

## Avendus Wealth Management advises iimjobs.com on its Series A fundraise from India Quotient, Tracxn Labs and others.

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The popular job portal IIMJobs.com (operated by the company Highorbit Careers Pvt Ltd) has raised Series A funding in a round led by India Quotient along with Tracxn Labs, a group of Kolkata entrepreneurs & others.

Avendus Wealth Management was the exclusive financial advisor to this transaction.

Based out of Delhi, the company operates two web portals- iimjobs.com (for mid to senior level management professionals) and Hirist.com (for IT professionals). The company has crossed 1 million registered candidates across the 2 platforms, providing recruitment solutions to over 500 enterprises with its presence in Delhi, Mumbai, Bangalore, Chennai, Pune, Hyderabad and Kolkata. It has been growing over 100% year on year in terms of revenues.

The company was founded by Mr. Tarun Matta, who started iimjobs.com in 2010 as a blog. Tarun has a MBA from IIM Indore and B Tech (Computer Science) from IIT-BHU.

**Mr. Tarun Matta**, Founder & CEO, Highorbit Careers said, "This investment round gives us the ability to serve our customers better. We intend to invest the capital in product, engineering, and increasing our sales reach and infrastructure".

**Mr. Arvind Bansal**, Head of Products & Advisory at Avendus Wealth Management said "We believe Tarun has built a fundamentally strong and differentiated business in the online recruitment space through IIMJobs and this funding will help him build a dominant position in the space."

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Highorbit Careers manages two online job portals- iimjobs.com and Hirist.com.

iimjobs.com is an exclusive job board for MBAs from premier business schools in India. It is the largest niche job portal catering exclusively to the premium segment of market and helps connect top tier business school graduates and senior managers to their dream corporate job in areas like finance, banking, sales, marketing, consulting, HR and BPO.

Hirist.com is an exclusive job board for IT and Technical Jobs for geeks in India who sleep and dream PHP, Java, C, C++, Python, Ruby on Rails etc. It features some of the best jobs in the technology sphere across categories like Online, Mobile, Web, UI/UX and Enterprise (SAP/Oracle) and empowers the job search of the candidates by giving them all the tools to find and apply to their dream tech job. For more information, please visit <u>www.iimjobs.com</u>; <u>www.hirist.com</u>

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