

DIGITAL INNOVATION SUMMIT BUCHAREST

16th – 18th of April 2024

Under the High Patronage of the President of the Chamber of Deputies and
the Romanian Government

Palace of Parliament – I.I.C. Brătianu Hall, Take Ionescu Hall, Unirii Hall

Tuesday, 16th of April 2024 | 09:30 - 17:00 (EET)

3rd edition of the

INTERNATIONAL CONFERENCE ON CYBER DIPLOMACY (ICCD)

“Safeguarding in the Digital Era: The Dialogues of Cyber Diplomacy”

Palace of the Parliament, Take Ionescu Hall

Time	Activity
09:30-10:00	Welcoming Coffee
10:00-11:00	<p>Welcoming remarks</p> <p>Nicolae Ionel CIUCĂ - President, Senate of Romania Alfred SIMONIS - President, Chamber of Deputies</p> <p>Adrian Victor VEVERA - General Director, National Institute for Research & Development in Informatics – ICI Bucharest</p> <p>Opening Remarks</p> <p>Mihai Alexandru GHIGIU - Head of the Chancellery of the Prime Minister of Romania Ct. Bogdan-Marius CHIRIȚOIU - President, Competition Council Ștefan MUȘOIU - Chairperson of the Committee on European Affairs Traian Laurentiu HRISTEA - State Secretary for Global Affairs and Diplomatic Strategies, Ministry of Foreign Affairs Dragoș Cristian VLAD - President, Authority for Digitalization of Romania Ioana Roxana MELENCIUC-IOAN - President, State Secretary, National Institute for Administration H.E. Kathleen Ann KVALEC - Ambassador, USA Embassy in Romania TBC General Engineer Mohamad BOEREKI - Chairman of the National Cybersecurity Center in Kuwait TBC. Ilgar Ali Oghlu MUSAYEV - Head of Service, State Service of Special Communication and Information Security, Republic of Azerbaijan</p>
11:00-11:35	<p>International Consensus on Emerging Technologies: Addressing the Growing Need for a Common Agenda</p> <p>Explore the need for global consensus on new technologies and cybersecurity challenges, emphasizing diplomatic cooperation and information sharing.</p>

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	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Importance of Consensus Building in Addressing Emerging Technologies. • Leveraging Cyber Diplomacy for Technological Innovation and Security. • Strategies for Enhancing Global Cooperation in Cybersecurity and Infrastructure Protection. <p>Moderator: Iulian CHIFU - President, Center for Conflict Prevention and Early Warning</p> <p>Motohiro TSUCHIYA - Vice-President for Global Engagement and Information Technology at Keio University</p> <p>Ralph TILLE - Dean, Faculty of Information and Communication, The Stuttgart Media University</p> <p>Victor PONTA - Former Prime-Minister</p> <p>H.E. Reuven AZAR - Ambassador, Israel Embassy in Romania</p> <p>Constantinos HADJISAVVAS - Project Officer Energy, Research, Technology & Innovation Directorate, European Defence Agency</p>
11:35-11:50	Networking Coffee Break
11:50-12:25	<p>Bridging Borders: Regional Diplomatic Initiatives in Cybersecurity and Technology</p> <p>Investigate regional cooperation dynamics, focusing on cybersecurity challenges and diplomatic strategies for collaboration.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Regional Cooperation: Opportunities and Challenges. • Perspectives on Emerging Technologies and Digital Transformation. • Diplomatic Strategies for Addressing Cross-Border Cyber Threats. <p>Moderator: Horațiu GÂRBAN - Cybersecurity Expert, Ministry of National Defence</p> <p>Oguz Serkant AKIN - General Director, Southeast European Law Enforcement Centre</p> <p>Tural MAMMADOV - Chief Information Security Officer, State Service of Special Communication and Information Security, Republic of Azerbaijan</p> <p>Eyüp Kuntay TURMUŞ - SPS Advisor and Programme Manager, Emerging Security Challenges Division, NATO</p> <p>Lilian CARP - Chairman, National Security, Defense and Public Order Commission, Parliament of the Republic of Moldova</p> <p>Cağatay KARABAT - Executive Director of Public Certification, Authority of Turkey / TÜBITAK</p>
12:25-13:00	<p>On the Brink: Anticipating New Frontiers of Cyber Threats and Disinformation</p> <p>Examine emerging cyber threats and disinformation campaigns, exploring diplomatic responses and proactive measures to safeguard global security.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • AI's Role in Disinformation Campaigns: Challenges and Diplomatic Responses. • Identifying proactive measures and resilience strategies to mitigate the impact of cyber threats. • Diplomatic Approaches to Defending Against Novel Cyber Threats. <p>Moderator: Claudia Victoria NICOLAE - General Director, AGERPRES</p> <p>Flavia DURACH, PhD - Associate professor at the College of Communication and Public Relations, National University for Political Studies and Public Administration, Bucharest (SNSPA)</p> <p>Sebastian COCHINESCU - Founder & CEO at TailPath</p> <p>Prof. Dr. Zafar Nawaz JASPAL - Director & Professor, School of Politics and International Relations, Quaid-I-Azam University, Islamabad</p> <p>Giorgi IASHVILI - Co-founder/ Cyber Security consultant, Cyber Trust</p> <p>Adrian POSTEUCĂ - Metaverse/Web3 Strategy Immersive experiences, ConceptFactory</p>
13:00-13:50	Networking Lunch

