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FUTURE CRIME WEBINAR SERIES

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New and old crimes in the digital world and their enforcement: new challenges

A reflection on the criminal justice implications of Encrochat, Sky ECC and other recent cases

Wednesday 29 of March 2023 at 16h - 18h30 CEST - Online

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The digitalization of a growing chunk of our daily life has brought to the fore new challenges for the criminal justice system. As new crimes and *modus operandi* mature, also new investigative techniques are introduced. This scenario brings about new challenges for the security of citizens, but also for the protection of fundamental rights. If it is undoubted that the internet provides new opportunities for criminals, it is equally true that the reaction should be calibrated and in line with the fundamentals tenets of our systems. As a major share of our life is stored in digital devices, their breach and interception allows for unprecedented levels of control. At the same time, such devices are key in most, if not any, criminal investigation. Recent cases like Encrochat and Sky Ecc have shown the tension between the

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need for greater security and for protection of rights that lie under new technologies. On the one hand, investigation in the cyberworld become increasingly difficult, with always new and more advanced skills required in digital forensics. Success of those investigations is paramount for everybody's security. On the other hand, there remains a need for control on those investigations, to ensure that fundamental rights remain duly protected. Such a problem is well portrayed by the topics of digital forensics, interception, lawful and unlawful encryption. The present webinar will delve into these topics through the analysis of the needs and challenges and possible improvements in the field of digital investigations.

Programme:

16 – 16:15	Opening Remarks
16:15 – 17:00	The unfolding of investigations in the cybersphere between infiltration, encryption, hacking, interceptions, and surveillance
17:00 – 18:15	Evidentiary and procedural issues of cybercrime investigation

Speakers:

Dr. Gerwin Moldenhauer, Senior Public Prosecutor at the German attorney general's office

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