

I-ENERGYLINK REPRESENTATIVES WILL PARTICIPATE IN THE FIRST GENERAL ASSEMBLY MEETING OF THE INTERSOC PROJECT

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I-ENERGYLINK Representatives will participate in the First General Assembly Meeting of the INTERSOC Project „**INTERconnected Security Operation Centres**”. The Project objectives are: to improve disruption preparedness, resilience of digital infrastructures, and capacity building, through advanced threat forecasting, cyber-incident detection and response capabilities, at national and EU level, and dedicated training sessions in digital infrastructure security, while respecting privacy and other fundamental rights. To achieve this, INTERSOC will design and develop a user-centric intelligent threat defense and decision support platform.

The **INTERSOC** Project, funded by the European Cybersecurity Competence Centre (ECCC), started its implementation on 1st January 2024, and gathers 11 Consortium Partners Organizations and 1 Supporting Organization, from Spain, Italy, Greece, Cyprus and Romania.

The First General Assembly (GA) Meeting will be organized on 28-29th November 2024, in a hybrid format and the physical meeting is taking place in Thessaloniki, Greece. The General Assembly meeting will highlight very important topics and the status of the implementation of INTERSOC Project with multiple presentations during one day and a half.

The **INTERSOC General Assembly Meeting** Agenda will cover the main activities and tasks such as: the objectives of the INTERSOC First General Assembly Meeting, Work Packages (WPs) Progress Presentations - INTERSOC Project Coordination and Management; Use-case & scenarios Threat Modelling, User Requirements Analysis and Platform Deployment Recommendations; Identification, Detection and Protection Systems; Trustworthy Response and Recovery System; Capacity Building; Integration, Piloting, Users' Acceptance and Validation; and Project Impact, Dissemination and Cybersecurity Culture Awareness. The last but not the least, Future Priorities and Mid-Term Review Planning will be discussed during the General Assembly Meeting.

Furthermore, the Agenda will highlight a very important **Workshop** with key discussions regarding the **Overall INTERSOC Architecture, Main Solutions and Demos with the center on Tools presentations; Technology stack; Integration interfaces and Dashboard; System requirements; and Architecture targeting Security Operation Centres (SOC) operation.**

Moreover, two Open Debates will be part of the First General Assembly Agenda in order to exchange innovative and key aspects and to pave the way for communication between Partners: **Open Debate on Dissemination and Exploitation Activities: Events and Impact and Open Debate on Training Activities and Stakeholders Involvement focusing on SOC approach.**

The General Assembly is the project's top decision-making body. It is responsible for making significant administrative decisions. The GA is the organization entrusted with resolving future conflicts and managing Intellectual Property Rights (IPRs).

The European Consortium Partners is coordinated by EXIMPROD ENGINEERING (RO) working together with CLONE SYSTEMS (CY), CEL (IT), ROMANIAN NATIONAL CYBERSECURITY DIRECTORATE (RO), ASM TERNI (IT), SELENE (GR), AUTH (GR), CAIXABANK (ES), CERTH (GR), IHU (GR), SQS (RO), supported by I-ENERGYLINK (RO), as subcontracted Organization.

I-ENERGYLINK is an **Innovation and Development** focused **Organization**, active in the energy sector development at European and international level. **I-ENERGYLINK**'s mission is accelerating clean energy by supporting innovative solutions that most effectively increase energy efficiency, reduce greenhouse gas emissions, consolidate the regulatory framework and improve overall power systems reliability.

INTERSOC aims to deliver the tools that will improve the security posture of organizations, by pro-actively predicting cybersecurity threats and related risks, improving the detection and prevention capabilities to sophisticated threats and attacks, increasing the level of automation in incident management, while promoting confidential trust-based threat intelligence sharing and continuous training and education of security professionals. To achieve these objectives INTERSOC aims to combine and deploy several different technologies, tools and techniques concurrently and in unison, including: **machine learning detection and prevention systems in the network and hosts, decentralized threat intelligence information sharing, collection, categorisation, aggregation, correlation of structured and unstructured data, and continuous training and education.**

More information can be found on INTERSOC LinkedIn profile as well as on the Project website (<https://inter-soc.eu/>).

