

Greater Montréal, An Ideal Location to Invest in Fintech

2024 Edition



So many reasons to invest in Fintech in Greater Montréal



▲ **A leading financial centre** with 140,000+ jobs and 3,800+ companies

▲ **A vast network of prominent foreign financial institutions, major pension funds and asset managers, and leading insurance companies**

▲ **Home to a thriving Fintech community** where leading startups were born such as Lightspeed, Mobeewave, Nuvei

▲ **Among the top 10 worldwide and #1 in Canada for green finance** according to the Global Green Finance Index 2024

▲ **Many cutting-edge expertise to boost Fintech:** AI, quantum, cybersecurity, etc.

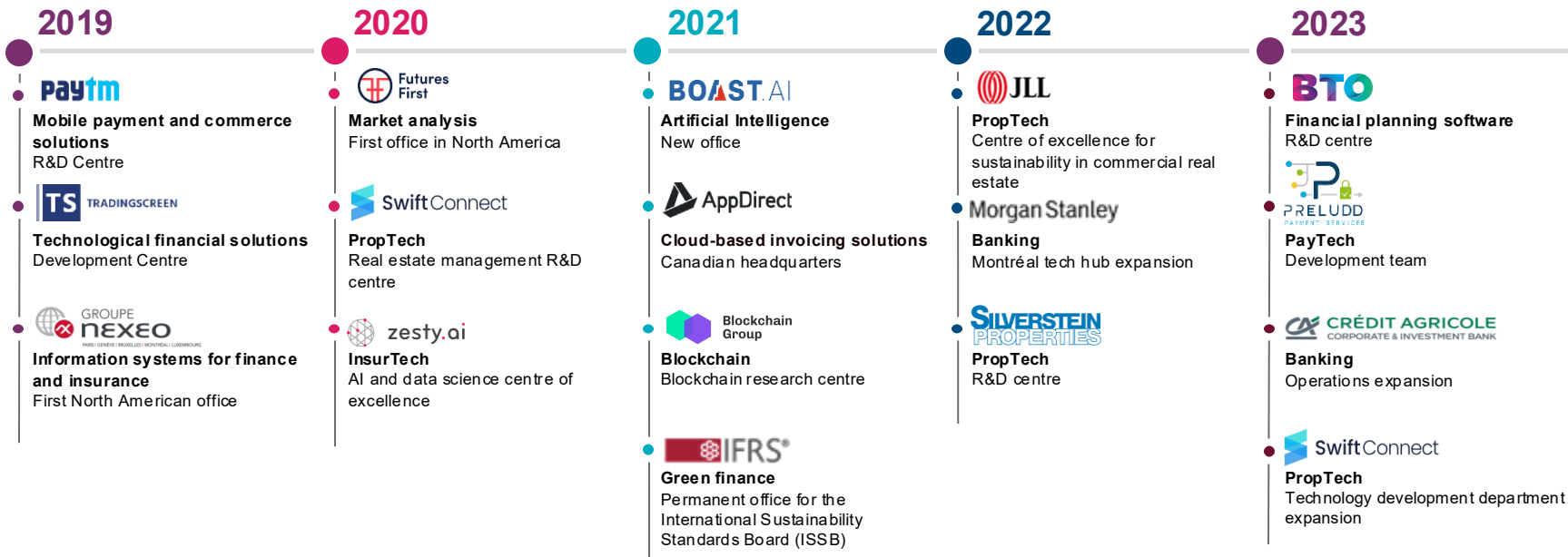
▲ **Many attractive tax credits and incentives** to support investment and stimulate innovation

▲ **36,000+ university students** enrolled in finance-related programs and **26,000+ students** enrolled in IT programs

▲ **31% cost advantage for Fintech operations** compared to the 20 largest metropolitan areas in Canada and the U.S.

▲ **45 projects for \$1.5B+ in foreign investment** supported by Montréal International since 2018

Many world leaders chose Montréal for Fintech ventures



Other foreign companies established in Greater Montréal



Major business leaders talk about Montréal



Building a team in Montréal gives us the opportunity to tap into the incredible talent the city has to offer, to introduce our program and products to a new market and allows us to continue to work cross-functionally as a growing team.

