





## INVITATION TO THE COURSE FOR "CYBER AWARENESS TRAINERS"

The dimension of threats from the cyber and information domain is multifarious: from economic espionage, to sabotage of critical infrastructures to manipulation of information. Private businesses and public authorities invest large amounts in building up secure IT systems. However, the best systems are only as good as their users. A careless click on a link or attachment can cause serious damage. It is therefore a crucial task for every organisation to increase the cyber awareness of its personnel.

It is my pleasure to invite you to the

## Course for Cyber Awareness Trainers (CCAT) 06-10 November 2023, Pöcking, Germany (ESDC Activity Number 23-24/259/1)

The course is jointly organized by the School Information Technology Armed Forces (ITSBw) and the European Defence Agency (EDA) under the auspices of the European Security and Defence College (ESDC). The goal of this training course for trainers is to improve participants' cyber awareness skills and knowledge and to provide them with techniques to improve cyber awareness training in their respective organizations.

Participants should be professionals (civilian or military) from EU Member States, EU institutions and agencies, and Switzerland who provide cyber security awareness training in their respective organizations.

Project leaders will deliver and conduct the course at an "unclassified" level. Accordingly, the submission of security clearances is not required.

EU Member States, EU institutions and agencies, and Switzerland are invited to nominate their suitable candidates. Applications should be submitted by nominated nominators via the ESDC ENLIST platform by September 25, 2023. The nomination is not final until it has been confirmed by the ESDC Secretariat (Cyber ETEE platform) and the nominated participant has completed the ENLIST registration form.

If you have any questions regarding the application, registration or nomination, please contact <a href="https://esdc.europa.eu/nominators">https://esdc.europa.eu/nominators</a> or <a href="mailto:ESDC-CYBER-ETEE@eeas.europa.eu">ESDC-CYBER-ETEE@eeas.europa.eu</a>. For additional course information, please visit <a href="https://goalkeeper.eeas.europa.eu/course/list.do">https://goalkeeper.eeas.europa.eu/course/list.do</a>.

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