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Welcome to xCEEd 2018 Fintech Conference



It is with great pleasure that I welcome you to Belgrade for the second edition of xCEEd supported by the UK Department for International Trade. My team and I have seen the growth of xCEEd to a leading FinTech event in Southern and Eastern Europe, bringing together an impressive and diverse array of speaker and delegates who will shape the regional understanding of the importance and dynamic changes in the financial and professional services sector.

I am pleased to see a group of new UK FinTech companies, alongside some familiar faces from the last year, who have recognised the potential of Serbia and the wider region as an increasingly attractive business environment. With the region paying increased focus to the modernisation of financial markets and digitalisation, a window of business opportunities has opened for UK companies to provide next generation financial services and effective FinTech solutions.

The Department for International Trade's and ERDF's mission is to help provide UK companies with a platform to present their solutions and expand their customer base in Serbia and the region. The success stories we already see in these markets make clear the attractiveness of UK FinTech firms.

xCEEd 2018 focuses on the practical application of financial technologies in this part of Europe. This event covers a variety of related topics, ranging from the future of banks and their relations with FinTech, crypto currencies and the role of millennials in this area, to the future of competition and regulations. The organisers are making their own contribution in innovation, introducing xCEEdium, a brand new, official crypto currency for the conference. The event offers a great deal of space for networking and building partnerships.

Take this chance to embrace new FinTech solutions to develop the future of financial services in the region. My team are looking forward to many exciting discussions over the course of next few days and seeing what makes the FinTech GREAT.

Denis Keefe CMG HM Ambassador Belgrade

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Coffee break and lunch

Coffee and lunch break will be served in the Sponsor and Exhibitor hall



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REGISTRATION & COFFEE

09:00

Nick Middleton (Chair) - Conference Introduction

09:05

Welcome Addresses



Mr Pavle Ljujic (xCEEd founder)



Ms Tracy Gallagher (Deputy Head of Mission, British Embassy, Belgrade)

09:30

Keynote 1: The journey of re-invention: how are banking

business models

Speaker: Daniel Kjellen

CEO / Founder at Tink

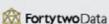


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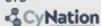
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Julian Dixon CFO



Shadi Razak



Thomas Deluca CFO



Sales Director o alyne

10:15

10:30



Coffee Break (Networking and exhibitor live demos)

Panel 1: Bank of the Future

- 1. What is the social, economic and societal purpose of banks - whether retail, investment, corporate, or central?
- 2. What should a bank of tomorrow be? Technology company, platform model, utility, or other?
- 3. What exactly does an engaged customer look like?
- 1. John Berghout (Head of Digital, Barclays BankBarclays Bank)
- 2. Oli Cook (Head of Banking Products, Metro Bank)
- 3. Alberta Soranzo (Systems Thinking Director, Lloyds Banking Group)
- 4. Vuk Kosovac (Executive Director, Société General, Serbia)
- 5. Filip Genov (First Vice President, Unicredit, Bulgaria)
- 6. David Hensley (Director, Cash Services)

Moderator: Duena Blomstrom - Founder, Emotional Banking)

Panel 2: A diverse landscape

- 1. GAFA: a threat or inspiration?
- 2. How is (Fin) Tech shaping banking, how is banking shaping (Fin) Tech and how are both shaping business across the world?
- 3. Responding to millennials: how can strategy be adapted to suit new needs and priorities?
- 1. Daniel Kjellén (CEO, Tink)
- 2. Daniel Calderon (International Director, Salary Finance)
- 3. Jakub Piotrowsky (CRO, Meniga)
- 4. Kevin Amateshe (Product Director, Safaricom)
- 5. Svetlana Hoffman (NED, FundingWerk)

