

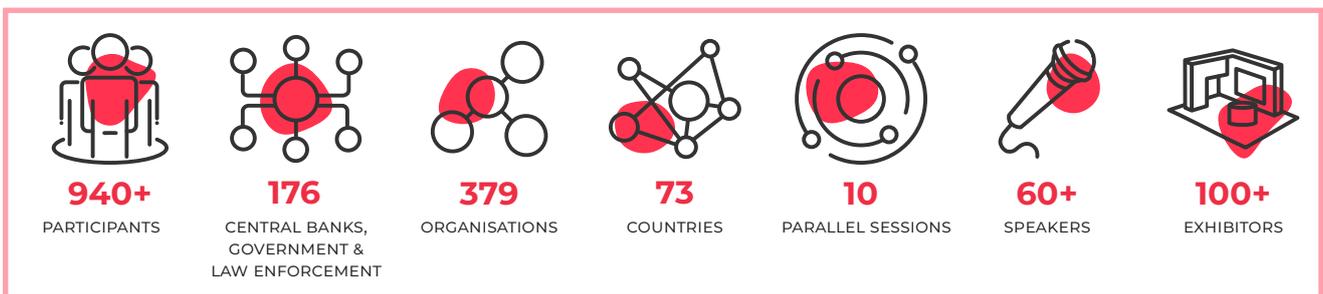
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highlights



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a **UNIQUE** event

Intergraf Currency+Identity is a neutral conference and exhibition that aims to foster the development of the industry by cultivating visionary perspectives, enhancing skills, and shaping progressive mindsets. It is a unique, non-profit platform that brings together central banks, governments, identity document issuing authorities, security suppliers and industry-specific digital solution providers.

In 2023, Intergraf Currency+Identity took place from 18 to 20 October in Bilbao: 1 stop to meet the currency and identity community, a 3-day experience filled with learning and networking opportunities, inspirational keynotes, and technical insights, providing interactive discussions on the current challenges faced by the industry, as well as innovative ideas for the future.

It is amazing to have so many industry experts dedicated to the critical mission of document security assembled in one place. It provides huge learning and networking opportunities.

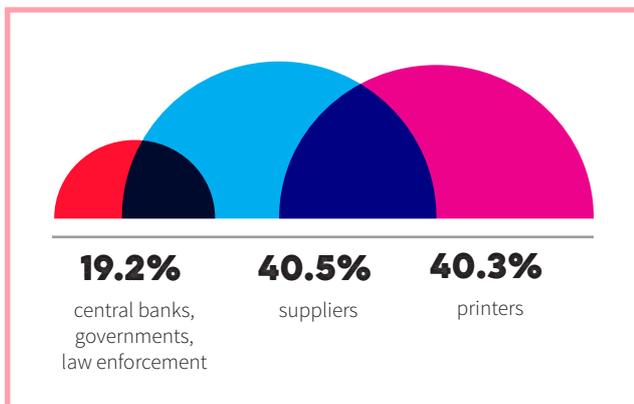
Jared Goodwin
U.S. Citizenship and Immigration Services,
United States of America

It was a pleasure to participate (both as a delegate and a speaker) at the Intergraf Currency+Identity Conference 2023. What a great event – very informative. Looking forward to the next conference in Milan in 2025!

Jennifer Small
Bank of England,
United Kingdom

UNITING solution providers and institutional end users from all over the world

940+ participants came together in Bilbao as a close-knit community, united in their mission to cultivate the vision, skills, and mindset required to drive the advancement of our industry.



Primary goals for attending in order of importance were networking, gaining new insights, leveraging learning opportunities from the conference content and meeting the exhibitors.

The event survey reveals that expectations were met, with an average satisfaction rate of 90% for these key objectives.

I especially appreciated the rich content of a significant part of the presentations: as such, Intergraf is more about central bank knowledge sharing, and less a commercial show. It makes this conference unique and I hope you keep this « DNA ».

Erick Lacourrière
Banque de France
France

I came with high expectations, and left with even higher satisfaction.

Banque Centrale des Etats de l'Afrique de l'Ouest - BCEAO,
Senegal

at the forefront of **DRIVING CHANGE** in currency and identity

The Bilbao stage this year hosted parallel sessions on currency and identity featuring presentations from central banks, governments, and law enforcement. They provided a dynamic exploration of innovation in currency and identity and encouraged engaging conversations. Currency topics included sustainability, green banknotes, central bank digital currency, production efficiency, and cash usage.

On the identity side, the focus was on digitalized services, counter-fraud training, passport series, document digitalization, biometrics, and the balance between digital and physical credentials. The event concluded with an inspiring panel discussion addressing unprecedented situations aimed at finding ways our community can contribute.

The quality of the conference was rated at 85% good to excellent



94% of the delegates said the event was a good investment



A perfect combination of great customer meetings and networking, with a bit of fun.

Covestro,
Germany



I very much enjoyed meeting the industry in Bilbao at my first Intergraf Currency+Identity event. I had many exciting discussions about digital ID solutions with partners, suppliers, and customers.

Georg Bartels
Österreichische Staatsdruckerei,
Austria

Certainly, the place to be was the News & demo stage, where exhibitors presented some brilliant innovations. Requests for a larger News & demo space next time have already been received due to the big success and turnout.

