

Call for candidates to participate in the digital euro scheme Rulebook Development Group (RDG)'s workstream: “Implementation Specifications for ATMs and Payment Terminals” (G5)

The European Central Bank (ECB) is inviting experts in payments infrastructure and architecture, technical specifications, and scheme management to contribute to a RDG workstream with a focus on implementation specifications for ATMs and payment terminals. This is one of the dedicated workstreams set up by the Chair of the Rulebook Development Group to support the development of the digital euro scheme rulebook.

The main objective of Workstream G5 is to review and develop proposals for the rulebook as regards to implementation specifications specifically for ATM and payment terminals, including different communication technologies, offline digital euro integration and the reuse of existing standards. The overall workstream on implementation specifications (G) consists of different sub-workstreams (G1, G2, G3, G4 and G5), which focus on technical implementation specifications for interactions between different domains, and will all be coordinated through an overlay structure.

The deliverables will include content recommendations for the following sections of the rulebook:

- Section 4: Technical scheme requirements
- Annexes D1 and D2: Implementation specifications

The workstream will consist of market participants and Eurosystem representatives. Candidates should be proficient in English as a working language and have experience with working in multi-stakeholder groups.

The workstream will organise itself in sprints and organise regular meetings starting in April 2026. Members of the workstream are expected to participate in all meetings and actively contribute to the deliverables.

Candidates interested in joining should submit a curriculum vitae (CV) highlighting their experience in the areas mentioned above.

Candidates are also asked to include a letter of consent from their employer. A nomination letter from a member of the digital euro scheme Rulebook Development

Group is appreciated, where applicable¹. The requisite documents should be sent by email to Digitaleuro-scheme-rulebook@ecb.europa.eu by 10 April 2026.

Participants are expected to contribute in their personal capacity. However, if a participant is sponsored by a specific stakeholder association, they are also expected to collaborate with said association. This includes keeping them informed about the progress of their work and gathering feedback and input that aligns with the goals of the association.

All applications will be treated confidentially. The list of successful candidates may, however, be made public.

The ECB is an inclusive institution and we strive to reflect the diversity of the population we serve. We encourage you to apply irrespective of age, disability, ethnicity, gender, gender identity, race, religious beliefs, sexual orientation or other characteristics.

Participation in the workstream will not be remunerated. All intellectual property rights, copyright and rights to development and disposal related to the deliverables of the workstream reside exclusively with the ECB.

¹ See RDG member list:

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