Moderator: Suresh Vaghjiani - Managing Director, GPS

12:30 Lunch Break (Networking and exhibitor live demos) ACI Roundtable:Real-Time Value Realization Is Here UNIVERSAL 13:30 -Are you Ready?(Plato Room) PAYMENTS. Hosted by: Kevin Evans (Solutions Consultant, ACI Worldwide) xCEEd Workshops 1 14:00 Systems, service and How to Change Metro Bank, "What Merchants can experience -Culture-a Banking the case study learn from Fintech(s)" value unlocked Superhero's Guide Alberta Soranzo Anna Maj **Duena Blomstrom** Oli Cook (Lloyds BankingGroup) (Emotional Banking) (Metro Bank) (EWPN) 15:00 Coffee Break (Networking and exhibitor live demos) Keynote 2: The Business End of Payments 15:20 Yandex Speaker: Anna Kuzmina Deputy Chief Commercial Officer 1. Mark Goldspink (CEO, The ai Corporation) Panel 3: The Payments Experience 2. David Gill (Head of Payments, Lottoland) 1) Eliminating the friction in the consumer (payment) journey 3. Gerald Wooding (Card Systems Manager, MRH) 2. Who holds the power when it comes to payments? 4. Anna Kuzmina (Deputy CEO, Yandex. Money) 15:40 3) Are we seeing the death of the retail store as they exists today? 5. Vladan Petrović (CFO, Tehnomanija) Moderator: Andrew Doukanaris - Ambassador, EPA CEE

19:30 Fintech Pub Quiz @ Remiks Gastro Bar, Karadordeva 46, Belgrade, Serbia 11000

Closing Day 1 Remarks (Nick Middleton)

16:40

DAY 2

08:15



REGISTRATION & COFFEE

09:00

Keynote 3: A blueprint for global open banking standards

09:20



Chairman, FDATA



Panel 4: How Open is Open

- 1. PSD2 five months in; How have customers reacted to the opportunities created by open APIs?
- 2. How can financial institutions act to mitigate the risks attached to being a digital entity? What is the sector's exposure to attacks on other institutions?
- 3. Maintaining customer relationships: what needs to be done to avoid the aggregation of banking?
- 1.Gavin Littlejohn (Chairman, F-Data)
- 2. Michael Salmony (Executive Advisor, equeens Worldline)
- 3. Nealle Page (Product Director, Ocado)
- 4. Maciej Kostro (Board Advisor, Polish Banking Association)

Moderator: Tony Craddock - Director General, EPA

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10:35



Coffee Break (Networking and exhibitor live demos)

- Panel 5: Regulating an Anonymous World
- 1. In an ideal world how could financial regulation keep the sector safe while allowing financial institutions the creativity to diversify and freedom to grow?
- 2. Setting standards: what exactly will an open banking eco-system look like?
- 3. How will regulation in blockchain evolve?

- 1. Noémie Papp (Head of Digital, European Banking Federation)
- Dragana Stanic (GM of Payment Systems, National Bank of Serbia)
- 3. Maja Kadievska (Vice Governor, National Bank of Macedonia)
- 4. Nikola Fabris (Vice Governor, National Bank of Montenegro)

Moderator: Catalin Ticheru - Policy Officer, European Commission

DIT Innovation Showcase (Part2)

11:35

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Lucy Mounter Sales Director

intercash

Ryszard Mroz MD of Strategic Markets



Sophie Peutril Policy Development Director



12:00



Lunch Break (Networking and exhibitor live demos)

13:00



UNIVERSAL PAYMENTS. ACI Roundtable: Mind the gap! Bringing legacy into an Open API world (Plato Room)

Hosted by: Domenico Scaffidi (Principal Consultant, ACI Worldwide)

Wednesday - May 23rd, 2018

xCEEd Workshops 2

13:30

Fintech: The Good, The Bad and The Ugly

Neil Harris (CCO, GPS)

Real-Time Payments in CEE - Making the most of the opportunity

Domenico Scaffidi (Principal Consultant ACI Worldwide)

The Connected Customer and the **Future of Payments**

Kosta Peric (Deputy Director,Bill and Melinda Gates Foundation)

Blockchain is the solution, but what is the problem?

