The 7th Black Sea Cyber Security Conference – 20 - 22 June 2023

Securing the Seas: Exploring the Dynamics of Cybersecurity in Maritime Environments

PROGRAM

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Day 1 – 20 June 2023

EEST Time	Day 1 (20 June 2023) – Summer School and Conference Joint Opening Session
08:00 09:00	Registration of the participants and networking coffee break
09:00 09:50	Opening Remarks (Host - Nicu Iancu, MARCYSCOE Vice President) • CMU - Panait Cornel, President of Senate of CMU, President of Advisory Board, MARCYSCOE • CMU - Gabriel Raicu, Vice Rector of CMU, The Director, MARCYSCOE • DNSC - Manuela Catrina - Deputy Director, National Cyber Security Directorate • EU Council - Liliana Musetan - Head of Unit at Council of the European Union • ROU MoD - Horatiu Garban - ROU MoD Cyber Defence Command • ESDC - Evangelos Englezakis – Training Manager, European Security and Defence College
Panels	The 7 th Black Sea Cyber Security Conference Securing the Seas: Exploring the Dynamics of Cybersecurity in Maritime Environments
EEST Time	Panel 1. Cyber Politics, Energy Security, and the Future of Digital Sovereignty in the Black Sea Region and Beyond
09:50 11:20	 CHAIR: Evangelos Englezakis - Training Manager, European Security and Defence College PANELISTS: Arnold Dupuy – Naval Postgraduate School, Atlantic Council in Turkey, Virginia Polytechnic Institute and State University EU Council - Liliana Musetan - Head of Unit at Council of the European Union Manuela Catrina - Deputy Director of the National Cyber Security Directorate
11:20 11:30	Coffee Break
EEST Time	Panel 2. Artificial Intelligence in Cyber Security: Opportunities and Risks
11:30 13:00	 CHAIR: Daniel Dumitrescu, CIO, InnovX PANELISTS: Bogdan Stefan, Managing Director Information Technology, EximBank Radu Stanescu, European Cybersecurity Competence Centre Governing Board Alternate Representative Mickael Leal, CEO, AllPriv

	Vladimir Ghita, CEO Fort
	Bogdan Moldovan, CEU, Axigen Messaging
	Liviu Arsene, Director of Threat Research and Reporting at CrowdStrike
13:00 13:45	Lunch Break
EEST	Panel 3. Navigating Legal and Ethical Considerations in the Era of Growing Digitalization
Time	and Cyber Security
13:45 15:15	 CHAIR: Vasile T. Draghici, Ovidius University, Constanta, Chief Compliance and Ethics Officer, MARCYSCOE PANELISTS: Radu Hanzu, Vice Rector of Constanta Maritime University Remus Jurj, Chief Cybercrime Officer, MARCYSCOE Stanislav Copetchi, Secretary of State, Republic of Moldova Sadac Zafer, Prosecutor Office, Constanta, Romania Pavlo Krainii, Faculty of Law, Yuriy Fedkovych Chernivtsi National University, Ukraine Ivan Toronchuck, Faculty of Law, Yuriy Fedkovych Chernivtsi and National University, Ukraine Pavel Klima, Metropolitan University of Prague, Czech Republic Mariana Mitra Nita, Ovidius University, Constanta
15:15 15:30	Coffee Break
EEST Time	Guest Lecture Series
15:30 16:15	Romanian National Quantum Communication Infrastructure, Project Presentation Pantelimon George Popescu, Polytechnics University Bucharest, RoNaQCI Consortium, EuroQCI
16:15 16:25	Coffee Break
16:25 17:10	CYMAROP – Cyber Maritime Cyber Operation Center – project presentation Gabriel Raicu, Vice Rector of CMU, The Director of MARCYSCOE, Daniel Ionita, Chief Cyber Security Services Officer, MARCYSCOE, CEO CYMED