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13:50-14:25	<p style="text-align: center;">Cyberdiplomat's Craft: The Art of Diplomacy in the Digital Age</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Discuss strategies for diplomats to navigate challenges in the digital era, emphasizing digital literacy, corporate initiatives, and government cooperation.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Tools and Skills for Diplomatic Success in the Digital Era. • Impact of Technologies on Diplomatic Relations: Past vs. Present. • Leveraging Digital Diplomacy for Stakeholder Engagement and Public Perception Management. <p>Moderator: Monica GHEORGHITĂ - Former Secretary of State for Global Affairs, Ministry of Foreign Affairs</p> <p>Christopher PAINTER - President, Global Forum on Cyber Expertise Daniel DĂIANU - Chairman of the Fiscal Council</p>
14:25-15:00	<p style="text-align: center;">Digital Economy: Fostering a Secure and Prosperous Digital Trade Environment</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Promote a secure digital trade environment through corporate initiatives, digital literacy, and government cooperation, fostering prosperity and cybersecurity.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Corporate Strategies for Promoting Cyber Diplomacy Objectives. • Empowering Digital Literacy for Secure Engagement in the Digital Economy. • Government Cooperation and SME Cybersecurity Enhancement. <p>Moderator: Dan CĂRBUNARU - Director, Calea Europeană</p> <p>Cristian SPORIȘ - President AmCham Romania, Vice-president Board of Directors Raiffeisen Bank Romania Florin Marian SPĂTARU - State Counsellor, The Chancellery of the Prime Minister Tania CHICKOVA – Manager, Institute of Public Administration of Bulgaria</p> <p>EMAG – TBC</p> <p>Kenan ACAR, PhD - Chairman of The Board at Acar Group - Member of DEİK Türkiye-Romania Business Council H.E. Meidyatama SURYODININGRAT - Ambassador of Indonesia in Romania TBC H.E. TENGKU Dato' Sirajuzzaman Bin Tengku Mohamed Ariffin - Ambassador of Malaysia in Romania TBC</p>
15:00-15:15	<p style="text-align: center;">Networking Coffee Break</p>
15:15-15:50	<p style="text-align: center;">Charting the Digital Landscape: AI and Beyond in Modern Governance</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Explore the balance between digital sovereignty and multi-stakeholder models in internet governance, highlighting diplomatic challenges and opportunities for collaboration.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Diplomatic Considerations in Multi-stakeholder Digital Governance. • The potential of AI and other emerging technologies in aiding democratic processes and initiatives. • International Cooperation for Innovative and Secure Cyber Policies. <p>Moderator: Radu PUCHIU - Technology & Society Program Director, ASPEN</p> <p>Yasen TANEV - Chairman, Cyber Security Council BIA Dr. Rajesh KUMAR K V - Associate Professor, The AI Research Centre, School of Business - Business Analytics Department, Woxsen University Miruna TRONCOTĂ - Director, Center for European Studies Gabriel RAICU - Rector, Constanța Maritime University</p>

