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# FORM 4

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *\frac{*}{2} Valenti Douglas			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol QUINSTREET, INC [QNST]	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer  (Check all applicable)		
(Last) (First) (Middle) 950 TOWER LANE, 6TH FLOOR		(Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction	(Check all applicable)		
		FLOOR	(Month/Day/Year) 09/12/2018	_X_ Director 10% Owner _X_ Officer (give title Other (specify below)  Chief Executive Officer		
(Street)			4. If Amendment, Date Original	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check		
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(City)	(State)	(Zip) Tabl	e I - Non-E	erivative S	Securi	ties Acqu	ired, Disposed of	, or Beneficial	ly Owned
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. 4. Securities Acquired Transaction(A) or Disposed of (D) Code (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) (Instr. 8)			5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
			Code V	Amount	or (D)	Price	(Instr. 3 and 4)		
Common Stock	09/12/2018		M	12,919	A	\$ 4.01	287,919	D	
Common Stock	09/12/2018		S	12,919 (1)	D	\$ 14.36 (2)	275,000	D	
Common Stock	09/12/2018		M	12,900	A	\$ 9.55	287,900	D	
Common Stock	09/12/2018		S	12,900 (1)	D	\$ 14.34 (2)	275,000	D	
	09/12/2018		M	12,501	A	\$ 3.63	287,501	D	

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Common Stock	09/12/2018	S	12,501 (1)	D	\$ 14.33 (3)	275,000	D	
Common Stock						6,903	I	by Son (4)
Common Stock						3,979,218	I	by Trust

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)

1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	4. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of orDerivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amour Underlying Securit (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amo or Num of Sh
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 3.63	09/12/2018		M	12,501	<u>(5)</u>	07/28/2023	Common Stock	12,5
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 4.01	09/12/2018		M	12,919	<u>(6)</u>	07/26/2024	Common Stock	12,9
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 9.55	09/12/2018		M	12,900	<u>(7)</u>	07/24/2020	Common Stock	12,9

# **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships							
• 5	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other				
Valenti Douglas 950 TOWER LANE, 6TH FLOOR	X		Chief Executive Officer					
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### **Signatures**

By: Gregory Wong For: Douglas Valenti

09/14/2018

\*\*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).
- These shares were effected pursuant to a Rule 10b5-1 trading plan adopted by the reporting person on November 30, 2017 (the "Options Plan"). The Options Plan was implemented to meet long-term estate planning and diversification objectives of the reporting person, and extend over an approximately two year period. The shares sold represent less than 1% of the shares beneficially owned by the reporting person as of December 31, 2017.
- (2) The shares were sold at prices between \$14.17 and \$14.83. The reporting person will provide upon request to the SEC, the issuer, or security holder of the issuer, full information regarding the number of shares sold at each price.
- (3) The shares were sold at prices between \$14.16 and \$14.83. The reporting person will provide upon request to the SEC, the issuer, or security holder of the issuer, full information regarding the number of shares sold at each price.
- (4) Shares held by Mr. Valenti's children.
- The shares of common stock subject to the option vest and 25% of the shares underlying the option become exercisable on the first (5) anniversary of the vesting commencement date, July 29, 2016, and the remainder of the shares underlying the option vest in equal monthly installments over 36 months thereafter. The initial vest date is July 29, 2017 and the final vest date is July 29, 2020.
- The shares of common stock subject to the option vest and become exercisable at a rate of 25% of the shares underlying the option on the (6) first anniversary of the vesting commencement date, July 27, 2017, and the remainder of the shares underlying the option vest in equal monthly installments over 36 months thereafter. The initial vest date is July 27, 2018 and the final vest date is July 27, 2021.
- The shares of common stock subject to the option vest and become exercisable at a rate of 25% of the shares underlying the option on the (7) first anniversary of the vesting commencement date, July 25, 2013, and the remainder of the shares underlying the option vest in equal monthly installments over 36 months thereafter. The initial vest date is July 25, 2014 and the final vest date is July 25, 2017.

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