## **Company Details**

Principal: Bill Davison, CEO
CFO: John Gardiner

**Industry:** Application Software

Year Founded: 1979

#### **Transaction Details**

Amount: Not disclosed
Date: 11/4/13
Acquirer: Sirsi Corporation
Acquiree: EOS International Inc.

## **Outside Professionals**

**CPA:** PricewaterhouseCoopers

LLP



## 384 South 400 West, Suite 200, Lindon, UT 84042 P: 801.377.5410

Software Forensics, Inc. develops software solutions.

#### **Company Details**

**Industry:** Application Software

Year Founded: 2013

#### **Transaction Details**

Amount: Not disclosed

**Date:** 5/4/13

**Acquirer:** AccessData Group, Inc. **Acquiree:** Software Forensics, Inc.

#### **Outside Professionals**

Law Firm: Dorsey & Whitney LLP



10713 South Jordan Gateway, Suite 100, South Jordan, UT 84095 www.soleranetworks.com P: 801.545.4100

Solera Networks, Inc. operates as a network forensics and security analytics platform provider.



#### **Company Details**

Principal: Stephen Shillingford,

CEO

**CFO:** Kenneth Saunders **Industry:** Internet Software and

Services

Year Founded: 2004

#### **Transaction Details**

Amount: Not disclosed

Date: 5/21/13

**Acquirer:** Blue Coat Systems Inc. **Acquiree:** Solera Networks, Inc.

#### **Outside Professionals**

Law Firm: Cooley LLP // Wilson

Sonsini Goodrich &

Rosati

2650 South Decker Lake Boulevard, Suite 500, Salt Lake City, UT 84119 www.sosstaffing.com P: 801.484.4400

SOS Staffing Services, Inc. offers staffing and consulting services to companies and organizations in the western United States.



#### **Company Details**

Principal: Joann Wagner, CEO

**CFO:** Kevin Hardy

Industry: Human Resource and

**Employment Services** 

Year Founded: 1972

#### **Transaction Details**

**Amount:** \$750,000,000

**Date:** 2/20/13

**Acquirer:** Elwood Staffing

Services, Inc.

Acquiree: SOS Staffing Services,

Inc.

## **Outside Professionals**

Law Firm: Durham Jones &

Pinegar, P.C.

Other Advisor: CHILDS Advisory

**Partners** 



## 6548 South Big Cottonwood Canyon Road, Suite 100, Salt Lake City, UT 84121 P: 801.833.0344



Soul and Vibe Entertainment, Inc. develops and publishes video and computer games.

## **Company Details**

Princi Peter Chiodo, CEO
Indu: Home Entertainment

Software

Year Founded: 2011

#### **Transaction Details**

**Description:** Share exchange **Amount:** \$11,100,000 **Date:** 1/28/13

Acquirer: Soul and Vibe Interactive Inc. (OTCBB:SOUL)

**Acquiree:** Soul and Vibe Entertainment, Inc.

439 North 3050 East, St. George, UT www.truaudio.com P: 435.986.1574



Soundvision Technologies, LLC (DBA Truaudio) is the industry leader in home audio.

#### **Company Details**

**Principal:** Bryan Garner, Owner **Industry:** Consumer Electronics

Year Founded: 1999

## **Transaction Details**

Amount: Not disclosed

Date: 2/14/13

Acquirer: Soundvision Technologies, LLC

Acquiree: Mojo AV

3939 South Wasatch Blvd. Suite 1, Salt Lake City, UT 84124 www.springmobile.com
P: 801.308.1324



Spring Communications is a leading wireless solutions retailer and operates over 180 stores across the United States.

## **Company Details**

Principal: Jason Ellis, President
CFO: Kent Forsgren
Industry: Communications

Year Founded: 2001

#### **Transaction Details**

Amount: Not disclosed

Date: 10/15/13

Acquirer: Spring

Communications

Acquiree: Affordable Portables, Inc.

## **Outside Professionals**

Law Firm: Holland & Hart LLP
CPA: Eide Bailly LLP

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P: 801.308.1324



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CFO: Kent Forsgren
Industry: Communications

Year Founded: 2001

#### **Transaction Details**

Amount: Not disclosed

Date: 11/8/13

**Acquirer:** Spring Communications

Acquiree: Cartronix, Inc.

