



# ISA Ireland Section OT Cybersecurity Conference 2024

## Ensuring Continuous Compliance: Navigating NIS2 for Secure and Resilient OT Systems

*Mullingar Park Hotel, Mullingar, Co. Westmeath N91 A4EP  
Tuesday 19<sup>th</sup> of November 2024*

Conference organised by ISA Ireland Section in partnership with Cyber Ireland

# CALL FOR CONFERENCE PAPERS & SPEAKERS

The theme of the *ISA Ireland Section OT Cybersecurity Conference 2024* is: "Ensuring Continuous Compliance: Navigating NIS2 for Secure and Resilient OT Systems".

We invite professionals, researchers, and experts in the area of OT cybersecurity within Ireland to contribute their insights, experience and research.

**Conference topics:** We welcome papers from the OT cybersecurity community for presentation during our 2024 conference.

Suggested topics include:

- AI applications to OT Cybersecurity.
- Skill Gap and Cultural Change in OT Cybersecurity.
- IT/OT/IIoT Smart Manufacturing Convergence.
- OT Related Standards and Directives (NIS2, CAF, IACS UR E26/E27).
- Implementation of CSMS based on ISA/IEC-62443.
- Continuous system monitoring/anomaly detection.
- Cloud applications for ICS/OT: security challenges and considerations.
- Third party risk management/supply chain security in ICS/OT.
- OT vulnerabilities management: how to assess, prioritize and mitigate.
- Penetration testing in the ICS/OT environment.
- Using ISA/IEC-62443 for OT risk assessment/guidelines.
- OT Cybersecurity Legal Implications and Requirements.
- Incident response for ICS/OT.
- Specific Requirements of Maritime cybersecurity.
- Zero Trust Architecture for OT Environments.

## Guidelines for Papers:

- Authors to submit an abstract of their paper by **Sunday 15<sup>th</sup> September**.
- The committee will review abstracts by **Friday 27<sup>th</sup> September**.
- Authors of accepted abstracts shall prepare detailed presentation slides and submit them for the final review of the Conference Technical Committee by **Friday 25<sup>th</sup> October**.
- Final presentations, incorporating the Committee's feedback, shall be submitted by **Monday 4<sup>th</sup> November**.
- Presentation slides should be developed using the provided conference template.
- The content of the presentations should be aligned with the conference objectives and themes.
- Presenters are expected to adhere to a presentation duration of 15-20 minutes.
- The slides should not contain promotional content for products, organizations, or individuals.
- Authors should provide a brief biography and a photograph along with their abstract.

All submissions and enquiries related to the 'Call for Papers' should be directed via email to [isaconference@isa.ie](mailto:isaconference@isa.ie).

We eagerly anticipate your contributions.



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# DELEGATES

## CALL FOR DELEGATES: OT CYBERSECURITY CONFERENCE

- Mark your calendars for an immersive day at the OT Cybersecurity Conference, scheduled for 19th of November from 8am to 4pm. Esteemed experts from the global cybersecurity community will be presenting captivating insights and discussions on the dynamic landscape of OT security.
- We extend a cordial invitation to delegates within the cybersecurity realm to register and actively participate in this significant event. To secure your attendance, please provide your name, email, and contact number by sending an email to [isaconference@isa.ie](mailto:isaconference@isa.ie) for registration.

### ■ Delegate Guidelines:

1. **Complimentary Event Registration:** We are pleased to offer complimentary event registration to all delegates, fostering inclusivity and engagement.
2. **Reserve Your Spot:** Given the limited number of available seats, we strongly recommend early registration to ensure your active participation.
3. **Delegate Pass Authorization:** Our dedicated organizing committee meticulously reviews delegate registrations and facilitates entry through an authorized delegate pass.
4. **ISA's Admission Authority:** ISA holds the authority to evaluate and approve or decline delegate registrations based on the conference's objectives.
5. **International Delegates:** Overseas delegates are advised to make independent arrangements for accommodation while attending the event in Mullingar Park Hotel.
6. **Registration Initiation:** The delegate registration process will kick off on 26th of August, providing ample time to secure your spot. Tickets will be available here:

<https://www.eventbrite.ie/e/isa-ireland-section-ot-cybersecurity-conference-2024-tickets-948608372177>

- We invite you to be part of this enlightening experience as we unite cybersecurity thought leaders for a day of knowledge exchange, networking, and industry advancement. Embrace this opportunity to deepen your insights and contribute to the discourse on elevating OT security practices.
- Your presence is highly anticipated, and we look forward to welcoming you to a transformative conference.



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