



2020 Chairmanship OSCE-Wide Cyber/ICT Security Conference
“Fostering Co-operation for a Stable Cyber/ICT Environment”
7-8 September 2020
Vienna, Hofburg (Neuersaal)

DETAILED AGENDA

<u>MONDAY, 7 September 2020</u>	
11:00 – 11:20	<p>High-level opening session</p> <p>Chair: Ambassador Igli Hasani, Chairperson of the OSCE Permanent Council, Permanent Representative of Albania to the OSCE, 2020 OSCE Albanian Chairmanship</p> <p>Keynote speakers:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• H.E. Mr. Agron Tare, Deputy Minister for Europe and Foreign Affairs, Republic of Albania• H.E. Mr. Péter Sztáray, Minister of State for Security Policy, Hungary
11:20 – 12:30	<p>Session 2: Global cooperation on cyber issues from the perspective of different stakeholders</p> <p>Moderator: Ms. Kerstin Vignard, Head of the UNIDIR support team to General Assembly processes pursuant to resolutions 73/27 and 73/266</p> <p>Speakers:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Mr. Christopher Painter, President of the Foundation Board, Global Forum on Cyber Expertise• Ms. Nayia Barmaliou, Head of Public Policy and Initiatives, Centre for Cybersecurity, World Economic Forum• Ms. Joyce Hakmeh, Senior Research Fellow, International Security Programme, Chatham House
12:30 – 12:40	<p>Overview on the activities of the OSCE Secretariat in the field of cyber/ICT security</p> <p>Speaker:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Ambassador Alena Kupchyna, Co-ordinator Of Activities To Address Transnational Threats, OSCE Secretariat

12:40 – 14:00	Lunch break	
14:00 – 15:15	<p>Session 3: Government views on cooperation on cyber/ICT security</p> <p>Moderator: Ms. Elisabeth Kögler, Deputy Director, Department for Security Issues, Federal Ministry for European and International Affairs, the Republic of Austria</p> <p>Speakers:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Ms. Michele G. Markoff, Deputy Coordinator for Cyber Issues, United States Department of State • Mr. Andrei Krutskikh, Special representative of the President of the Russian Federation on International Cooperation in Information Security, Director of the Department of International Information Security, Ministry of Foreign Affairs of the Russian Federation • Ms. Kathryn Jones, Head of International Cyber Governance, Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Office, United Kingdom • Ambassador Joanneke Balfort, Head of the Security and Defence Policy Directorate, European External Action Service 	
	Session 4: Update by selected OSCE CBM “Adopters”	
	15:15 – 16:00	<p>CBM15: Building and using a severity scale – national experiences and best practices (organized by France)</p> <p>Moderator: Mr. Marc-Antoine Brillant, Deputy Director for Strategy, National Cybersecurity Agency of France (ANSSI)</p> <p>Speakers:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Mr. Steven M. Kelly, Chief of Cyber Policy, Federal Bureau of Investigation, United States • Mr. Mark Bristow, Branch Chief, Cyber Defense Coordination, Cybersecurity and Infrastructure Security Agency (CISA), Department of Homeland Security, United States • Mr. Manuel Suter, Coordinator, National Cybersecurity Strategy, General Secretariat, Federal Department of Finance, Switzerland • Mr. Alberto Francoso Figueredo, Head of Section of the Oficina de Coordinacion de Ciberseguridad (OCC), Spain
	16:00 – 16:45	<p>CBM5: Exercise in a Box – building cyber capacity through scenario based exercises (organized by the United Kingdom)</p>
	16:45 – 17:30	<p>CBM9: List of cyber security terminologies (organized by Serbia)</p> <p>Speaker:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Ms Marija Popovic, Senior Advisor, Sector for Information Society and Information Security, Ministry of Trade, Tourism and Telecommunications of the Republic of Serbia

