

Driving Trustworthy AI through Design and Regulation



TUESDAY, 27 JANUARY 2026 | 09:00 - 14:30



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AGENDA

- 09:00 - 09:30 ■ **Registration & Coffee**
- 09:30 - 09:45 ■ **Welcome Remarks**
- *Mr Petros Galides*, Deputy Commissioner of Communications, Office of the Commissioner of Communications
 - *Ms Athina Panayiotou*, Director General, Cyprus Organization for Standardization (CYS)
 - Representative of the Deputy Ministry of Research, Innovation and Digital Policy (DMRID) - Greeting on behalf of the Deputy Minister
- 09:45 - 10:45 ■ **EU Policy, Guidance and Standardisation**
- **AI-related EU Policy Initiatives and Stakeholder Guidance** (35 minutes)
 - *Mr Gaspard Demur*, Deputy Head of Unit, Artificial Intelligence Innovation and Policy Coordination, AI Office - DG CNECT
 - *Ms Laura Jugel*, Legal and Policy Officer, Artificial Intelligence Regulation and Compliance, AI Office - DG CNECT
 - **Standards as a pathway to AI Act compliance and beyond** (25 minutes)
 - *Dr Sebastian Hallensleben*, Chairman of CEN-CENELEC Joint Technical Committee 21 (JTC 21)
- 10:45 - 11:00 ■ **Q & A**
- 11:00 - 11:20 ■ **Coffee Break**
- 11:20 - 12:30 ■ **Compliance and Documentation for Trustworthy AI Systems**
- **Conformity Assessment for High-Risk AI System Providers** (30 minutes)
 - *Dr Emilia Tantar*, Chief AI Officer, Luxembourg House of Cybersecurity (LHC)
 - **Harmonized Documentation Guidelines for Trustworthy AI Systems** (40 minutes)
 - *Dr Marija Jankovic*, CERTH/ITI, Chair of ETSI Technical Committee Methods for Testing and Specification (TC MTS)
- 12:30 - 12:40 ■ **Questions & Answers**
- 12:40 - 13:00 ■ **National AI Use Case**
- **AI driven Security in Critical Infrastructures** (20 minutes)
 - *Prof. Angelos Marnerides*, KIOS Research and Innovation Center of Excellence (KIOS CoE)
- 13:00 - 13:05 ■ **Q & A**
- 13:05 - 14:05 ■ **AI Act Implementation - Interactive Roundtable**
- An interactive discussion addressing practical implementation issues, interpretation challenges and market concerns related to the AI Act, with participation from: AI Office - DG CNECT and National Stakeholders
- 14:05 - 14:30 ■ **Light Lunch**

Parallel Activity - Research Programme Stands

Throughout the event, representatives from national research programmes will be available at dedicated stands to present AI projects and answer questions. Participants are encouraged to visit the stands during breaks or at any convenient time during the sessions.