# 2021 ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING

PRESENTATION 28 MAY 2021

**OPENLEARNING LIMITED (ASX:OLL)** 

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# YOUR BOARD OF DIRECTORS



KEVIN BARRY
NON-EXECUTIVE CHAIRMAN

Kevin has over 24 years' experience in law, property finance and funds management. Kevin has worked at leading firms KPMG, Blake Dawson, Norton Rose and Zurich Capital Markets. Kevin is currently MD of Thakral Capital Australia and the Chairman of ICS Global (ASX:ICS).



ADAM BRIMO

**EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR** 

Adam left Macquarie Group to found OpenLearning with fellow UNSW software engineer David Collien and renowned Prof Richard Buckland in 2012. Adam was recognised in Forbes 2017 30 under 30 in Asia Consumer Technology and has been added to the Pearcey Foundation Tech Entrepreneur Hall of Fame.



#### **DAVID BUCKINGHAM**

NON-EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR

David has had an impressive career which includes senior roles at PWC, VirginMedia and iiNet. Most recently David was Group CEO and Managing Director of education company, Navitas (ASX:NVT), where he oversaw its \$2.3B sale to private equity firm BGH Capital.



SPIRO PAPPAS
NON-EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR

Former executive general manager of Global Institutional Banking at NAB & CEO of NAB Asia. Spent over 13 years in London and NY, including 11 years with ABN AMRO where he managed a number of global businesses. Spiro is currently the Chairman of Atlas Iron and formerly of Splitit Ltd (ASX:SPT).



**MAYA HARI** 

**NON-EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR** 

A business leader with a proven track record across two decades of technology & digital lifestyle experience amassed at companies such as Google, Conde Nast, Samsung, Microsoft and Cisco. Maya is currently Twitter's VP and MD for Asia Pacific and serves as the president of TiE in Singapore.



#### **BEVERLEY OLIVER**

**NON-EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR** 

Beverley brings significant education experience, leading innovations in digital education with her most recent role as Deputy Vice-Chancellor Education and Alfred Deakin Professor at Deakin University.

Beverley has been recognised with numerous awards and is a Principal Fellow of UK's Higher Education Academy.







## **KEY ACHIEVEMENTS IN FY20**

- → Delivered strong growth in core business (as at FY20 year end):
  - 42% growth in SaaS ARR to \$1.35m in FY20, driven by a 169% increase in SaaS clients to 167 education providers
  - 48% increase in gross sales to \$2.87m, with 42% growth in cash receipts from customers to \$3.18m
  - Delivered a range of new functionality and features in the OpenLearning platform for the benefit of our clients
- → Signed major partnerships to drive future growth:
  - 5-year agreement to deliver the UNSW Transition Program Online for international students to gain entry into UNSW
- 5-year agreement with UNSW and The University of Queensland to be the technology and operating partner of the Biomedical Education and Skills Training (BEST) Network, whose members include ten of the world's leading biomedical schools
  - · Strategic partnership and platform agreements with Australia Catholic University, DeakinCo., High Resolves and Alibaba Cloud
- → Launched OpenCreds to drive micro-credential market development
  - Launched OpenCreds, Australia's first cross-sector micro-credentialing framework for lifelong learning, and subsequently launched a Malaysian version later in the year
  - Signed agreements with Open Universities Australia, the country's largest higher education marketplace with 450,000 alumni
  - Daunched the OpenCreds Investment Fund, which signed up 8 higher education providers to build 26 OpenCreds
- → Ended FY20 with a strong cash position of \$8.6m, bolstered by a successful \$5.94m capital raise

# **GROWING REVENUE** AND SUCCESSFUL TRANSITION TO A PLATFORM DRIVEN BUSINESS MODEL

In FY20, the Company continued to focus on growing high margin platform SaaS revenue by expanding its sales and marketing resources to acquire more customers and increase usage of existing customers.

#### **Key Highlights:**

- → Platform SaaS fees grow to become the Company's largest source of revenue.
- → 47.8% y-o-y increase in gross sales for FY20, driven by strong growth in Platform SaaS and Marketplace gross sales, which grew by 56% and 91.3% y-o-y respectively.
- Statutory net loss for FY20 reduced by 27.1% to \$(5.62m). Significant reduction in loss was mainly due to incurrence of pre-IPO and IPO related expenses in FY19

The Company's hard work and adaptability over the past year has provided a strong foundation for revenue growth in FY21 for both its Platform SaaS business and recently signed partnerships, which are already generating revenue.

The Board is confident in the Company's strategy and is grateful to shareholders for their support.

