THIS IS EMERGING INTERNATIONAL PAYMENT & REGULATORY TRENDS

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TODAY'S AGENDA

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WHY OUR CLIENTS PARTNER WITH US





Emerging Payment Trends



YOUR CHALLENGES



What are the challenges you face when accepting and sending international payments?



CHALLENGES FACED BY LANGUAGE SCHOOLS

Spending too much time reconciling international student payments

Investing too much time on the phone with worried students

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Spending more money than you would like on international bank fees

Too much time spent managing foreign currency accounts to pay overseas invoices

Incurring merchant service fees when receiving payments by credit card

THE CHALLENGES OF RECEIVING FUNDS

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Your international payments don't always arrive in-full and on time



Reconciling: Time-consuming to match payments to students

Tracking: Too much time responding to worried students

Refunding: Difficult to make international refunds

Mobility: Students prefer to pay by smartphone

Diversity: Students know and trust local payment providers

THE CHALLENGES OF SENDING FUNDS

Sending international payments is a very complex process



Paying: Managing invoices in various currencies



Banking: Need foreign bank accounts



Tracking: Payments getting lost in transit



Visibility: Not knowing how much foreign currency you need



Unpredictability: Market volatility and changing foreign exchange rates

THE NEW REALITY FOR LANGUAGE SCHOOLS

Language Schools

More cross-border purchases to pay for such as agent payments

International students

More students from abroad paying for tuition, accommodation & fees online

MARKET TRENDS





GLOBAL PAYMENT COMPLEXITY

All of these complex payment transactions happen in various currencies, at various exchange rates, using various payment methods and foreign banks. It's a lot to manage and can become tedious and complicated.



A CHANGING WORLD

Sending & receiving international funds is part of everyday life



4% increase in student numbers at Canadian language schools¹



eWallet payments projected to exceed credit card payments by 2019²



Regional, online payment providers have taken the world by storm



¹ Growth expected to continue due to visa policies, plus Trump and Brexit effect

1. Languages Canada Annual Survey Report

2. Worldpay Global Payment Report 2016

3. IBISWorld Ltd. (2016), Universities in the UK: Balancing the books

Payment expectations of students are evolving.

More payment options available from non traditional providers.

Requirement to keep your school compliant while meeting payment expectations of students.



DOES YOUR PAYMENT PROCESS MEET THESE REQUIREMENTS?





ALIGN WITH YOUR ENROLMENT STRATEGIES



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DIGITALLY ENABLE YOUR PAYMENT ACCEPTANCE

Leverage digital technology for best in class payment capabilities



Mobile-first design user interface offer a best in class payer experience



Payment tracking provides visibility on payments status

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Intuitive e-commerce experience deliver a slick payment journey



On demand reporting dashboard view payment activity at-a-glance



Online payment options such asUnionpay, Tenpay & AliPay, POLIpayments, iDeal, Trustly and SOFORT. WeChat Pay and India Net Banking.



Automate your refund process helps streamline internal processes



LEAP INTO THE DIGITAL REVOLUTION



Makes the job of receiving, reconciling, tracking and refunding international funds very simple **for you** Offering a digital payment solution

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Makes paying for tuition, accommodation and other school expenses easy **for** students





Offer a seamless payment experience, just as intuitive as online shopping

Enable students & agents to :

