

In order to share your views and experience with other CPACE stakeholders, please reply to the questions below.
Thank you very much for your cooperation.

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The ECPC CEO

- Why the choice for CPACE?

The CPACE standard allows us to use our own card specifications / infrastructures at low cost, which, unlike other solutions, also have the advantage that we can set our own priorities. The aspects of sovereignty and cost efficiency are becoming increasingly important in this context.

- In which markets have you deployed CPACE compatible cards and/or terminals?

In the German card market, all over 100 million physical girocards are CPACE compliant. In addition, all approx. 8 million digital girocards are based on the original CPACE standard.

- What would be the next steps in the CPACE ecosystem that you would value?

Technical cooperation - as with CPACE - leads to the removal of technical hurdles in card technology. In the medium term, this could and should lead to easier mutual acceptance of payment systems.

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