	2020	2019	Inc/(Dec)
	\$	\$	%
Revenue comprised of the following:			
Platform SaaS fees	1,127,453	722,525	56.0
Marketplace sales	1,121,159	585,928	91.3
Services sales	619,886	632,309	(2.0)
Gross sales	2,868,498	1,940,762	47.8
Less: revenue shared with course creators	(979,862)	(338,149)	>100.0
Revenue from ordinary activities	1,888,636	1,602,613	17.8





**Adam Brimo** 



# OPENLEARNING IS ONE OF THE WORLD'S LARGEST **ONLINE EDUCATION PLATFORMS**

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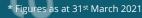
Education providers delivering courses

2.8M

Unique registered learners around the world

50M

Peer interactions between learners



# OPENLEARNING'S **ALL-IN-ONE SOLUTION** ENABLES EDUCATION PROVIDERS TO MOVE ONLINE

# MARKETPLACE Global high-traffic website for learners

Global high-traffic website for learners to discover new courses and degrees and providers to market their courses



#### **OPENCREDS**

Transportable micro-credentials issued through the platform could lead to credit in a degree



#### **ONLINE EDUCATION**

Scalable cloud platform for education providers to create, sell and deliver high quality courses and degrees

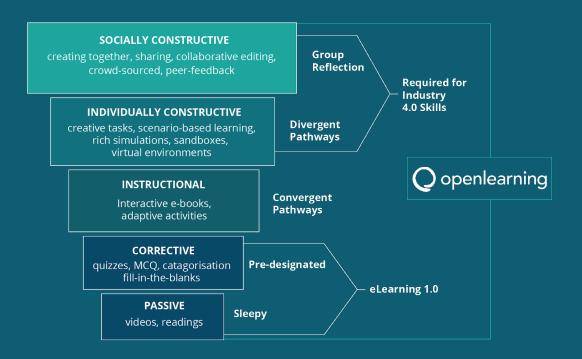


#### **PORTFOLIOS**

Automatically generated portfolio to showcase learner's skills and credentials to potential employers

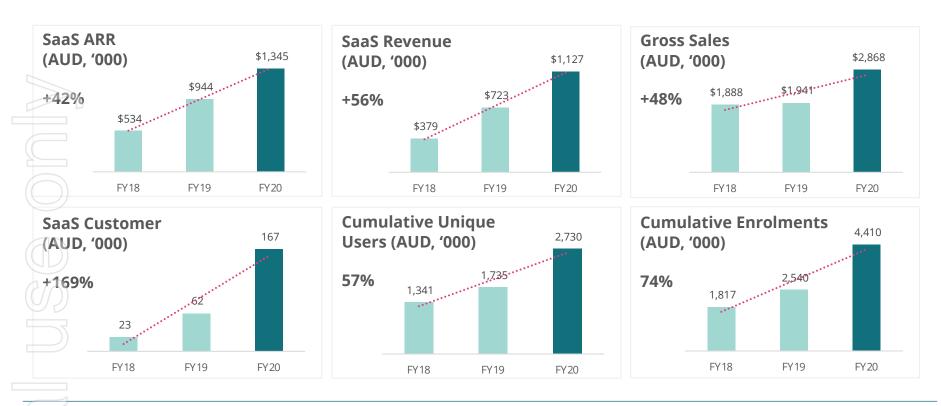
# CUTTING-EDGE PLATFORM DESIGNED FOR THE FUTURE OF EDUCATION

- → Proprietary technology
- → Research backed approach
- Outcome-based education
- → High student engagement
- → Soft skills and practical skills
  - Innovative assessment system
- → Automatically generated portfolio





# **STRONG GROWTH** ACROSS ALL KEY METRICS IN FY20



<sup>1.</sup> Annualised recurring SaaS revenue, calculated by utilising the generally accepted industry standard, which involves multiplying the monthly accrued SaaS revenue in the month at the end of the quarter by 12 (months). The ARR calculation does not take into account the future expiry of the term of any contract under which SaaS revenue is generated or any customer lost during the relevant month.