The exhibition floor offered first-hand access to cutting-edge solutions and products from 100+ world class security suppliers. Some exhibitors seized the opportunity of having so many

industry players under one roof to launch new products. Security Fibres promoted their new Micro-Marques™, High Security SPECTRUM™ and Myriad™ Fibres, Oberthur Fiduciaire launched the Anima™ security thread and TOPPAN launched the new IODINE printer. New partnerships were announced too: IQ Structures and Hueck Folien launched a new design optical security stripe for banknotes with a Bilbao motive.



All contacts were of very high quality and helpful. No time was wasted. It was super helpful for networking.

Stefan Schindler
Diagramm Halbach,
Germany



“Participating in the conference for the first time as a recently certified company among the elite of high-security document manufacturing, was a significant milestone for us. Intergraf Currency+Identity offers an excellent opportunity for engaging in-depth discussions with experts in high-security printing and institutional end-customers.

Claudia Giner
 exceed Card Group GmbH
 Austria

“We spent three exciting days in Bilbao at Intergraf Currency+Identity with engaging discussions about the current developments in the industry.

Peter Muehlfelder
 Leonhard Kurz
 Germany

The day before, on 17 October 2023, two exclusive parallel events took place: **Intergraf Identity High** and **Intergraf Currency High**. Attendance is by invitation only and restricted to a select vetted audience to ensure high-profile conversations and the exchange of best practices within a secure environment.

Another important event taking place on 17 October, was the **Certification Workshop** ‘Let’s talk about certification - A strategic approach to everyday problem solving for Intergraf-certified companies’. The workshop assembled a diverse

range of engaging training and informational sessions to ensure that companies are well-equipped to handle the challenging scenarios in the day-to-day operations of a certified company.

New this year was the **Tender Tactics** session during which interested parties could learn about the benefits of INTERGRAF ISO 14298 and INTERGRAF 15374 standards to secure supply chains and to reap the advantages of internationally acknowledged standards meticulously designed to cater to unique identity and currency needs.

“I found the session Tender Tactics at Intergraf Currency+Identity highly interesting and useful. That hour alone made this trip worthwhile.

Susanne Wintzell
 Central Bank of Sweden,
 Sweden



an ideal setting for exclusive **NETWORKING**

Three exclusive networking events took place at prestigious local locations in Bilbao such as the iconic Guggenheim Museum, where delegates had the privilege of a private gallery visit after closing hours before the welcome cocktail. An ideal setting for catching up with customers, colleagues, and friends. As per usual, Wednesday

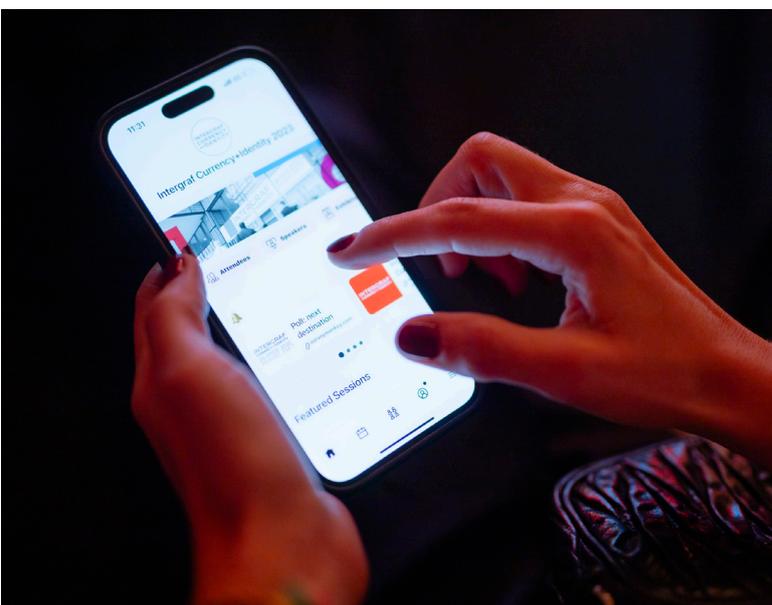
it was time for the Exhibition Aperitif: an informal meet & greet for exhibitors and delegates to bring networking to a next level on the exhibition floor! But the cherry on the cake was the Pintxo Party on Thursday, which took place at the San Mamés football stadium: a highly appreciated hotspot where the evening ended on the dance floor.



The Guggenheim was out of this world. I feel fortunate having had the opportunity to attend.

Homeland Security Investigations Forensic Laboratory,
United States of America

all in one **APP**, right at your fingertips



Bilbao's event app proved to be essential; 80% of delegates enjoyed relying on its seamless interface.

The app not only allowed all registered attendees to get in touch with each other before, during and after the event and to schedule meetings, but it also provided quick access to the full conference programme, floor plans, and a wealth of helpful resources for a good experience in Bilbao.

Moreover, the app continues to enrich the event experience for another two months, allowing delegates to reconnect with contacts missed, to revisit discussed topics, and to download conference proceedings.

VISUAL HIGHLIGHTS: *a snapshot journey* through Bilbao 2023



See all the pictures on our website: www.intergrafconference.com/bilbao-2023-gallery

the place to be **EVERY 18 MONTHS**

85%

of the 2023 attendees will attend the event in 2025

We are immensely grateful to all inspiring speakers and exhibitors: your presence added significantly to the success of Intergraf Currency+Identity 2023. Thank you for your participation and for sharing your expertise and valuable insights with our community. We hope many memorable moments were created and you have countless reasons to come back.

We can't wait to welcome you again on 5-7 March 2025 in Milan!



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