# *i*R^iser

Power of Partnerships
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# Thank you for having me!

I'm Loui, I'm iRaiser's Nordics Regional Manager. We provide you with tools, which enables you to collect donations online. I have +7 years of experience within digital fundraising, working for multiple organisations including UNHCR.

Today we're going to talk (in English sorry!) about Peer-to-Peer fundraising and how you can get companies involved in your campaigns though corporate partnerships.



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## **OUR STORY**

# **Created by fundraisers for fundraisers**

We build powerful, white-label, secure and scalable digital fundraising software for all kinds of nonprofit organizations worldwide.

Our founders, board members and all iRaiser's coworkers are fundraisers, just like you. Together, we're cumulating more than 30 years of experience and millions raised through fundraising agencies, nonprofit organizations and volunteering.

Your day-to-day missions were ours. That is why we built iRaiser 10 years ago. To help you tackle your challenges with exclusive nonprofit-centric products and services.



### **OUR CUSTOMERS**

# We are proud to be trusted by 500+ leading nonprofits around the world

iRaiser is the European leader in digital fundraising solutions. For the last 10 years, we have built our presence in 20 countries, with a team of 65 professionals and 5 offices in Denmark, France, Italy, Belgium and the UK.

We support more than 60 Scandinavian organisations from our Nordic office in Copenhagen.

30+ Finnish organisations are using iRaiser - thank you for trusting us!



































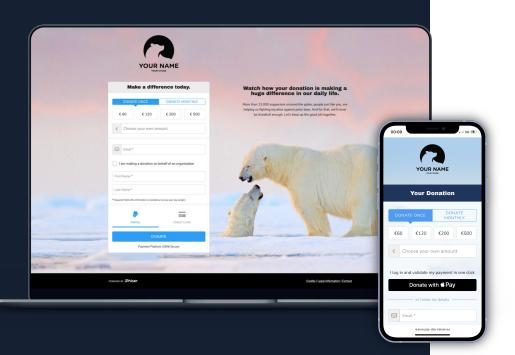








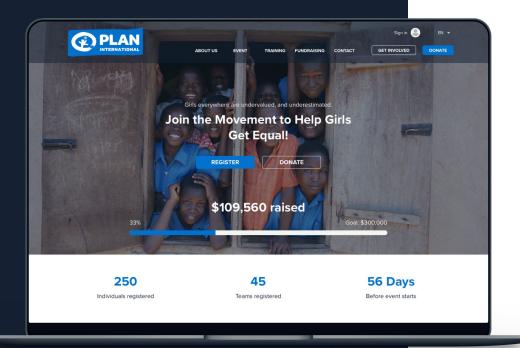




#### WHAT WE DO

# **Payment Solution**

- A tool that makes it easy to receive and handle one-off and regular donations
- Unlimited donation pages, designed in your colors, logo, font, pictures etc.
- ✓ 26 available languages, including Finnish
- 135 currencies, Euros, Swedish crowns etc.
- Optimized for browsing on smartphones, tablets and computers.



### WHAT WE DO

## **Peer-to-Peer solution**

- A tool that empowers individuals to raise money on behalf of your organization
- Integrate your own graphical guidelines : fonts, colours, logos, images, html email.
- Available in Finnish
- ✓ Pay with local payment methods
- Optimized for browsing on smartphones, tablets and computers.



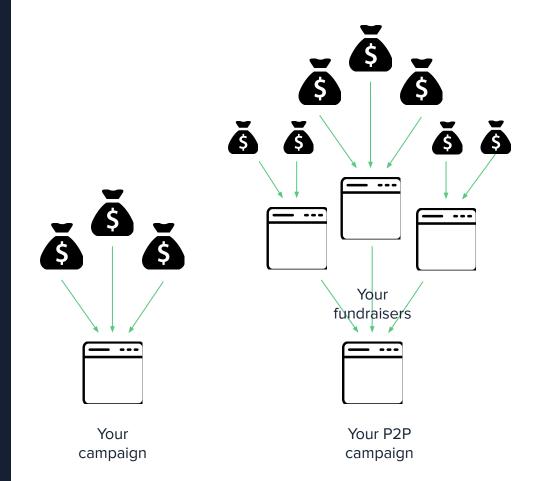


## What is P2P Fundraising?

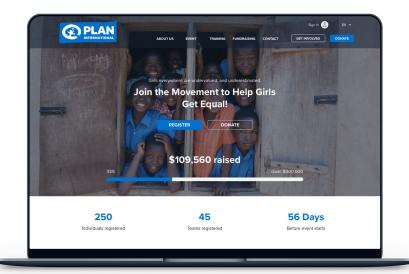
Peer-to-peer fundraising is a multi-tiered form of crowdfunding that allows your supporters to appeal to their friends and family on your behalf.