Jack Nikogosian (CEO, Aryze)

14:30



Coffee Break (Networking and exhibitor live demos)

14:50

Keynote 4: Cryptocurrency in practice: xCEEdium

Speaker: Boban Ćirković CTO

15:00

FTV Deluxe Coin: Blockchain and Fashion

Speaker: Natalya Menshikova

CMO | Marketing And New Media | FashionTV



15:10

- Panel 6: Where is the value potential of DLT deployment in financial services?
- institutions look to for inspiration 2. Finding the right blockchain partner: what are the
- essential criteria? 3. How does DLT compare to existing systems, now and in 10 years?
- 1. Identifying best practice to date: where can financial

1. Laura K. Inamedinova (Founder, LKI Consulting)

2. Francesco Burreli (MD, Global Payments Strategy, Accenture)

5. Natalya Menshikova (CMO, FTV Coin Deluxe) 6.Ugur Yildrim (CFO, Hive project)

3. Aleksandar Matanović (CEO, ECD) 4. Robert Courtneidge (CEO, Moorwand)

Moderator: Faisal Khan - Senior Advisor, Sender

16:30

Closing Remarks (Nick Middleton) and xCEEdium Millionaire Announcement







18:00

Invite only reception at Ambassador's Residence

20:30



FashionTV Party @ Tranzit Bar, Braće Krsmanović 8, Beograd 11000



CONFERENCE CHAIR

Nick Middleton

Payments Director at Virgin Money

He has spent several years working in the Banking Software Industry, first for a software supplier (Fidelity Information Services), then moving on to a Financial Services service supplier (VocaLink Ltd). He has now moved on to contract work. He started his career as a developer, moved on to Software Architecture, project management and now Programme Management.



Pavle Ljujic xCEEd Conference founder







British Embassy Belgrade

Tracy Gallagher Deputy Head of Mission at the British Embassy in Belgrade

Pavle is a creative and innovative entrepreneur, through and through! With 15 years' experience including product marketing, business development, driving revenue and growth and scaling his business, Pannovate, to be a leading tech company with a Fortune 500 client base. His true passion is customer success, engagement, loyalty and lifetime value through automation and tech innovation.

Deputy Head of Mission at the British Embassy in Belgrade since April 2016. Tracy is responsible for the effective operation of the Embassy and for deputising for the Ambassador in his absence. The Embassy has 75 staff and is a platform bringing together representatives of several government departments. As well as the Foreign and Commonwealth Office, these include the Ministry of Defence, the National Crime Agency (NCA), Department for International Trade (DIT), HM Revenue and Customs (HMRC) and the British Council. Tracy was previously based in London where she was head of the Foreign and Commonwealth Office's Appointments Team in the Human Resources Directorate from 2010-2014. She has had postings in Athens, Dublin and Moscow.

Tracy is married to a fellow diplomat lan Whitting and has two daughters.







Kevin Amateshe Product Director M-PESA



Experienced within the Mobile Money Space for a leading Mobile Network Operator and within Digital Financial Services for a Bank. An avid innovator driven by the ever changing market and client needs, with a keen eye on financial inclusion. A firm believer that digital financial services are only transformational when they are part and parcel of the user's life.



Francesco Burelli Member of Executive Board

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As Global Payments Strategy Lead at Accenture Payment Services and he is a member of the First Annapolis team. He works across retail and corporate digital payments, cash management and distribution channel challenges to assist organisations with corporate and product strategy development and M&A. He is a member of several industry editorial and advisory boards.



John Berghout

Head of Digital | Business Banking at Barclays



Accomplished as a systems integrator, John's experience in transforming enterprises leveraging digital solutions. Now as Head of Digital - Business Banking at Barclays where he is accountable for the creation and execution of the digital strategy encompassing channel, products and experiences for clients.



Andrew Doukanaris Member of Executive Board



Andrew joined JCB as Senior Vice President of Sales & Marketing, he leads the issuing, acquiring, marketing and communications team for JCBIE in Europe. He represents JCBIE at EMVCo and The European Card Stakeholders Group and leads JCBIE's vendor management.

He played a key role in deployment of contactless payments in support of London 2012 and led the drive to transform Poland's contactless adoption making it Visa's highest contactless penetration market.





