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Don't miss your chance to attend cybersecurity pitches & B2B meetings

The European Cyber Security Organisation (ECSO), together with the [National Cybersecurity Centre of Portugal \(CNCS\)](#), [ScaleUp Porto](#), [Bright Pixel](#), [Maxive](#) and [S21sec](#), have the pleasure of inviting you to the **9th edition of the Cyber Investor Days**, scheduled on **15-16 June 2021 in Porto, Portugal**.

The most promising European cybersecurity start-ups and SMEs will have a chance to pitch their innovative cybersecurity solutions and hold B2B meetings with the leading investors and corporates from Europe and beyond. 9th Cyber Investor Days will be organised as a **virtual event, allowing remote attendance**.

Two best cybersecurity companies participating at the Porto edition of the Cyber Investor Days will be nominated to compete for the ECSO's European Cybersecurity STARTup Award. Nominees will be selected by the local jury. During the final ceremony of the Award, nominated companies will pitch in front of the European jury and will have a unique opportunity to present themselves to high-level investors, corporate executives and cybersecurity experts. For more information, click [here](#).

The last two editions of the ECSO Cyber Investor Days were organised as all-virtual events and proved to be a great success – the record number of investors and corporates attended the event, more than 200 virtual B2B meetings were held.

Interested? Make sure to **apply before Monday, 26 April 2021, midnight CET**.

ECSO cybersecurity business matchmaking events are designed to:

- Cover different investment phases, ranging from seed to strategic investment and M&A.
- Give exposure to potential corporate customers and business partners.

APPLICATION GUIDE FOR START-UPS & SMEs

The selection of the participating start-ups and SMEs is based on the most innovative solutions to be presented to investors and corporates.

FILL IN APPLICATION FORM

You can download it from [HERE](#)

PREPARE A 5-SLIDE PRESENTATION WHICH INCLUDES:

- Unique value proposition: problem, solution, product
- Market & Go-To-Market strategy
- Business model & use of proceeds
- Competition on the market
- Your top 3 competitive advantages
- Team size

SEND DOCUMENTS TO

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DEADLINE:

Monday, 26 April 2021, midnight CET

SELECTION COMMITTEE

ECISO Working Group 2 & Working Group 4 Chairs
Porto Partners' representatives

SELECTED START-UPS/SMEs

Will be individually contacted in early-May 2021

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Stage introduction of the investors and integrators
Pitches of pre-selected European cybersecurity start-ups and SMEs
B2B meetings among start-ups, SMEs, investors and corporates

About ECSO and its Partners

European Cyber Security Organisation (ECSO)

European Cyber Security Organisation (ECSO) is a non-for-profit organisation, established in 2016. ECSO unites more than 260 European cybersecurity stakeholders, including large companies, SMEs and start-ups, research centres, universities, end-users, operators, associations, as well as regional and national administrations. ECSO works with its members and partners to develop a competitive European cybersecurity ecosystem providing trusted cybersecurity solutions and advancing Europe's cybersecurity posture and its technological independence.

National Cybersecurity Centre of Portugal (CNCS)

The Portuguese National Cybersecurity Centre (CNCS) was created in October 2014 within the National Security Office. The CNCS aims to help ensure that citizens and businesses use cyberspace in a free, reliable and secure way. CNCS develops its mission with the goal of contributing to a free, reliable, and secure use of the cyberspace of national interest. As an operational coordinator and national authority on cybersecurity issues for government institutions, operators of national critical infrastructures, operators of essential services and digital services providers, the CNCS also carries its activity to society in general.

ScaleUp Porto

ScaleUp Porto was launched as a collective effort to develop a sustainable entrepreneurship ecosystem in the city of Porto. A strategy developed by the Municipality of Porto together with the local stakeholders as a first step of a coordinated program which is included in a broader municipal strategy for innovation and competitiveness.

Bright Pixel

Bright Pixel is a project that was born in April 2016 with the aim of investing in technological projects. It is an investment vehicle, which has several mechanisms through which it actively supports and invests in technological early-stage projects.

S21sec

S21Sec is a leading European cybersecurity pure player, with more than 410 security experts and offices and a global MultiSOC distributed in 4 physical locations. S21Sec works with its clients globally to enable their business transformation by managing their cybersecurity risks and protecting our client's people and assets. We can cover the organisation's needs across all the NIST Framework, from Defining their Cybersecurity Strategy to Responding to the most complex cybersecurity incidents.

Maxive Cybersecurity

Maxive Cybersecurity is a cybersecurity pure player with over 530 specialists providing services for more than 600 customers in Iberia, Benelux, Latam and North Africa. Maxive leverages a rich heritage of innovation, via the market-leading cybersecurity brands S21sec in Iberia and Excellium in the Benelux, which combined drives the development of solutions to the world's toughest cybersecurity challenges. We are an industry-leading managed security service provider with a highly differentiated threat intelligence capability. We can cover the organisation's needs across all of the NIST Framework, from defining their cybersecurity strategy to responding to the most complex incident; partnering with our clients throughout their cybersecurity journey.
