



Payment innovation scenarios. A round table discussion with Sandra Alzetta (VISA) and Chris Skinner (Balatro).

**To be held on Tuesday 23rd November 2010, from 12:30-2:15pm
At Armourers' Hall, 81 Coleman Street, London, EC2R 5BT.**

*The final roundtable of the 2009/2010 Visa Europe Fellowship Programme in
Payments Innovation in Europe*

Following a fascinating series of roundtables on the payments industry in Europe – with panellists from a wide variety of organisations across the sector – the CSFI is publishing a report on Payments Innovation in Europe. To mark the publication, there is to be a final roundtable in the series to discuss the findings of the programme and the three key recommendations made in the report.

In order to bring the findings, observations and recommendations to a wide audience, I will present three scenarios for medium-term evolution in the European payments market designed to deliver a narrative covering the main issues raised in the roundtable series and then discuss them with an expert panel and attendees. The expert panel will be:

- Sandra Alzetta. Head of Innovation, New Product and Channel Development at Visa Europe and the programme sponsor.
- Ruth Wandhofer. EMEA Head of Payment Strategy & Market Policy for Citi Global Transaction Services and one of the world's leading experts on SEPA. She has just written the definitive book on the subject: "EU Payments Integration -- The Tale of SEPA, PSD and Other Milestones Along the Road".
- Chris Skinner. Principal, Balatro and a respected banking industry commentator.

Attendance is free, but space is limited. So if you or a colleague would like to attend, please let us know by e-mailing sophie@csfi.org.uk or by phoning the CSFI on +44 (20) 7493 0173 as soon as possible. As usual, wine and sandwiches will be provided.

Sincerely yours,

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