Duena Blomstorm Founder and Author of **Emotional Banking**

Chief Growth Officer at Temenos' Marketplace. Founder and Author of "Emotional Banking - how to change banking culture to leverage FinTech". Duena is a FinTech specialist, an entrepreneur and an Angel Investor, a mentor for Startupbootcamp and Techstars, a blogger with cutting edge opinion style, an industry speaker, the inventor of the Emotional Banking, EX and Bank Branding concepts and for the past 18 years has been in the Telco and Finance world on the strategy and consulting side, be it for sales or marketing.

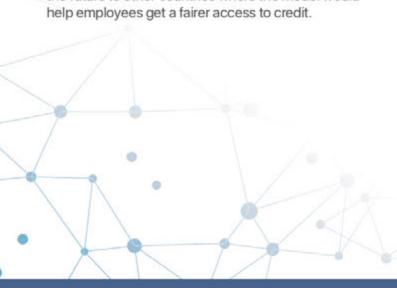


Daniel Calderon International Director at SalaryFinance



Started working in FinTech as a venture builder, sourcing and developing new ideas in the team that started companies like Clearscore SalaryFinance.

In Salary Finance he helped plan the Marketing, Risk and Finance strategy, moving into a Finance Director role. In this role, he helped to raise the Series A round in 2017 lead by Legal and General, built the finance team and infrastructure. He is currently leading the efforts to expand SalaryFinance into the US, and in the future to other countries where the model would help employees get a fairer access to credit.





Robert Courtneidge Chief Executive Officer



Robert is CEO of international payments business Moorwand Limited. He has deep expertise in e-money, and is highly skilled in consumer finance issues. For the past six years, he has featured in the Payments Power, a highly competitive ranking of the most influential contributors in payments.



Tony Craddock Director General



Passionate about emerging payments and how it transforms lives around the world. Part of the Emerging Payments Association community, where advance payments innovation is core. EPA's goal is to make London the global hotspot for innovation in payments.

Tony is a celebrated industry spokesperson who can be seen all over the world sharing his insight on emerging payments.



Filip Genov adVenture Banker & Creator



Filip Genov is a senior banker with 25+ years of executive experience in the CEE markets.

Currently he is creating the first banking VC operation in Bulgaria, where he has also been the creator and executive director of the market's first factoring company, founder and director of the leading corporate and international banking operation and launched several fintech and business innovations. In 2017, he founded and leads Sophia Lab - a corporate-driven think tank for national growth and development with a dual focus on analysis and impact.





Mark Goldspink CEO for The ai Corporation



CEO for global fintech company The ai Corporation (ai). In 2013 Mark was hired by ai as CEO and has since overseen continued YoY growth and the diversification of ai's product offering, via the acquisition of two other companies. A regular contributor for a number of fintech publications, Mark continues to produce valuable thought leadership content within the payments and fraud space.



Svetlana Hoffmann

Non Executive Director



is a seasoned and internationally Svetlana experienced manager whose 17 years of professional tenure spans across pharmaceutical, environment protection and financial service industry. Currently deploying her expertise and knowledge on an interim basis - helping existing and emerging financial services providers take the next steps in digital evolution. Svetlana is an active Emerging Payment Association (EPA) ambassador and a member of the EPA Annual Award judging panel. In addition Svetlana works as a coach specialising in Personal Development and Business & Executive coaching.



David Hensley Director of Cash Services UK



Director of Cash Services UK since 2012. With over 25 years' experience in senior management with Santander covering business transformation, operations and customer services, he has also held non-executive roles with two leading financial services providers (Link & BACs). He has now moved on to contract work. He started his career as a developer, moved on to Software Architecture. project management and now Programme Management. His current focus is Mandatory Payments Programmes.



Neil Harris Chief Commercial Officer at GPS



Chief Commercial Officer at Global Processing Services (GPS), an industry-leading issuer processor that provides payment technology and alternative banking solutions to programme managers, acquirers and some of the largest Fintechs and 'next generation' banks globally.