Sean O'Donoghue
Chief Operating Officer,
TheGuarantors



We selected Montréal given the breadth and quality of its human capital in the computer software and information systems development area[...]. We are pleased to set up in a jurisdiction where the government is committed to attracting and incentivizing technology companies such as ours.

Pierre Schroeder
Chief Executive Officer,
TradingScreen



We are convinced that Montréal's vibrant technology culture and engineering talent pool will contribute to strengthen Upgrade's technology and product DNA.

Renaud Laplanche
Co-founder and CEO,
Upgrade



The company made the decision to open a research and development centre in Montréal to capitalize on the city's expertise in the areas of big data and artificial intelligence.

Jérôme Gagnon
Vice President,
Platform Engineering,
Paytm Labs



Personalized and confidential support for setting up or expanding your business

We support foreign companies, subsidiaries already established in Greater Montréal, and international entrepreneurs in their investment projects



Strategic and operational support
(business plan, sectoral expertise)



Site selection assistance
(regional economic data, comparative reports)



Advice on funding sources (financial and tax incentives)



Access to an established network of partners, university institutions and research centres

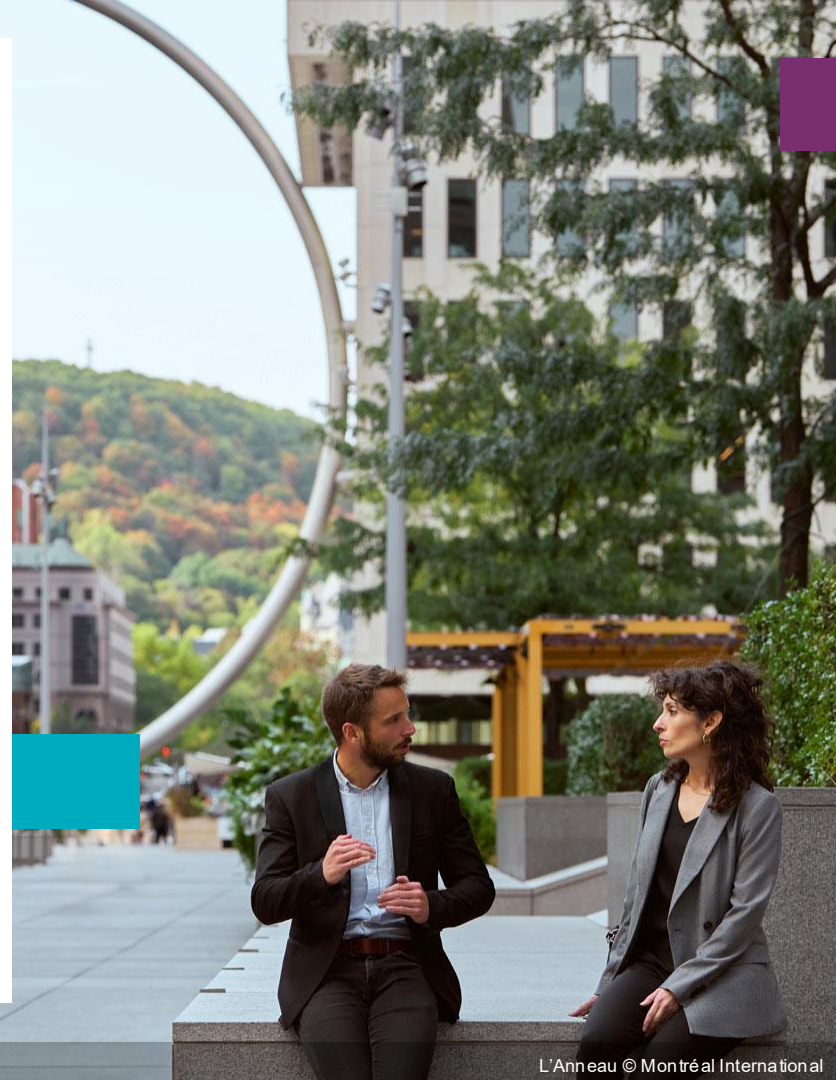


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