



Nicosia 15 - 16 MAY Cyprus

Conference Program

DAY 1 – Monday 15 May 2023

08:30-09:00 Registration

09:00 – 09:30 Welcoming addresses

- Vasilis Zomenos, Director CYPSEC 2023
- Michalis Giorgallas, Hon. Minister of Defence, Republic of Cyprus
- BG Neophytos Pachoulides, on behalf of the Chief of the National Guard of Cyprus, Lt Gen Dimokritos Zervakis
- Tassos Rozolis, President, Hellenic Association of Defense Materiel Manufacturers (SEKPY)

09:30 -10:30

Visiting of Cypriot Officials and Military delegations to Sponsors Exhibition Area

Coffee break, Networking

10:30- 13:00 “SENIOR SPONSOR Session”

- DAMEN, Piet J.C.M. van Rooij, Commercial Manager Defence & Security Department

“Damen's patrol vessel series and new developments in naval ship design”

- MBDA France, Marie Marchais, Technical & Military Operations Manager

“Cooperation and Innovation to strengthen European Defense & Security”

- EuroSpike GmbH, Dani Levin Kas, Managing Director

“The significant role of guided tactical missiles in modern warfare”

- AIRBUS, Airbus Helicopters, Baudoin Marraud-Des-Grottes, Head of Sales Western Europe
Airbus Helicopters, Stephane Le-Floch, Combat Marketing Segment Manager
Airbus Defence & Space, Bruno Lamarque, Vice-President Sales for Southern Europe & Israel

“Security in Cyprus by Airbus”

- SPACE Hellas, Socrates Costicoglou, Applications and R&D Director
Nikos Drosos, Senior R&D Project Manager

“Strengthening Cyber-Defense with New Advanced Technologies, Operations and Capabilities”

13:00 – 14:00

Cocktail buffet and Networking

14:00 – 15:00 “SPONSOR Session”

- SAFRAN Electronics & Defense, Gaspard Jalon, Marketing & Sales Manager

“SAFRAN from electro-optical to navigation solutions, sea with confidence”

- CS Group, Jehan-Christophe Charles, Int'l Business Development Manager

“Maritime surveillance: the deep change brought by HF surface wave radars in maritime surveillance”

- SWARMLY, Igor Rafalovsky, Director

“Unmanned Systems in the Russia-Ukraine War: Relevant Lessons for Cyprus Security”

15:00 – 16:30 “Hellenic Institute for Strategic Studies (HEL.I.S.S.) Session ”

- Lt Gen (Ret) Ippokratis Daskalakis, Director of Studies

“Modernization and replacement of weapon systems of the National Guard. Proposals for structure and staffing of the National Guard”

- Andreas Loizou, Col (Ret), Member of the Board

“How the Republic of Cyprus may cooperate with other countries in the framework of PESCO and the benefits for the National Guard”

- Vice Admiral HN (Ret) Vasilios Martzoukos, Honorary C.O. of the Hellenic Naval Academy, Vice President

“Building Deterrence in Cyprus”

- Dimitris N. Iliopoulos, Ambassador (Ret), Member of the Board

“Global geopolitical stability and security equilibrium in the Eastern Mediterranean and the prerequisites for implementing a Common Defence Dogma of Greece and Cyprus”

- Leontios Portokalakis, Surveyor Engineer., M.Sc., Ex. Manager at Helleniq Petroleum SA, Member of the Board

“Summary of Eastern Mediterranean energy programmes. Potential benefit for the EU”

End of First day

DAY 2 – Tuesday 16 May 2023

09:00 – 10:00 “SUPPORTER Session”

- Tassos Rozolis, President, Hellenic Association of Defense Materiel Manufacturers (SEKPY) & CEO, AKMON SA

“Ukraine : Lessons learned (?) concerning European Defense Industry”

- Capt (Eng) Petros Vranas HN, Branch C2/4, Dept of National Infrastructure, Hellenic National Defence General Staff

“Climate Change and Security”

- Mario Blokken, Director of the Permanent Secretariat, European Army Interoperability Centre (FINABEL)

“The impact of innovation and high-tech programs on the warfare of the 21st century”

- Jean-Marie Dumon, Deputy Director, The French Maritime Industry Association (GICAN)

“European cooperation issues in the naval and maritime domain”

10:00 – 10:30

Coffee break and Networking

10:30 – 12:30 “SPONSOR Session”

- EIGHT BELLS, Demetris Antoniou, Senior Cybersecurity Manager

“Defense and Cybersecurity: Preserving Truth”

- BlueBird Aero Systems, Dan Ben Dov, Chief Business Officer

“From Detection to Response - Combining Tactical VTOL UAVs with Loitering Munition ”

- ARQUUS, Arnaud de La Serraz , Sales Director South Europe, Canada & LATAM

“From 6 Wheels to multi- sensors platform”

- KERSHIP, Yann Boulic, Export Sales Manager and Philippe Sathoud, Marketing Manager

“KERSHIP: Agility & Expertise in Patrol and Support Vessels for Goal-Oriented Navies & Coast Guards”

- ARKEOCEAN, Thierry Brizard, Chief Engineer

“Arkeocean Subsea Defense solutions”

- SKYLD Ltd, Romeo Bratskas, Chief Operating Officer and Dr. Dimitrios Papachristos, R&D Manager

“Leveraging unmanned vehicles in the fields of security and urban safety”

- TAC-LIGHTS, Doron Carmi, Managing Director

“Equipment (mainly lighting) and Tools for use in a Mass Disaster Rescue Operation”

13:00 – 14:00

Cocktail buffet and Networking

14:00 – 15:00 “SUPPORTER Session”

- Christodoulos Papadopoulos, President, Cyprus Association of Information Protection and Privacy (CAIPP)

“Cyber Warfare and National Security”

- Cdr HN (Ret) Nikolaos Myriounis, Defence Standardization Manager, Defense Standardization Advice (DSA)

“Standards in Defence Procurements”

- Michalis Zantis, Officer of Standardisation, Cyprus Organization for Standardisation (CYS)

“Addressing Quality in the Cyprus Defence & Security Sector”

End of Conference