

Kasisto, a developer of AI technology that powers personal finance bots, will use the funding to expand its virtual assistant capabilities into other industries. The company raised \$2.25 million in 2014 at a valuation of roughly \$10 million. Thomas Whiteaker, a partner at Propel Venture Partners, has joined the company's board as part of this latest round.

Investors:

Propel Venture Partners (lead), DBS Bank, MasterCard, Angels of New York, Commerce Ventures, Two Sigma Ventures, Harvard Business School Alumni Angels of New York, Partnership Fund for New York City

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## Roambee raises \$4.1M Series B, partners with Deutsche Telekom

Logistics | Santa Clara, CA | Series B

IoT company Roambee has partnered with T-Systems, the corporate customer arm of Deutsche Telekom, to offer a real-time tracking service that will allow consumers to manage shipments through a combination of wireless sensor devices and a cloud-based intelligence platform. Founded in 2014, the company has raised a total of roughly \$6.5 million in VC funding.

Lead Investor:

Deutsche Telekom Strategic Investments

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### Blackstone, Warburg Pincus eye competing GLP bids

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Warburg Pincus is forming a consortium to bid for Global Logistic Properties (SI: MC0) and Blackstone is considering a competing offer, according to a Bloomberg report; the company has a current market cap of about \$8.6 billion. GLP is a warehouse operator that owns locations in China, Japan, Brazil and the US. Chinese investors Hopu Investment Management and Hillhouse Capital Management are also discussing a