17:30 – 18:15	<p>Side event organized by France on “applying the Charter of Paris for an open, secure and unique free cyberspace”</p> <p>Moderator: Mr. Henri Verdier, Ambassador of France for Digital Affairs</p> <p>Speaker: Mr. Stéphane Duguin, Director of the Cyberpeace Institute</p>
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TUESDAY, 8 September 2020

11:30 – 12:45	<p>Session 5: Expanding co-operation – how Partner States can participate in OSCE cyber efforts, in particular CBMs</p> <p>Moderator: Ambassador Károly Dán, Chair of the OSCE Informal Working Group established by PC Decision 1039; Permanent Representative of Hungary to the OSCE, the UN and other International Organizations</p> <p>Speakers:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Ambassador Ulrika Funered, Permanent Representative of Sweden to the OSCE, Chair of the Mediterranean Partners for Co-operation Group • Ambassador Radomír Boháč, Permanent Representative of the Slovak Republic to the OSCE, Chair of the Asian Partners for Co-operation Group • Ambassador Jongin Bae, Ambassador for International Security Affairs and Special Advisor to the Minister, Ministry of Foreign Affairs, Republic of Korea • Mr. Iddo Moed, Director, Cyber Security Department, Ministry of Foreign Affairs, Israel • Ms. Johanna Weaver, Special Adviser to Australia’s Ambassador for Cyber Affairs, Department of Foreign Affairs and Trade, Australia • Representative from the Arab Republic of Egypt (tbc)
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14:15 - 15:45	<p>Session 6: Update on the UN Working Groups from the perspective of the Chairs and non-governmental representatives</p> <p>Moderator: Ambassador Károly Dán, Chair of the OSCE Informal Working Group established by PC Decision 1039; Permanent Representative of Hungary to the OSCE, the UN and other International Organizations</p> <p>Speakers:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Ambassador Guilherme de Aguiar Patriota, Chair of the UN Group of Governmental Experts on Advancing responsible State behaviour in cyberspace in the context of international security • Ambassador Jürg Lauber, Chair of the UN Open-Ended Working Group on Developments in the field of information and telecommunications in the context of international security
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	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Mr. Gaurav Keerthi, Deputy Chief Executive, Cyber Security Agency of Singapore, Representative of the Chair of the Open-ended Working Group informal intersessional consultative meeting • Ms. Allison Pytlak, Disarmament Programme Manager, Reaching Critical Will and the Women's International League for Peace and Freedom
15:45 – 16:15	Coffee Break
16:15 - 17:30	<p>Session 7: Women and Cyber (organized in cooperation with Canada)</p> <p><u>Moderator:</u> Ms. Szilvia Toth, Cyber Security Officer, Transnational Threats Department, OSCE</p> <p><u>Speakers:</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Ms. Allison Pytlak, Disarmament Programme Manager, Reaching Critical Will and the Women's International League for Peace and Freedom • Ms. Sarah Shoker, SSHRC Postdoctoral Fellow, University of Waterloo • Ms. Deborah Brown, Senior researcher and advocate on digital rights, Human Rights Watch • Ms. Sirine Hijal, Deputy Cyber Foreign Policy Coordinator, Global Affairs Canada • Ms. Elisabeth Kögler, Deputy Director, Department for Security Issues, Federal Ministry for European and International Affairs, the Republic of Austria • Mr. Rexhion Qafa, Cyber Security Expert, National Authority for Electronic Certification and Cyber Security (AKCESK), Republic of Albania
17:30 - 18:00	<p>Closing Session</p> <p><u>Moderator:</u> Ambassador Igli Hasani, Chairperson of the OSCE Permanent Council, Permanent Representative of Albania to the OSCE, 2020 OSCE Albanian Chairmanship</p> <p><u>Speakers:</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Ms. Kerstin Vignard, Head of the UNIDIR support team to General Assembly processes pursuant to resolutions 73/27 and 73/266 • Ms. Elisabeth Kögler, Deputy Director, Department for Security Issues, Federal Ministry for European and International Affairs, the Republic of Austria • Ambassador Károly Dán, Chair of the OSCE Informal Working Group established by PC Decision 1039; Permanent Representative of Hungary to the OSCE, the UN and other International Organizations • Ms. Szilvia Toth, Cyber Security Officer, Transnational Threats Department, OSCE • Mr. Carl Fredrik Wettermark, Senior Advisor for Cyber Policy, Ministry for Foreign Affairs, Sweden



