

The Toronto region\* is one of the fastest growing fintech hubs in the world, with an investment rate exceeding that of Silicon Valley, New York, and London in the last 6 years.

The region has the potential to become a leading global fintech hub by creating a business-friendly environment focused on innovation in addition to stability and security, providing strong support to local fintech startups and the commercialization of research, and capitalizing on the concentrated financial services sector.

## FINANCIAL SERVICES TECHNOLOGY INNOVATION



**#2 Largest Financial Center in North America**



**250,000+ workers**



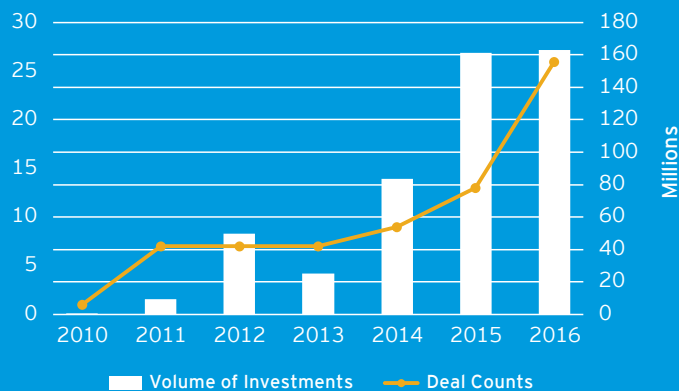
**#2 Largest Tech Sector in North America**



**\$14B+ Equity Value**

## DEALS & INVESTMENTS

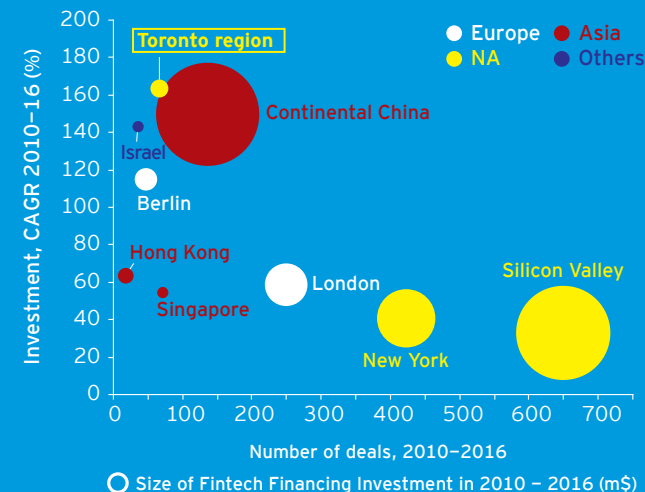
Pre-IPO Fintech Equity Investments in the Toronto region



 Fintech investments have been on an upward trend and the funding climate is improving

## GLOBAL COMPARISON

Global Fintech Hubs - Financing Activity



## FINTECH SPACE



**140+ FINTECHS**




**10 VENTURE CAPITAL FIRMS**




**10 INCUBATORS/ACCELERATORS**

## LEADING FINTECHS IN THE CORRIDOR

 Borrowell	 CARTA WORLDWIDE	 DREAMPAYMENTS	 ethoca	 FENTURY	 Financeit
 FLEXITI FINANCIAL	 FundThrough	 Hockeystick	 League	 lendified	 nanoPay
 Nest WEALTH	 NexusCrowd	 Overband	 PitchPoint solutions	 Q4	 Quandl
 SECURE KEY	 Sensibill	 sowndpays	 STREET CONTEXT	 Wealthsimple	 WQVE
				 ZENSURANCE	

 **25** Fintechs that have received considerable financing and media coverage

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Sources: Statistics Canada, Labour Force Survey, 2014  
<https://torontoglobal.ca/Discover-Toronto-region/Toronto-region-quick-facts>  
 Crunchbase and CB Insights Data  
 TFSA Toronto Fintech Ecosystem Report May 2017  
 \*The Toronto region refers to the Toronto-Kitchener-Waterloo corridor.