

SPLUNK INC  
Form DEFA14A  
April 26, 2017

UNITED STATES  
SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION  
Washington, D.C. 20549

**SCHEDULE 14A**

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(Name of Registrant as Specified In Its Charter)

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**Important Notice Regarding the Availability of Proxy Materials for the  
Stockholder Meeting to Be Held on June 8, 2017.**

**SPLUNK INC.**

SPLUNK INC.  
270 BRANNAN STREET  
SAN FRANCISCO, CA 94107

**Meeting Information**

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|----------------------------------------------------------------------------|-------------------------------------|
| <b>Meeting Type:</b>                                                       | Annual Meeting                      |
| <b>For holders as of:</b>                                                  | April 13, 2017                      |
| <b>Date:</b> June 8, 2017                                                  | <b>Time:</b> 3:30 p.m. Pacific Time |
| <b>Location:</b> 139 Townsend Street, Suite 150<br>San Francisco, CA 94107 |                                     |

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**Voting Items**

**The Board of Directors recommends you vote FOR the following:**

1. To elect three Class II directors:

**Nominees:**

- |     |                   |
|-----|-------------------|
| 1a. | John Connors      |
| 1b. | Patricia Morrison |
| 1c. | Stephen Newberry  |

**The Board of Directors recommends you vote FOR proposals 2 and 3.**

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| 2. | To ratify the appointment of PricewaterhouseCoopers LLP as our independent registered public accounting firm for our fiscal year ending January 31, 2018. |
| 3. | To approve, on an advisory basis, the compensation of our named executive officers, as described in the proxy statement.                                  |

**NOTE:** To transact such other business as may properly come before the meeting or any adjournments or postponements thereof.

