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UNITED STATES

SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, DC 20549

SCHEDULE 13D/A-5

Under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934

Golden Minerals Company

(Name of Issuer)

Common Stock

(Title of Class of Securities)

381119106

(CUSIP Number)

Greg Link, Director

Sentient Executive GP IV, Limited, General Partner

Of Sentient GP IV, LP, General Partner of Sentient Global Resources Fund IV, L.P.,

Landmark Square, 1st Floor, 64 Earth Close, West Bay Beach South

P.O. Box 10795, George Town, Grand Cayman KY1-1007, Cayman Islands

345-946-0921

(Name, Address and Telephone Number of Person Authorized to

Receive Notices and Communications)

(with copy to)

Gregory A. Smith, Esq.

Quinn & Brooks LLP

P O Box 590

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303-298-8443

December 18, 2012

(Date of Event which Requires Filing of this Statement)

If the filing person has previously filed a statement on Schedule 13G to report the acquisition that is the subject of this Schedule 13D, and if filing this schedule because of §§240.13d-1(e), 240.13d-1(f) or 240.13d-1(g), check the following box. []

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*The remainder of this cover page shall be filled out for a reporting person s initial filing on this form with respect to the subject class of securities, and for any subsequent amendment containing information which would alter disclosures provided in a prior cover page.

The information required on the remainder of this cover page shall not be deemed to be filed for the purpose of Section 18 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 (Act) or otherwise subject to the liabilities of that section of the Act but shall be subject to all other provisions of the Act (however, see the Notes).

1.	NAMES OF REPORTING PERSONS I.R.S. IDENTIFICATION NOS. OF ABOVE PERSONS (ENTITIES
	ONLY)

Sentient Global Resources Fund III, L.P.

- 2. CHECK THE APPROPRIATE BOX IF A MEMBER OF A GROUP (See Instructions)
 - (a) x
 - (b) o
- 3. SEC USE ONLY
- **4.** SOURCE OF FUNDS (See Instructions)

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5. CHECK BOX IF DISCLOSURE OF LEGAL PROCEEDINGS IS REQUIRED PURSUANT TO ITEM 2(d) or 2(e)

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6. CITIZENSHIP OR PLACE OF ORGANIZATION

Cayman Islands

NUMBER OF SHARES 7. SOLE VOTING POWER BENEFICIALLY OWNED BY EACH REPORTING PERSON 3,582,746 WITH:

8. SHARED VOTING POWER

0

3,582,746

10.	SHARED DISPOSITIVE POWER
	0

- AGGREGATE AMOUNT BENEFICIALLY OWNED BY EACH REPORTING PERSON
 3,582,746
- 12. CHECK BOX IF THE AGGREGATE AMOUNT IN ROW (11) EXCLUDES CERTAIN SHARES
 - 13. PERCENT OF CLASS REPRESENTED BY AMOUNT IN ROW (11)8.4%
 - **14.** TYPE OF REPORTING PERSON

PN

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SGRF III Parallel I, L.P.

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6. CITIZENSHIP OR PLACE OF ORGANIZATION

Cayman Islands

NUMBER OF SHARES 7.	SOLE VOTING POWER
BENEFICIALLY OWNED BY	
EACH REPORTING PERSON	357,044
WITH:	

8. SHARED VOTING POWER

0

357,044

SHARED DISPOSITIVE POWER

	0
11.	AGGREGATE AMOUNT BENEFICIALLY OWNED BY EACH REPORTING PERSON

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 - 13. PERCENT OF CLASS REPRESENTED BY AMOUNT IN ROW (11)0.8%

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14. TYPE OF REPORTING PERSON

PN

357,044

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Sentient Executive GP III, Limited

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6. CITIZENSHIP OR PLACE OF ORGANIZATION

Cayman Islands

NUMBER OF SHARES 7. SOLE VOTING POWER BENEFICIALLY OWNED BY EACH REPORTING PERSON 3,939,790 WITH:

