## FORM 4

## UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

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Name and Address of Reporting Person*     SANDS GREGORY P					2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol QUINSTREET, INC [ QNST ]										5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)						
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(Last) 950 TOV	`	irst) E, 6TH FLOOR	(Middle)			3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 08/23/2013										Officer (give title below)				Other (specify below)	
				4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)									6.	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable							
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	Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned																				
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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)	Title of 2. 3. Transaction 3A. Deemed 4 Execution Date Execution Date, or Exercise (Month/Day/Year)		4. Transa	ransaction of Code (Instr. Derivative			6. Da	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)			7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Secu (Instr. 3 and 4)		Security	8. Price Deriva Securi (Instr. 9	ive y	9. Number derivative Securities Beneficial Owned Following Reported Transactio (Instr. 4)	e s ully	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)		
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Non- Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$9.23	08/23/2013			A		4,996			(1)	08	8/22/2020		nmon ock	4,996	(2)		4,996		D	

## **Explanation of Responses:**

- 1. The shares of common stock subject to this option are fully vested and exercisable.
- 2. Mr. Sands elected to receive options in lieu of cash compensation as consideration for his service as a member of QuinStreet, Inc.'s (the "Company") board of directors and a member of the Company's Nominating and Corporate Governance and Compensation Committees for the quarter ended June 30, 2013. The number of options granted was determined by dividing the cash compensation otherwise payable with respect to the quarter by the Black-Scholes value of a single option calculated as of the date of grant. The election is available to independent directors, is made annually and applies to the entire fiscal year.

By: Magaretta Smith For:
Gregory Sands

08/27/2013

\*\* Signature of Reporting Person Date

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

- \* 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).

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POWER OF ATTORNEY

For Section 16 Compliance

Know all by these presents that the undersigned hereby constitutes and appoints each of Margaretta Smith, Gregory Wong, Kenneth Hahn, and Jolie Van Kampen as the undersigned's true and lawful attorneys-in-fact, each with the authority to act independently, to:

(1) execute for and on behalf of the undersigned, in the

- (1) execute for and on behalf of the undersigned, in the undersigned's capacity as an officer and/or director of QuinStreet, Inc. (the "Company"), Forms 3, 4, and 5 in accordance with Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 and the rules thereunder;
- (2) do and perform any and all acts for and on behalf of the undersigned which may be necessary or desirable to complete and execute any such Form 3,4, or 5, complete and execute any amendment or amendments thereto, and timely file such form with the United States Securities and Exchange Commission and any stock exchange or similar authority; and
- take any other action of any type whatsoever in connection (3) with the foregoing which, in the opinion of such attorney-in-fact, may be of benefit to, in the best interest of, or legally required by, the undersigned, it being understood that the documents executed by such attorney-in-fact on behalf of the undersigned pursuant to this Power of Attorney shall be in such form, and shall contain such terms and conditions as such attorney-in-fact may approve in such attorney-in-fact's discretion. The undersigned hereby grants to each such attorney-in-fact full power and authority to do and perform any and every act and thing whatsoever requisite, necessary, or proper to be done in the exercise of any of the rights and powers herein granted, as fully to all intents and purposes as the undersigned might or could do if personally present, with full power of substitution or revocation, hereby ratifying and confirming all that each such attorney-in-fact, or each such attorney-in-fact's substitute or substitutes, shall lawfully do or cause to be done by virtue of this power of attorney and the rights and powers herein granted. The undersigned acknowledges that the foregoing attorneys-in-fact, in serving in such capacity at the request of the undersigned, is not assuming, nor is the Company assuming, any of the undersigned's responsibilities to comply with Section 16 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934.

This Power of Attorney shall remain in full force and effect until the undersigned is no longer required to file Forms 3, 4, and 5 with respect to the undersigned's holdings of and transactions in securities issued by the Company, unless earlier revoked by the undersigned in a signed writing delivered to the foregoing attorney-in-fact.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the undersigned has caused this Power of Attorney to be 'executed as of this 29th day of July 2013.

Signature Gregory P. Sands Print Name Gregory P. Sands