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Albania Hosts International Girls in ICT Day 2026



Albania was selected to host the international event "International Girls in ICT Day 2026," a global initiative of the International Telecommunication Union, focused on promoting the inclusion of girls and women in technology. The event was held in Tirana by the National Cyber Security Authority in cooperation with international partners.

During the event, key topics such as artificial intelligence, cybersecurity, and gender inclusion in technology were addressed, highlighting the importance of creating equal opportunities and empowering girls to play an active role in shaping the digital future.



Cybersecurity Talent Club Continues Its Meetings Throughout April

The Cybersecurity Talent Club meetings continued throughout April, maintaining a strong focus on developing practical skills and actively engaging young people in the field of cybersecurity. Through interactive sessions, participants had the opportunity to deepen their knowledge and discuss real-world challenges of the digital environment.

During these meetings, particular emphasis was placed on the development of ideas and guiding them toward concrete solutions, through collaboration and the exchange of perspectives with field experts.



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AKSK and ITU Strengthen Their Partnership on Cybersecurity

Within the framework of International Girls in ICT Day 2026, the Director General of AKSK, Bledar Kazia, welcomed the Director of the International Telecommunication Union, Cosmas Zavazava, in an official meeting. During the meeting, the cooperation achieved to date was highly appreciated, and discussions focused on the continuation of the partnership in strengthening national capacities in the field of cybersecurity.

As part of the visit to Tirana, additional institutional meetings were also held, reaffirming the importance of international cooperation and support for initiatives that promote inclusion in technology. AKSK remains committed to further strengthening strategic partnerships in support of a secure digital environment in the country.



Enhancing Capacities for the Protection of Critical Infrastructure

During the month of April, meetings with representatives of critical and important information infrastructures continued, focusing on strengthening cybersecurity measures and increasing preparedness for incidents. These sessions addressed issues related to risk management, threat identification and response, as well as the improvement of security practices.

The meetings served as a platform for exchanging experiences and addressing concrete challenges, aiming to enhance cyber resilience and interinstitutional coordination in the protection of critical infrastructure in the country.

Raising Awareness on Children's Safety in the Digital Environment

The National Cyber Security Authority conducted an awareness session with students of Klodian Tanushi School in Tirana, focusing on their safety in the digital environment. The activity also brought together child protection representatives, ASHDMF, and the school psychologist, providing an integrated approach that connects digital security with emotional well-being.

During the session, key online risks were addressed, including cyberbullying, unknown contacts, and the sharing of personal data, as well as ways to identify and report them. This meeting is part of ongoing efforts to raise awareness among children and to build a strong culture of digital safety.