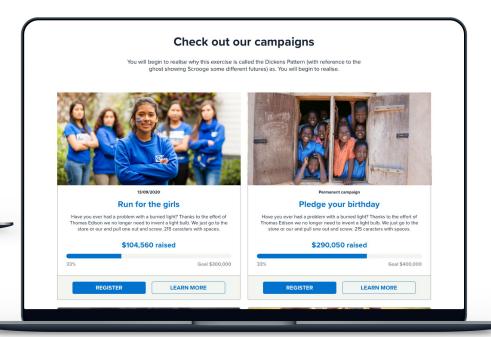
Rather than just collecting donations from one group of individuals, peer-to-peer enables you to leverage your network's network in order to expand your reach and increase donations.

## **Definition of Peer-to-Peer fundraising**



# Different kind of campaigns

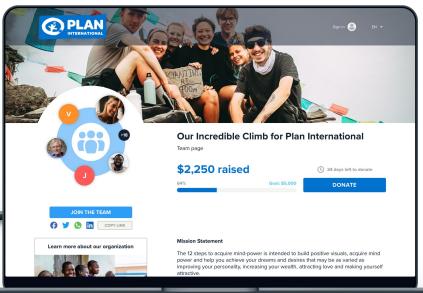






# Let your supporters take care of your cause







# Why do Peer-2-Peer fundraising?

## **IMPROVE CURRENT RELATIONSHIP**

Engaging with your donors is the best way to retain them. A peer-to-peer campaign is the perfect opportunity to engage existing donors and deepen that relationship.

### **BOOST DONOR ACQUISITION**

By activating your most loyal and passionate supporters as fundraisers, your campaign and your cause get access to a whole new audience of potential donors.

### **INCREASE AWARENESS**

If your fundraisers aren't able to raise tons of money on behalf of you, they're still accomplishing something essential. They are spreading the word about your cause.

### **BUILD PARTNERSHIPS**

Besides improving your relationship with existing donors, increasing your awareness or boosting your donor acquisition, P2P can also help you build corporate partnerships.





### CORPORATE FUNDRAISING

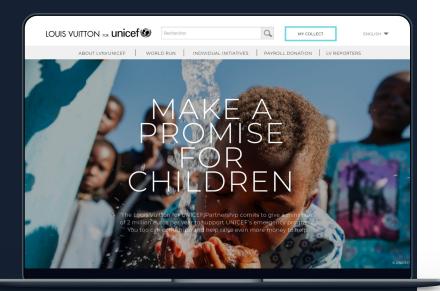
# **Embrace Partnerships**

Partnership with businesses can bring many benefit, marketing budget, good PR, brand awareness, expertise and gifts in kind.

But how should your nonprofit approach corporate fundraising? Four things to consider before tapping into corporate fundraising:

- Choose your partner wisely.
- Prepare a value proposition.
- Explore not only monetary options.
- Build the campaign and assets ahead of time





#### **Partner**

# **Choosing a Partner**

When seeking corporate partnership opportunities, it's extremely important to choose a compatible partner. What should you consider in the research phase?

- Is *Mission* and *Core Value* align with yours?
- How is the company's financial situation?
- What are the company's motives for this partnership?
- What is the public's perception of the company and its brand?



#### **Partner**

# UNICEF sold out by making deal with Cadbury, medical journal says

Take a note from the previous
3-year partnership between
UNICEF Canada and Cadbury;

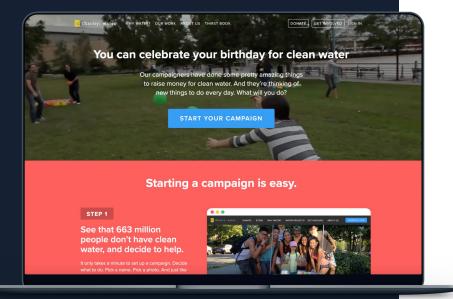
The public was quick to note inconsistencies between the organization's cause—to advocate for children's health and development—and the role of candy as an unhealthy food for children.

CARLY WEEKS > HEALTH REPORTER
PUBLISHED OCTOBER 30, 2010

This article was published more than 11 years ago. Some information may no longer be current.





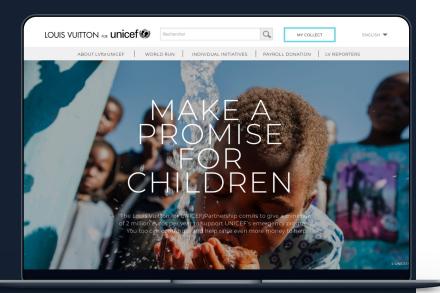


### **Partner**

# To Start, Go for Local Small Businesses

In addition to looking for corporations that align with your mission, try setting your eyes on those that are within your reach. Why?

- Easier to build ties.
- Access to decision-maker is shorter.
- You're probably their only charity partner.
- You can control the campaign.



## Value proposition

# Demonstrate the value of a partnership

Beyond creating social impact, what incentivizes corporations to back your organization?

- What impact will they be making in the community?
- Will their contributions gain positive publicity?
- Commercial organisations and brands are taking reputation and perception more seriously than ever.
   How can you tap into this?



## Choose which campaign you want to support and start your fundraising campaign today.

15 people already started their campaign. Thanks to them, US\$ 645 have been raised. Join the movement and take concrete action for Palestine refugees.