Day 2 – 21 June 2023

Panels	The 7th Black Sea Cyber Security Conference Securing the Seas: Exploring the Dynamics of Cybersecurity in Maritime Environments
EEST Time	Panel 4. Cyber Security Cooperation in Democracies: A Comprehensive European Approach for Addressing Shared Challenges
09:00 10:30	 CHAIR: John McCarthy – Oxford Systems/Bucks New University PANELISTS: Claudine Korall, Directrice générale, Institut de Formation d'Intelligence Interculturelle - IFDII, Paris, France Florin Popescu, National Defense University "Carol I", Expert DG CONNECT, TBC Eleni Kapsokoli, University of Piraeus, School of Economics, Business & International Studies Alexandru Georgescu, ICI Bucharest
10:30 10:40	Coffee Break
EEST Time	Panel 5. The European and Euro-Atlantic Cyber-Policy Landscape: Trends and Implications
10:40 12:10	 CHAIR: Daniel Ionita, Chief Cyber Security Services Officer, MARCYSCOE, CEO CYMED, Former Head of Horizontal Working Party on Cyber Issues (Cyber) PANELISTS: Tal Pavel, CEO, The Institute for Cyber Policy Studies, Israel Andrew Liaropoulos, University of Piraeus, School of Economics, Business & International Studies Liviu Mihai Danila, Vice President of ARECS, Chief Community Officer, MARCYSCOE Cerasela Baiculescu, Country Leader, IBM Romania and Moldova
12:10 12:20	Coffee Break
EEST Time	Panel 6. Securing Maritime Environments with Blockchain and IoT Technologies
12:20 13:50	 CHAIR: Stefania Nita, ITC & Military Technical Academy "Ferdinand I" PANELISTS: Silviu Pufan, Senior Systems Engineer at Fortinet, Romania Manuel Manolache, MARCYSCOE, DevOps - organism.ro Marius Iulian Mihailescu, USH Bucharest
13:50 14:35	Lunch Break
EEST Time	Panel 7. EU and US Cyber Security Trends: Challenges and Prospects in a Rapidly Evolving Landscape
14:35 16:05	 CHAIR: Mircea Scheau, I2DS2, Advisory Board, MARCYSCOE PANELISTS: Linda Strick - Position Managing Director CSA EMEA A.J. Nash, VP of Intelligence, USA Salvatore Moccia - Eit Digital Marius Rosu, CMU Maritime Research Expert, Romania

16:05 16:30	Coffee Break
EEST Time	Guest Lecture Series - Maritime cybersecurity policy
16:30 17:15	Thomas-Durell Young, Cert., Ph.D., Dipl. Institute for Security Governance Defense Security Cooperation Agency Naval Postgraduate School

Day 3 – 22 June 2023

Panels	The 7 th Black Sea Cyber Security Conference Securing the Seas: Exploring the Dynamics of Cyber Security in Maritime Environments
EEST Time	Panel 8. Building Cyber Society Resilience: Strategies, Best Practices and Empowerment
09:00 10:30	 CHAIR: Horatius Garban, ROU MoD Cyber Defence Command, Advisory Board, MARCYSCOE PANELISTS: Gabriela Matei, Euro-Atlantic Resilience Center, E-ARC Maria Constantinescu, Regional Department of Defense Resources Management Studies - DRESMARA Felix Staicu, CEO Cyber Dacians, President of CYSCOE Dragoş Cernat, Security Operations Center Director, Enevo CyberSec Alexandru Suditu, Enevo CyberSec Alexandru Anghelus, CEO Prodefence
10:30 10:40	Coffee Break
EEST Time	Panel 9. Securing Global Maritime Supply Chains Against Cyber Threats
10:40 12:10	 CHAIR: Sorin Learschi, Director Maritime Security Forum PANELISTS: Remus Zagan, Chief Research and Innovation Officer MARCYSCOE, Vice President of Senate, CMU Ion Custura, Deputy Director, Maritime Security Forum Mircea Stoian, National Cyber Security Directorate Adrian Sbarcea, General Inspectorate of the Border Police
12:10 12:20	Coffee Break
EEST Time	Panel 10. Emerging Cyber Security Threats and Challenges
12:20 13:50	CHAIR: Horatiu Moga, MARCYSCOE PANELISTS: • Shota Gvineria, Ambassador, Baltic Defence College, Tartu, Estonia • Simona Dinu, Constanta Maritime University • Cristina Dragomir, Constanta Maritime University • Anca Modreanu, Regional Account Manager, Fortinet • Alexandru Georgescu, ICI Bucharest
13:50 14:35	Lunch Break
EEST Time	Panel 11. The Role of Education in Promoting Maritime Cybersecurity Resilience: Current Initiatives and Future Directions
14:35 16:05	CHAIR: Nicu Iancu, Vice President, MARCYSCOE, I2DS2 PANELISTS: • Iryna Savelieva, Vice-Rector, Scientific Research and Education, Odessa National Maritime University • Ozcan Arslan, Dean, Istanbul Technical University

	 Gabriel Raicu, Director of MARCYSCOE, Vice-Rector for Innovation and Research, Constanta Maritime University Veselina Spasova, Nikola Vaptsarov Naval Academy
16:05 16:15	Coffee Break
EEST Time	Guest Lecture Series - Maritime cybersecurity policy
16:15 17:00	Networking & Cyber Knowledge Sharing Hub
EEST Time	Guest Lecture Series – Global cybersecurity issues
17:00 17:45	Nicholas Andersen, CSFI Advisory Director, Principal Deputy Assistant Secretary Office of Cybersecurity, Energy Security, and Emergency Response at U.S. Department of Energy (DOE), Former Federal Cybersecurity Lead and Senior Cybersecurity Advisor for the Executive Office of the President, The White House
17:45 18:15	Closing Remarks