EEMA to Provide Updates on FutureTrust and LIGHTest

At PORVOO 19 - Identity in a Changing World Conference

25th and 26th May in Rome, Italy

BRUSSELS, 15th MAY 2017 - EEMA, the leading independent not for profit, European think tank focussing on identification, authentication, privacy, risk management, cyber security, the Internet of Things and mobile applications, today announced that it is supporting the PORVOO 19 - Identity in a Changing World conference. EEMA will present an overview of the eID landscape and provide a progress report on the FutureTrust and LIGHTest projects.

On 25th May, Chair of EEMA, Jon Shamah, will present ‘The practical implementation of the eIDAS regulation in Europe and beyond’. In this address, he will explain how FutureTrust - a project that is being funded within the EU Framework Programme for Research and Innovation (Horizon 2020) under Grant Agreement No. 700542, - is supporting the practical implementation of the eIDAS regulation in Europe and beyond.

In a further presentation entitled ‘Global lightweight trust infrastructure’, Shamah will highlight the work being done by another important EU funded initiative – the LIGHTest project – to create a global cross-domain trust infrastructure that renders it transparent and easy for verifiers to evaluate electronic transactions.

Shamah comments: “FutureTrust and LIGHTest are two of the most important ongoing projects in the area of trust services, not only within the Europe’s digital society, but globally. In Rome, at PORVOO 19 I will share an update on the progress of these exciting initiatives, as well as offering insight in to the current eID landscape.”

For more information about PORVOO 19 including how to register visit: http://porvoo19.eu/
More information about FutureTrust is available at: https://www.futuretrust.eu/home/

More information about LIGHTest is available at: http://www.lightest.eu/

About Porvoo Group

The Porvoo Group is an international cooperative network whose primary goal is to promote a trans-national, secure, interoperable electronic identity, in order to help ensure secure public and private sector e-transactions in Europe. The group also promotes the introduction of interoperable certificates and technical specifications, the mutual, cross-border acceptance of identification and authentication mechanisms, as well as cross-border, online access to administrative services.

About EEMA

Brussels-based EEMA, is the leading independent European think tank focussing on identification, authentication, privacy, risk management, cyber security, the Internet of Things and mobile applications. EEMA’s world class conferences provide the forum to network with digital enterprise experts, high level EC and other government experts. Meanwhile, its series of high level fireside briefings in Brussels and London provide the ideal forum for industry leaders to tackle controversial hot topics in an intimate, invitation only setting.

Through collaboration with EU & Global Partners (including the creation and coordination of the European Trust Foundation), EEMA has an established and growing network throughout Europe. This community provides the ideal platform to disseminate information and share expertise regarding the high-profile and significant EU projects EEMA is involved in. Visit eema.org for more information, or email: info@eema.org

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