#### **Outside Professionals**

Law Firm: Holland & Hart LLP
CPA: Eide Bailly LLP







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Principal: Jason Ellis, President
CFO: Kent Forsgren
Industry: Communications

Year Founded: 2001

#### **Transaction Details**

Amount: Not disclosed

Date: 12/31/13

**Acquirer:** Spring Communications **Acquiree:** Atlanta Cellular, Inc.

#### **Outside Professionals**

Law Firm: Holland & Hart LLP
CPA: Eide Bailly LLP







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CFO: Kent Forsgren

Industry: Communications

Year Founded: 2001

## **Transaction Details**

Amount: Not disclosed

Date: 11/3/13

Acquirer: GameStop Corp.

**Acquiree: Spring Communications** 

Holding, Inc.

#### **Outside Professionals**

Law Firm: Holland & Hart LLP
CPA: Eide Bailly LLP









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CFO: Kent Forsgren
Industry: Communications

Year Founded: 2001

#### **Transaction Details**

Amount: Not disclosed

Date: 8/31/03

Acquirer: Spring Comm.

Acquiree: A-Link Wireless, AZ

Mobility, San Diego

Mobility

#### **Outside Professionals**

Law Firm: Holland & Hart LLP
CPA: Eide Bailly LLP







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#### **Company Details**

Principal: Jason Ellis, President
CFO: Kent Forsgren
Industry: Communications

Year Founded: 2001

#### **Transaction Details**

Amount: Not disclosed

Date: 4/10/13

**Acquirer:** Spring Communications **Acquiree:** Clearchoice Mobility, Inc.

#### **Outside Professionals**

Law Firm: Holland & Hart LLP
CPA: Eide Bailly LLP







222 South Main Street, 5th Floor, Salt Lake City, UT www.surpure.com P: 801.575.9000



SurPure provides diesel fuel that is compliant with the ISO 12/9/6 standard – right at your location, directly from your storage tanks.

# **Company Details**

**Industry:** Oil and Gas Refining and Marketing

#### **Transaction Details**

Amount: \$36,000
Date: 9/17/13
Acquirer: SurPure LLC
Acquiree: SurPure, Inc.

2749 E Parley's Way, Suite 310, Salt Lake City, UT 84109 www.spower.com P: 801.679.3505



sPower is a leading Independent Power Producer (IPP) with energy resources across North America.

# **Company Details**

**Principal:** Ryan Creamer, CEO **CFO:** Jean Everest

**Industry:** Independent Power Producers and Energy

Traders

# **Transaction Details**

Amount: Not disclosed

**Date:** 7/8/13

**Acquirer:** Sustainable Power

Group, LLC

Acquiree: Tioga Energy, Inc.

#### **Outside Professionals**

Law Firm: Akin Gump Strauss

Hauer Feld LLP

12634 South 265 West, Draper, UT www.swirecc.com P: 801.816.5300



Swire Coca-Cola makes, sells and delivers carbonated and noncarbonated beverages.

# **Company Details**

Principal: Jack Pelo, CEO
CFO: C.B. Buckley
Industry: Packaged Foods and

Meats

Year Founded: 1816

#### **Transaction Details**

**Description:** Certain CO assets **Amount:** Not disclosed **Date:** 4/16/13

**Acquirer:** Swire Coca-Cola, USA **Acquiree:** The Coca-Cola Co.,

Bottling Ops. in

Denver & CO Springs Mkts.

# **Outside Professionals**

**CPA:** PricewaterhouseCoopers

LLP,

Eide Bailly LLP





1265 West Sportsplex Drive, Kaysville, UT 84037 www.taxworks.com P: 801.529.9025



TaxWorks, Inc. develops tax preparation software solutions for professional tax preparers.

#### **Company Details**

**Principal:** Jaren Durham, VP **Industry:** Finance Application

Software

Year Founded: 1972

#### **Transaction Details**

Amount: Not disclosed

**Date:** 4/16/13

**Acquirer:** Thomson Reuters Corporation (TSX:TRI)

Acquiree: TaxWorks, Inc.

2425 Lincoln Avenue, Ogden, UT www.techmedianetwork.com P: 801.917.8101



Best of Media S.A. operates as an online media publishing company for technology.

#### **Company Details**

**Principal:** Gregory Mason, CEO **CFO:** Randall Bambrough

**Industry:** Publishing **Year Founded:** 2003

#### **Transaction Details**

Amount: Not disclosed

Date: 7/1/13

Acquirer: TechMediaNetwork,

Inc.

