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Keiretsu Forum and Intel Capital Present: Funding Alternatives

Supporting the Entrepreneurial Community With Investment and Resources

LAFAYETTE, CA--(Marketwire - September 2, 2008) - Keiretsu Forum, the world's largest angel investment community, and Intel Capital, Intel Corporation's global investment organization, will hold an educational symposium titled "Funding Alternatives" on Tuesday, September 30 from 6:00 p.m. to 8:30 p.m. at Intel Corporation headquarters located in Santa Clara, California.

The symposium will help entrepreneurs in the software and web 2.0 space better understand angel investing and the advantages that Keiretsu Forum members and investment organizations bring to their funded companies. Speakers will discuss funding alternatives including angel investing, angel investor network Keiretsu Forum, and investing organizations such as Intel Capital. In addition, two companies in the software and web 2.0 industries that received funding from Keiretsu Forum members and Intel Capital will present their personal experience with raising funds.

"The purpose of this symposium is to reach out to CEOs in Silicon Valley so they can better understand the funding alternatives and options available to them," said David Dembitz, Keiretsu Forum Silicon Valley member. "We look forward to discussing with attendees what resources beyond capital we typically provide to help them go to market and be successful."

"This is a great opportunity to bring together the entrepreneur and investment communities," said Robert Rueckert, director of Intel Capital focusing on business Internet and web 2.0 investments. "Intel Capital places great emphasis on fostering entrepreneurship and technology innovation. We are excited to be hosting the symposium on funding alternatives at our Santa Clara headquarters and we look forward to a productive dialogue with entrepreneurs in attendance."

Online registration is available at <http://fundingalternatives.eventbrite.com/>. A fee of \$25 per person will include registration with a light dinner and refreshments. Intel Corporation headquarters are located at 2200 Mission College Boulevard, Santa Clara, California.

About Keiretsu Forum

With 17 chapters and over 750 accredited investor members on three continents Keiretsu Forum (www.keiretsuforum.com) is the world's largest angel investment network. Keiretsu Forum members provide early-stage capital in the range of \$250k-\$2 million to high quality, diverse investment opportunities and collaborate in the due diligence, but make their own individual investment decisions. Keiretsu Forum's Charitable Foundation has donated over \$1 million to 107 non-profit organizations. For more information, visit www.keiretsuforum.com.

About Intel Capital

Intel Capital, Intel's global investment organization, makes equity investments in innovative technology start-ups and companies worldwide. Intel Capital invests in a broad range of companies offering hardware, software, and services targeting enterprise, home, mobility, health, consumer Internet, semiconductor manufacturing and cleantech. Since 1991, Intel Capital has invested more than US\$7.5 billion in approximately 1,000 companies in 45 countries. In that timeframe, 168 portfolio companies have gone public on various exchanges around the world and 212 were acquired or participated in a merger. In 2007 Intel Capital invested about US\$639 million in 166 deals with approximately 37 percent of funds invested outside the United States. For more information on Intel Capital and its differentiated advantages, visit www.intelcapital.com.

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