

## Martin Belay | Senior QA Lead | API & E2E Test Automation | FinTech

### Senior QA Lead with 8 years of hands-on experience in the Ohpen Close Suite and 15+ years in regulated FinTech environments

I help banks and fintechs reduce production risk by validating complex business logic, while also supporting QA teams in delivering consistent quality across systems

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#### CORE VALUE

- **Immediate Impact:** Plug-and-play QA expertise for lending platforms, with deep experience in Dutch and UK mortgage systems
  - **Domain Expertise:** Strong knowledge of HDN (AX, SX, OX) messaging and NHG logic
  - **Critical Validation:** End-to-end verification of automated credit decisioning engines
  - **Team Support:** Experience mentoring QA engineers and helping teams improve testing practices and quality ownership
  - **Proven Delivery:** Projects delivered for leading NL lenders (NN Group, Merius, SVn, Nestr) and UK lenders (April, Dudley BS, FHL)
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#### WHAT I DO

- **Risk-Focused Testing:** Targeting workflows with the highest financial and regulatory impact
  - **Technical Bridge:** Translating complex underwriting logic into clear and testable scenarios
  - **System Integrity:** Validating APIs, data flows, and cross-system consistency
  - **Team Guidance:** Supporting QA teams with onboarding, mentoring, and aligning testing approaches
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#### TECHNICAL SNAPSHOT

- **Testing & Code:** Java, Groovy, Selenium WebDriver (focus on Test Data Builders & Robust Logic).
  - **API & Integration:** Advanced Postman, ReadyAPI, REST/XML validation.
  - **Cloud & Observability:** AWS (EC2, S3), Docker, CloudWatch, Splunk (Log-level debugging).
  - **Data:** PostgreSQL, SQL-based data verification.
  - **CI/CD:** GitHub Actions (Pipeline stability & error analys)
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## RECENT IMPACT (Ohpen 2018–2025)

- **Incident Prevention:** Identified architectural gaps in HDN parsing that would have led to incorrect interest offers for large applicant volumes and potential regulatory exposure.
  - **Domain Leadership:** Acted as the QA Lead for high-risk financial modules, translating complex "Underwriter Logic" into executable technical scenarios.
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## B2B ENGAGEMENT TERMS

- **Engagement Model:** Independent B2B Contractor
- **Availability:** April, 2026
- **Entity:** Edge Case (Slovakia-based, EU-VAT registered and fully compliant with cross-border EU service provision)
- **Location:** Remote-first (CET). Available for onsite travel for PI Planning & key milestones
- **Rate:** Available upon request

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