

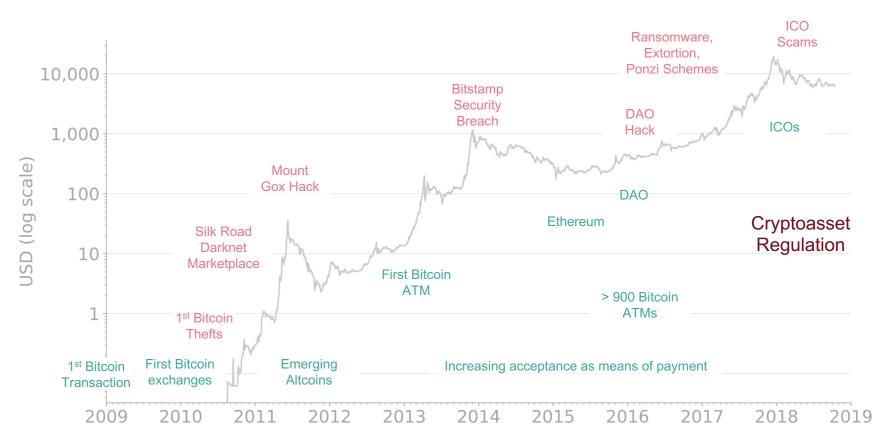




SYMPOSIUM ON POST-BITCOIN CRYPTOCURRENCIES



## A DECADE OF CRYPTOCURRENCIES





#### CRYPTOCURRENCY RESEARCH



#### **EU H2020 TITANIUM**

Legal, Societal, Ethical Aspects Tool and Service Ecosystem





Cryptocurrency Forensics Cross-ledger Analytics Mixing-Service Detection

Information Sharing



2017

graphsense.info

Post-Bitcoin Cryptocurrencies (Distributed)
Darknet Markets

2020

Cryptocurrency
Analytics Platform

VIRTCRIME







# BITCOIN | OBSERVATIONS

**Anonymity** 

**Global Micropayments** 

**Decentralization** 

Early Promises and Expectations



**Trackable Payments** 

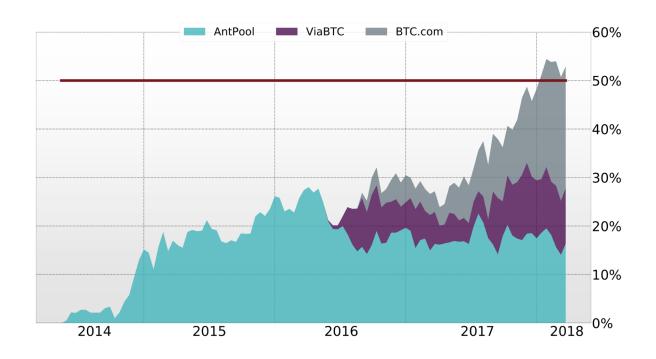
Scalability Issues

De-facto centralization

Status Quo



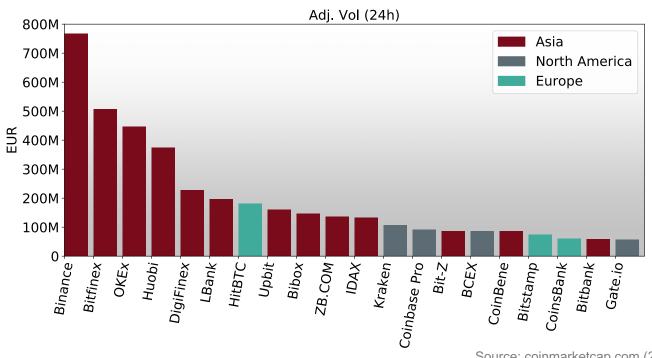
# BITCOIN | MINER CENTRALIZATION



Source: forthcoming paper (2018-10-15)



## **BITCOIN | EXCHANGE CENTRALIZATION**



Source: coinmarketcap.com (2018-10-15)



# BITCOIN | REASONS FOR OWNERSHIP

Main reason for owning Bitcoin	2016 Overall	2017 Overall
It is an investment	12%	58%
My friends own Bitcoin	-	12%
I am interested in new technologies	29%	8%
I use it to buy goods and services in physical stores	14%	1%
I use it to make remittances or other international payments	11%	0%
Other reasons (see report for further details)	34%	21%



### THE POST-BITCOIN ERA









# **AGENDA**

09:15 - 09:30	Welcome and Introduction Dr. Bernhard Haslhofer	12:00 - 13:00	Lunch Break
	AIT Austrian Institute of Technology	13:00 - 13:30	Cryptocurrencies & Counterterrorism: Cooperative Solutions for Law
09:30 - 10:00	The Post-Bitcoin Era:		Enforcement Agencies
	Cryptocurrencies are Here to Stay		Prof. Dr. Daniel G. Arce
	Prof. Dr. Rainer Böhme		University of Texas at Dallas
	University of Innsbruck		
		13:30 - 14:00	Chances and Risks of Cryptocurrencies'
10:00 - 10:30	De-Anonymization in Bitcoin and Beyond		Transparency – A Legal Perspective
	Prof. Sarah Meiklejohn, PhD		Dr. Paulina Jo Pesch
	University College London		KIT Karlsruhe
10:30 - 11:00	Coffee Break	14:00 - 14:30	Regulating Real Cryptocurrency Ecosystem Prof. Ross J. Anderson FRS FREng
11:00 - 11:30	Towards Better Privacy with Monero		Cambridge University
	Malte Möser, MSc		
	Princeton University	14:30 - 15:00	Wrap up, Outlook and Closing
			Dr. Bernhard Haslhofer
11:30 - 12:00	Tracking Payment Flows in Ethereum		AIT Austrian Institute of Technology
	Michael Fröwis, MSc		
	University of Innsbruck	15:00 - 16:00	Coffee / Open Discussions