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	<p>Fraga ȚARIUC - President, Women4Cyber Romania John DONLON - Chairman, Critical Infrastructure Protection Association Gabriela MATEI - Head of Training Team, Euro-Atlantic Resilience Center</p>
<p>15:50-16:25</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">Towards Global Harmony: Collaborative Legal Frameworks for Emerging Technologies</p> <p>Advocate for collaborative legal frameworks in emerging technologies through diplomatic channels, partnerships with technology companies, and promotion of ethical standards.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Diplomatic Initiatives for International Agreements on Cybersecurity. • Collaborative Partnerships for Responsible Behaviour in the Digital Realm. • Diplomatic Strategies for Promoting Ethical and Innovative Technological Development. <p>Moderator: Monica GHEORGHITĂ - Former Secretary of State for Global Affairs, Ministry of Foreign Affairs</p> <p>Robert CAZANCIUC - Senator, Senate of Romania TBC</p> <p>Lilian CARP - Chairman, National Security, Defense and Public Order Commission, Parliament of the Republic of Moldova</p> <p>H.E. Han CHUNLIN - Ambassador Extraordinary and Plenipotentiary of the People’s Republic of China</p> <p>Prof. Dr. Zafar Nawaz JASPAL - Director & Professor, School of Politics and International Relations, Quaid-I-Azam University, Islamabad</p> <p>Radu RIZOIU - Partner, RizoIU & Poenaru SCA</p> <p>Cătălin ANDRUȘ - Director, National College of Internal Affairs TBC</p>
<p>16:25-16:35</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">Closing remarks</p>

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CRITICAL INFRASTRUCTURE PROTECTION FORUM (CIP FORUM)

“Critical Infrastructure Protection 2024”

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09:30-10:00	Welcoming Coffee
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10:05-12:30	Opening and Ministerial Remarks Mircea ABRUDEAN - Secretary-General of the Government of Romania Mihai Alexandru GHIGIU - Head of the Chancellery of the Prime Minister of Romania Adrian CĂCIU - Minister of Investments and European Projects Ligia DECA - Minister of Education Mircea FECHET - Minister of Environment, Waters and Forests Adrian Ioan VEȘTEA - Minister of Development, Public Works and Administration TBC Natalia-Elena INTOTERO - Minister of Family, Youth and Equality Vlad BONTEA - National Authority for Management and Regulation in Communications of Romania Dan CÎMPEAN - Director, National Directorate for Cybersecurity Dragoș Cristian VLAD - President of the Authority for Digitalization of Romania Brigadier General Marius DOGEANU - Head of General Direction for Civil Protection, Ministry of Internal Affairs Mihnea Cosmin COSTOIU - Rector, Politehnica University of Bucharest Tudor PRISECARIU - State Secretary, Ministry of Research, Innovation and Digitalization TBC Ilgar Ali Oghlu MUSAYEV - Head of Service, State Service of Special Communication and Information Security, Republic of Azerbaijan General Engineer Mohamad BOEREKI - Chairman of the National Cybersecurity Center in Kuwait TBC
12:30-13:15	Networking Lunch
13:15-13:45	Cooperation Agreement Signing

