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Strong areas of expertise	<p>StartLife is the national Dutch incubator for agro, food and bio economy start-up's. StartLife has been active for more than 10 years and has assisted in the development of more than 125 companies in agro, food and the biobased economy.</p> <p>StartLife focusses on technostarters with a highly innovative proposition and offers support from the very early stage of idea generation to the post-seed stage. StartLife offers facilitated access to its incubator co-working spaces and labs, access to the research facilities of Wageningen Campus (http://www.wageningencampus.nl/) and the national investors' network in agro-food.</p> <p>Through the intensive cooperation with Wageningen UR, the leading agro-food university and research center, StartLife offers access to state-of-the-art research and technologies in these sectors and relevant research groups globally.</p> <p>Through the partnership with Food Valley (www.foodvalley.nl) StartLife can connect start-ups with relevant established companies and multinationals in the sector offering corporate entrepreneurship and corporate venturing programs for start-ups.</p> <p>Start-up's can apply for the StartLife Incubation Program offering up to €80.000,- in early stage soft-loans, an acceleration program, continuous coaching and support towards investor readiness.</p> <p>In addition, StartLife offers entrepreneurs entrance into a thriving community of startups, investors, corporates and experts, network events (www.fanext.nl), consultancy meetups with relevant expert networks, training programs developing the entrepreneurial competences of students and startup teams and a mentoring program with experienced business executives from the agro-food sector</p>		
Services to be provided			
Mentoring	<p>Mentors associated with StartLife offer personal feedback, professional and business network introductions and connections with other start-up communities and networking professionals in their area of expertise. Mentors are regularly involved in the development of (international) mentoring programs, feedback and supervision sessions with university staff of the department of education from Wageningen university and are guest lecturers in the Entrepreneurship Programme of Wageningen university.</p> <p>Start-up's have full access to the courses from Wageningen university and the coaches and mentors of the regular lecture series from the master track Entrepreneurship (https://www.wageningenur.nl/en/article/MSc-Track-Entrepreneurship.htm).</p> <p>Visit our mentor page at https://start-life.nl/startups/mentors/</p>		

<p>Space and infrastructure</p>	<p>StartLife offers incubation and co-working spaces in two incubators, StartHub (www.starthubwageningen.nl/) and Plus Ultra (http://www.kadanssciencepartner.nl/en/offer/plus-ultra-wageningen/plus-ultra-wageningen.html), both located on Wageningen Campus.</p> <p>Both incubator buildings offer Wi-Fi, office and meeting spaces with teleconferencing facilities, access to lab facilities, public meeting spaces, a FabLab (http://www.fablabwag.nl/?lang=en) for prototyping and weekly consultancy sessions with experts from legal, finance and techno experts.</p> <p>StartLife can offer expat facilities through the campus based Expat Center Food Valley (http://expatcenter-foodvalley.com/)</p> <p>Would the entrepreneur have a free space all day in the center? Only some hours a day? What are the time-tables?</p> <p>We can provide office space on workdays from 8-23 hours and during weekends on demand.</p>
<p>Networking with local entrepreneurs</p>	<p>Networking opportunities are offered through our weekly starters meetup (startup drinks) every Wednesday, during the monthly business meetup with the regional business club (WOC) and informally during communal lunch sessions and lectures at the StartHub.</p>
<p>Networking with other local agents</p>	<p>The regular meetings for startups organized by StartLife and he partners are joined by regional partners from Food Valley NL, investment organization PPM Oost NV, legal, finance and IP experts and researchers from Wageningen UR.</p> <p>In addition, start-up's are invited to join the Food Valley society and their scheduled program (http://www.foodvalleysociety.com/)</p>
<p>Integration Activities</p>	<p>StartLife has an international community of start-up's and entrepreneurs, originating in more than 20 countries including Spain, Chile, Brazil, Portugal and Greece. These international entrepreneurs have an active peer community and StartLife offers assistance and financial support to organize activities in the StartHub.</p> <p>Wageningen UR (http://www.wageningenur.nl/en/International-students-and-staff.htm) offers formal and social assistance for international guests including accommodation in short stay facilities and the Expat Center Food valley can offer formal and administrative assistance (http://expatcenterfoodvalley.com)</p>
<p>Is there any assistance in finding accommodation?</p>	<p>StartLife cooperates with Wageningen UR in finding suitable accommodation - http://www.wageningenur.nl/en/International-students-and-staff/Housing.htm</p> <p>And with Wageningen Shortstay – http://www.shortstaywageningen.nl/</p>
<p>Other additional services (if any)</p>	
<p>Enrolment in the StartLife educational programme - https://start-life.nl/events/</p>	
<p>Access to the Spanish student and research community in Wageningen - http://www.wageningenur.nl/en/article/From-Spain-to-the-Netherlands.htm</p>	