

Online Payment Platform selected for new TechLeap Rise program for promising Dutch scale-ups



Delft, May 28, 2020 - [Online Payment Platform](#), a specialised payment service provider for platforms and marketplaces, has been selected for TechLeap Rise. This new program of [TechLeap](#) (formerly StartupDelta) supports ten very promising Dutch scale-ups every quarter and helps them to grow into international success stories.

Online Payment Platform is one of the first ten scale-ups to participate in this program.

"We are very proud to be chosen for the TechLeap Rise program", states Richard Straver, founder of Online Payment Platform.



"Of course we think we have a strong service with a lot of potential, but it's great to see this confirmed by an independent party with a lot of expertise in the start-up and scale-up scene. I expect that by participating in the program we will be able to make use of best practices from award-winning entrepreneurs, among other things, and with these insights we will be able to accelerate our growth."

Less dependent on technology from other countries

The aim of Techleap.nl Rise is to support the emergence and development of world champions in the technology sector, to become less dependent on technological solutions from other countries and to create an environment that produces two unicorns every year. These are scale-ups worth more than 1 billion dollars, or companies that have raised more than 100 million euros in one go.

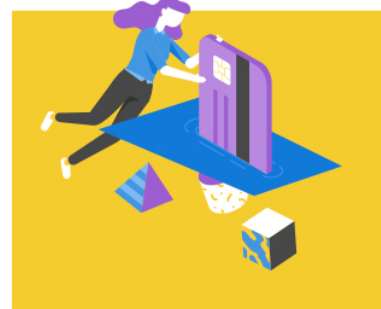
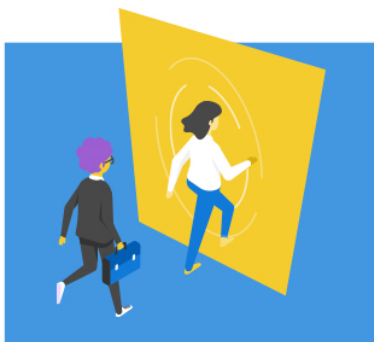
Constantijn van Oranje, Special Envoy of Techleap.nl: "The Corona crisis has demonstrated the importance of not becoming too dependent on technological solutions from other countries. With Techleap.nl Rise, we therefore want to create more Dutch tech businesses who can internationally measure themselves among the finest. We have found the best entrepreneurs in the field willing to help our most promising scale-ups with honest, hard and constructive feedback. By learning from each other's experiences and to connect them to the appropriate parties, we create an innovative climate providing the tech leaders of tomorrow to rise above themselves".

Colleagues of Michiel Muller and Ali Niknam

The TechLeap Rise program supports the selected scale-ups with knowledge and experience and provides access to TechLeap's valuable and extensive international network. They also get the opportunity to learn in small-scale classes from scale coaches and experienced entrepreneurs like Michiel Muller (Picnic), Chris Hall (Bynder) and Ali Niknam (Bunq) who managed to develop their startup into a very successful company. Furthermore, the scale-ups are helped to realize their international ambitions.

Impulse for international activities

For the latter, the first steps have already been taken at Online Payment Platform. The company recently opened an office in Antwerp and expects to open a third location in Europe before the end of the summer. Straver: "TechLeap Rise can undoubtedly provide an extra boost to our international activities and play a part in developing our contacts. Moreover, we hope to get on the radar with talent in local markets. Therefore, we are extremely excited to get started."





About Online Payment Platform

Online Payment Platform is a platform-psp. The company offers specialized payment services for platforms and marketplaces. Online Payment Platform was founded in 2012 and facilitates payments for more than 150 platforms across Europe. In 2019, millions of transactions took place via Online Payment Platform. Clients include ANWB, Natuurhuisje, Kamernet, PayPal, PostNL and the eBay Group including Marktplaats. The head office in Delft has about thirty employees and Online Payment Platform also has a branch in Antwerp.

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