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	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Building the Future Based on Blockchain Intelligence • The Urgent Need for Blockchain Intelligence - The Time is Now <p>Adrian Victor VEVERA - General Director, National Institute for Research & Development in Informatics – ICI Bucharest</p> <p>Patrick TAN - General Counsel for Blockchain Intelligence company, ChainArgos</p> <p>Alexandru PETRESCU - President, The Financial Supervisory Authority</p> <p>Bogdan DESPESCU - State Secretary, Ministry of Internal Affairs</p> <p>Marius Ionuț VOINEAG - Chief Prosecutor, National Anticorruption Directorate</p>
13:45-14:35	<p style="text-align: center;">Bridging the Gaps in Blockchain Intelligence</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Discussion on how regulators, policymakers, law enforcement officials, compliance professionals and financial institutions are experiencing serious gaps in blockchain intelligence, and the dangers this gap creates.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Insights on the need for greater cross-border cooperation and information-sharing on blockchain transaction intelligence. • Assessing the value of blockchain intelligence training and how it can help close the knowledge and capability gap to better inform policy making and enforcement. • Analyze existing blockchain intelligence tools and their limitations, and discussing the need to maximize the economic benefits of blockchain technology, whilst minimizing illicit activity. <p>Moderator: Javier PAZ - Director of Data and Analytics, Forbes Magazine</p> <p>Nico DI GABRIELE - Senior Team Lead, European Central Bank</p> <p>Mark COLEMAN - Supervisory Special Agent and Attaché of the Bucharest Resident Office for the United States Secret Service</p> <p>Patrick TAN - General Counsel for Blockchain Intelligence company, ChainArgos</p> <p>Cătălin ZETU - Director of Central Intelligence Analysis Unit, General Inspectorate of Romanian Police</p> <p>Bogdan VACUSTĂ - Strategy Consultant, National Bank of Romania</p>
14:35-14.45	<p style="text-align: center;">Networking Coffee Break</p>
14:45-15:45	<p style="text-align: center;">Unveiling the Future: Launch of ICI D SERVICES NFT Museum and Expert Panel Discussion</p> <p style="text-align: center;">The launch of ICI Bucharest's NFT Museum, merging cultural heritage with digital innovation, showcasing the preservation and reimagination of cultural legacies.</p> <p>NFT Museum Launch: Celebrate the opening of ICI Bucharest's NFT Museum, blending cultural heritage with digital innovation.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • NFTs in Cultural Preservation: Examine how NFTs preserve and revitalize cultural heritage, transforming art engagement. • Digital Art Innovation: Discuss blockchain's impact on art and museums, enhancing authenticity and accessibility. • Future Vision: Showcase ICI Bucharest's leadership in using digital technologies to protect and honor cultural heritage. <p>Moderator: Endi UNGUREANU - CEO, METAVENTIS</p> <p>Adrian Victor VEVERA - General Director, National Institute for Research & Development in Informatics – ICI Bucharest</p>

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	<p>Paul GHEORGHE - ICI Bucharest Team Ciprian IACOB - ICI Bucharest Team Marek SWIERAD - CEO, ANASAEA Ştefan SZAKAL - Head of Technology, MultiversX Daiana MĂRCULESCU - CEO, Comets of Web3 Marius GRIGORAŞ - CEO, Bhat Hero Ahmed YOUSIF - Global Blockchain Business Council (GBBC) Ambassador</p>
15:45-16:25	<p style="text-align: center;">She's Leading: Empowering Leadership and Change</p> <p>#ShesLeading celebrates women's pivotal roles in society and business, aiming to highlight women leaders, innovators, and visionaries, showcasing their essential contributions to innovation, resilience, and inclusivity across various fields.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Elevate Women's Leadership: Highlight women's leadership and innovation, uplifting silenced voices. • Empowerment across the Spectrum: Advance women's roles in education and careers. • Break Barriers: Combat obstacles to women's leadership with inclusivity and diversity. • Empower Networks: Foster mentorship and networking for women, emphasizing community support. <p>Moderator: Carmen Elena CÎRNU - Scientific Director, National Institute for Research & Development in Informatics – ICI Bucharest</p> <p>Farah LONDON - Founder of Back 2 BUSINESS International, Deputy Commander of Order St. George London Branch</p> <p>Alexandra OLARU - Director Legal & External Affairs, Vodafone</p> <p>Doina BANCUIU - Vice President, The Academy of Romanian Scientists</p> <p>Constanța IORGA - Head of Her Majesty's Household</p> <p>Simona CONSTANTINESCU – Chairperson of the Board of Directors, Romanian Hotel Industry Federation (FIHR), COO, Ana Hotels România</p> <p>Claudia Victoria NICOLAE - General Director, AGERPRES</p> <p>Natalia-Elena INTOTERO - Minister of Family, Youth and Equality</p>
16:25–16:55	<p style="text-align: center;">Case Study Showcase</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Connecting the Dots - Terrorists, Scammers, and State Actors</p> <p>Jonathan Reiter, CEO and Chief Data Scientist of ChainArgos, takes us through a series of actual cases demonstrating how blockchain intelligence can be used to link terrorists, scammers, and state actors, by tracking the transactions and endpoints that demonstrate the overlap between these different counterparties that ought not have any obvious relationship with each other.</p>
17:00	<p style="text-align: center;">Networking Dinner</p>