Easily pay by smartphone

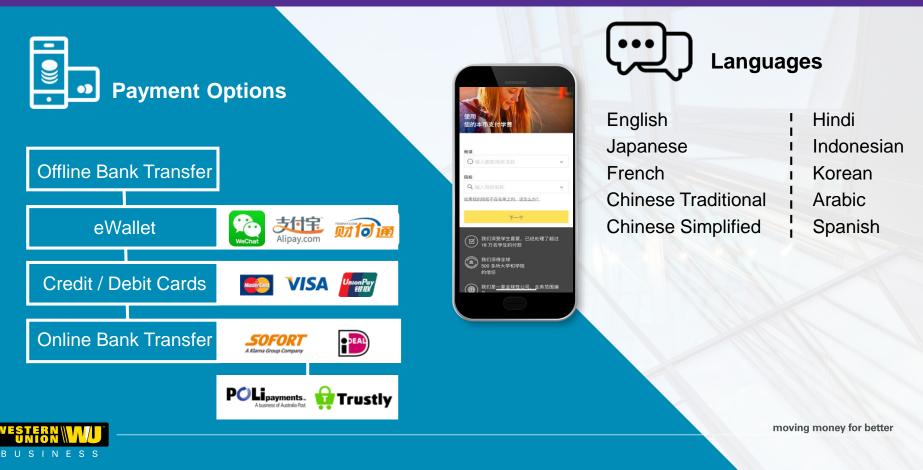
Use local payment methods they know and love

Get real-time status updates via text or email

Optimize your payment options for mobile payment



A WORLD OF LANGUAGES AND PAYMENT OPTIONS

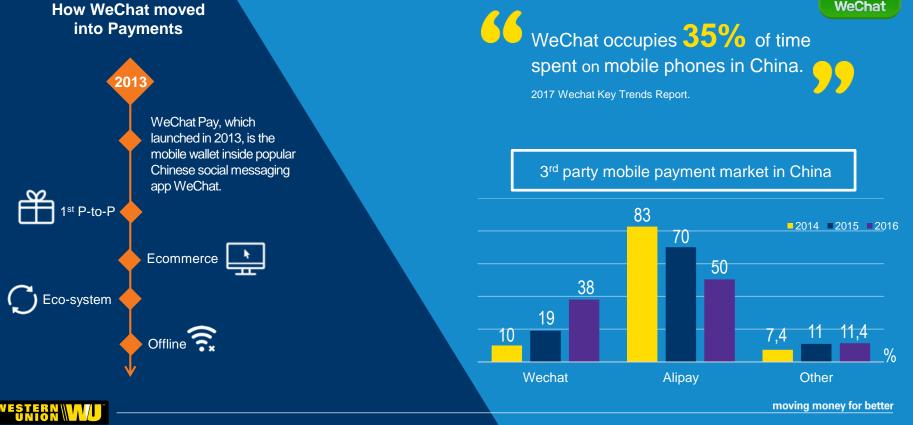


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Regulatory Trends



PROTECT YOUR REPUTATION

Nefarious people and organizations launder money

In today's climate, the language school sector is more at risk than ever before. You need to know the people you are transacting with are students, parents, agents, and guardians.

We make compliance a priority because **your reputation is paramount.**

20% of our employees dedicated to compliance



Western Union invests **\$200 million USD**

every year on compliance to help ensure your transactions are screened



INVESTMENT IN COMPLIANCE



Western Union spends **\$200 million** annually on its compliance program*

20% of Western Union **Employees** work in the Compliance Department Globally

200+ Regulatory Licenses

Dedicated **regional teams** that focus on country specific compliance requirements.





In house compliance resources v reliance on banking partners



Fast access to resolve queries and complete transactions



Confidence that your students' funds are protected



Rigorous due diligence processes when sourcing payment partners



- Someone who has been entrusted with a prominent public function either overseas or domestically. A PEP generally presents a higher risk for potential involvement in bribery and corruption by virtue of their position and the influence that they may hold.
- PEPs can also refer to persons who are or have been entrusted with a prominent function by a state owned enterprise or an international organisation.
- Requirements for a PEP apply to family members or close associates.
- Payment providers should be monitoring transactions against list of PEPs and flagging any potential matches to ensure your school and your students are protected.



Politically Exposed Person

CHOOSE THE RIGHT PARTNER

Can your partner allow you to **send and receive funds internationally**?

Is your partner **legally authorized** to send funds overseas (so you can make legal refunds and purchases)?

Is your partner licensed in the countries you send money to?

How much money does your partner **spend on compliance** every year to make sure your reputation is protected?

Do you have proof your partner is financially stable?





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Questions?

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