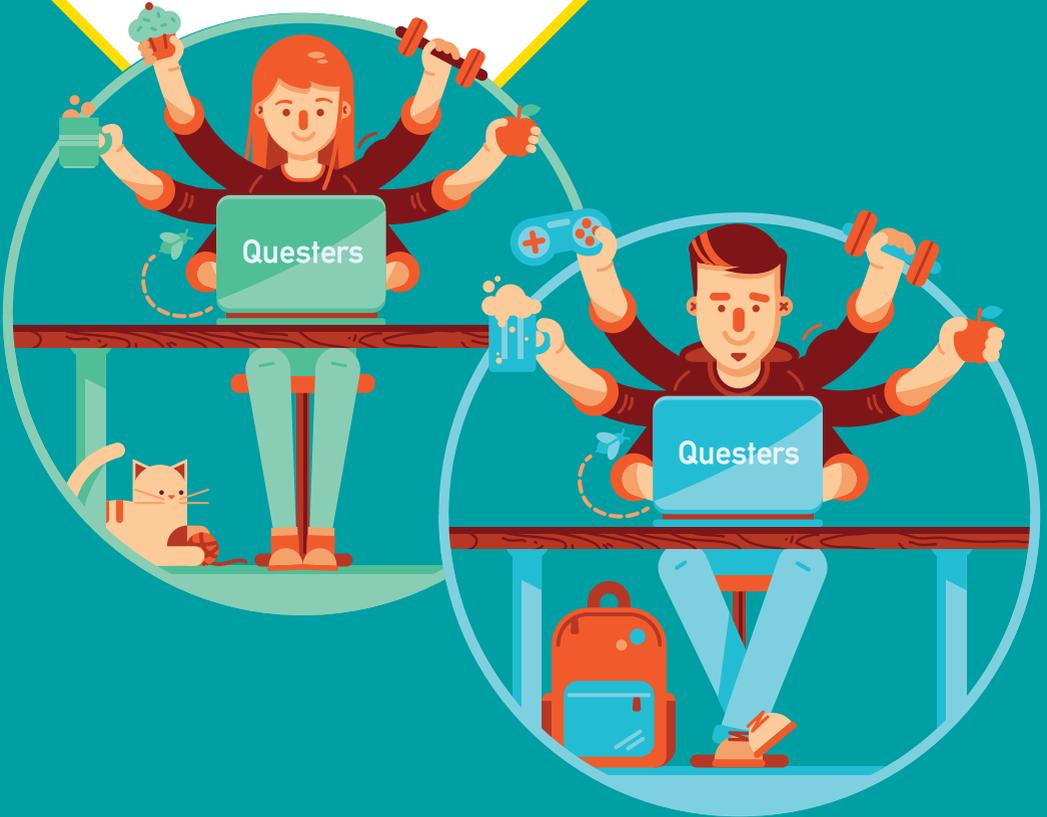




# Questers

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# WORK HARD, DREAM BIG

# INTRO DUCING

We are **thrilled** to share that at the beginning of the year the Miracl team has joined our newest partner Omlis - a London based company that provides fully automated solutions to secure mobile and IoT connections. The solution they are working on is aiming to provide integrated authentication and encryption without the use of certificates.

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To further boost the cool project they are developing, we are looking for exceptional Backend Engineer, Full-stack Web Developer and Mobile Engineers.

## Miracl Team Joins Omlis

Know such people? Learn more from your favourite super recruiter and make sure you recommend a friend at [careers@questers.com](mailto:careers@questers.com) and get a special bonus.

Another **exciting** partnership we would like to share about is the one with BISAM – a Factset company. They are a leading provider of integrated, multi-asset portfolio analytics. With the rapid increase of the demand for their services, they have turned to Questers to support the growth of their dev team. Therefore, we are now looking for great Java Engineers to join them.

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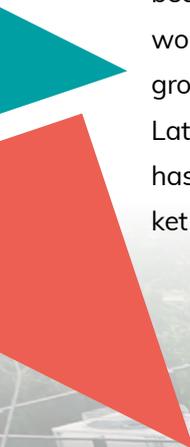


# The Group is Growing

Back in June 2018 Questers became part of The Panoply – a world-class creative technology group, assembled for innovation. Later on, in December, the group has been listed on the AIM market and hasn't stopped growing

since. In just 3 months the group has attracted 3 more innovative and outstanding businesses:

- ▶ **Deeson** – a leading digital agency that has become part of TPX Manifesto. Together the two companies combine





skills and experience that transform them into a powerhouse agency capable of delivering truly transformative work.