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10:50-11:00	Networking Coffee Break
11:00-11:45	<p>Shaping the Future Together: Integrating CIP Strategies with Demographic Dynamics for Enhanced Family, Youth, and Equal Opportunities</p> <p>Explore the intersection of CIP strategies and demographic trends to benefit families, youth, and ensure equal opportunities.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">Demographic Dynamics: Integrating CIP with evolving population trends.Youth and Family in CIP: Tailoring protection strategies for diverse needs.Equal Opportunities: Leveraging CIP for inclusivity across demographics.Innovative Approaches: Adapting CIP to benefit all societal segments.Building Resilient Communities: Strategies for inclusive critical infrastructure. <p>Moderator: Adriana SĂFTOIU - Communication Expert</p> <p>Victoria ZINCHUK - Director for Romania, European Bank for Reconstruction and Development</p> <p>Florin Marian SPĂȚARU - State Counsellor, The Chancellery of the Prime Minister</p> <p>Adrian BELÎI - President, Parliamentary Committee on Social Protection, Health and Family Affairs, Parliament of the Republic of Moldova</p> <p>Prof. univ. dr. ing. Daniela Laura BURUIANĂ - Rector, „Dunărea de Jos” Galați University (UGAL)</p> <p>Tudorel ANDREI - President, National Institute of Statistics</p> <p>Ana BULAI - Sociologist, AB European Research Group</p> <p>Radu MAGDIN - Political Analyst</p>
11:45-12:30	<p>Securing Resilience and Integrity: Strategies for Agricultural Supply Chains and Food Safety</p> <p>Address the vital role of CIP in ensuring the resilience and integrity of agricultural supply chains and food safety.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">Agricultural Resilience: Strengthening supply chains against disruptions.Food Safety Assurance: Applying CIP for comprehensive food security.Innovation in Agri-Supply Chains: Advancing technology for resilient agriculture.

