

Jones Christopher L.
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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 *
Jones Christopher L.

(Last) (First) (Middle)
1804 EMBARCADERO ROAD
(Street)

PALO ALTO, CA 94303

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
Financial Engines, Inc. [FNGN]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction
(Month/Day/Year)
04/11/2011

4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

___ Director ___ 10% Owner
 Officer (give title below) ___ Other (specify below)
EVP & Chief Investment Officer

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)
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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. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)	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 Ownership (Instr. 4)	
			Code	V	Amount	(D)	Price	
Common Stock	04/11/2011	04/11/2011	M		50,000	A	\$ 1 223,789	D
Common Stock	04/11/2011	04/11/2011	M		50,000	A	\$ 1 273,789	D
Common Stock	04/11/2011	04/11/2011	M		10,000	A	\$ 1 283,789	D

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. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)	7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)		
				Code	V (A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 1	04/11/2011	04/11/2011	M	50,000	<u>(1)</u> 12/19/2011	Common Stock	50,000	
Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 1	04/11/2011	04/11/2011	M	50,000	<u>(1)</u> 12/19/2011	Common Stock	50,000	
Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 1	04/11/2011	04/11/2011	M	10,000	<u>(1)</u> 03/05/2012	Common Stock	10,000	

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
Jones Christopher L. 1804 EMBARCADERO ROAD PALO ALTO, CA 94303			EVP & Chief Investment Officer	

Signatures

Joanne E. Burns,
Attorney-in-Fact

04/12/2011

**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).
- (1) The option award is fully vested.

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