- ▲ **D/SRUPTION** – a magazine about technology, that have created a unique ecosystem, bringing together business leaders to address the key questions around disruption, innovation and digital transformation.
- ▲ **GreenShoot Labs** – a com-

pany that creates automated solutions by using applied AI and conversational interfaces.

Moreover, the group launched TPX Human+, new robotic process automation company that aims to humanise the automation experience for government and not for profit organisations. The company will be powered by Questers and our brand-new RPA division. Stay tuned for more.



## KICKING OFF QUESTERS & FRIENDS

We're thrilled to let you know that our Alumni Programme is now live.

Its aim is to strengthen the network of exceptional people we have worked and are still working with and to create a community of professionals who support fellow alumni members in career challenges and lives.

As our colleague and a friend, you are also welcome to join and benefit from this network, the perks it offers and the various events we are organising. All you have to do is to join our [Questers & Friends Facebook page](#) (if you haven't done it yet) and to stay tuned for the upcoming activities.

# STEP INTO **THE SPOTLIGHT**

In this column we are introducing a colleague who you might have missed talking to and give you the opportunity to learn a little more about him or her.

This time not one but two of our colleagues are under the spotlight. Meet Ivaylo and Valentin from the News UK team @Questers



News UK team @Questers and their  
Team Manager Jeremy Burns

### Use one word to describe yourself

**V:** Learner. Always learning and growing. And if/when you fail, learn from it and stand up.

**I:** Smiling.

### As a child what did you want to become when you grow up?

**V:** I've played football for my hometown team "Bdin Vidin" as a goalkeeper for 6 years. So, I've always wanted to be a football player.

**I:** Batman ;)

### Which was your favourite subject in school?

**V:** Mathematics, for sure! That is why I've continued my education at Sofia University, and now I'm working as a software engineer.

**I:** Maths.

### What do you enjoy doing in your free time?

**V:** Learning new stuff. I am a co-founder of a Bulgarian start-up, so I need to work on both places. It's fun! Of course, the best thing is to be next to my family, friends and my dog.

**I:** Spending time with family. Enjoy the long walks with my Jack Russel terrier as well.

### If you had the opportunity to have dinner with a famous person who would he/ she be?

**V:** Thierry Henry, my biggest idol from my childhood. Fantastic football player with great personality.

**I:** Michael Jordan - the one and the only!

### Share a favourite quote/thought of yours.

**V:** "Winners are not people who never fail, they're people who never quit!"

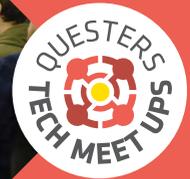
**I:** "Be yourself. Everyone else is already taken!"

# 2σ TWO SIGMA

## Part-Time Research **Opportunities** in Quantitative Finance

On February 5, we hosted a meet-up dedicated to data science, statistics, technology and real-life economic prediction problems.

We had a very informative discussion and gained useful insights about finance, trading and data science.



## JavaScript **Talks & Drinks** with *News* UK

On January 30, we hosted an informal gathering with our partner News UK, the media group behind The Times and The Sunday Times, and the first starters of their team with Questers. We gathered React and React Native gurus from the tech division of the global media and learned more about the business challenges they are facing and how they are solving them.



## Mountain Safety vol. 2

On February 6, in order to make sure all of you who love going to the mountains will be well-prepared during the winter season, we once again invited Martin Nedelchev - a qualified instructor from BEFSA. This time he shared with us more about Avalanche Safety and some useful tips on how to react in such situations.



# Martenitza Bazaar

Our traditional Charity Martenitza Bazaar took place in the last week of February. We celebrated the lovely Bulgarian tradition with charming white and red adornments while supporting 2 good initiatives – Ole Male and The Wild Animals.

**Ole Male** is a non-profit organi-

sation that supports children with special needs and their mothers.

**The Wild Animals Foundation** is another non-profit organisation with an inspiring cause – to preserve the biodiversity, support the survival of wild animals' species in Bulgaria and increase the ecological literacy of Bulgarian citizens.



# EVENTS

## Celebrating **women's** day

On March 8, to celebrate the International Women's Day, we once again welcomed Valentina Slavova from Fairy Scents. We learned more about the natural perfumes and had the chance to make one for ourselves.

