



GLOBAL CURRENCY FORUM™ by the ICA Takes Shape: First Event in Autumn 2020

Today, the International Currency Association (ICA), a cohesive voice for the currency industry, confirmed that it will launch its first Global Conference in September 2020.

The Global Currency ForumTM will be held in Barcelona from Sept 21st to 24th 2020. Speaking about the event, Wolfram Seidemann, Chairman of the ICA, commented: 'this conference is a new visionary event that will focus on the evolution of currency and its benefits in a rapidly changing payment landscape. It aims to attract customers and leaders across the payments industry to debate key issues on currency, share learning and best practice. In addition it will showcase new technologies and provide all players – large and small – with a platform to illustrate their vision of the future of payment.'

The Global Currency Forum[™] is an independently run not-for profit event. The ICA plans to run this event every two years and will communicate further details about the plans for Barcelona in due course.

Xander Wiardi, Director of Sales - Currency of Royal Dutch Kusters Engineering added: 'As members of the ICA, we are delighted to be involved in this new and exciting event. It will provide an event the industry and our customers will find informative and insightful, and we look forward to participating in Barcelona'

Background

The <u>International Currency Association</u> (ICA) was founded to create a cohesive voice for the currency industry. It has set out to identify and prioritise research and best practice sharing in order to drive the constant innovation needed to keep currency a preferred payment and store of value choice, and to support its members in building and connecting a global community.

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