

Panel discussion as part of the Swiss Cyber Security Days 2024, February 21, 2024

Dear members

At the beginning of November 2023, the Federal Office for Cyber Security (then still the National Cyber Security Center) set a new record with over 2,000 reported cyber incidents in one week. As these are only the reported incidents, there is still a number of unreported cyberattacks that have actually occurred. The re-reporting should therefore be seen all the more as a wake-up call: Strengthening cyber resilience in Switzerland is of central importance.

As the most innovative country in the world, Switzerland is a particularly attractive target for cyber attacks. Many companies and organizations have now recognized the danger. The federal government also decided to make important institutional and legislative changes at the beginning of 2024.

- What effects and changes can be expected from the **creation of the State Secretariat for Security Policy (SEPOS)** and the **Federal Office for Cybersecurity (BACS)** for Switzerland's cybersecurity architecture?
- How does the **BACS** counter the heterogeneous threat situation from cyberspace?
- How does the new **Information Security Act (ISG)** change the **minimum requirements for federal information security** and what are the consequences for **authorities, cantons and third parties**?
- How does the **division of tasks and subsidiarity** between the Confederation, cantons and communes work in the **cyber area**? What is the significance of the **Swiss Security Association (SVS)**? Who coordinates the various bodies and committees? Who is responsible for the areas of cybersecurity, crime and defense?
- To what extent is the **private sector** responsible for increasing its **cyber resilience** and how can **smaller companies with limited resources** in particular increase their resilience?
- What needs to happen in terms of **prevention, awareness-raising, destigmatization and training** with regard to cyber threats among authorities, administrations, companies and private individuals?

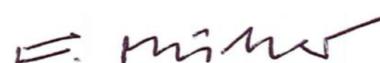
We would like to invite you to discuss these important topics and challenges with experts at the 16th FSS Security Talk as part of the Swiss Cyber Security Days.

We look forward to your participation!

With kind regards



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Program

15:00 Panel discussion and Q&A session

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