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# CONFERENCE **PROGRAMME** 2024

THE NEW RETAIL EQUATION: **GROWING IN A FAST-CHANGING WORLD** 





























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# **Tuesday 26 November**



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### **STUDIO**

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#### Expert Insights: the path to growth

- · Deals, debt and delivery: How the retail real estate market is shaping up for 2025
- Effective asset management for the new retail mix
- . Transformation of retail: How to make the most of it

#### Investor sentiment: Retail back in the spotlight?

- Will investor sentiment towards retail property catch-up with operational performance?
- . The right assets for investment
- Pricing: More movement as vendor and buyer expectations get closer

### 2.00 - 12.30

### Property Keynote



emotion the ultimate element of the new retail equation?

#### Leisure beyond frontiers: cross border expansion

Presentation of a research giving an overview of cross border leisure concepts and formats

### Leisure Keynote



#### The shopping centre as a stage

- Bringing entertainment, education and culture to malls
- Driving traffic: Attractions, activations and pop-ups
- · Measuring impact: Using data to optimise value

TEA presents

#### Leisure & highstreets: the perfect mix

- · How leisure can be a catalyst for urban regeneration and town regeneration
- · Repurposing units to add to the destination mix
- · Data, metrics and measuring the positive impact of change

### **ARENA**

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### **PITCHING STAGE**

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### **INNOVATION STAGE**

Riviera 7

# PREMIUM NETWORKING EVENTS

Verrière Grand Audi - Palais O

#### How to transform 600 sq m into a footfall magnet?

- Turn your space into a profitable and popular destination
- SpaceKart: revolutionized leisure concept for a wide target audience
- Creating differentiation while others are losing appeal

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#### Partner session

- · Recognizing tomorrow's customer needs
- Forging partnerships for retail innovation

Opportunities and challenges when expanding

Gain valuable insights into expanding in emerging

Shaping the future of retail and commercial real

• A strategic partnership offering 360° solutions for

Arte Charpentier, Mall & Market, and Atlas Capital

Investment introduce Urban & Retail Strategies-Morocco

investors, retailers and authorities.

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markets through a discussion between Ingka Centres,

a meeting place company, and New Balance, a retailer.

· Calling all future-driven companies to collaborate

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in emerging markets

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Partner session

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#### Leisure Pitch

Your chance to hear from new leisure concepts and

Hear from new Italian names and brands in retail,

Retail without border: international expansion

Mapic special retailers' selection for landlords: come and listen to retail and leisure brands set for international expansion in France, UK, Germany, Italy

pitching & networking session

looking to expand their offer to new locations.

Italian retail Pitch

Winner revealed at

and Spain.

Winner revealed at

#### Innovation Pitch

Partner session

Discover the latest innovations to increase the performance of your stores and retail destinations.

### 12.00 - 13.30

#### **Outlet Summit**

Our annual focus on the dynamic and expanding designer outlet sector.

This event brings together outlet developers, retailers and investors.

#### Innovation & Sustainability pitch

Discover the latest innovations to boost your store performance and retail destinations, and solutions to make your business more sustainable.

### Partner session

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#### The secrets to success: How towns can support new retailer entrants

- Set up and integration: Working with the town centre manager
- How the town can be a source of information on local grants and subsidies for setting up a business
- · Long-term vision: How to fit in with future major urban projects

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This session will be in French

### Retail & Urban Regeneration Summit

The must-attend event on mixed-use and retail urban regeneration projects.

This summit looks at how cities can reinvent themselves to remain attractive for retailers and how both town centres and the suburbs can be revived sustainably

This event brings together landlords, retailers, international cities and investors.

### Multi-Unit, Master Franchise & Travel Operators Summit

An exclusive networking event bringing together international franchise partners and a selection of leading retail and restaurant brands who are expanding

# **Wednesday 27 November**





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#### 09.00

#### Networking Breakfast Women in retail prope

Women in retail property sharing experience

An opportunity to network with leading female retail and real estate professionals.

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#### 10.15 - 10.45

OPENING FOOD SESSION

Cross-border development in the restaurant industry

### 10.45 - 11.15

### Food Keynote

They are doing it: brands expanding beyond borders

· Maximising opportunities: Working with investors

The development of immersive dining experiences

· How to adapt and evolve an F&B offer to provide

Financing immersive experiences: Finding the ROI.

• Five years on: How has the development of leisure

• What are the prospects for future development?

facilities in shopping centres and town centres fared?

This session will be in French



Alan Francis Honan VP Head of International Developmer Wingstop

to capture their skills

attract investors

12.15 - 12.45

Investors powering restaurant growth

· How cross border F&B operators should

• Setting trends, influencing the next wave

Evolution or Innovation: How to keep your

· How to select adapted locations for leisure?

· Gen Z: Hear from these influential consumers

• Great expectations: How to appeal to youthful

· Discuss the future of destinations and stores with

· Differentiation in a crowded market

truly immersive experiences

Talking about my generation

on their top priorities

next gen shoppers

in creative formats

of F&B operators

leisure offer fresh

15.30 - 16.00

consumers



Arnaud Van Coppenolle Senior Director, International Development Krispy Kreme

#### 1.30 - 12.00

achieving ROI

#### Retail without frontiers

extensions and repurposing

- How to make international retail expansion work across multiple regions
- Adjusting to global consumers while maintaining the brand DNA

Better than new: Bringing locations back to life

· Understanding the economics of redevelopment and

• The social, commercial and long term regeneration

benefits of improving and refocusing destinations

· Learn from the latest transformations about

 Finding the right location, format and footprint in each market

### 4.00 - 14.30

### Retail Keynote



Didier Roche
Co-founder
Dans le Noir

#### 15.00 - 15.30

# Putting the community at the heart of a project's success

- How developers and landlords are reframing regeneration for the community
- Embracing local input to create relevant and long-term destinations
- Building relationships to give communities a sense of ownership and place

#### 16.00 - 16.30

#### A new road for high-street and city centre retail

- How retail is helping transform Europe's high streets and urban centres
- Why town centres are a vital part of the new retail equation
- The right high street mix: Leisure, retail, services and innovation

#### 17.00 - 18.30

#### **Italy Forum**

Hear more on one of Europe's most dynamic retail and real estate markets in our annual multi-panel session

#### 11.00 - 12.00

#### Leisure Pitch

Your chance to hear from new leisure concepts and formats.

