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Hesse launches a summit meeting of an extraordinary kind: the **FRANKFURT FINANCE FESTIVAL**. With the „Davos of the financial world“, the federal state takes the initiative and demonstrates strength for Frankfurt as a financial centre.

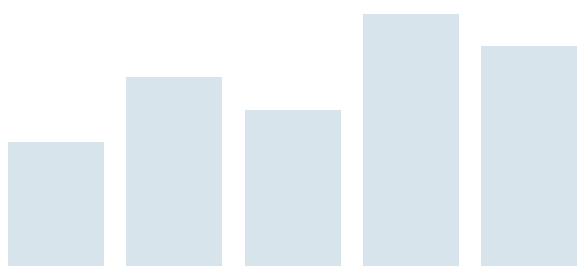
### Under the patronage of Hesse's Minister President Boris Rhein

five major events of the German economy on 22 and 23 October 2025 in Frankfurt am Main for an international festival of the financial and real economy.

**Numerous celebrities and opinion leaders** have confirmed their attendance, and the major names in the finance and innovation industry have signed up to take part in the summit. Listed key companies from the real economy and unicorns from the startup world will come together.

The Frankfurt financial centre makes its mark with the spectacular summit meeting as the financial capital of Europe. **AI and cryptocurrencies will be redefined** as a **key topic**.

**The Rhine-Main region is sharpening its role as a global hub for data flows.**



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### SCHEDULE

**The summit starts with an IPO gala at Frankfurt's Städel Museum. The convention place at Kap Europa. Guests will also experience the start-up festival there. The festival concludes with the Marken Gala 2.0 and a crypto party in a spectacular setting.**

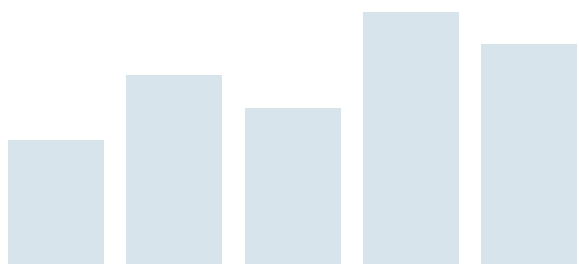
On 22 October, the Finance Summit will kick off with the FRANKFURT FINANCE FESTIVAL convention with 1,000 participants as a high-end congress to debate the major issues and trends in the world of finance. Live TV formats and many media elements are an integral part of keynotes, speed panels, one-on-ones, masterclasses and workshops. There will also be an inspiring Speakers Lunch.

The first day ends with the IPO Night, which honours outstanding IPOs and capital measures with a ceremony in Frankfurt's Staedel Museum. At the grand meeting of German and international high finance (150 participants in the top league), the financial heroes of the year will be honoured.

The FRANKFURT FINANCE FESTIVAL convention will continue at Kap Europa on 23 October. Parallel to the convention the first and second The start-up festival of fin-techs and unicorns DieBusines- sPunk takes place on the second floor of Kap Europa. The innovation forum brings together, networks and activates founders, investors and creatives.

A special programme organises live tours of the largest data centres in Europe in the Rhine-Main region. A global internet hub will be presented in Cape Europe, as well as exhibition areas with innovative start-ups and technologies.

The casting of the „Next Generation Unicorns“ will be followed by the Marken Gala 2.0 and the biggest AI crypto party night in a spectacular location with 500 participants.



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### LINE-UP

**The Frankfurt Summit welcomes Europe's financial elite. Key multipliers of the real economy, the next-gen unicorns and the big investors of the new economy. The gala, convention and party will also feature top-class speakers. A wide range of media will be specifically involved.**

More than 1,000 C-level guests from the financial industry, real economy, politics, media and science will attend: The Champions League of participants - and not just from Germany. In 2024, politicians from CDU Chairman Friedrich Merz to the then Federal Minister of Finance Christian Lindner, CEOs from Bettina Orlopp (Commerzbank) to Christian Sewing (Deutsche Bank), investors such as Carsten Maschmeyer, Janna Ensthaler and Frank Thelen as well as astronaut Matthias Maurer and UEFA EURO 2024 Tournament Director Philipp Lahm were guests in Frankfurt..

In 2025, we are expecting Christine Lagarde, President of the European Central Bank and Chair of the European Systemic Risk Board (ESRB), the CEOs of the ten largest financial institutions from the financial industry, in particular international names from UBS to JP Morgan and Morgan Stanley to BNP Paribas Germany. The CEOs of Deutsche Börse, the President of Deutsche Bundesbank and the President of the European Investment Bank have also already confirmed their attendance. Key players in the AI crypto scene such as the CEOs of Bitpanda, DE-CIX, Amazon Web Services, N26, Google and Ethereum will also in attendance.

