

Portugal. A Leading Digital Nation

Smart Country Convention

13-15 October 2026 - Berlin

13.10.2026

- 10:00 – 11:00** **Opening with Minister Karsten Wildberger and Minister Gonalo Matias**
[Plaza Stage | Hub 27](#)
- 11:00 – 12:00** **Opening tour with Minister Karsten Wildberger and Minister Gonalo Matias**
[Hub 27](#)
- 14:15 – 14:30** **Lisbon: A Smart City**
Keynote, Vasco Anjos, Deputy Mayor of Lisbon
[Green Stage | Hall 25](#)
- 16:00 – 17:00** **Portugal. A Leading Digital Nation**
[Orange Stage | Hall 26](#)
Moderator: Minister in the Cabinet of the Prime Minister and of State Reform, Gonalo Matias
Presentation of success stories by Critical Software, Noxus, Quidgest and OutSystems
- 17:15 – 17:30** **Unicorn Factory Lisboa**
[Yellow Stage | Hall 26](#)
Keynote, Inês Pinho, Hub Operations Lead
- 18:00 – 18:15** **Opening of the Networking Night**
[Plaza Stage | Hub 27](#)
Deputy Mayor of Lisbon, Vasco Anjos, and Inês Pinho, Unicorn Factory Lisboa

14.10.2026

09:45 – 10:00

Portugal: A Strategic Hub for Technology and Innovation

[Plaza Stage | Hub 27](#)

Keynote, Secretary of State for Economy, João Rui Ferreira

10:15 – 10:30

Unicorn Factory Lisboa

[Orange Stage | Hall 26](#)

Keynote, Inês Pinho, Hub Operations Lead

14:00 – 15:00

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15:00 – 16:00

Workshop Why Portugal?

[Experience Lab | Hall 26](#)

Secretary of State for Economy, João Rui Ferreira and AICEP Executive Board Member, Philomène Dias

15:45 – 16:00

Portugal Govtech & AI

[Plaza Stage | Hub 27](#)

Keynote, Manuel Dias, CTO of State & President of ARTE

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11:15 – 11:30

Digital Identity

Keynote, André Vasconcelos, Advisor to the Board of Directors ARTE

[Red Stage | Hub 27](#)

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[Stand 309 and Stand 100a](#)

6 National Projects: AI Centre of Excellence in Public Administration, AMALIA: Artificial Intelligence in European Portuguese, Gov.pt App, Digital Business Wallet, Virtual Citizen Shop and Digital Twins for Smart Territories

Tech companies: Critical Software, Noxus, Quidgest and OutSystems