Simons James R. Form 4 March 17, 2011

# FORM 4

# UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

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### STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF **SECURITIES**

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \* Simons James R.

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

Symbol

QUINSTREET, INC [QNST]

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 03/15/2011

\_X\_\_ Director 10% Owner Other (specify Officer (give title

C/O SPLIT ROCK PARTNERS, 10400 VIKING DRIVE, SUITE 550

> (Street) 4. If Amendment, Date Original

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

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(City)	(State)	(Zip) Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned								
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securit or Dispos (Instr. 3, 4	ed of	` ′	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
Common Stock	03/15/2011		S <u>(1)</u>	259	D	\$ 22.776 (2)	91,471	I	By SPVC Affiliates Fund I, LLC (3)	
Common Stock	03/15/2011		S <u>(1)</u>	309	D	\$ 23.3085 (4)	91,162	I	By SPVC Affiliates Fund I, LLC (3)	
Common Stock	03/16/2011		S <u>(1)</u>	662	D	\$ 22.8416 (5)	90,500	I	By SPVC Affiliates Fund I,	

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Common Stock	03/16/2011	S <u>(1)</u>	45	D	\$ 23.4796 <u>(6)</u>	90,455	I	By SPVC Affiliates Fund I, LLC (3)
Common Stock	03/17/2011	S <u>(1)</u>	331	D	\$ 22.5897	90,124	I	By SPVC Affiliates Fund I, LLC (3)
Common Stock	03/17/2011	S <u>(1)</u>	203	D	\$ 23.2538 (8)	89,921	I	By SPVC Affiliates Fund I, LLC (3)
Common Stock	03/15/2011	S(1)	11,848	D	\$ 22.776 (2)	4,193,195	I	By SPVC V, LLC (9)
Common Stock	03/15/2011	S(1)	14,184	D	\$ 23.3085 (4)	4,179,011	I	By SPVC V, LLC (9)
Common Stock	03/16/2011	S <u>(1)</u>	30,338	D	\$ 22.8416 (5)	4,148,673	I	By SPVC V, LLC (9)
Common Stock	03/16/2011	S <u>(1)</u>	2,055	D	\$ 23.4796 <u>(6)</u>	4,146,618	I	By SPVC V, LLC (9)
Common Stock	03/17/2011	S <u>(1)</u>	15,169	D	\$ 22.5897 (7)	4,131,449	I	By SPVC V, LLC (9)
Common Stock	03/17/2011	S <u>(1)</u>	9,297	D	\$ 23.2538 (8)	4,122,152	I	By SPVC V, LLC (9)
Common Stock						18,568	I	By James Rexroad Simons Trust (10)

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

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Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

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# **Reporting Owners**

**Relationships** Reporting Owner Name / Address Director 10% Owner Officer Other Simons James R. C/O SPLIT ROCK PARTNERS X 10400 VIKING DRIVE, SUITE 550 EDEN PRAIRIE, MN 55344

### **Signatures**

/s/ Lisa L. Corbin as Attorney-in-Fact for James R. Simons

03/17/2011

\*\*Signature of Reporting Person

Date

### **Explanation of Responses:**

- If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 4(b)(v).
- Intentional misstatements or omissions of facts constitute Federal Criminal Violations. See 18 U.S.C. 1001 and 15 U.S.C. 78ff(a).
- Open market sale pursuant to a Rule 10b5-1 trading plan established on December 16, 2010. **(1)**
- The price reported in Column 4 is a weighted average price. These shares were sold in multiple transactions at prices between \$22.18 **(2)** and \$23.17, inclusive. The reporting person will provide to the SEC Staff, QuinStreet, Inc., or any security holder of QuinStreet, Inc., upon request, full information regarding the number of shares sold at each separate price.

Represents securities held directly by SPVC Affiliates Fund I, LLC, which is jointly managed by Split Rock Partners, LLC and

- Vesbridge Partners, LLC. Voting and investment power over the shares, however, has been delegated solely to Split Rock Partners, LLC. Split Rock Partners, LLC has delegated voting and investment decisions with respect to the shares to three individuals (one of (3) whom is the reporting person) who require a two-thirds vote to act. The reporting person disclaims beneficial ownership of the reported securities, except to the extent of any pecuniary interest therein. This report shall not be deemed an admission that the reporting person is the beneficial owner of such securities for purposes of Section 16 or for any other purpose.
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  - Represents securities held directly by SPVC V, LLC, which is jointly managed by Split Rock Partners, LLC and Vesbridge Partners, LLC. Voting and investment power over the shares, however, has been delegated solely to Split Rock Partners, LLC. Split Rock
- (9) Partners, LLC has delegated voting and investment decisions with respect to the shares to three individuals (one of whom is the reporting person) who require a two-thirds vote to act. The reporting person disclaims beneficial ownership of the reported securities, except to the extent of any pecuniary interest therein. This report shall not be deemed an admission that the reporting person is the beneficial owner of such securities for purposes of Section 16 or for any other purpose.
- Represents securities held directly by the James Rexroad Simons Trust, which the reporting person is the trustee. The reporting person disclaims beneficial ownership of the reported securities, except to the extent of any pecuniary interest therein. This report shall not be deemed an admission that the reporting person is the beneficial owner of such securities for purposes of Section 16 or for any other purpose.

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