

# Cybercrime Digest

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## **30th T-CY plenary treaty ceremony sees Budapest Convention reach 75 Parties, Benin accede to the First Protocol and Czechia and Sierra Leone sign the Second Additional Protocol**

“Today, 20 June 2024, in the presence of the Deputy Secretary General of the Council of Europe Mr Bjørn Berge, and within the framework of the 30th plenary session of the T-CY, Benin, Fiji and Kiribati acceded to the Convention on Cybercrime (ETS 185). With these new accessions, 75 States are now Parties, two have signed it and 18 have been invited to accede to the Convention. Additionally, Benin acceded to the First Additional Protocol to the Convention on cybercrime, concerning the criminalisation of acts of a racist and xenophobic nature committed through computer systems (ETS 189).” [READ MORE](#)

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Date: 21 June 2024

## **Launching CyberSPEX – enhanced co-operation on e-evidence by EU Member States through the Second Protocol to the Convention on Cybercrime (Budapest Convention)**

“The new joint project of the European Union and the Council of Europe – CyberSPEX – was launched on the 20-21 June 2024, in Strasbourg, following the 30th plenary of the Cybercrime Convention Committee (T-CY) and gathered representatives of 22 EU member States, including the European Commission, EUROJUST, EUROPOL and SIRIUS project.” [READ MORE](#)

Source: Council of Europe

Date: 17 June 2024

## **Georgia becomes the 44th State to sign the Second Additional Protocol to the Convention on Cybercrime**

“Today, 17 June 2024, Ms Ambassador Tamar TALIASHVILI, Permanent representative of Georgia to the Council of Europe, signed the Second Additional Protocol to the Convention on Cybercrime, on enhanced co-operation and disclosure of electronic evidence. The event took place in Strasbourg in the presence of Bjørn Berge, Deputy Secretary General of the Council of Europe. This accounts for 44 signatures (2 ratifications and 42 signatures not yet followed by ratification).” [READ MORE](#)

Source: UN News

Date: 20 June 2024

## UN chief warns of 'cyber mercenaries' amid spike in weaponising digital tools

"[...] The UN chief warned that malicious cyber activities are on the rise, with serious cybersecurity incidents becoming "disturbingly common". Essential public services such as healthcare, banking and telecommunications are frequently breached, and criminal organizations and "cyber mercenaries" engage in relentless illicit activities." [READ MORE](#)

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AP News, [UN chief warns of perils of 'weaponizing digital technologies' and malicious activity in cyberspace](#), 21 June 2024

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## International Criminal Court investigates cyberattacks on Ukraine as possible war crimes

"The International Criminal Court (ICC) is examining alleged Russian cyberattacks on Ukrainian civilian infrastructure as potential war crimes, marking the first instance of such an investigation by international prosecutors. According to sources, this could lead to arrest warrants if sufficient evidence is collected. The investigation focuses on cyberattacks that have endangered lives by disrupting power and water supplies, hindering emergency response communications, and disabling mobile data services used for air raid warnings. Ukraine is actively gathering evidence to support the ICC investigation." [READ MORE](#)

Source: US DoJ

Date: 26 June 2024

## Russian National Charged for Conspiring with Russian Military Intelligence to Destroy Ukrainian Government Computer Systems and Data

"A federal grand jury in Maryland returned an indictment yesterday charging Amin Timovich Stigal (Амин Тимович Стигал), 22, a Russian citizen, with conspiracy to hack into and destroy computer systems and data. In advance of the full-scale Russian invasion of Ukraine, targets included Ukrainian Government systems and data with no military or defense-related roles. Later targets included computer systems in countries that were providing support to Ukraine, including the United States. Stigal remains at large." [READ MORE](#)

Source: The Guardian

Date: 17 June 2024

## Balance effects of AI with profits tax and green levy, says IMF

"Governments faced with economic upheaval caused by artificial intelligence should consider fiscal policies including taxes on excess profits and a green levy to atone for AI-related carbon emissions, according to the International Monetary Fund. The IMF said unlike previous technological breakthroughs such as the steam engine, generative AI – the term for computer systems such as ChatGPT that can produce convincing, human-like text, voices and images from simple prompts – can spread "much faster" and advances in the technology are happening at "breakneck speed". [READ MORE](#)

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Date: 20 June 2024

## Chat Control : qu'est-ce que ce projet de loi européen qui prévoit de surveiller les conversations des messageries cryptées ?

