Cross-Border uptake of eInvoicing and Innovation

Closing Conference Invitation

Date: Friday, July 23rd, 2021

Time: 11.00 - 13.00 GMT

Location: Conference Link

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Join us for our closing conference where we discuss how our innovations in eInvoicing technologies promotes cross-border trade and increases the efficiency of the invoicing & payment process

Agenda			
Time	Speaker	Topic	Duration
11.00 - 11.10	Padraig Harte, Lecturer and Project Coordinator, IT Sligo	Welcome note & Background on eInvoicing	10 mins
11.10 - 11.20	Declan McCormack or representative, OGP eInvoicing Programme Manager	National & EU View	10 mins
11.20 - 11.30	Carmen Ciciriello, Director, Celeris Group Ltd	eDelivery and eBusiness portal for the Region of Sicily	10 mins
11.30 - 11.40	Edmund Gray, CTO, TSL t/a Nebule Software	Supplier onboarding requirements for Irish Public Bodies	10 mins
11.40 - 11.50	Brian Lunney & Sean Thornton, HSE	Background and upgrade to HSE solution	10 mins
11.50 - 12.00	Laura Pavan, eProcurement Special Project, Maggioli	eOrder and eInvoicing integrated to eProcurement platform	10 mins
12.00 - 12.10	Marillia Liotta, Digitiale Sicilia	Role and Benefits for Sicilian Region	10 mins
12.10 - 12.20	Eoin Maguire, DCS	The Role of AP	10 mins
12.20 - 13.00	Padraig Harte - Facilitator All representatives	Q&A, Panel Members	40 mins

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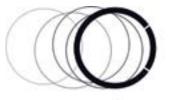
Padraig Harte, IT Sligo

Padraig Harte, the lead team member, is a lecturer in the School of Engineering & Design at the Institute of Technology, Sligo.
He has 30 years' experience in the IT Industry and has been a lecturer for the last 13 years. He also has 7 years senior management experience in Sligo Local Authorities as the Head of IT giving him valuable insight into accounting practices in Public Service.

Padraig has been researching eInvoicing extensively in the last number of years, was a contributor to the PEPPOL Transport Infrastructure AS2 specifications, co-led the National PEPPOL Pilot and has delivered presentations on eInvoicing both in Ireland and in Europe.

Carmen Ciciriello, Celeris

Carmen Ciciriello, CEO of Celeris Group, is an expert in innovation and development of digital services. She is an advisor to the European Commission and governments on policies, digital initiatives and the application of European standards. She has successfully managed projects in the fields of online payments, electronic invoicing, digital public procurement and Linked Open Data.

She was the director responsible for the adoption of the PEPPOL standards during the Large Scale Pilot project and managed the implementation of PEPPOL messages and network for the National Health Service in England.
Carmen has been a member of various expert groups of the European Commission, such as the EC Stakeholder Expert Group on Public Procurement, EC Payment Systems Market Expert Group, and EC Expert Group on eInvoicing.

Declan McCormack, OGP

Declan McCormack, Programme Manager, eInvoicing Ireland, Office of Government Procurement. Declan has responsibility at Principal level for the Office of Government Procurement's eInvoicing Ireland programme. The eInvoicing Ireland Programme was established to facilitate and enable public bodies comply with the requirements of the European eInvoicing Directive (2014/55/EU) and achieve benefits beyond compliance. Declan serves as Ireland's representative on the European Commission's Multi-Stakeholder Forum on eInvoicing.

Prior to his appointment he held a range of technical and senior management positions in the IT/eProcurement industry and, as a member of the National Standards Authority (NSAI), has served on the European eProcurement Standardisation task force (CEN/TC434) that was charged with drafting the eInvoicing Standard as referenced by the European eInvoicing Directive (2014/55/EU).

Edmund Gray, Nebule Software

Edmund Gray, has been involved in the IT Industry for over 30 years as a Software Developer and Team Manager. He has developed accounting and eInvoicing systems since 1990 based on many EDI standards. He is also currently part of the management team of CEN TC 434, that are delivering the CEN EN Standard for e-Invoicing.

Edmund is responsible for the Testing and Test Methodology and his group works with the Commission, CEF and ISA teams, to deliver a test bed that can be used by all implementations across the EU. He also Chairs the eProcurement Committee of the Irish National Standards Association in Ireland (NSAI) and represents Ireland as a delegate in the EU Multi-Stakeholder Forum on eInvoicing

and is Coordinator of the UN/CEFACT Supply Chain Projects. He is also advisor to both English and Irish Governments on eInvoicing as he was the Technical Advisor on the NHS England project and part of the working group setup by the Irish Office of Government Procurement to develop a high level strategic plan to implement eInvoicing.

Brian Lunney & Sean Thornton, HSE

Brian Lunney is a Chartered Certified Accountant and Head of Payment Services with the HSE, an organisation with a national remit that is responsible for processing 2.3 million invoices for paymeny annually, across a number of different systems. He has over 25 years' experience in this area and has represented the HSE on a number of national committees including eInvoicing Ireland.

Sean Thornton manages the Payment Services Specialists team with responsibility for the rollout of technical projects and initiatives. He also manages the HSE Invoice Capture Solution which automates invoice matching in a number of HSE regions. He has 18 years' experience in this area.

Laura Pavan, Maggioli

Laura Pavan is a Public eProcurement expert working with Public Companies over the past 15 years, designing and delivering several public eProcurement projects. Maggioli is involved in the design and delivery of special projects related to eProcurement, with a particular focus on integration of the platform with external systems.

Managing these projects at 360° has given Laura stong experience with designing business processes compliant with regulatory aspects and introducing new functions onto existing platforms, according to the Italian procurement legislation. Laura is also in charge of the technical analysis, compliance to technical rules defined by AGID for public companies, and the software production coordination.

Marilia Liotta, Sicillia Digitale

Marilia Liotta is a Program and Project Manager for Sicilia Digitale S.p.A, the IT company of the Region of Sicily. She has 20 years' experience in the IT industry. Marilia holds a Ph.d in Robotics at the University of Palermo and continued her works in Research and Development groups for 5 years, mostly in Artificial Intelligence and eLearning subjects.

Marilia has been working for IT companies for Public Administration, for Sicilia Region in particular, for the last 15 years, at the beginning as Project Manager and after as a coordinator of eHealth projects. In the last 5 years she has been the Coordinator of the Project Division of Sicilia Digitale S.p.A

Eoin Maguire, DCS

Eoin Maguire is Joint Managing Director of Document Centric Solutions . Eoing brings over 20 years of executive management experience and a proven track record of success in building software companies that pride themselves in innovation, customer service and delivering value to their stakeholders.

In his role of Managing Director at DCS, he has been instrumental in the drive to deliver eInvoicing and Purchase-to-Pay SAAS solutions that add real value to organisations both in the UK and Ireland