

# Sofindev

**Sofindev expands its team and welcomes two new investment professionals, Hugo Thys and Hector Bostoën, and Fien Junius as office manager. More team reinforcements will be announced soon.**

Sofindev is growing and expanding its team. We are pleased to announce that Hugo Thys and Hector Bostoën have joined the investment team of Sofindev as investment analysts. Both gentlemen have successfully fulfilled an internship at Sofindev and have previous experiences in Corporate Finance/M&A and Private Equity.

Hugo Thys holds a Master's degree in Financial Management from Vlerick Business School and a Master's degree in Economics & Law from the Catholic University of Leuven (KUL). After his studies, Hugo completed internships at Tandem Capital Advisors and Sofindev, after which he gained working experience in the M&A Advisory team of BNP Paribas Fortis at the Brussels Office.

Hector Bostoën successfully fulfilled internships at the BNP Paribas Fortis' in-house Private Equity division and at Sofindev. Hector has a degree in Computer Science Engineering from the Catholic University of Leuven (KUL) and holds a Master's degree in Finance from EDHEC Business School in Nice.

Next to the reinforcement of the investment team, Sofindev appointed Fien Junius as the new Office Manager, being part of the operations team. She obtained degrees in Applied Linguistics and Agro- and Biotechnology and previously worked at PwC and a few SMEs.

Sofindev is further strengthening its team, both in Belgium and the Netherlands. We will be announcing more news about team reinforcements in the coming months and are still looking for a financial controller & performance improvement profile to support both the investment and operations team at Sofindev. For more information, have a look at the job page on [our website](#) and [social media](#).

## **About Sofindev**

Sofindev is a leading independent private equity firm, specialised in buyout and growth capital for small and mid-sized companies in the Benelux region. Sofindev was founded in 1991 by Sofina and Colruyt, two prominent family-controlled publicly listed groups. Throughout the years, Sofindev has evolved into a fully independent investment team and counts a wide number of respected families and (international) institutions in its investor pool. Among these investors are entrepreneurs and family business owners of companies in which Sofindev has invested in the past.

The Sofindev funds have made equity investments for over 300 MEUR in more than 50 SMEs. The Sofindev Management team has successfully invested and partially divested the Sofindev IV fund, raised in 2015, with a total committed capital of 107 MEUR and currently invests the Sofindev V fund (°2019), with total commitments of 170 MEUR.

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