Acquiree: Best of Media S.A.

#### **Outside Professionals**

Law Firm: Bredin Prat &
Associates
CPA: Tanner LLC, Eide

Bailly LLP



3626 West Parkway Boulevard, West Valley City, UT www.feco.net P: 800.366.8851

Establishments primarily engaged in the wholesale distribution of motor vehicle supplies, accessories, tools, and equipment; and new motor vehicle parts.

#### **Company Details**

**Principal:** Bruce Hart, Manager **CFO:** Gary Wall Distributors

Year Founded: 1916

#### **Transaction Details**

Amount: Not disclosed

Date: 5/1/13

**Acquirer:** The Frank Edwards Co., Inc. **Acquiree:** KAPS Warehouse Inc.

178 S Rio Grande St. Ste. 200, Salt Lake City, UT 84101 www.stepbystepguidebook.com
P: 800.678.1500

The Guidebook Company, Inc., doing business as Step-by-Step Guide Book, provides do-it yourself home improvement guides for home and house repairs.

#### **Company Details**

Principal: Kim McReynolds,

President

Industry: Publishing

Year Founded: 1974

#### **Transaction Details**

Amount: Not disclosed

Date: 6/7/13

Acquirer: Guide Holdings,

Inc.

Acquiree: The Guidebook Com-

pany, Inc.

#### **Outside Professionals**

Law Firm: Burningham & Burningham Attorneys At
Law // Faegre Baker

Daniels LLP

Thrive Learning

5095 West 2100 South, Salt Lake City, UT www.volusol.com
P: 801.974.9474

The Horrocks Company, LLC manufactures medical stains and reagents for clinical laboratories.

# **Company Details**

**Industry:** Pharmaceuticals

Year Founded: 1995

#### **Transaction Details**

**Amount:** \$220,000 **Date:** 6/25/13

**Acquirer:** The Horrocks Company, LLC

Acquiree: Volu-Sol Reagents (division of ActiveCare)

512 West 800 North, Orem, UT 84057 P: 801-224-3673



Thrive Learning is a leading provider of online education.

# **Company Details**

**Industry:** Education

#### **Transaction Details**

Amount: Not disclosed

Date: 8/1/13

Acquirer: Lift International

Acquiree: Thrive Learning LLC

CPA: Tanner LLC

**Outside Professionals** 



Law Firm: Dorsey & Whitney LLP

98 West Main Street, Lehi, UT 84043 801.768.0208

The company offers search engine optimization (SEO), social media marketing, pay per click management, content marketing, email marketing, and local SEO services.

# **Company Details**

Principal: Dave Bascom, CEO
CFO: Dan Bonilla
Industry: Advertising
Year Founded: 2012

#### **Transaction Details**

Amount: Not disclosed

Date: 11/7/13

Acquirer: Fit Marketing LLC

Acquiree: TOFU Marketing, LLC

# 1844 South 3850 West #B, Salt Lake City, UT 84104 P: 877.259.2551

TrailOne, Inc., a development stage company, focuses on developing and marketing of an automobile license plate tag used as an accessory to the general public in the United States.

## **Company Details**

Principal: Mohammad Rahman,

CEO

Industry: Auto Parts and Eq.

Year Founded: 2010

#### **Transaction Details**

**Description:** Majority share purchase

Amount: \$389,000 Date: 6/10/13

440 Lawndale Drive, Salt Lake City, UT 84115 www.trident-mfg.com
P: 801.485.2063



A subsidiary of Probe Manufacturing Inc.



Trident Manufacturing, Inc. operates as an electronics contract manufacturing services company that provides production, quality control and testing, and logistics management services to original equipment manufacturers and other electronics professionals in Utah.

#### **Company Details**

**Principal:** Kambiz Mahdi, **CFO:** CEO John

Industry: Bennett Electronic

Manufacturing

Services

Year Founded: 2005

#### **Transaction Details**

Amount: \$140,000 Date: 3/15/13

Acquirer: Probe Manufacturing Inc. (OTCPK:PMFI)

Acquiree: Trident Manufacturing, Inc.

9950 South 300 West, Sandy, UT 84070 www.ncr.com P: 801.417.9000



uGenius Technology, LLC provides personal transaction technologies.

