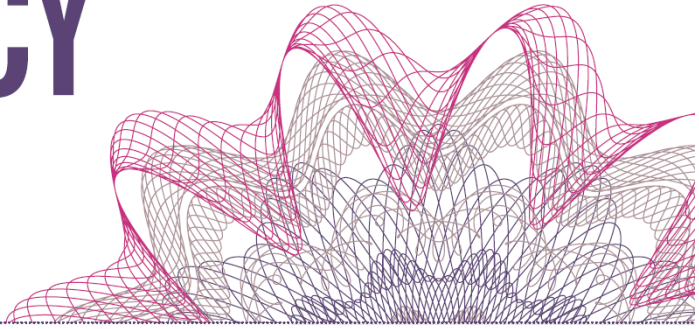


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Update on WBS 2018

Registration is now open for the World Banknote Summit, to be held in Frankfurt, Germany from 24– 26 September 2018. The WBS agenda will focus on banknotes and their role in the payment landscape from different perspectives, including those of experts from outside the banknote community, a concept it has pioneered.

This approach will be followed for the 2018 event, where the programme will comprise a mix of carefully-chosen topics from speakers from central banks, state printing works, commercial banks, hardware and software manufacturers, as well as fintech enterprises. Many of these are already confirmed.

According to WBS Director Beat Attinger, 'the strong agenda, which is the result of a series of interviews conducted with

key people in the banknote community, and the diligent execution of the summit will reinforce its value as a meeting point for industry decision makers. Here, they can discuss issues related to currency management, and the role of banknotes in the payment landscape, today and in the future.'

To accompany the conference agenda, the WBS also includes a social programme which – in addition to the coffee breaks and lunches – involves dinner on the evenings of the first two conference days.

Participation is open to representatives from central banks, printers, law enforcement agencies and industry suppliers. More details, and on-line registration, can be found at www.worldbanknotesummit.com