

EU-HYBNET 3rd Gaps and Needs Event #GN2023



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Rome, Italy



9.00- 16.00 CEST

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The forthcoming Gaps and Needs Event is organised by the European Centre of Excellence for Countering Hybrid Threats (Hybrid CoE) and Università Cattolica del Sacro Cuore (UCSC). The event will take place in Rome in an **in-person only format**, to which all EU-HYBNET consortium and network members are invited to contribute.

The Gaps and Needs Event is at the core of EU-HYBNET since it will determine the priority gaps and needs on which the project will focus in the forthcoming 17 months by identifying most promising innovations to fill the gaps and needs and recommending innovations uptake and standardisation. The event will also define the project's research and training focus that will benefit EU-HYBNET network members. Thanks to your contributions, the project will deliver results matching your needs!

More information regarding the methodology will be communicated to participants 2 weeks before the event.

Who? EU-HYBNET Partners and network members, according to registration check.

When? 28 of March 2023 at 9.00-16.00 CEST

Where? Università Cattolica del Sacro Cuore, Largo Francesco Vito nr.1 - "Polo Giovanni XIII", 1st floor, Room 7

Registration: Please register [here](#) by 12 March!

More information: Event organizer at UCSC: MS Monica Bernassola monica.bernassola@unicatt.it and MS Justyna Kielar justynakarolina.kielar1@unicatt.it

Agenda

Time	Topic	Speaker(s)
8.30-9.00	Registration and coffee	
09.00-09.10	Welcome & Practical information	UCSC
09.10-10.00	Welcoming remarks and introduction to the methodology and workshop topics	Mr. Maxime Lebrun, Deputy Director/Research and Analysis, Hybrid CoE
10.00-10.40	Introductions	All participants
10.40-10.50	Break and distribution to core theme groups	
10.50-12.00	Group 1. Cyber and Future Technologies Group 2. Resilient Civilians, Local Level and National Administration Group 3. Information and Strategic Communication <i>Overlapping theme: Future Trends of Hybrid Threats</i>	TBC
12.00-13.00	Lunch	
13.00-14.30	Work in core theme groups	
14.30-14.40	Coffee Break	
14.40-15.30	Work in core theme groups	
15.30-16.00	Concluding Panel	Core Theme leaders

VENUE



Polo Universitario "Giovanni XXIII" - entrance

The Gaps and Needs event will be held at the campus of Università Cattolica del Sacro Cuore, Largo Francesco Vito nr.1 - "Polo Giovanni XIII" building on the 1st floor, Room 7 ([location](#)).



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SOCIAL DINNER

Before the Gaps and Needs event, on 27 March 2023, a social dinner will be offered to all participants at Ristorante Moscati of the Courtyard Marriott Hotel, Via Giuseppe Moscati nr. 7 ([location](#)). Please indicate your interest in joining while registering for the event.



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SUGGESTED HOTELS

The proposed hotels are all within walking distance from the Università Cattolica del Sacro Cuore.



Hotel Courtyard Marriott

Telephone: +39 06 355741

[Website](#)



LH Hotel Roma Montemario (former Excel Montemario)

Telephone: +39 06 3505 8043

[Website](#)



Pineta Palace

Telephone: +39 06 3013800

[Website](#)

LEISURE

If it is your first time in Rome, we would recommend this three must-visit attractions:

1. Colosseum also known as Flavian Amphitheatre, built in 70-80 AD. It is one of the major attractions in Rome. It will be free on 03/04 for the entire day. You can find more information here: <https://www.coopculture.it/en/colosseo-e-shop.cfm>. You can find more info on the attraction at this link: <https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Colosseum>

2. Roman Forum and Palatine Hill. According to ancient tradition, it was on the Palatine Hill that the first settlement of Rome was made by Romulus in the mid eighth century B.C. In the Palatine Hill you can see hundreds of ruins of the imposing buildings that were created for high Roman society in ancient times. On 03/04 the entry will be for free. You can find more information here: <https://www.coopculture.it/en/heritage.cfm?id=4>

3. Vatican Museums and Sistine Chapel. The Vatican Museums are Christian art museums located within the city boundaries of the Vatican City, while The Sistine Chapel is a chapel in the Apostolic Palace, the official residence of the pope, in Vatican City. You can buy the ticket at this link: <https://m.museivaticani.va/content/museivaticani-mobile/en.html>

Rome is full of attractions, if you have free time and would like to see something different, please visit the website: <https://www.turismoroma.it/en>

More information and updates on the EU-HYBNET project:



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“ *Each event will produce a long list of gaps and needs that will be delivered for deeper analysis and selection of research focus areas in the four project core themes, and Gaps and Needs related training scenario compilation.*