8. SHARED VOTING POWER

0

10. SHARED DISPOSITIVE POWER

0

11. AGGREGATE AMOUNT BENEFICIALLY OWNED BY EACH REPORTING PERSON
3,939,790

12. CHECK BOX IF THE AGGREGATE AMOUNT IN ROW (11) EXCLUDES CERTAIN SHARES

13. PERCENT OF CLASS REPRESENTED BY AMOUNT IN ROW (11)
9.3%

14. TYPE OF REPORTING PERSON
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SOLE DISPOSITIVE POWER

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Sentient GP III, LP

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3,939,790

10. SHARED DISPOSITIVE POWER

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 - 14. TYPE OF REPORTING PERSON

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Sentient GP IV, LP

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6. CITIZENSHIP OR PLACE OF ORGANIZATION

Cayman Islands

NUMBER OF SHARES 7. SOLE VOTING POWER BENEFICIALLY OWNED BY EACH REPORTING PERSON 4,483,944 WITH:

8. SHARED VOTING POWER

0

4,483,944

10.	SHARED DISPOSITIVE POWER
	0

- 11. AGGREGATE AMOUNT BENEFICIALLY OWNED BY EACH REPORTING PERSON 4,483,944
- 12. CHECK BOX IF THE AGGREGATE AMOUNT IN ROW (11) EXCLUDES CERTAIN SHARES
 - 13. PERCENT OF CLASS REPRESENTED BY AMOUNT IN ROW (11)10.5%
 - 14. TYPE OF REPORTING PERSON

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	10.5%	
14.	TYPE OF REPORTING PERSON	

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Item 1.
Security and Issuer
This filing relates to the common stock (the Common Stock) of Golden Minerals Company (Golden Minerals or the Issuer), a Delaware corporation. The address of Golden Minerals principal office is 350 Indiana Street, Suite 800, Golden, Colorado 80401.
EXPLANATORY NOTE
This amendment to Schedule 13D is being filed for the sole purpose of reflecting that Schedule A hereto is being amended to disclose that Susanne Sesselmann is no longer a Director of the Reporting Persons and that Peter Weidmann has been elected to serve as a Director of the Reporting Persons.
Item 7.
Material to be Filed as Exhibits
The following exhibits are filed herewith:
(A)
Filing Agreement dated May 16, 2013.
Timig rigiconicii dated triay 10, 2013.

Date: May 16, 2013

Signatures	
After reasonable inquiry and to the best of my know statement is true, complete and correct.	ledge and belief, I certify that the information set forth in this
Sentient Global Resources Fund III, L.P.	SGRF III Parallel I, L.P.
By: Sentient GP III, LP, General Partner	By: Sentient GP III, LP, General Partner
By: Sentient Executive GP III, Limited,	By: Sentient Executive GP III, Limited,
General Partner	General Partner
By: /s/ Greg Link	By:
Greg Link, Director	Greg Link, Director
Date: May 16, 2013	Date: May 16, 2013
Sentient GP III, LP	Sentient Global Resources Fund IV, L.P.
	By: Sentient GP IV, LP, General Partner
	By: Sentient Executive GP IV, Limited,
	General Partner
By: /s/ Greg Link	
Greg Link, Director	

By: <u>/s/ Greg Link</u>

Greg Link, Director

Date: May 16, 2013

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By: /s/ Greg Link			
Greg Link, Director			
Date: May 16, 2013			
Sentient GP IV, LP			
By: /s/ Greg Link			
Greg Link, Director			
Date: May 16, 2013			
Sentient Executive GP IV, Limited			
By: /s/ Greg Link			
Greg Link, Director			

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SCHEDULE A

The (i) name, (ii) title, (iii) citizenship, (iv) principal occupation and (v) business address of each director of Sentient Executive GP III, Limited and Sentient Executive GP IV, Limited are as follows. Neither Sentient Executive GP III, Limited nor Sentient Executive GP IV, Limited has any executive officers.

Name	Title	Citizenship	Principal Occupation	Business Address
Peter Cassidy	Director	Australia	Investment Manager	Level 44, Grosvenor Place
				225 George Street
				Sydney NSW 2000
				Australia
Greg Link	Director	New Zealand		Landmark Square
				1st Floor, 64 Earth Close
			T	West Bay Beach South
	Investment Manager	P.O. Box 10795		
				George Town, Grand Cayman KY1-1007
Peter Director Weidmann	Germany	Investor Relations Manager	Cayman Islands Schellingstrasse 76	
				80799 Munich
				Germany