## EDUCATION CAMPAIGN US\$ 2,500 of fundraising target

Over 530,000 Palestine refugees attend one of our 708 schools. Our schools are places of safety and learning; places where a child can grow and dream; places where a child can breathe. With US\$ 2,500 we can support an entire classroom of children to learn, explore, and thrive.

Create My Fundraising Page



## EMERGENCY SYRIA US\$ 1,400 of fundraising targe

Nine years of conflict in Syria has left much of the country in ruins. Over 95% of Palestine refugees in Syria are in critical need of emergency humanitarian assistance including food, shelter and non-food items. With US\$ 1,400 we can provide assistance to 50 of the needlest refugees.

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COVID-19 RESPONSE CAMPAIGN US\$ 500 of fundraising target

During the COVID-19 crisis, UNRWA is continuing to provide sesential services including primary health care services and our Education in Emergencies programme to support students at home. You can help us

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## **Non-monetary options**

# More than just big cheques

Companies are moving away from one-off donations towards more long-term strategic partnerships. What else can you do

- Social impact
- Staff morale
- Learning and development
- Marketing, design and PR
- Branding and awareness





## **Build the Campaign**

# Make it easy for your partner

While companies want to participate in charity partnerships, time-crunched employers often struggle with administering a corporate giving campaign effectively. Then help them!

- First, create the campaign page ahead of time.
- Sample social media posts.
- Create email appeal templates.
- Educate and equip your fundraisers for success.
- Build the communication flow.



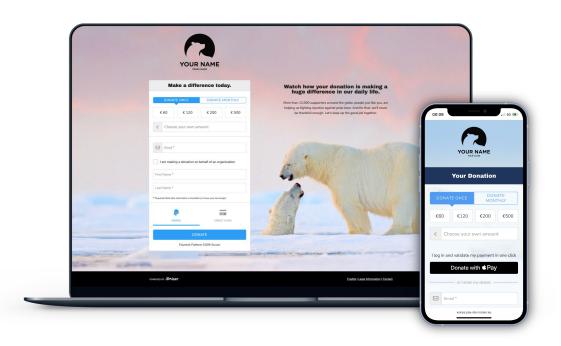


## **Activation**

## **Corporate P2P campaigns**

No matter its size or mission, any nonprofit can implement a corporate P2P campaign. There are many different forms of corporate partnerships, which can include:

- Match Giving or double up
- Employee involvement
- Partner to partner
- Social influencer
- In-kind gift
- Events





# **Match Giving**



COWI

## COWI and its employees support Ukraine

COWI







#### Your support makes a difference

We care about Ukraine and hope that we can play a little part in shaping a better tomorrow for the Ukrainian people, who is suffering immensely. Therefore, COWI will match employee donations - our fundraising will be used for medicine, food and other necessities. We encourage you all to contribute, and remember that even small donations will make a difference.

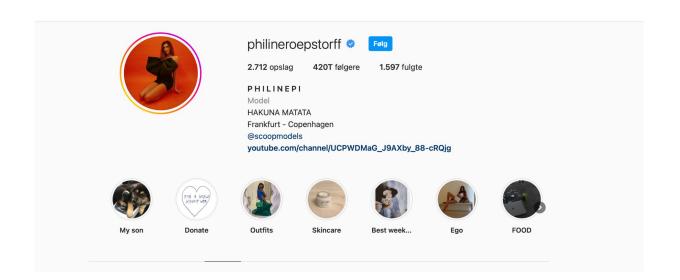


# In-kind donation + employee activation





## Social influencer + businesses activation







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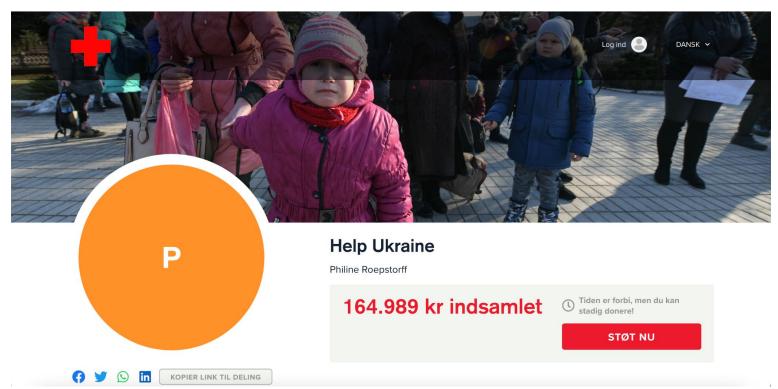




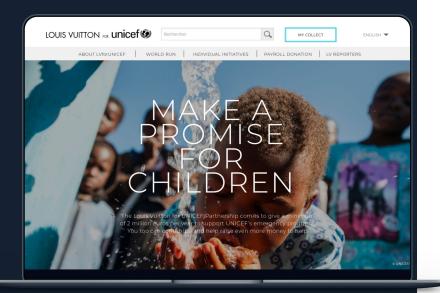




## **Social influencer + businesses activation**







## The end

# To sum up

- Find the right potential partners
- Demonstrate the value of the partnership
- Let P2P be the main driver
- But consider how non-monetary elements can be involved
- Build the campaign from A-Z, if possible, with room for changes
- Test, test, test, and test.



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