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Collaboration for Integrity: Partnering for secure and efficient food systems. • Policy and Practice: Shaping frameworks for resilient agricultural infrastructures. <p>Moderator: Dan CĂRBUNARU - Director, Calea Europeană</p> <p>Ionuț CHESNOIU - Chairperson, Committee for Agriculture, Forestry, Food Industry and Specific Services</p> <p>Tánczos BARNÁ - Senator, Senate of Romania</p> <p>Adrian PINTEA - State Secretary, Ministry of Agriculture and Rural Development</p> <p>Prof.univ.dr. Cosmin POPESCU - Rector, Banat University of Agricultural Sciences and Veterinary Medicine of Timișoara (USAMVBT)</p> <p>Tănase STAMULE - Dean, FABIZ, Bucharest University of Economic Studies</p> <p>Florian CIOLACU - Executive Director, Romanian Farmers' Club</p> <p>Carmen BURTEA - President, Sectorial Committee for Agriculture, Fish Farming and Fisheries of Romania</p> <p>Radu MAGDIN - Political Analyst</p>
12:30-13:15	Networking Lunch
13:15-14:05	<p style="text-align: center;">Enhancing Active Aging Through CIP: Building Resilient Infrastructures for an Age-Diverse Society</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Focus on CIP to support active aging and create resilient infrastructures for an age-diverse society.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Active Aging in CIP: Adapting infrastructures for aging populations. • Age-Diverse Resilience: Strategies for inclusive critical infrastructure. • Innovation for All Ages: CIP solutions benefiting multiple generations. • Societal Impact: Enhancing quality of life through age-inclusive CIP. • Collaborative Frameworks: Engaging stakeholders for comprehensive solutions. <p>Moderator: Alexandra DOBRE - President, Romanian Institute for Active Aging</p> <p>Adrian STREINU CERCEL - Senator, Chamber of Deputies</p> <p>Prof.univ.dr.habil. Costel NEGRICEA - Rector, Romanian-American University</p> <p>Adrian DOBRE - General Director, UNIFARM</p> <p>Luiza SPIRU - President, Ana Aslan Foundation</p> <p>Prof. Univ. Dr. Dan Mircea ENESCU - Head of Plastic Surgery, Reconstructive Microsurgery and Burns, Grigore Alexandrescu Hospital</p> <p>Andrei RUSNAC - Vice-president for Digitalization, Digital Flower Association, Republic of Moldova</p> <p>Flavius AIOANEI - Sales Director, UP Romania</p>
14:05-14:45	<p style="text-align: center;">Smart & Secure Cities and Sustainable Development: Building Resilient Communities</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Delve into the nexus of smart technology, security, and sustainability for community resilience.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Smart Cities and Security: Integrating advanced technologies for safer urban environments. • Sustainable Development Goals: Aligning city planning with sustainability and resilience. • Community Resilience: Strategies for building strong, adaptable communities. • Technology for Sustainability: Leveraging innovations for environmental and social well-being. • Collaborative Urban Planning: Engaging stakeholders for comprehensive, resilient development. <p>Moderator: George Cristian TURCU - Managing Partner & Project Manager, Ghidul Primăriilor</p>

