

solarisBank's Mari Hermanns named 30 under 30 Europe by Forbes

The Head of Business Intelligence of the Berlin-based Banking Platform is recognized as being at the forefront of European financial experts.

Mari Hermanns (Head of Business Intelligence) of solarisBank AG has been featured in *Forbes'* second annual **“30 Under 30 Europe”**. The list features 300 young innovators, entrepreneurs and leaders across Europe who are under 30 years of age and who are transforming business, technology, finance, media, culture and more, as judged by some of the most accomplished and acclaimed individuals in each category.

The criteria for honorees making the list included leadership and disruption in their field; entrepreneurial mindset and results; and the likelihood of changing their field over the next half-century.



Hermanns heads business intelligence at solarisBank, where she oversees the development of an automated banking platform that relies on data analytics and actionable intelligence. Prior to solarisBank, she has gathered fintech experience at payleven and worked as a senior consultant for PwC. Hermanns graduated from Stockholm School of Economics and Maastricht University.

"We are excited and honored that such a renowned jury of experienced VCs and managers recognizes the potential of our team and product. The future of banking can only be shaped by working with top talents. We're lucky to have talents like Mari at solarisBank."

— Marko Wenthin, Co-Founder and Board Member of solarisBank.

"This award is won by the entire team - the average age at solarisBank is just over 30 years. I see our core strength in bringing together the perfect mix of banking experts and young finance and tech talents to build the first banking platform for finance pioneers", says Mari Hermanns, Head of Business Intelligence solarisBank.

The complete list is online at www.forbes.com/30-under-30-europe-2017/finance/

About solarisBank AG

About solarisBank solarisBank considers itself a technology company with a German banking license, aiming to empower pioneers in finance. The solarisBank platform offers API-accessible banking services enabling digital companies to create custom solutions for their unique financial and business needs. solarisBank is currently live and serving partners in six European countries including Germany, the Netherlands, Austria, the United Kingdom, Belgium and Greece. solarisBank is led by board members Marko Wenthin and Andreas Bittner as well as CTO Peter Grosskopf and CPO Daniel Keller, combining experience from the tech sector and the banking world. www.solarisbank.de

About Forbes' Under 30

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Die solarisBank ist die erste Banking Plattform mit Vollbanklizenz, die Unternehmen ermöglicht, eigene Finanzprodukte anzubieten. Partner der solarisBank können per API-Anbindung an die Plattform nicht nur die solarisBank-Module im Bereich E-Geld, Sofortkredit und *Digital Banking* sondern auch Services von auf der Plattform integrierten Drittanbietern beziehen. Dadurch kreiert die solarisBank ein technologisch hochentwickeltes und regulatorisch einwandfreies Banking-Ökosystem für Fintechs, etablierte Digitalunternehmen und auch Banken.

Das Unternehmen wurde 2016 mit Sitz in Berlin gegründet und ist neben Deutschland in fünf weiteren EU-Ländern aktiv. Geführt wird das Unternehmen von den Vorständen Marko Wenthin und Andreas Bittner sowie CTO Peter Grosskopf und CPO Daniel Keller.

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