# **STEP CHANGE** IN Q1 FY21 PLATFORM REVENUE

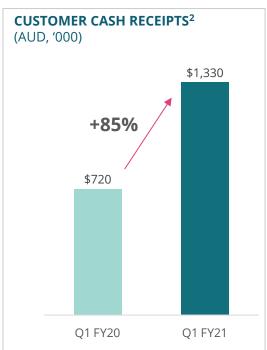
#### **ACCELERATING PLATFORM REVENUE**

- Strategy focused on capturing a greater share of the value created by the OpenLearning platform and the Company's education expertise
- Platform driven revenue is comprised of:
  - 1. SaaS: recurring revenue from education providers
  - **2. Partnerships**: revenue share on courses (incl. **UNSW Transition Program Online)**

#### **RECORD CASH RECEIPTS**

- Strong SaaS sales and contract renewals resulted in \$480k in SaaS customer receipts
- First intake of the Transition Program Online (TPO) started on 22<sup>nd</sup> March resulting in \$511k of customer receipts; only 8 days of revenue were accrued in O1







# OUR VISION IS TO BE THE **NO.1 LIFELONG LEARNING** PLATFORM IN AUSTRALIA & SOUTHEAST ASIA

A holistic platform for continuous learning that people come back to throughout their life

#### **EMPLOYMENT**

- Skills demand / future of work insights (enable learning, upskilling rediscovery)
- Connect learners to career opportunities at scale

#### **ASSESSMENT**

- Measurable learning outcomes and authentic assessment
- Portfolio of skills, evidence, competencies and credentials



#### DISCOVERY

- Library of quality courses for lifelong learning and upskilling
- Learning pathways to enable skills transformation in people at scale

#### **I FARNING**

- Socially constructive learning experiences, community of practice and project-based activities
- Course authoring and delivery tools for learning designers and educators

## THREE PHASES TO REALISE THIS VISION

**#2.** Grow platform revenue and deliver learning outcomes at scale, providing a large userbase and data insights/analytics **#3.** Expand into an integrated model that connects learners with education and career opportunities at scale

#1. Establish sustainable business models that realise the value of our technology platform and capabilities



# TWO CORE BUSINESS MODELS TO REALISE THE VALUE OF OUR PLATFORM AND CAPABILITIES



Model 1: **Software as a Service (SaaS)** 

To enable all types of education providers to access a high-quality learning platform and deliver quality education at scale

Model 2: **Partnerships** 

To partner with top institutions to deliver flagship programs that demonstrate measurable outcomes for a large accessible market.



# **SCALABLE SAAS BUSINESS MODEL** ENABLES LOW COST EXPANSION INTO NEW MARKETS/SEGMENTS

#### **GROWING IN AUSTRALIA AND MALAYSIA**

- Strong growth from new clients sign-ups and a move to usage-based SaaS model in both countries
- Expecting OpenCreds to be a key driver for institutions to sign up to the platform

#### **ROLLING OUT SELF-SERVICE MODEL TO INSTITUTIONS**

- Self-service model enables institutions with up to 4,000 learners to subscribe, pay and onboard online, shortening sales cycle and increasing efficiency
- Continued investment in sales and marketing, new platform features, functionality and automation

#### **EXPANDING INTO INDONESIA**

- Indonesia has over 4.000 education institutions and is rapidly adopting education technology; Eight local universities already use OpenLearning
- Key market for Australia higher education providers to expand their operations and promote courses

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SAAS SUBSCRIPTION PLANS			
Customer profile	• Online trainer • Teacher • Lecturer	<ul> <li>Institution</li> <li>Uni / private tertiary provider</li> <li>Vocational training</li> <li>CPD provider</li> <li>Corporate training</li> </ul>	<ul><li>Enterprise</li><li>University</li><li>Government</li><li>Large corporate</li></ul>
No. of learners	250	Up to 4,000	4,000+
No. of educators	1	From 5 to unlimited	Unlimited
Annual recurring revenue	\$600	\$5,400 - \$27,000	Tailored pricing (starting from \$30,000)
No. of existing clients <sup>1</sup>	63	103	11

# STRONG FOOTHOLD IN TARGET MARKETS WITH A LARGE SAAS REVENUE OPPORTUNITY

REVENUE OPPORTUNITY IN AUSTRALIA. MALAYSIA AND INDONESIA BASED ON CURRENT USAGE-BASED SAAS PRICING

\$46m UNIVERSITY AND OTHER HIGHER EDUCATION

\$44m

**TECHNICAL AND VOCATIONAL EDUCATION**  \$39m

**CORPORATE AND PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT** 

\$11m **INDUSTRY ASSOCIATIONS** 



























































## SELECTED PARTNERSHIPS TO TARGET

# LARGE ADDRESSABLE MARKETS

#### **OVERVIEW**

- Partnering with top institutions to develop / deliver flagship programs for a large accessible market
- Improving upon the traditional online program management (OPM) model by leveraging OpenLearning's socially constructive approach and technology platform