	<p>Ionuț PUCHEANU - Mayor, Galați City Hall</p> <p>Ciprian Ionuț TRIFAN - President, Vaslui County Council</p> <p>Eugen TOMAC - Member of the European Parliament</p> <p>Frédéric PETIT - Project Officer, Joint Research Centre, Directorate E – Space, Security and Migration, Unit E2 Technologies for Space, Security and Connectivity, European Commission</p> <p>Radu ANDRONIC - CEO, FIP Consulting</p> <p>Muammer Semih SONKOR - Researcher, New York University Abu Dhabi TBC</p> <p>Dinu DRAGOMIR - Director Segment Strategic Customers, Vodafone</p>
14:45-15:00	<p>Networking Coffee Break</p>
15:00-15:40	<p style="text-align: center;">Emergency Preparedness for Energy Infrastructure Disruptions</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Focus on the preparedness and response strategies for energy infrastructure facing potential emergencies and disruptions.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Preparedness Planning: Developing robust plans for energy infrastructure resilience. • Mitigating Risks: Strategies to reduce vulnerabilities in energy systems. • Rapid Response Mechanisms: Enhancing capabilities for swift emergency action. • Building Resilient Energy Systems: Innovations for durable and sustainable energy infrastructure. • Stakeholder Cooperation: Collaborative efforts for comprehensive emergency preparedness. <p>Moderator: Dr. Alexandru GEORGESCU - Senior Researcher, ICI Bucharest, Co-moderator of WG3 in CF SEDSS of EDA</p> <p>Dan DRĂGAN – State Secretary, Ministry of Energy</p> <p>Gabriel ADRONACHE - Vice-President, The National Regulatory Authority in the field of Energy</p> <p>Adrian-Ion DUȚĂ - Vice president, Euro-Atlantic Resilience Centre</p> <p>Tural MAMMADOV - Chief Information Security Officer, State Service of Special Communication and Information Security, Republic of Azerbaijan</p> <p>Iulian CHIFU - President, Center for Conflict Prevention and Early Warning</p> <p>Robert VAAS - President and co-founder, GLOBSec</p> <p>Silvia VLĂSCLEANU - Executive Director, Association of Producers of Electricity</p> <p>John DONLON - Chairman, Critical Infrastructure Protection Association</p> <p>Ana BIRCHALL - Former Minister of Justice</p> <p>Lasse HIRSCH - Principal Consultant and Founder, Mavi Offshore</p>
15:40-16:10	<p style="text-align: center;">City Halls as Catalysts: Integrating CIP with Municipal Guidance for Urban Safety and Prosperity</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Examine on the role of city halls in leveraging Critical Infrastructure Protection (CIP) for enhanced urban safety and prosperity.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Municipal Leadership in CIP: City halls as central figures in urban resilience. • Urban Safety Strategies: CIP applications for safeguarding public spaces and services. • Prosperous Communities: The impact of CIP on economic and social well-being. • Engaging Citizens: Involving the community in CIP for a collaborative approach. • Future-Proofing Cities: Innovative practices for sustainable and resilient urban development. <p>Moderator: Eduard DUMITRAȘCU - President, Smart City Romanian Association (ARSC)</p> <p>Ciprian CIUCU - Mayor, Sector 6 City Hall TBC</p> <p>Cağatay KARABAT - Executive Director of Public Certification, Authority of Turkey / TÜBITAK</p> <p>Buzău City Hall TBC</p>

	<p>Giorgi IASHVILI - Co-founder/ Cyber Security consultant, Cyber Trust Călărași City Hall TBC</p> <p>Transport Public București Ilfov (TPBI) TBC</p> <p>Vittorio ROSATO - Former Head, Laboratory for Analysis and Protection of Critical Infrastructure at ENEA</p> <p>Sorin PREDA - Founder & CEO, Global Vision</p> <p>Houssain KETTANI - Professor & Chair of Computer Science, School of Science & Engineering, AI Akhawayn University</p> <p>Bulgaria TBC</p>
<p>16:10-16:50</p>	<p>Integrating Sustainability into Critical Infrastructure: Challenges & Opportunities</p> <p>Explore the integration of sustainability principles into critical infrastructure to enhance resilience and efficiency, while addressing environmental concerns.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Sustainability Meets CIP: Bridging green initiatives with infrastructure protection. • Overcoming Challenges: Tackling barriers to sustainable infrastructure development. • Opportunity Landscape: Leveraging sustainability for improved CIP outcomes. • Future-Forward Infrastructures: Showcasing innovations for eco-friendly critical systems. • Stakeholder Engagement: Fostering collaboration for sustainable CIP strategies. <p>Moderator: Cristian DAVID - Member of the Advisory Council for Sustainable Development, President of the Institute for Freedom and Democracy</p> <p>Prof.Dr. Zafar Nawaz JASPAL - Director & Professor, School of Politics and International Relations, Quaid-I-Azam University, Islamabad</p> <p>Brigadier General Adrian-Paul SINGHEORGHE - Head of Research & Development Department, Special Telecommunication Service</p> <p>Eyüp Kuntay TURMUŞ - SPS Advisor and Programme Manager Emerging Security Challenges Division, NATO</p> <p>Costel TODOR - Senior Economist, World Bank Office in Romania</p> <p>Lasse HIRSCH - Principal Consultant and Founder, Mavi Offshore</p> <p>Laszlo BORBELY - State Counsellor to the Prime Minister, Chairperson, European Sustainable Development Network (ESDN)</p>
<p>16:50-17:00</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">Closing Remarks</p>