

Conference

Access to information and personal data protection - challenges and opportunities

18th of November 2016, Skopje Marriott Hotel, PlostadMakedonija 7

Agenda

09:30 – 10:00	Arrival and registration
10:00 – 10:15	Opening Remarks <i>Magdalena Lembovska, Security Research Fellow - Analytica Think Tank</i> <i>Paul Edwards, Deputy Ambassador, British Embassy Skopje</i>
10:15 - 11:30	Legal framework and the state of play Transparent and efficient state oversight and regulatory bodies - presentation of the legislation baseline and monitoring matrix <i>Magdalena Lembovska, Security Research Fellow - Analytica Think Tank</i> Views from the Directorate for Personal Data Protection <i>ValentinFetadzokoski, Head of the Legal Department</i> Views from the Commission for protection of the right to free access to public information <i>Valentina Fidanovska, Member of the Commission</i> Moderator: <i>BojanaMijovicHritovska, Analytica Think Tank</i>
11:30 – 11:45	Coffee break
11:45 - 12:45	Access to information and personal data protection – UK's experience Right to privacy - challenges on global level <i>Judith Rauhofer, Lecturer, University of Edinburgh, UK</i>

	<p>Online platforms for citizens' engagement <i>Tony Bowden, International Agitator, mySociety, UK</i></p> <p>Moderator: <i>Magdalena Lembovska, Analytica</i></p>
12:45 - 13:30	Lunch
13:30 - 14:30	<p>Access to information and personal data protection - view from the civil society</p> <p>Transparent public sector through the Open Government Partnership <i>Marija Risteska, Executive Director, Center for research and policy making</i></p> <p>The right to privacy vs public interest <i>Elena Trifunovska, Privacy Expert and Analyst within the project "Voicing the Public Interest" implemented by the Institute of Communication Studies</i></p> <p>The role of the civil society in ensuring the right to privacy in Macedonia <i>Tamara Resavska, Project Coordinator, Metamorphosis</i></p> <p>Protection of personal data in the work of the Police <i>Dr. Bogdan Gogov, Faculty of Security Skopje</i></p> <p>Moderator: <i>Filip Stojkovski, Analytica Think Tank</i></p>