#### DEMONSTRATING CAPABILITY BY UNSW TPO

UNSW Transition Program Online demonstrates the Company's capability to handle all spectrums of program delivery, from admissions, learning design, teaching, student support to assessment

#### **FURTHER DEVELOPMENT**

- Currently in the progress of developing other opportunities in areas with strong educational demand / career benefits
- The long-term goal is to transition from a "high-touch" model to a scalable model that education delivery is undertaken by education providers (who apply OL's proven delivery approach) and OL provides tools / technology support

#### PATH TO SCALING PARTNERSHIPS MODEL

2021

2022

2023

Launch and scale UNSW TPO to demonstrate capability

Build and launch new partnerships with other education providers

> Transition into a scalable "light-touch" partnership model with HE sector focus



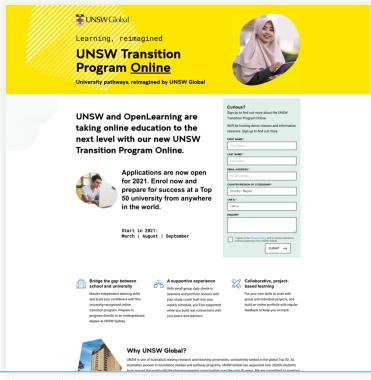
# TRANSFORMATIVE ONLINE PATHWAY PROGRAM FOR INTERNATIONAL STUDENTS

#### UNSW TPO 1st INTAKE SUCCESSFULLY COMMENCED

- Five-year agreement with UNSW Global to deliver the online pathway program to international students
- 1st intake commenced on 22nd March 2021 and achieved 100% student retention by the census date
- Generated cash receipts of \$511K for Q1 2021
- Three more intakes in Q3 and Q4 2021; similar programs have historically been over twice as popular in the 2<sup>nd</sup> half of the year
- Students who are accepted into the TPO pay an indicative fee of \$15,960, out of which the Company pays a license fee to UNSW

#### SIGNIFICANT REVENUE OPPORTUNITY

- Estimated total addressable market of 3,500+ students<sup>1</sup>
- Provides a more affordable pathway into a top tier university, opening up new fast-growing markets (e.g. Southeast Asia and the Middle East)
- Aiming to get more universities globally to accept the TPO as a pathway





## DEVELOPING THE AUSTRALIAN AND MALAYSIAN

# MICRO-CREDENTIAL MARKETS

#### **OPENCREDS BY OPENLEARNING**





27 OpenCreds are now available with prices ranging from < \$100 to \$650 per learner and between 2.5 to 25 hours of learning

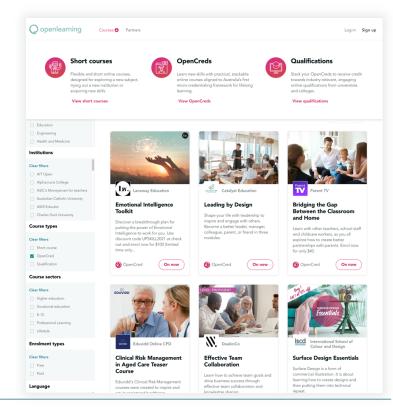
#### INCREASING ADOPTION BY PROVIDERS

Two large Australian universities have adopted OpenCreds across their institutions and interest from other universities is growing

OpenLearning SaaS clients can build OpenCreds on their own and submit them for approval to OpenLearning's review process

Initiatives to develop OpenCreds with Open Universities Australia, Australia's largest higher education marketplace, and the OpenCreds Investment Fund to build courses on a revenue-share model

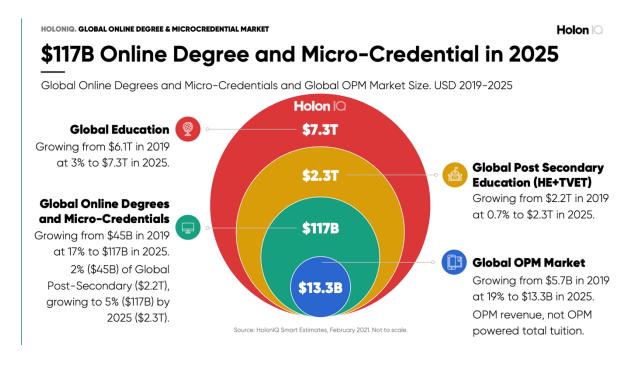
Partnership with Accredible, the world's most comprehensive digital badge and certificate platform, for OpenCreds and SaaS clients



