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FIME boosts biometrics services with FIDO Alliance accreditation

January 30, 2020 – FIME has been accredited to test biometric components in line with [FIDO Alliance's Biometric Component Certification Program](#). The accreditation enables device manufacturers and solution providers to ensure the quality and performance of biometric authentication solutions including fingerprint, facial, voice, and iris recognition.



“In an age dominated by cumbersome passwords, biometric authentication delivers stronger security while improving UX. And in a post-PSD2 world, it’s a compelling option for the payments world to meet new Strong Customer Authentication (SCA) requirements,” comments Stephanie El Rhomri, Vice President of Services at FIME.

FIME offers a broad portfolio of biometrics services including consultancy, customized test strategy development, and expertise on use of biometric ISO standards. “Expanding our existing biometric offering is an important strategic move for us. FIDO Alliance is leading biometric authentication standardization efforts and we’re proud to be sharing our support and expertise that we are developing with insights from two research projects to help advance its success” continues El Rhomri.

“The Biometric Component Certification Program is the first of its kind in the industry, enhancing the security, interoperability and usability of biometric authentication methods,” Dr. Rae Hayward, certification director, FIDO Alliance said. “Support from testing experts such as FIME is invaluable to the continued success and adoption of our standards and, in turn, moving us closer to our goal of removing reliance on server-side passwords to authenticate users.”



To find out more about FIME's [biometrics services](#) visit the website, or contact your [local FIME office](#).

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About FIME

FIME is a leader in secure transaction testing. With more than 20 years of experience, it enables its customers to bring user friendly, reliable and secure solutions to the payment and transport markets.

FIME's global reach combines with expert teams to give customers the tailored **consultancy**, solution engineering, automated test platforms and certification services they need throughout every stage of digital transformation projects.

Its experts collaborate with the entire ecosystem - from the payment networks and industry bodies, right through to vendors - enabling its customers to understand and overcome their technical and commercial challenges.

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