



# GLOBAL CURRENCY FORUM

21-24 SEP. 2020  
BARCELONA

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## A NEW CONFERENCE FOR A NEW ERA

Looking at the fragmented changing payments landscape, central banks increasingly stand for stability and trust. Finding a balance between regulation to keep financial systems stable and freedom to enable innovation and thinking out of the box will be crucial.

The Global Currency Forum invites you to find and discuss answers for the challenges of our time in the **Palau de Congressos de Catalunya in Barcelona from September 21<sup>st</sup> – 24<sup>th</sup>.**

We don't pretend to have all the answers, but we believe in shaping the future of cash together. Through collaboration, through open and constructive discussions and by involving a variety of players inside and outside of the industry.

Participate in an exciting new approach of a co-created currency conference, bringing together central banks, print works, mints and an impressive number of leading industry players.

At this inaugural conference you will hear first-hand about latest technologies in more than 30 technology workshops.

Witness a new mix of industry and non-industry speakers presenting 360-degree views in plenary and break-out sessions.

**HAVE YOUR SAY  
IN DEVELOPING  
THE CONFERENCE  
AND SHAPING  
IT TO ADDRESS  
YOUR  
QUESTIONS.**



## FORMAT



Throughout the day, select from a choice of break-out sessions and technology workshops which are offered in parallel in four spacious rooms of the conference center.

### **BREAK-OUT SESSIONS:**

Join the debate in various break-out formats, from panel discussions to talk-show format involving the plenary.

### **TECHNOLOGY WORKSHOPS:**

Hear about the latest technical innovations in 30-minute Technology Workshops, hosted by companies from the currency industry.

An international lunch is offered from 1.00-2.30pm in the Hub area of the conference center, which invites you to network and explore the partner lounges.

## AGENDA

### September 21

5.00pm - 8.00pm

#### **Registration and Welcome Reception**

*Check-in at the Fairmont Rey Juan Carlos Hotel and join us for a welcome reception to network and catch up in the unique Hub area of the Palau de Congressos de Catalunya. The Hub is the central meeting area, where partner lounges offer the opportunity to learn about latest innovations.*

### September 22

9.00am - 5.30pm

#### **The Role of Cash in a Changing Society**

**9.00am - 10.30 am**

#### **Opening Plenary & Keynote speech**

The currency industry is changing much faster than anyone would have thought possible just five years ago. Challenges, innovation and renewal are defining the debate. Digital is one of the key words, as is efficiency, sustainability - and freedom. Because cash is more than a high-tech product for payment. Cash performs a vital and unique role in every society. Among other things, it is one of the building blocks for personal freedom.

11.00am - 5.00pm

Break-out sessions and Technology Workshops



5.00pm - 5.30pm

Closing Plenary

7.00pm

**Conference Dinner**

*Fairmont Rey Juan Salon Jardin & Poolside Gardens*

As part of your conference package you are invited to join us in the beautiful gardens of the Fairmont Juan Rey Hotel which is a two-minute walk from the conference location. The conference dinner will feature a cocktail reception and dinner.

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**September 23**

9.00am - 5.30pm

**Fostering Innovation  
and Efficiency**

9.00am - 10.30 am

**Opening Plenary & Keynote speech**

Keeping cash attractive and relevant in an increasingly fragmented payment landscape is one of the challenges the currency industry faces. Experts from inside and outside of the industry will highlight the key areas of innovation, security and cost efficiencies. Within these three areas fall questions around design for security and the use of digital of solutions for an increasingly efficient cash cycle. Other topics include sustainability and enhancing the resilience of the cash infrastructure in the context of natural disasters and cyber-attacks.

11.00am - 5.00pm

Break-out sessions and Technology Workshops

5.00pm - 5.30pm

Closing Plenary

7.30pm

**Barcelona Dinner Party**

*As part of your conference package you are invited to Join us for a night in Barcelona. We offer an enjoyable social dining experience, designed to bring conference guests together in a unique atmosphere at a landmark site in Barcelona.*

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# September 24

9.00am - 4.30pm

## Sustainable Cash Life Cycle



### 9.00am - 10.30 am Opening Plenary & Keynote speech

Cash must be a reliable player when it comes to sustainability. That does not only mean a "greener" industry but also being a responsible partner helping to mitigate the effects of climate change. Natural disasters are becoming regular occurrences with demand for cash typically rising in times of crisis.

How can the currency industry contribute to making cash cycles across the world more resilient and support central banks in their disaster recovery efforts, be they related to natural disasters or cyber-attacks?

### 11.00am - 3.30pm Break-out sessions and Technology Workshops

### 4.00pm Closing Plenary

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