#### **Company Details**

**Principal:** William Nuti, CEO **CFO:** Bob Fishman

**Industry:** Electronic Equipment

and Instruments

Year Founded: 2007

#### **Transaction Details**

**Description:** Remaining stake

purchase

Amount: Not disclosed

**Date:** 1/3/13

Acquirer: NCR Corp. (NYSE:NCR)

Acquiree: uGenius Technology,

LLC

#### **Outside Professionals**

Other Advisor: Advanced CFO Solutions



**UMIA Insurance** 

# 1532 East St. Marks Court, Salt Lake City, UT 84124 P: 801.766.2100

Ultra Sun Corp offers a range of tanning options by utilizing tanning beds.

#### **Company Details**

**Industry:** Specialized Consumer

Services

Year Founded: 2004

#### **Transaction Details**

Amount: \$60,000

Date: 10/25/13

Acquirer: LST Utah, LLC

Acquiree: Ultra Sun Corp., Sahara Sun Tanning

310 East, 4500 South, Suite 550, Salt Lake City, UT 84107 www.umia.com P: 801.531.0375



UMIA Insurance provides physician-owned and directed liability coverage products to customers in Utah, Montana, Wyoming, and Idaho.

#### **Company Details**

Principal: Martin Oslowski, CEO

Joe Perry Property and

Industry: Casualty Insurance

Year Founded: 1978

#### **Transaction Details**

**Description:** Paid over 5 year period

Amount: \$141,780,000

**Date:** 2/4/13

**Acquirer:** Midwest Medical Insurance Company

Acquiree: UMIA Insurance

2681 East Parleys Way, Suite 204, Salt Lake City, UT 84109 www.upliftnutrition.com P: 801.322.3401

Uplift Nutrition, Inc., a development stage company, markets and sells food products through the Internet in the United States.

#### **Company Details**

Principal: Gary Lewis, CEO
CFO: Gary Lewis
Industry: Food Distributors

Year Founded: 2005

#### **Transaction Details**

**Description:** Majority share purchase

**Amount:** \$126,000 **Date:** 9/9/13

Acquiree: Uplift Nutrition Inc

(OTCBB:UPNT)

#### **Outside Professionals**

Investor(s): H. Deworth Williams, Edward F. Cowle, and Geoff Williams 198 North Main Street, Logan, UT 84321 www.usuccu.org
P: 435.753.4080



USU Charter Credit Union, helps USU employees to see a return on savings and obtain low interest rates on loans.

# **Company Details**

**Industry:** Specialized Finance

Year Founded: 1957

#### **Transaction Details**

Amount: Not disclosed

Date: 7/2/13

**Acquirer:** Goldenwest Credit Union **Acquiree:** USU Charter Credit Union

#### **Outside Professionals**

CPA: Eide Bailly LLP



2795 E Cottonwood Pkwy # 300, Salt Lake City, UT 84121 www.vacationroost.com
P: 801.337.6678

VacationRoost is the leading online sales and marketing channel for vacation rental property.



# **Company Details**

**Industry:** Vacation Rentals

Year Founded: 2008

#### **Transaction Details**

Amount: Not disclosed

Date: 9/4/13

Acquirer: VacationRoost

Acquiree: Hawaiian Beach Rentals

and Vacation Rental

Agent

#### **Outside Professionals**

**CPA:** Tanner LLC



3165 East Millrock Drive, Suite 160, Salt Lake City, UT 84121 www.vantuslaw.com P: 801.550.3453



Establishments which are headed by members of the bar and are primarily engaged in offering legal advice or services

# **Company Details**

**Principal:** Thomas Obenberger,

Owner

**CFO:** Brian Ammerman

#### **Transaction Details**

Amount: Not disclosed

Date: 11/20/13

Acquirer: Michael, Best & Friedrich LLP

Acquiree: Vantus Law Group

275 East 200 South, Salt Lake City, UT 84111 www.vistastaff.com
P: 801.487.8190



VISTA Staffing Solutions is a full-service staffing agency.

