

The CNMC will host the 2023 annual meeting of the International Competition Network (ICN) in Barcelona

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- The president of the German competition authority, Andreas Mundt, made the announcement in Berlin.

Madrid, May 6, 2022.- The CNMC has been selected to organize the next annual meeting of the [International Competition Network \(ICN\)](#). The event will take place at the Commission's headquarters in Barcelona and will be held in October 2023.

The announcement was made by the president of the German competition authority ([Bundeskartellamt](#)), Andreas Mundt, and the president of the CNMC, Cani Fernández, at the closing of the [2022 Annual Conference](#), which was held in Berlin between 4 and 6 May.

The president of the CNMC has expressed her pride and sense of responsibility for the decision made today by the ICN of having Barcelona host the next meeting of competition authorities in October 2023.

In Cani Fernández's words, hosting this summit in Spain will contribute to *“highlighting the work of the CNMC on the international scene and continuing our cooperation with other authorities with whom we face the same global challenges”*.

The ICN Annual Conference is one of the most outstanding initiatives of the organization, as it constitutes the core of the ICN's activity. For several days, representatives of authorities from all around the world will meet to discuss and set the direction of the network through conferences, round tables and the analysis of case studies.

The [International Competition Network](#) is made up of 140 competition agencies from 130 jurisdictions. In addition, it provides a forum where competition agencies can share experiences and maintain regular contact to address theoretical and practical competition policy issues.

[Watch the video of the announcement of Barcelona as the host city for the 2023 Annual Conference.](#)