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Speaker Line up

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Nick Middleton – Strategic Payments Director, Virgin Money
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	Retail Banking Europe Programme
08:00 - 08:50	REGISTRATION AND REFRESHMENTS
08:50 - 9:00	CHAIR'S OPENING REMARKS Patrick Brusnahan – Editor, Verdict
	SESSION ONE: SETTING THE SCENE: EUROPEAN RETAIL BANKING IN 2019 Chaired by Patrick Brusnahan
	Assessing the impact of Open Banking and PSD2 - Next steps for retail bankers
09:00 – 09:20	 Open banking in reality - Evaluating the rise of non-traditional banks and new services built on APIs to drive customer value Exploring the opportunities available for retail banks and customers in the wake of PSD2
09.00 - 09.20	 Highlighting the challenges following implementation of PSD2 and potential solutions
	Uncovering where Open Banking will go beyond Europe and how to utilise this growth
	Jim Wadsworth – SVP Open Banking, Mastercard
09:20 – 09:40	 Are we moving to a cashless society? Exploring new opportunities in the way digital payments are made and the potential of adopting mobile money in Europe Is cash still king? What does this mean for the way banks operate and customers
	 access to cash What will the impact of a cashless Europe be on banks and all areas of society? What can and should banks do to ensure access to cash?
	Discovering how banks are approaching an increasing use of mobile payments with tightening Electronic Money Regulation
	Nick Middleton – Former Strategic Payments Director, Virgin Money
09:40 – 10:00	"Digitally-Powered-Advisors: step-change in productivity, product scope, and quality of financial advisory by digital and advanced analytics tools"
	 Our way the ultimate "dream": having 2.000 advisors that each of them can systematically actively advise on all 8 financial product categories, and are able to serve each of the 2 million clients Digital is "must do", however branches can benefit for the digitisation and digital
	tools the most, meaning can delivered the largest impact and also the fastest



	How can digital tools bring a step-change in productivity of advisors versus the traditional tools used for development and management of sales so far
	Zdenek Romanek, Chief Retail Officer & Leader of Digital Transformation, Slovenská sporiteľňa a. s.
	Panel: Exploring the benefits and drawbacks of Open Banking
10:00 – 10:40	 How are the different member states reacting to the EBA 2nd opinion Considering customer impact and communicating opportunities to customers How far will open banking go? Uncovering the adoption of Open Banking on an EU scale, why customers should care and the benefits available to them
	Jim Wadsworth – SVP Open Banking, Mastercard Nick Middleton – Former Strategic Payments Director, Virgin Money Zdenek Romanek, Chief Retail Officer & Leader of Digital Transformation, Slovenská sporiteľňa a. s. Brendan Jones – COO, Konsentus
10:40 - 11:10	MORNING REFRESHMENTS AND NETWORKING
	SESSION TWO: DIGITAL TRENDS AND ECOSYSTEMS Chaired by Patrick Brusnahan
	"Best practices in digitizing last mile in omnichannel" - based on real life examples from across Europe
	Integrate all stakeholders into digital customer onboarding and contracting
11:10 – 11:30	Improve conversion rates and achieving higher customer satisfaction ratings
11.10 11.50	Achieve full compliance in multi-national roll-outs including AMLD, GDPR and eIDAS
	 Orchestrate signature acquisition efficiently using e-signatures & e-seals also in branches
	Joerg-M. Lenz - Director Marketing & Communication, Namirial Group Aleš Sloupenský - Chief Retail Distribution Officer, Moneta Money Bank
	Reimagining the Bank Branch in the Audiovisual Age
11:30 – 11:50	How to leverage audiovisual technologies to equip a bank branch with tools for digital-first customers
	How to integrate mobile banking with the physical branch through audiovisual technology
	How to communicate and differentiate a brand through LED video walls, automated lighting, digital art, and more
	 How to apply audiovisual trends from other markets – retail, hospitality, and others to the banking industry
	Identify emerging technologies and their application to the bank industry



