



EEMA Brief

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EEMA Events & News

EEMA's 30th Annual Conference: *Privacy vs Identity – Opportunity and Challenges* 4–5 July 2017, London: *Have you booked your place yet?*

WannaCry ransomware, Jaff ransomware, another IoT botnet with pieces of Mirai embedded.....just look at the news section below to get a flavour of why our security conference work is so important. We cannot stop progress, nor should we want to, advanced digital technology benefits the world, but we absolutely have to make sure that our digital systems do not bestow upon us the kind of problems experienced by the UK NHS and others earlier this month. If your remit has anything to do with security and/or identity come along, contribute, roll up your sleeves and get stuck into the debate. Together we can help make our digital future safe and prosperous for future generations. We look forward to welcoming you to London this July.

New keynote speaker announced

We are pleased to announce that Siim Sikkut, the Government CIO of Estonia and Deputy Secretary General for IT and Telecom in the Ministry of Economic Affairs and Communications, will be joining us as a keynote speaker at this year's conference. His role is to set the strategy and policies, to launch and steer strategic initiatives for development of digital government and society in Estonia. He is one of the founders of Estonia's groundbreaking e-Residency programme. Previously, he worked as Digital Policy Adviser in the Government Office of Estonia - coordinating digital policy planning and execution across government. He also served in this role as adviser to three consecutive Prime Ministers on digital matters.

If your remit has anything to do with security and/or identity, can you really afford not to join us?

[Further information](#)

EEMA High Level Fireside Briefing: Prepare your board for a cyberattack: Your reputation gone in 60 seconds? 27 June, 6:00 pm - 8:30 pm, London
Cyberattacks are on the increase, and so too must we increase our vigilance and defence mechanisms. What would happen to your business if you suffered an attack? How would you set about minimising the damage? Is your board prepared for this eventuality? Come along to our June High Level Fireside Briefing to debate this highly topical subject. It will be chaired by Jon Shamah and the speakers are:

- **Rod Clayton:** Rod co-leads the Global Issues Group of Weber Shandwick, a leading public relations firm. He handles a wide range of matters in all major sectors around the world. His cyber experience spans information security, data protection, intellectual property and privacy issues.
- **Richard Preece:** Richard is a 'hybrid' consultant and leader, who connects business and technical leadership, so they can maximise the opportunities and minimise the risks of the digital age. Richard takes an integrated approach, helping to make organisations more agile and resilient.

Places are limited for this meeting, so register now to avoid disappointment.

[Further information](#)

ISSE 2017, 14 – 15 November, Brussels: ***Call for contributions extended***

The deadline for contributions to ISSE has been extended to 31 May, so you still have time to submit your paper. ISSE is Europe's leading independent, interdisciplinary, unbiased and European-focused conference, so it is the perfect forum for you to demonstrate your expertise

and share your thoughts with other experts and peers. The conference attracts leading professionals, including industry experts, commercial end-users and government policy-makers. Why not participate? We are inviting contributions on the following topics, although others that you feel are important will be considered:

- Trust services, eID and cloud security
- BYOD and mobile security
- Cybersecurity, cybercrime, critical infrastructures
- Legal, regulation & policies
- Biometric applications
- HS2020 projects
- eIDAS leading interoperability between international trust networks
- GDPR compliance and risk management for board members
- IoT security & privacy.

Submissions can be for a presentation, round table, panel or workshop. Further information is [here](#) or contact f.hawkins@eema.org. We look forward to receiving your valuable contribution.

Member & Partner News and Events

The Cyber Security conference, 30 May, Affligem

The Cyber Security Conference aims to distinguish itself by providing attendees not only insights into what is really happening in the area of cyber security (such as evolutions with regard to advanced persistent threats and cyber weapons), but also an insight into the status and evolution regarding concrete solutions to identify risks, to protect against threats, to detect anomalies, to respond to events and where necessary to recover. It aims to be a meeting-/discussion-place for CIOs/CISO and their staff/colleagues/team-members... so please forward this invitation to colleagues or team-members you think might also be interested in the program. Key speakers include:

- Peter Spiegeleer, Enterprise Security Architect, Proximus
- Jornt van der Wiel, Security researcher, Kaspersky
- Danny Hughes, Professor, KU Leuven.

[Programme](#)

[Registration](#)

Border Management & Technologies Summit, 31 May - 2 June, London, UK

The 5th annual Border Management & Technologies Summit will bring together leading border security officials from the UK and across Europe to discuss key issues regarding European border challenges, threats, organised crimes and EU policies and strategies. Many European countries have or are developing API/PNR systems to help track the movement of people across Europe and this event will review them.

[Further information](#)

Report: Cybersecurity in the EU Common Security and Defence Policy (CSDP): Challenges and risks for the EU

This report is the result of a study conducted by the European Union Agency for Network and Information Security (ENISA) for the European Parliament's Science and Technology Options Assessment (STOA) Panel with the aim of identifying risks, challenges and opportunities for cyber-defence in the context of the EU Common Security and Defence Policy (CSDP).

[Report](#)

Stakeholder Dialogue on Building a European data economy

This dialogue with stakeholders follows the adoption of the Communication on Building a European Data Economy and its accompanying Staff Working Document. Results will feed into the Commission's initiatives on data announced in the mid-term review of the 2015 Digital Single Market strategy. As part of this dialogue, the European Commission is organising a series of workshops:

- Webinar on data access and data sharing: the real impact on SMEs' and start-ups' business models (online, 29 May).
- Workshop with Member States representatives on the emerging issues of the data economy (Brussels, 31 May).
- Workshop on the transformative effect of access and re-use of data for smart industries (Brussels, 6 June).

- Workshop on data access and transfer with a focus on APIs and industrial data platforms (Brussels, 8 June).
- Data Economy Workshop, Digital Assembly (Malta, 15 and 16 June).
- Workshop on access to commercially-held data of public interest for public bodies (Brussels, 26 June).

[Further information](#)

Publication: Building an effective European cybershield

The European Political Strategy Centre, the European Commission's in-house think tank, has published a strategic note on cybersecurity. It concludes that anticipating and planning for the worst should drive the next steps at a European level. Robust policies on cybersecurity and the development of European capabilities, underpinned by significant EU funding, should form the basis of a European cybershield to defend EU institutions, Member States, businesses and citizens.

[Report](#)

Industry News

US cable, wireless mega-merger could be on the horizon.

[Full release](#)

Singapore to trial eVoter registration with eID cards.

[Full release](#)

WannaCry ransomware attacks are only the beginning.

[Full release](#)

Iris ID is speeding up eGates in Qatar.

[Full release](#)

EC fines Facebook €110m over 'misleading' WhatsApp deal.

[Full release](#)

ITW security division to showcase passport security solutions at SDW 2017

[Full release](#)

New ransomware Jaff demands US\$3700 payments.

[Full release](#)

Ericsson and Microsoft establish an Internet of Things (IoT) partnership.

[Full release](#)

A ransomware attack is spreading worldwide, using alleged NSA exploit.

[Full release](#)

Deutsche Telekom consolidates its position at the top of the revenue table.

[Full release](#)

Another IoT botnet with pieces of Mirai embedded can do DDoS from 100k devices

[Full release](#)

Dates to bookmark

Secure Identification, 31 May–1 June, Riga, Latvia

[Further information](#)

ENISA's Annual Privacy Forum, 7–8 June, Vienna

[Further information](#)

SDW 2017 – Security Document World – 11th Edition
Conference 26–28 June, Exhibition 27–28 June, London

[Further information](#)

IAM London 2017, 27 September, London

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