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AKSK launches the National Marathon for young talents in cybersecurity



The National Cyber Security Authority has launched the National Cyber Security Marathon 2025, a new initiative that aims to discover, develop and promote young talents in the field of cybersecurity.

Students from universities and vocational schools with a technological profile will be involved in training and practical challenges through the international SimSpace platform, under the mentorship of AKSK experts.

The marathon offers real opportunities for professional development, including the promotion of the best talents, professional internships and employment opportunities in the public and private sectors.



Strengthening regional cooperation – AKSK welcomes Kosova counterpart institutions

The National Cyber Security Authority welcomed an official visit by a delegation from the institutions responsible for cybersecurity of the Republic of Kosova. The meeting focused on presenting the activities of AKSK, the legal and regulatory framework, as well as on the exchange of experiences on infrastructure monitoring, incident response and capacity building through inter-institutional cooperation. This engagement is part of the common objective of building a secure and sustainable digital space in the region.



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AKSK at CyberPulse 2025/ Mr. Tafa- Concrete proposal for a joint regional structure in digital security

At the CyberPulse 2025 regional conference, organized in Podgorica by the RCC, the European Commission and the WB3C, the Director of AKSK, Mr. Igor Tafa, presented a concrete proposal for the establishment of a Joint Advisory Committee on digital security in the Western Balkans.

The proposal is based on the principles of international confidence-building measures and aims to establish a stable structure, with a rotating leadership and the involvement of the private sector.

Mr. Tafa emphasized the need for joint and concrete action, inviting regional actors to move from declarations to real cooperation mechanisms.

The national list of operators of critical and important information infrastructures is expanded

By decision of the Council of Ministers, the updated list of operators of critical and important information infrastructures, compiled by AKSK in implementation of Law No. 25/2024, has been approved. In total, there are 215 operators classified:

- 133 as critical infrastructure
- 82 as important information infrastructure

Following this decision, AKSK has held meetings with the operators included in the list, to familiarize them with the legal obligations, their role in the cybersecurity system and the support that will be provided by the Authority for building internal capacities and for implementing security measures.



Comprehensive education on internet safety – AKSK holds session with children with special needs

As part of the initiative for the inclusion and digital education of underrepresented groups, AKSK held an awareness session on internet safety with children with special needs and their parents.

During the activity, ways of using technology safely, recognizing and avoiding online risks, as well as protecting personal data were discussed. AKSK continues to be committed to providing information and education on digital safety in an adapted and comprehensive manner.

AKSK welcomes the new Ambassador of Spain – Focus on security and digitalization

The Director General of AKSK, Mr. Igor Tafa, hosted the new Ambassador of the Kingdom of Spain to Albania, Mr. Gabriel Cremades Ventura, in a meeting. The meeting focused on strengthening bilateral cooperation in the field of cybersecurity, sharing experiences of EU member states and supporting digital reforms in Albania.

The importance of exchanging expertise and institutional cooperation for building a secure and sustainable digital space was emphasized.

