

## Press Release

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### **Form3 achieves Advanced Technology Partner in the Amazon Web Services Partner Network and AWS Financial Services Competency status**

Form3, a leading cloud-native, payment technology provider has announced that they have earned Advanced Technology Partner status in the Amazon Web Services (AWS) Partner Network (APN) as well as AWS Financial Services Competency status.

To qualify for the Advanced Technology Partner status, APN Partners must meet thorough requirements that demonstrate the scale of their AWS expertise, capabilities, and engagement in AWS.

Founded in 2016 by four banking and technology leaders, Form3 has grown to become a leading cloud-based, critical payment infrastructure technology provider managing the complete, end to end payment journey for tier1 banks and regulated fintechs across the UK and Europe.

Steve Cook, Chief Technology Officer and one of the founding members of Form3 stated, "AWS enables Form3 to innovate faster at lower cost while having complete flexibility. Attaining APN Advanced Technology Partner and AWS Financial Services Competency status is a significant milestone and a reflection of Form3's dedication in delivering excellence to customers through our cloud-native payments platform. We are delighted to join an elite community of APN members and continue to deliver services that our customers love to use."

AWS has a stringent technical certification and validation process requiring a wide range of enterprise references to be demonstrated and competencies certified from Dev Ops to Operations Management, Information Security and Incident handling.

Michael Mueller, Chief Executive Officer and founder of Form3 added, "Financial institutions need the ability to deliver real-time payment processing at pace in order to thrive in today's digital economy. Migrating critical payments infrastructure to a fully managed service in the cloud is significant and we use only proven technology, people, and services to not only get the job done but future proof at every step, ensuring highly secure, payment processing, clearing, settlement and reconciliation in milliseconds. We started working with AWS at the start of our business in 2016 and we're delighted to continue growing our relationship with them."

Form3 is regularly ranked in the Top European Fintechs to watch by Sifted and Fintech 50 and named as the Best Digital Innovation by Bobsguide 2019 and runner up in British Bank Awards for Best Technology Partner 2020.

## About Form3

Form3 was founded in 2016 to help create better experiences for customers and their users when moving money globally. Their mission is to leverage technology to lower barriers and open up payment clearing and settlement scheme access to financial communities globally in order to move money in real-time.

By combining cutting edge micro-services technology and API's backed with decades of banking and payments expertise, Form3's end to end, cloud-native, payments platform enables access to payment schemes including ACH, Direct Debits and real-time transaction processing through a single API. The cloud-native nature of the Form3 platform means that as customers grow, we scale their mission critical payments environment quickly and easily. It's all automated, no hardware, no software and the service is fully managed by our 24x7 operations team.

What makes Form3 relevant today and in the future is that we continue crafting payment technology solutions that make moving money faster, easier and more economical for financial institutions in their home markets and across borders. By removing the technology and engineering burden from customers means they can focus on delivering new propositions and an enhanced experience to their users.

Our customers include UK, European and US banks, payment institutions, card payment processors and licensed Fintechs, including Tier1 global brands.

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