

10 Years of BIM World MUNICH: Anniversary Edition on 24 and 25 November 2026 at ICM – International Congress Center Messe München

Munich, 10 August 2026. In 2026, BIM World MUNICH celebrates its tenth anniversary, looking back on an impressive evolution into the leading international platform for digital innovation in the construction, real estate, and facility management industries. With over 200 exhibitors, around 8,500 trade visitors, a top-tier conference program, and numerous networking opportunities, the event has established itself as the central meeting point for experts, companies, public institutions, and technology leaders actively shaping the digital transformation of the built environment. A key part of the program is the series of presentations by Executive Partners such as ACCA Software, Autodesk, Bentley, buildingSMART Deutschland, Gstarsoft, Mo|u|Se, Nemetschek Group, NOVA Building IT, Trimble, and Würth, who will share their perspectives on current industry topics.

BIM World MUNICH makes clear that a sustainable, efficient, and future-ready construction industry is only possible if Building Information Modeling (BIM) is established as a consistent standard across disciplines involved in construction and subsequent operation. BIM is understood as a collaborative approach to managing and linking essential information throughout the entire lifecycle of a building — from planning through construction to operation.

Expertise, industry developments, and best practices across seven stages

The three congress stages will showcase international flagship projects and best-practice examples. The program is complemented by expert panels on specific topics, including BIM4Circular, BIM4FM, BIM4RealEstate, BIM4Machines, and BIM4Infrastructure. A particular highlight will again be the presentations by the Executive Partners, who will share their perspectives on standardization, efficiency, and sustainability in the construction and real estate industries.

While the breakout sessions primarily present practical use cases and innovative product solutions from the digital construction and real estate sector, the CAFM World Breakout Session on 25 November 2026 will be devoted entirely to critical infrastructure (KRITIS). In cooperation with the Verband für Sicherheitstechnik (Association for Security Technology), visitors can look forward to a dedicated program of presentations centered on the security, resilience, and protection of digitally networked buildings and infrastructure, as well as current challenges and requirements in the KRITIS environment.

Start-ups in the spotlight

For years, BIM World MUNICH has offered innovative start-ups an established platform to present their technologies, products, and business models to an international trade audience. In the BIM Town Innovation Area, young companies present their solutions for the digital transformation of the construction, real estate, and facility management industries and forge valuable connections with potential customers, partners, and investors.

A special highlight is once again the Smart Building / Smart Construction Innovation World Cup®, in which selected start-ups present their innovations to a high-caliber jury. The grand final, followed by the awards ceremony, will take place on 25 November 2026 on the Main Stage, bringing the industry's

most promising innovations before an international audience of experts, investors, and decision-makers.

CAFM World: Digital innovation for facility management and building operations

This year, CAFM World once again expands the thematic scope of BIM World MUNICH as a satellite event. Due to growing demand from companies, the exhibition space of CAFM World has been expanded for 2026.

Together with gefma – Deutscher Verband für Facility Management e.V. and CAFM RING e.V., CAFM World puts the spotlight on digital facility management and building operations. The focus is on modern technologies such as CAFM solutions, Building Operating Systems (BOS), and AI-based applications that help make buildings more efficient, sustainable, resilient, and economical throughout their entire lifecycle.

Partner country: Poland

This year, Poland is the official partner country of BIM World MUNICH. With its dynamic construction and technology sector and numerous pioneering digitalization projects, Poland brings valuable momentum to the European BIM and smart building community. Through the early adoption of international BIM standards, a focus on Open BIM, and close collaboration between policymakers, research institutions, and industry, the country is driving forward innovation in planning, construction, and building operations. Visitors to BIM World MUNICH will be able to gain exciting insights into Polish best-practice projects, technologies, and future trends on site.

Political advocacy, dialogue, and industry representation

BIM World MUNICH is the central platform for exchange between industry, politics, and associations. It serves as a forum for discussing political issues, exchanging views on regulatory frameworks, and developing supportive policy measures for digitalization and sustainable construction at the regional, national, and international levels. In doing so, BIM World MUNICH makes a significant contribution toward a more sustainable and environmentally conscious construction industry.

Christian Stammel, Managing Director of RM Rudolf Müller Events GmbH and founder of BIM World MUNICH: "With the 10th BIM World MUNICH, we are celebrating not only a special anniversary in 2026, but also ten years of innovative strength and digital transformation in the construction, real estate, and facility management industries. The challenges surrounding digitalization, artificial intelligence, digital twins, sustainability, and resilient infrastructure call for interdisciplinary exchange now more than ever. BIM World MUNICH brings together exactly the players who are actively shaping the future of the built environment — from planning to realization to intelligent operation."

About BIM World MUNICH

Since 2016, BIM World MUNICH has been the international platform for all players in the digitalization of the construction, real estate, and facility management industries. The annual event in Munich consists of a two-day international congress on three stages and a trade fair with three integrated open forums, as well as the BIM Town Innovation Area with pitch sessions

and the presentation of the Smart Building/Smart Construction Innovation World Cup® Award, plus the CAFM World section. With over 8,500 key industry players, numerous innovative start-ups, and more than 250 speakers, BIM World MUNICH brings together the entire BIM ecosystem and is THE meeting point for all industry stakeholders. The 10th BIM World MUNICH will take place on 24 and 25 November 2026 at ICM – International Congress Center Messe München.

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