# **Company Details**

Principal: Christian Rutherford,

President

**CFO:** Li Chen, Controller **Industry:** Healthcare Services

Year Founded: 1990

#### **Transaction Details**

Amount: \$22,500,000

Date: 12/2/13

**Acquirer:** VISTA Staffing Solutions, Inc. **Acquiree:** Whitaker Medical, Ltd.

P.O. Box 16509, Salt Lake City, UT 84116 www.weronthenet.com P: 801-539-5000

Scrapbook supply manufacturor



# **Company Details**

**Principal:** Andrew Hiller

President

Industry: Manufacturing

#### **Transaction Details**

Amount: Not disclosed

**Date:** 8/28/13

Acquirer: We R, LLC

Acquiree: Lifestyle Crafts, LLC

#### **Outside Professionals**

Law Firm: Dorsey & Whitney LLP



670 W 220 S St, Pleasant Grove, UT 84062 www.westrocinc.com P: 801.785.5600



Westroc, Inc. has served the Intermountain West with consistent, high quality Ready Mix Concrete and Aggregate Products.

#### **Company Details**

Principal: Cyrus Spurlino,

President

CFO: Gary Myers

**Industry:** Construction, Mining

Year Founded: 1987

#### **Transaction Details**

**Description:** Acquisition of certain assets from Westroc Inc

Amount: \$35,000,000 Date: 4/3/13

**Acquirer:** Summit Materials

Acquiree: Westroc (Kansas Concrete Assets)

3400 North Ashton Boulevard, Suite 400, Lehi, UT www.wilsonelectronics.com
P: 435.673.5021



Wilson Electronics offers cellular improvement products for mobile and inbuilding applications throughout the world.

# **Company Details**

**Principal:** Robert Van Buskirk, CEO **CFO:** Debbie Rhea, Acct. Dir.

Industry: Ind.: Elec., Manf. (other), Telecomm: Hardware

Year Founded: 1999

#### **Transaction Details**

Amount: \$9,000,000 Date: 3/26/13

Acquirer: Sorenson Capital;
Acquiree: Solamere Capital LLC

Wilson Electronics, LLC

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manufacturer of security system hardware and

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\$135 million

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Represented shareholders of Wilson Electronics, Inc., maker of cellular signal boosters, in sale to Sorensen Capital and other investors

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Represented Enray, Inc., a manufacturer of premium organic, gluten-free ancient grain products, to the J. M. Smucker Company

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August 2013



Represented Taglich Private Equity, LLC in acquisition of Lignetics, Inc., a manufacturer of wood fuel pellets and fire logs

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Represented Vivint Solar, Inc. in acquisition of Solmetric, Inc., a manufacturer of photovoltaic installation instruments and software products

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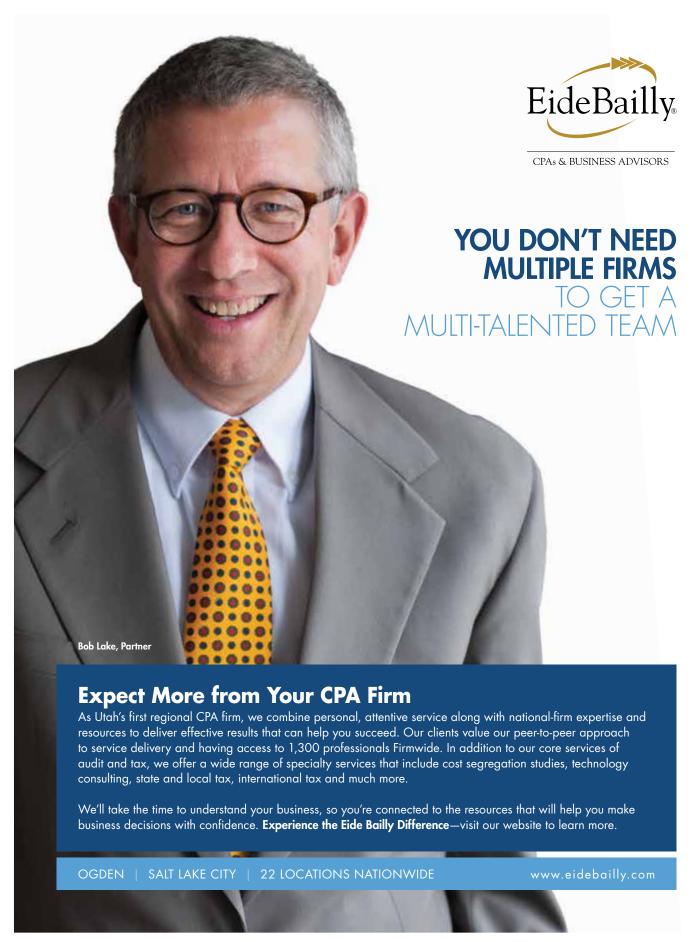
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