**PITCHING STAGE** 

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# Retail without border: international expansion pitching & networking session

Mapic special retailers' selection for landlords: come and listen to retail and leisure brands set for international expansion in France, UK, Germany, Italy and Spain.

Winner revealed at 🗸

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# Retail without border: international expansion pitching & networking session - Food & Beverage

Mapic special F&B retailers' selection for landlords: come and listen to retail and leisure brands set for international expansion in France, UK, Germany, Italy and Spain.

Winner revealed at

#### 17.00 - 17.30

### Mapic Academy Finalists Pitch

Your chance to hear from the finalists amid our many MAPIC pitch sessions.

### **INNOVATION STAGE**

Riviera 7

• A new tool to engage with tenants and consumers

 Making Al add up: Optimising physical retail efficiency with Al
 Tailor-made futures: Communication and personalisation

#### ECSP Retail & Leasing Group Annual Meeting

This meeting and work-group of pan-European retailers and leasing organisations will discuss current market topics, creating recommendations and proposals for common solutions and networking.

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This event is organised by ECSP and supported by MAPIC

#### 10.30 - 12.30

#### French Summit

This special summit will focus on the French retail and real estate market and provides a unique opportunity to learn from and network with the leading players.

This session will be in French

Workshop: Al, new business challenges

elements of retail real estate.

Join an interactive workshop which offers insights

into how AI will influence the legal and contractual

#### 4.00 - 14.30

Partner session

Retail property and low-carbon: BBCA standards unveiled for new-build, renovation and operational buildings

Organised by BBCA

Organised by Sierra

Retail and property AI:

Optimise, personalise, communicate

This session will be in French

#### 15.00 - 15.30

#### Turning stores into media platforms

- What the new generation of retail media networks mean for stores and malls
- Data capture and technology mark a step-change for retail media
- Blended earnings: As stores become media platforms, what it means for performance

### Leisure Summit

Get insights on the latest trends in leisure, discover new leisure concepts and key projects integrating leisure in lifestyle destinations and network with a targeted audience.

This event brings together leisure operators, landlords, cities and retailers.

#### 16.00 - 17.00

### Innovation Pitch

Discover the latest innovations to increase the performance of your stores and retail destinations



# The new retail equation: Growing in a fast-changing world

Retail, real estate, leisure and hospitality are at a crossroads, Technology now plays a crucial role in the equation. There is with the need for constant evolution in a rapidly changing world. learning how to fast-track adaptation and agility as the industry's players work out 'The new retail equation'.

At the centre of this are customer expectations, a key element of the equation. People need a sense of place, social interaction and experience. As a result, not only are new projects by necessity mixed and blended, so too are the store themselves, which have become multipurpose and versatile (test, sale, repair, second hand, immersive), building loyalty in new ways.

This new mixed use will also support the growth and regeneration of towns and cities and meet the needs of communities, contributing to the local economy, while leisure is another crucial part of the equation, adding to a blend that must become more than the sum of its parts. Through these next generation schemes, retail is building new links between customers and citizens, strengthening bonds and creating deeper connections for destinations and

absolutely no doubt that a profound and far-reaching revolution has already begun with the breakthrough in artificial intelligence (AI) advances and the race to rapidly adopt this game-changing technology. It is up to us to decide how to harness and use this opportunity to drive efficiencies in every aspect of business.

Finally, sustainability is no longer an option. Companies are facing both tough new legislation and expectant customers, while also looking at how they can embrace the opportunities to attract future-proofed capital investment. The objectives and timeframe are clear and many companies have pledged to measurable ESG

MAPIC 2024 will embrace these important topics to support all the market players in finding the right equation to grow.

MAPIC: Your formula for success.

# MAPIC KEY TOPICS



### **SUSTAINABILITY**

Retailers, developers, investors and new players must all embed sustainability in their business growth plans. Next generation retail is about putting people and the planet first, employing innovation and technology to change the world.



## **LEISURE**

Leisure is all about authentic experiences and interaction. The programme will reflect the growing popularity and diversification of the leisure sector. It will show how leisure is bringing human connection to the brand experience.



### **RETAIL PROPERTY ASSETS**

The retail property sector has played a crucial role in making cities better places to live and the new wave of mixed-use projects are putting convenience, sustainability and community at their heart, while regenerating neighbourhoods and



The rapidly expanding restaurant industry plays a key role in customer experience, creating spaces and places where people can connect and both an industry which has embraced technology yet embodies the human touch.



# **NEW RETAIL**

A new generation of retailers has emerged, clear about their differentiation, value and values to appeal to an increasingly ethical consumer. With the borders between physical and digital retail, leisure and hospitality blurring, how will new concepts shape the consumer experience?



## **INNOVATION**

MAPIC is focused on innovations that help the industry better understand and serve customers. Key to this is the integration of AI, which is impacting every aspect of retail, from supply chains to the in-store experience.