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CONCEPT NOTE

Background

2020 has been a year marked by a rapid adaptation to unprecedented challenges. The COVID-19 pandemic has introduced unacceptable health risks to many formerly routine activities of people, nations, companies and international organizations. This, in turn, accelerated the world’s transition to an ICT-enabled lifestyle, where commerce, education, work and governmental functions all moved to online fora. Parallel to this, we have realized that this increased online presence has brought with it new challenges to critical infrastructures and essential services we rely on, reminding us how essential it is to protect them, in particular the healthcare sector.

Meanwhile, international diplomatic efforts continue to seek new ways how the international community can tackle these challenges. In this spirit, the Albanian Chairmanship of the Organization for Security and Co-operation in Europe (OSCE) is gathering leading and diverse stakeholders on cyber/ICT security to discuss how strengthened co-operation between them can increase the resilience and stability of the cyber/ICT environment.

Despite the challenging circumstances, the two United Nations Working Groups dealing with cyber/ICT security-related topics in the context of international security – the Group of Governmental Expert (UN GGE) and the Open-Ended Working Group (OEWG) – made progress. Conference participants will have the opportunity to hear of these developments from the UN Working Group Chairs and other involved stakeholders.

In the case of the OSCE, the implementation of the 16 CBMs adopted since 2013 continues to be the priority for participating States. In order to accomplish this, the Informal Working Group (IWG), set up pursuant to PC Decision 1039, continues its efforts to implement individual Measures through its flagship “Adopt a CBM” initiative, the results of which will be on full display during the Conference.

Objectives of Conference sessions

On the first day of the conference, there will be a number of virtual keynote speeches and presentations, setting the stage for audience questions and interactive discussions:

- **The first session** of the Conference will provide a platform for high-level representatives, who will outline the Organization's cyber/ICT security efforts and progress, as well as how they fit inside a broader context of global challenges stemming from cyberspace.
- **The second and third sessions** will give participants two unique sets of views on how to strengthen international co-operation on cyber/ICT security. First, participants will hear from multi-stakeholder organizations dealing with capacity building, economic and policy issues. After that, prominent national representatives will illustrate how governments are jointly rising to the new cyber/ICT security challenges.
- The first day will conclude with **sessions dedicated to CBM Adopter participating States**, covering topics ranging from co-operative measures to protect critical infrastructure and measures to ensure an open, interoperable, secure and reliable Internet, as well as good practices on developing scenario-based discussions and terminology.

During the second day of the conference, the discussions will broaden to cover developments outside the OSCE area, as well as deepening co-operation with OSCE Partners for Co-operation:

- **The first session of the second day** will explore how co-operation with OSCE Partners for Co-operation, long encouraged by the OSCE Ministerial Council, can be introduced. Representatives of both Asian and Mediterranean Partner States will be invited to discuss this topic and give their views.
- **Chairs of the two UN Working Groups (GGE, OEWG)** will subsequently give updates on the latest developments in their respective fora, how COVID-19 has impacted negotiations and what this means for the UN processes going forward as related to the work of regional organizations, in particular on the OSCE CBMs and their on-going implementation. Views of other stakeholders that featured in these UN discussions will also be presented.
- **The final session** of the Conference will feature a discussion on how greater gender equality can enhance stability and resilience of the cyber/ICT environment by introducing crucial capacities, perspectives, expertise and human resources that both the public and private sectors need.