	Sarah Joyce, Chief Global Officer, AVIXA [moderator] Bonnie Reese, Strategy Director, Digital Experience Design, Gensler
	Trends in wealth management and their impact on the retail side of Banks
	Are we going to see a decline in assets and market growth?
	Why should the industry stay connected to their clients? Does digital have a future?
	Hybrid advice as the key to success The import of Bir Techs on the harding industry.
11:50 – 12:10	The impact of Big Techs on the banking industry
11.30 12.10	Ton Kentgens - Business Developer, Ortec Finance
	Panel: Understanding ways AI and ML can improve European retail bank services
	Explore best practices and distinguish practical solutions for the use of ML or AI
	How to take the plunge and begin implementing AI within the retail bank
12:10 – 12:50	Leveraging the workforce to focus on high value tasks
	Pushing the limits of what AI can do to make things better for customers
	Joerg-M. Lenz - Director Marketing & Communication, Namirial Group
	Aleš Sloupenský - Chief Retail Distribution Officer, Moneta Money Bank
	Ton Kentgens - Business Developer, Ortec Finance
12:50 – 13:50	LUNCH
	SESSION THREE: TRANSFORMING THE CUSTOMER EXPERIENCE Chaired by Patrick Brusnahan
	Collaborating between fintechs and retail banks to achieve better services for customers
	 Examining ways to retain customer loyalty with the rise of challenger banks Understanding the impact on traditional banks and how banks should be responding
	to offer better services and win more customers
13:50 – 14:10	 Identifying how to target and maintain digital native customers whilst retaining services for less digitally savvy customers
15.50 – 14.10	 Using remittance services as a USP offering in attracting migrant professionals in
	order to compete with fintechs
	 Can the retail banks broaden their collaborative horizons with fintechs, to widen services available and be an all-encompassing tech-enabled retail experience?
	André Garcia Costa - Head of Innovation IT, WiZink
14:10 – 14:30	Uncovering future opportunities and emerging technologies to deliver better value to customers



	 Considering the operational structures put in place to develop and implement innovations whilst exploring the risk appetite for implementing new services Equipping retail banks with sophisticated technological tools to expand their digital offering across different devices Showcasing successful examples of AI, robotics, blockchain, and analytics Showcasing the right tools for development to provide customers new digital offerings in different areas of retail banking Christoph Neut - VP EMEA, Sparkcentral
	Navigating the customer journey in the move to digital self-service banking
14:30 – 14:50	 Harnessing the thinning line between digital distribution and banking Safeguarding direct contact for customers whilst implementing greater digital distribution Identifying customer behaviour and managing potential trade-offs in banking
	 innovation Now you know your customer, but are you prepared to understand them all?
	Riem Zouzou - Chief Digital Consultant, Danske Bank
	Panel: Determining strategies to stay relevant to your customer
14:50 – 15:30	 Is there a level playing field for fintechs and traditional banks? Harnessing the power in the brand to maintain long-lasting customer relationships Will customers prefer big tech companies as their front end of banking Exploring how to keep a personal relationship with customers amidst digital transformation
	André Garcia Costa - Head of Innovation IT, WiZink Christoph Neut - VP EMEA, Sparkcentral Riem Zouzou - Chief Digital Consultant, Danske Bank Piotr Szykowny - Head of Retail Controlling and Projects, Bank BGŻ BNP Paribas David Barczi - Head of Digital Channels / Tribe Leader, Komerční banka
15:30 – 16:00	MID-AFTERNOON REFRESHMENTS
	SESSION FOUR: TECHNOLOGY AND THE FUTURE Chaired by Patrick Brusnahan
16:00 – 16:20	The Phygital Era – How to achieve the maximum potential of your Branch Network How phygital solutions helped us change the operational model of the branch and increase the sales force efficiency Decrease operation workload through employing digitally enhanced services in the branches



	Improve level of customer service and decrease costs by introducing e-signing for
	transitions in branches
	Konstantin Iliev, Head of Branch Network, Postbank
	Examining customer experience and determining ways it can be maximised
	How to stay ahead of the curve by establishing changing expectations of retail banks from customer feedback and market research
	Preparing for shifts in customer behaviour in this new digital environment
16:20 – 16:40	Using strategic innovation and growth practices to ensure customers are prepared for digital change
	How to remain competitive by differentiating the customer experience
	Georgie Smallwood - Chief Product Officer, N26
	Successfully reaching consumers with digital services that go beyond payments and significantly improve their financial lives
	Exploring technology beyond payments by adapting insurance and loan services
	Determining agile methods of digitally transforming product services
	Safeguarding against financial exclusion of certain segments of society
16.10.17.00	Harnessing customer experience data to improve efficiency of payments
16:40 – 17:00	
	Eric Tak - Global Head of ING Payments Centre, ING
	Panel: Delving into the opportunities and challenges on the horizon
	 Establishing why social banking should be an increasing priority Are bank branches a thing of the past? - Examining the lifeline of the physical retail bank branch
17:00 – 17:40	 Identifying the potential five year outlook of retail banking across Europe considering open banking, digital transformation and changing customer needs.
17.00 - 17.40	Outlining the competencies necessary for the new age retail banker
	Georgie Smallwood - Chief Product Officer, N26
	Eric Tak - Global Head of ING Payments Centre, ING Sarah Joyce - Chief Global Officer, AVIXA
	Bonnie Reese - Strategy Director, Digital Experience Design, Gensler
	Jim Wadsworth – SVP Open Banking, Mastercard
17:40 – 17:45	CHAIR'S SUMMARY AND CLOSE OF CONFERENCE
17.70 17.43	Patrick Brusnahan – Editor, Verdict



17:45 - 19:45	RECEPTION DRINKS AND RETAIL BANKING EUROPE AWARDS
	Join us for an evening celebrating the best in retail banking excellence.