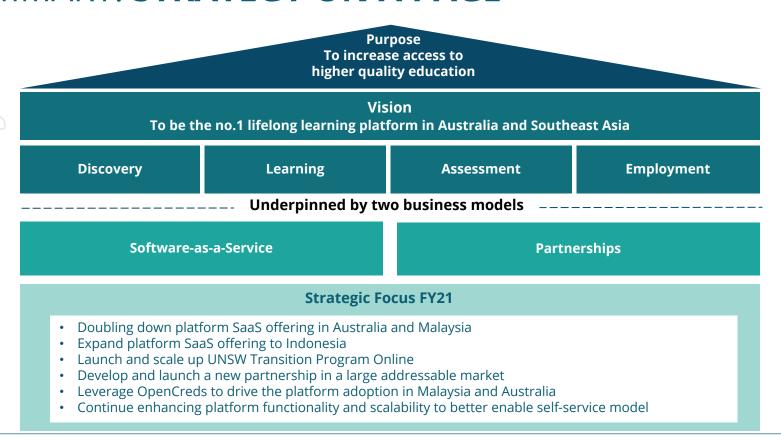
# ONLINE LEARNING TO **GROW FROM 2% TO 5%** OF POST-SECONDARY EDUCATION BY 2025

#### **GROWTH ACCELERATING POST-COVID**

- COVID has increased awareness and acceptance of online education
- Stop-gap measures in 2020/2021 have highlighted challenges in capability and quality at higher education providers
- Accelerated CAGR of 17% expected through 2025 compared to projected CAGR of 14% pre-COVID
- Online learning to grow to 5% of post-secondary education by 2025, still significant opportunity for further penetration



# SUMMARY: **STRATEGY ON A PAGE**



# STRONG FOUNDATIONS FOR FURTHER GROWTH

- Cutting-edge lifelong learning platform providing a high quality online learning experience with a strong brand
- Doubling down in Australia and Malaysia and maintaining the market leader position in these two key markets
- Expanding platform SaaS offering into Indonesia
- Investment in self-serve platform model accelerates customer adoption and improves operational efficiencies
- Transformative UNSW TPO in place and set to generate significant core platform revenue
- BEST Network successfully launched, providing a new revenue stream and entry into the medical education sector
  - Well placed to capitalise on rapidly growing short course and micro-credentials market
  - Strong cash balance of circa \$7.4m at 31st March 2021 to support growth initiatives (e.g., a new partnership)

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# **Questions**



# **Business of the meeting**





## **Resolution 1 – Adoption of Remuneration Report**

"That for the purposes of section 250R(2) of the Corporations Act and for all other purposes, the Remuneration Report for the year ended 31 December 2020 and included in the Directors' Report, which is attached to the Financial Statements as required under section 300A of the Corporations Act, be adopted by the Company."

For	Against	Abstain/Excluded
36,274,504	311,948	10,133,513



## Resolution 2 – Re-election of Mr. Kevin Barry as a Director

"That, Mr. Kevin Barry, who was appointed a Director of the Company on 30 August 2019 by a resolution of the Board, retires by rotation in accordance with Article 14.2 of the Company's Constitution and ASX Listing Rule 14.5, and being eligible, is reelected as a Director."

For	Against	Abstain/Excluded
46,483,214	239,221	3,030



### Resolution 3 - Re-election of Mr. Spiro Pappas as a Director

"That, Mr. Spiro Pappas, who was appointed a Director of the Company on 30 August 2019 by a resolution of the Board, retires by rotation in accordance with Article 14.2 of the Company's Constitution and ASX Listing Rule 14.5, and being eligible, is reelected as a Director."

For	Against	Abstain/Excluded
46,479,426	228,009	18,030





## Resolution 4 - Approval of 10% Placement Capacity

"That, for the purposes of ASX Listing Rule 7.1A and for all other purposes, approval is given for the issue of Equity Securities totalling up to 10% of the issued capital of the Company (at the time of issue), calculated in accordance with the formula prescribed in ASX Listing Rule 7.1A.2 and on the terms and conditions set out in the Explanatory Statement which accompanies and forms part of this Notice of Meeting."

For	Against	Abstain/Excluded
46,205,875	478,319	26,271





# Resolution 5 - Ratification of prior issue of Placement **Shares issued under ASX Listing Rule 7.1**

"That, for the purposes of ASX Listing Rule 7.4 and for all other purposes, Shareholders ratify the allotment and prior issue of 21,212,495 Placement Shares issued by the Company on 4 November 2020 pursuant to the Placement undertaken by the Company and otherwise on the terms and conditions set out in the Explanatory Statement which accompanies and forms part of this Notice of Meeting."

For	Against	Abstain/Excluded
35,684,104	285,719	7,556,198





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