With over 14 years of experience, Neil's key focus has been on driving positive change within the industry, initiating collaboration between influential peers to support financial inclusion initiatives and building customer success by delivering added value through his extensive knowledge. As Chair of the Financial Inclusion Committee at the EPA, Neil is part of the leading taskforce that has been created in developing a new industry kitemark.





Laura K. Inamedinova Founder of LKI Consulting

LKI Consulting

A founder of international marketing, PR and communications company LKI Consulting that focuses on fintech and crypto companies. She has helped ICO companies raise more than \$100M USD in total. She also shares her expertise about fintech marketing in her columns at Forbes and Huffington Post. Besides that, she frequently appears in local and international conferences where she touches important issues like advocating for bigger women involvement in the technology sector.



Faisal Khan Banking & Payments Consultant

SENDER

A banking and payments consultant providing advisory services to banks, financial services companies and startups. A specialist in cross-border money transfer and all aspects of the value-chain. With extensive knowledge in the design, integration & running of payment networks and systems for money transmission between different countries. Also a scout for various Venture Capital companies who want to invest in fintech. banking or payments related companies.



Maciej Kostro Electronic Banking Council



Board Advisor in The Polish Bank Association. Secretary of the Electronic Banking Council and responsible for the API standardisation initiative (Polish API). Open banking expert and strategic consultant in digital business, online sales of complex financial products (banking & insurance), user and customer experience.



Vuk Kosovac Executive Director



Leading retail business as member of Societe Generale Srbija Executive Board, pursuing digital transformation in banking and finance. He was in charge of different assignments from strategy, marketing to operations, and has been developing SocGen franchise across Europe (Russia, CEE). He provided critical leadership in launching the first online branch in the Balkans and pioneered cross-sector partnerships for growth of digital and startup ecosystem.



Daniel Kjellén CEO / Founder at Tink



Co-founder and CEO of Tink, a fintech with the goal of helping people understand their finances, empowering them to make smarter decisions and ultimately bringing financial happiness. Tink's award-winning consumer app has now gained over 500 000. Prior to Tink Daniel worked as investment banker at Carnegie, the Nordics' leading investment bank, and also founded the corporate domain name company Prodocon.





Anna Kuzmina Deputy Chief Commercial Officer



Yandex. Money's international business development leader, with special interest in expansion into foreign markets. Having worked for some of Russia's largest e-commerce companies, including Mail.ru Group and Xsolla, she has a strong expertise in online payments for digital goods, retail, and gaming. She frequently delivers talks at e-commerce events worldwide, shaping global awareness of current trends in e-commerce and payments.



Aleksandar Matanovic Blockchain & Cryptocurrency professional

A virtual currencies expert where he co-founded a local e-gold exchange. He completely focussed on cryptocurrencies and blockchain technology. Passionate about Bbuilding real solutions for Blockchain and working with global clients worldwide to help them develop strategies that deliver substantial and sustainable growth.



Anna Maj FinTech Expert, Adviso and Mentor

EUROPEAN WOMEN PAYMENTS NETWORK

With over 18 years experience, her expertise lies in digital payments (mobile, cards, wallets), acquiring as well as cognitive banking. Responsible for building cooperation models between financial corporations and fintechs, particularly in frames of the open banking and payments projects as well as driving innovation in the European payments ecosystem.

Speaker and Advisory Board member at international FinTech/Payments conferences. Featured in the "TOP 20 Women in FinTech" Report 2017.



Gavin Littlejohn Chairman, FDATA



fintech entrepreneur with experience of developing innovative solutions to mass market problems. Appointed as Convenor of the Fintech Stakeholder Group of the UK Open Banking Implementation Entity in October 2016. He serves as a Director and Non-Executive Chairman of the Financial Data and Technology Association www.fdata.org.uk where he successfully led the campaign to have account aggregation added to PSD2. Gavin is well-renowned as the Founder of Money Dashboard.



Maja Kadievska Vojnovik Vice Governor



Mrs. Maja Kadievska - Vojnovikj has been a Vice Governor of the National Bank of the Republic of Macedonia since July 2011, covering the Sector of Financial Market Operations and Payment Systems. She is an Executive member of the Council of the National Bank of the Republic of Macedonia, Chairman of the Foreign Reserves Investment Committee and Chairman of the Assets and Liabilities Management Committee.





