

# Fintech

Join a thriving Fintech sector



## Opportunity



Major financial services brands are looking for Fintech partners. There are opportunities for early stage Fintechs to collaborate with Leeds City Region-based brands to meet this demand.



## Big facts

### Leeds City Region features:



The UK's second financial centre

Over 30 banks and financial institutions



Three of the top five building societies

Four of the world's largest payment processors



Over 332,000 people employed in financial and professional services (BRES 2017)



## Significant brands

- first direct
- CYBG PLC
- Skipton Building Society
- HSBC
- Rothschild & Co
- Lloyds Banking Group PLC
- Yorkshire Building Society
- Credit Karma
- Equiniti

## Company insight

### BJSS

- Six in every ten foreign exchange transactions worldwide take place on systems built and developed by BJSS

### Vocalink

- Vocalink pioneered the UK's first network of ATMs and today powers the BACs and the Faster Payments Service that underpin the UK financial infrastructure

### Worldpay

- Worldpay payments technology process nearly 50 per cent of transactions by UK retailers

### TransUnion

- TransUnion (formally Callcredit) is the UK's second largest credit reference bureau employing over 1,000 people



“Over the past decade, Leeds has affirmed its place as a digital hub, and we're proud to be a part of that. We've been fortunate to benefit from a great local pool of talent as we've grown, with our innovation and expertise attracting international investment”

**TransUnion**