Call for Contributions

1. Inform the Chair: with the Title of your Contribution

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3. Note: For 2021, all events will be held in a hybrid mode: on site or virtual choices (live, prerecorded videos, voiced presentation slides, and .pdf slides). We hope for better times allowing us to return to the traditional on site scientific events. However, we are ready to adapt any which way the conditions dictate.

Special track

SAFAR: Information Security Awareness at the Forefront of Achieving Organisational Resiliency

Chair

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along with

CYBER 2021: The Sixth International Conference on Cyber-Technologies and Cyber-Systems

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This track focus on reflecting on how security awareness is tackled within literature and the workplace. With a significant increase in remote work, this special track aims to identify new educational approaches or innovative ways in tackling employees preparedness to threats.

Some prior research shows that security readiness is weakened if a lack of awareness or training exists, potentially systemic effects and thus awareness has become – an incentive towards a great security culture, hence organisation understand that knowing how to train people has become a competitive advantage. Whilst acknowledgement of cyber risks in the workplace is understood, the cyber threats still contextualise, and the human side is still one top reason why a cyber breach occurs.

Proposals can be multidisciplinary, illustrating view such as strategical, tactical, or technical hence security awareness in a broad sense remains a socio-technical challenge.

Submissions could consist or relate to:

- Security Awareness Frameworks
- Challenges in Implementing a Security Awareness Programme
- Fostering Information Security Behaviour Change
- Improving Human Impact on Organisation Security
- Information Security Culture
- Derived Value of Information Security Culture
- Operational Risk Culture
- Misalignment of Security Awareness Practices
- Technical Driven Security Awareness
- Effectiveness of Security Awareness Management
- Security Awareness and its Contribution to Compliance
- Security Awareness and Training During the Pandemic

Contribution Types

- Regular papers [in the proceedings, digital library]
- Short papers (work in progress) [in the proceedings, digital library]

- Posters: two pages [in the proceedings, digital library]
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Important Datelines

Inform the Chair or Coordinator: As soon as you decide to contribute

Submission: August 12, 2021 Notification: August 28, 2021 Registration: September 10, 2021 Camera ready: September 10, 2021

Note: The submission deadline is somewhat flexible, providing arrangements are made ahead of time with

the chair.

Paper Format

- See: http://www.iaria.org/format.html

- Before submission, please check and comply with the editorial rules:

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