Natalya Menshikova CMO | Marketing And New Media | FAshionTV



An internationally experienced director of Digital Media and Marketing with a proven record in the broadcast media industry. In charge of all content and media of the global FTV network, including 13 TV channels, millions of subscriberson social media, OTT, paid TV, generating sales of over 100M\$. A strong marketing professional with an MBA focused in Marketing Management General from Lauder Business School. CMO for the new FTV Coin Deluxe, Fashion TV's upcoming ICO, dubbed the biggest branded ICO.



David Gill Head of Payments at Lottoland



He has spent several years working in the Banking Software Industry, first for a software supplier (Fidelity Information Services), then moving on to a Financial Services service supplier (VocaLink Ltd). He started his career as a developer, moved on to Software Architecture, project management and now Programme Management.



Nealle Page Executive Director



Known as the Payments and Fraud Guy at Ocado, the world's largest online-only grocer. Product managing all payments and fraud systems across ocado.com as well as the new Ocado Smart Platform (Ocado's turnkey solution for online grocery fulfilment) bringing experience from around the sector to online commerce. An expert in NFC, Global Platform and tokenisation, the components that power Apple Pay and Google Pay. Nealle now works with his peers to build the best online and mobile shopping experience as well as a team of fraud prevention specialists to reduce risk and fraud.



Daniel Kjellén CEO / Founder at Tink



A Danish blockhain expert with a vast knowledge of the cryptocurrency space. Known as Bitcoin Jack after paying solely with Bitcoin for an entire month. With his outgoing personality and quick thinking, he delivers inspiring stage presence and has displayed his capabilities at numerous European expos and conferences. Professionally, he has worked with major players in the Danish crypto/payments arena. With a vision of making payments faster, cheaper and smarter he founded company ARYZE in 2017.





Noémie Papp Executive Director



Head of Digital and Retail and leads the EBF strategy on digital and retail including on cloud computing, e-identification, data and FinTech.EBF members represent banks that make available loans to the European economy in excess of €20 trillion and that securely handle more than 300 million payment transactions per day. Launched in 1960, the EBF is committed to creating a single market for financial services in the European Union and to supporting policies that foster economic growth. www.ebf.eu @EBFeu



Konstantin Perič Deputy Director, Financial Services for the poor

BILL & MELINDA GATES foundation

A technologist, with interests in technology, finance and innovation. He is the author of "The Castle And The Sandbox", a book explaining how to foster innovation in established companies. Currently, Deputy Director, Financial Services for the Poor, at the Bill & Melinda Gates Foundation, where he leads the team that focuses on digital payments. From through business governance models to technology, from ideas through architecture to development, he oversees the strategy and grants to deliver secure, reliable and affordable digital payment solutions.



Jakub Piotrowski Chief Revenue Officer



He has over 10 years' experience working in financial services and fintech, while working in Digital practice at Accenture, managing transformation projects for banks in Central Europe, including Meniga implementation at mBank in Poland, Czech Republic and Slovakia, PFM implementations for Intesa Sanpaolo and HVB (UniCredit Germany). Prior to that he was working with corporate banks on projects related to cross-border clearing and settlement processes and core platform transformation.



Dragana Stanic General Manager

NARODNA BANKA SRBLIE

Ms. Stanic was heavily involved in reform process aimed at introducing the most modern practices into the domestic payments legal framework. Ms. Stanic is currently member of the team tasked with producing two new legal solutions aimed at directly lowering the fees charged against card payments, improving transparency and as comparability of fees across payment services, and simplifying procedures for changing the provider of payment services by clients, among other things. Also, one of the main projects she is leading now is implementation of the instant payment system of the National Bank of Serbia





Vladan Petrović CFO at Tehnomanija

Tehnomanija

A financial expert with vast 20 years experience at executive level in private sector Finance management as well as Corporate banking. His main role is development finance strategy, managing finance and accounting as well as treasury and cash management function and controlling. He has been involved in merging business lines of two largest retail chain organizations in ex YU region responsible for finance operation strategy, national payments, investments and developing and managing process between finance division and accounting.



