

#### LANGUAGE TRAVEL MARKETPLACE

## Learning a new language?

3 most important things to know

1.

3.5 million people travel abroad every year to study foreign a language. This number will quadruple in 10 years.

2.

Full immersion courses are by far the most efficient way to start speaking a new language. 3.

LanguageTours unites
language training providers
from around the world to
give users an easy way to
choose and book a perfect
study tour. All online.

Source: ICEF Report Data

## What about the numbers?



People travel abroad every year to study a foreign language



EduTravel industry is yet to have a game changer.



Only a fraction of second language learners experienced language travel.

yet...

Source: ICEF Report Data

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#### Student's pain

No global marketplace for booking language courses abroad

Biased agents charge booking/agent fees

Search engine results dominated by just a few language providers

Very limited offer in developing markets

#### School's pain

Seasonal fluctuations in demand

Huge costs for running marketing in multiple markets

No road to market leading to emerging regions

Significant expenses to hire multilingual sales/support staff

### Schools need LanguageTours...

to easily enter new markets
to increase occupancy by selling overcapacity
to increase profit by selling low-season places
to cut multilingual staffing costs
to easily manage bookings in one place

### Students need LanguageTours...

to safely search and book their tour online
to avoid paying any agency/booking fees
to be sure their school is accredited to teach
to receive exclusive discounts and promotions
to have support in native language

## **Exciting markets**

### ENGLISH AS A SECOND LANGUAGE SOURCE MARKETS

| NUMBER | OF STU | <b>JDENTS</b> | <b>PER</b> | <b>YEAR</b> |
|--------|--------|---------------|------------|-------------|
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| Japan          | 135 000 |
|----------------|---------|
| South Korea    | 120 000 |
| Italy          | 105 000 |
| China          | 99 000  |
| Brazil         | 80 000  |
| Spain          | 70 000  |
| Turkey         | 65 000  |
| Switzerland    | 60 000  |
| France         | 51 000  |
| Russia         | 44 000  |
| Germany        | 44 000  |
| Rest of Europe | 181 000 |
| Rest of LatAm  | 86 000  |
| Middle East    | 83 000  |
| Far East       | 60 000  |
| Other          | 22 000  |

### OTHER LANGUAGES MARKETS COMPARISON

| English    | <b>78</b> % |
|------------|-------------|
| French     | 6%          |
| German     | 5%          |
| Spanish    | 5%          |
| Italian    | 2%          |
| Chinese    | 2%          |
| Portuguese | 1%          |
| Russian    | 1%          |
|            |             |

#### **KEY FIGURES**

| Total addressable market  |      |
|---------------------------|------|
| (tuition + accommodation) | 24B  |
| Number of students        | 2.5M |

## Competitive environment

LanguageTours will compete for students with offline educational agencies and online language school catalogues such as languagecourse.net.

LanguageTours provides functionality to complete booking and payment online. We are seamlessly connecting language schools with students from around the world.

Most of the bookings are currently done by local offline agencies, the idea is to provide high quality online consultation and provide ongoing travel support in native language.

## Consumer strategy

Google Organic Search (SEO)

Google AdWords

Word of mouth

Facebook ad + re-targeting

Influencer collaboration

Partner programs with local schools

## Partner-school strategy

In-house sales/business development

Leverage current network of language school contacts

Interest confirmed from 3 world's leading English training providers

## Monetisation

Course fee commission 15-40% for each booking

Student accommodation commissions 5-15% for each booking

Additional services for students (visa service, flight & transfer)

Premium services for schools (featured placements)

Annual sales targets for each school (4-5% of net revenue generated)

## **Unit economics**

Average language course tuition fee per week €275

Average commission for one week 25% or €70

Average trip duration (2 - 32 weeks) 4 weeks

Total LanguageTours tuition fee commission €280

Additional commission (accommodation, visa service, flights) 30%

Total LanguageTours commission per one booking €364

Client Acquisition Cost (Italian & German markets): €53

## Founders & The Team

Idea for language.tours evolved whilst we were developing international educational agency EliteStudent in Moscow.

Launched in 2014 we are now the leading agency in Russia, booking over 10 000 weeks of studies abroad and generating over €2 mln. in revenues in 2017. Now we want to go global.



Maxim Grebenuk (Business) - King's College London, BSc Computer Science Graduate. Gained experience as an investment banking analyst at Goldman Sachs, J.P. Morgan and Dimensional Fund Advisors, moving to Moscow, Russia in 2014 to launch EliteStudent LLC - international educational agency (elitestudent.ru).



Nikolay Stoev (Tech) — Moscow State University, MSc Computer Science Graduate. Gained experience as a PM in REDMADROBOT (biggest Russian mobile development outsourcing company). In 2011 launched successful software development company (high-load web and mobile apps) — Secret Lab.

## More than idea

Industry experience: 4 years of hard work @ EliteStudent.ru

Performance track record: €2 mln. in revenues 2017 (Russia + CIS)

30 000 client base

6000 paying clients

What's next? Going global with LanguageTours

Check it out: https://language.tours

Traction & validation: First paying clients Italy & Germany

Running first sales: Early revenue in Italian market

## The Big Plan

|         |   | paying clients | net<br>revenue |
|---------|---|----------------|----------------|
| Q4 2018 | Full-scale operations Italy & Germany. Launch multi-channel marketing campaign.           | 544            | € -159k        |
| Q1 2019 | Set up European support desk. Launch in Spain & Benelux. 200+ schools available.          | 1 519          | € -239k        |
| Q2 2019 | Start offering more languages to learn:<br>Spanish, German & Italian language schools.    | 3 225          | € -229k        |
| Q3 2019 | Extend number of paid services: visa service, accommodation search, transfer. Break even. |                | € 90k          |
| Q4 2019 | Launch LatAm - setup marketing & support.   | 11 173         | € 647k         |

## **Terms & Exit**

Currently raising seed round of: €300 000

Giving away: 15% equity

Purpose of investment: Setup European sales & support desk

Launch full-scale marketing campaign

Offer more languages in addition to English

Previous investments: None. Self-funded.

Capitalisation table: Maxim 50% / Nikolay 50%

Incorporation: Language Tours Limited (UK)

Exit strategy: Acquisition or sell of shares

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