Suresh Vaghjiani Managing Director





A committed expert that simplifies the world of payments with over 14 years of experience in developing products and services that focus on the customer's current and future needs, with a deep understanding of customer behaviour. Recently placed No. 4 in the Payments Power 10 rankings, he is building and developing an award winning brand from concept to International roll-out, considering how the brand will be accepted and viewed with an international audience.



Domenico Scaffidi Principal Solution Consultant



Having joined ACI as Strategic Principal Consultant Immediate Payment, supporting the European Financial Institutions in the Instant Payments field, in the Cross-Board Payments, in the Liquidity and Settlement Management and helping Banks and PSPs build their Instant Payments business case.



Alberta Soranzo Systems Thinking Director at Lloyds Banking





A committed expert that simplifies the world of payments by developing products and services that focus on the customer's current and future needs, with a deep understanding of customer behaviour. A solution driven Innovator who turns payments into a source of competitive advantage, with a proven track record of results in card issuance starting from acquiring the very first customer to having hundreds of thousands within a very short period.



Michael Salmony Executive Adviser equens Worldline SE

equensWorldline

Michael is an internationally recognised leader on business innovations especially in the digital and financial services space and an executive adviser to the BoD of equensWorldline, Europe's leading payment provider that processes over 17 trillion Euro per yearln this capacity he is board-level advisor to banks, national and international associations for example the European Commission, the EPC, the EACB, the ERPB, and further major national and international boards.





Ugur Yildirim Chief Financial Officer

A prominent international businessman with over 15 years of investment management experience. A renowned speaker and panellist at "The Future of Money and Technology Summit" to discuss the future of fintech and tokens. Also a panellist at the Digital Finance World Conference presenting on the effects of blockchain on the global economy, focusing on its future in the financial sector. In terms of future engagements these include to be a panellist Day of Slovenian-German Business organised by The Slovenian-German Chamber of Commerce, Fintech World Forum 2018 and The Money 20/20 Europe.



Catalin Ticheru Policy officer



Catalin works as policy officer within the European Commission's Directorate-General for Communications Networks, Content and Technology (DG CNECT). He is a tech enthusiast, always searching for new trends in startups, innovation and blockchain technology. Catalin is a connector and actively contributes to the development of the EU Blockchain Observatory and Forum and Startup Europe Initiative while having a special focus on the CEE and Western Balkans regions.



Gerald Wooding Manager Card Systems Program

Driving Retail

Involved in card acceptance in the petrol retailing arena for more than 18 years. He is currently responsible for card acceptance at MRH which is the largest independent petrol forecourt owner in the UK (more than 490 sites with brands of ESSO, BP, TEXACO, SHELL and JET) with an annual card turnover of circa £2.0b. He was responsible for the development and deployment of a standard payment/reconciliation platform across these different fuel brands and currently manages both the technical solution and the relationships between MRH and all card acceptance acquirers/service providers.



Oli Cook Head of Banking & Borrowing Products, Retail & Private Bank



Oli leads banking and borrowing products for Metro Bank's retail and private business. He's been in retail banking for a decade having joined HSBC UK in 2007 in a variety of proposition and customer insight roles, later leading Savings and FX for the three UK brands (HSBC, first direct & M&S Bank).



Nikola Fabris

Vice Governor of the Central Bank of Montenegro

CENTRAL BANK OF MONTENEGRO

Nikola Fabris, Vice-Governor

He graduated from the Faculty of Economics at the University of Belgrade in 1994, obtained M.A. in Economics in 1998 and Ph.D. in economics in 2002. He is a member of the Economic Science Board of the Montenegrin Academy of Science and Arts. He is a Professor at the Faculty of Economics in Belgrade. From 2004 to 2013 he was the Chief Economist of the Central Bank of Montenegro.

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Dear Delegate

Paneleven is delighted to be the patron xCEEd conference for a second year, a truly innovative event and we welcome you to what will be two creative and motivating days.

xCEEd is just the right mix of keynote sessions and panels from some of the finest speakers, innovative workshops from the hottest start-ups and some extremely exciting panel sessions, we are very proud the be involved once again.

xCEEd will introduce banks, regulators, start /scale-ups and retailers from the region to FinTech pioneers - each at the cutting edge of digital transformation in their domain- to provide a blueprint of how to plan and execute your digital transformation projects and create a winning formula for your FinTech ambitions.

Paneleven started its digital journey a few years ago with the launch of Pannovate, with its daughter company, an innovative and creative scale up. Pannovate has created a unique way to bring new tech advances of an increasingly connected world to card issuers and other marketers and are proud to include Elavon, Lottoland, FundStar and many others as our clients.

Paneleven's founder and Pannovate's CEO, Pavle Ljujic, a successful entrepreneur in the tech space for the last 15 years, will be opening the session.

Both Paneleven and Pannovate teams are on hand throughout the event to discuss not only Pannovate's products, but also to offer real domain expertise in creating an efficient digital transformation

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As the Chancellor of the Exchequer Philip Hammond, MP recently noted at the London International Fintech Conference, we are determined to build the UK as a global trading nation, and we believe FinTech has a crucial role to play in helping us achieve these ambitions.

Britain's FinTech sector has boomed in recent years. It now employs over 61,000 people and is worth £6.6 billion annually. Studies show the UK as the best place in the world to start and grow a FinTech firm; investors demonstrate the value of the UK's Fintech industry with a record high of £1.8bn invested in 2017. It is down to the talent of our entrepreneurs, availability of capital, demand from tech savvy consumers and the pro-innovation policy and regulatory environment that the Government has built, and will continue to foster.

FinTech is already changing fundamentally the way we all use financial services. It is providing increased access for consumers, and helping users to make more informed choices in many different areas such as payments, data & analytics, cybersecurity, capital raising & personal finance.

In Serbia, as part of the extensive macroeconomic reforms that have taken place since 2001, the financial sector has grown substantially. The Banking sector has been expanding its wide range of products and services as well as access to finance, mainly due to arrival of Western banks that dominate over 80% of the market. Healthy capital buffers and large foreign ownership offer a degree of sector-level stability. Over the long-term, Serbia's relatively attractive business environment implies opportunities for banks to provide higher-value services. As the Serbian economy takes further steps towards market consolidation and privatisation, significant business opportunities are expected in financial markets.

Serbian financial institutions are at the very beginning of the digital journey and keen to consider products, services and solutions which would give them a competitive edge, improve operations and expand their own product portfolio – and hence customer base; which makes the UK supplier offer very attractive.

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- Tour Guide platform helps locals with knowledge of domestic culture provide their guiding services to visiting tourists.

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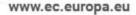
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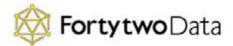




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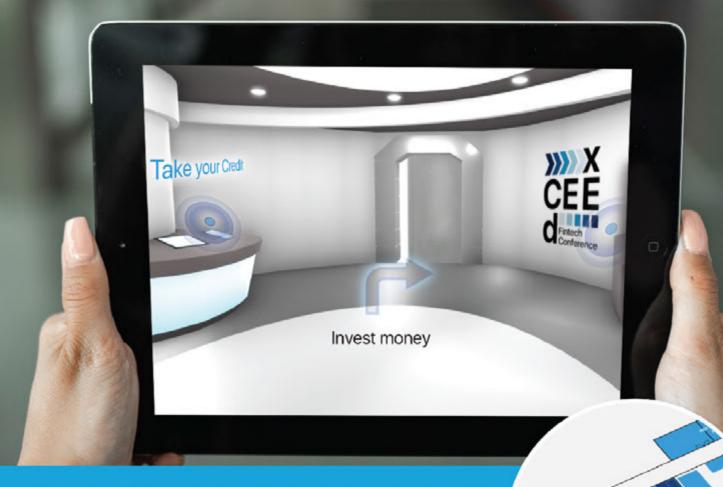
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