"Protection de l'enfance contre protection de la vie privée. Les États membres de l'UE devaient se prononcer ce jeudi sur un projet de loi très controversé, sur un règlement destiné à lutter contre la diffusion d'images et vidéos à caractère pédocriminel. Mais le sujet a finalement été retiré de l'ordre du jour, et pourrait encore faire l'objet de longs pourparlers." [READ MORE](#)

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Source: *OCDE*

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## Six crucial policy considerations for AI, data governance, and privacy: Insights from the OECD

"The rapid evolution of artificial intelligence (AI) presents unprecedented opportunities and significant challenges, particularly in data governance and privacy. [...] Here are six crucial policy considerations to harmonise AI's advancements with privacy principles and how they relate to the report's main takeaways." [READ MORE](#)

Source: *Politico*

Date: 28 June 2024

## Microsoft and Google AI deals get EU antitrust scrutiny, Vestager says

"Microsoft's partnership with artificial intelligence pioneer OpenAI and Google's move to install its AI service on Samsung phones are both getting European Union antitrust scrutiny, the bloc's competition chief said. Margrethe Vestager, the EU's competition commissioner, said officials had concluded that they couldn't review Microsoft's \$13 billion in investments in OpenAI under merger rules but would send the companies follow-up questions under antitrust rules "to understand whether certain exclusivity clauses could have a negative effect on competitors." [READ MORE](#)

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## USD 257 million seized in global police crackdown against online scams

"A global police operation spanning 61 countries has delivered a financial blow to online scam networks by freezing 6,745 bank accounts, seizing assets totaling USD 257 million, and disrupting the transnational organized crime networks involved. Targeting phishing, investment fraud, fake online shopping sites, romance and impersonation scams, Operation First Light 2024 led to the arrest of 3,950 suspects and identified 14,643 other possible suspects in all continents." [READ MORE](#)

Source: Forbes Paraguay

Date: 27 June 2024

## Los CISO hacen malabares: más amenazas, menos talento y "ciber resiliencia aspiracional"

"En Latinoamérica, la ciber resiliencia está tomando un papel cada vez más crucial dentro de las organizaciones. Según una encuesta realizada por IDC Research en colaboración con Palo Alto Networks, el 78% de los líderes del sector de la ciberseguridad en esta región, así como en Europa, Oriente Medio y África (EMEA), reconocen la importancia de esta estrategia para garantizar la continuidad operativa y mitigar pérdidas frente a amenazas cibernéticas."

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Source: El Pais Chile

Date: 25 June 2024

## Chile es el primer país de América Latina y el Caribe en crear Agencia Nacional de Ciberseguridad

"La nueva Ley Marco de Ciberseguridad de Chile, promulgada este año, establece un modelo de gobernanza para prevenir y contener ataques cibernéticos y amenazas, y crea la primera Agencia Nacional de Ciberseguridad de América Latina y el Caribe, destacaron funcionarios chilenos en un seminario organizado por el Instituto de Estudios Internacionales de la Universidad de Chile." [READ MORE](#)

Source: Tyn Magazine

Date: 24 June 2024

## Según reporte de Fortinet, República Dominicana tuvo más de 240 millones de ciberataques

"Sin lugar a duda, la bonanza económica ocurrida en los últimos años, la recuperación casi ejemplar del turismo luego de la pandemia y la rápida transformación digital en las variopintas industrias, ha convertido a la República Dominicana, en un lugar atractivo para los ciberdelincuentes y para muestra el más reciente informe de la empresa Fortinet que da cuenta que tan solo en los primeros meses del 2024 República Dominicana recibió más de 240 millones de intentos de ciberataques." [READ MORE](#)

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Date: 29 June 2024

## Encontro de Magistrados Brasil & EUA discute financiamento de litígios, crimes cibernéticos e Inteligência Artificial

"A segurança digital, em especial frente ao novo mundo da Inteligência Artificial, foi o tema que permeou o mais recente evento da parceria entre o Instituto Justiça & Cidadania e a American University – Washington College of Law (WCL) dentro do Programa de Estudos Jurídicos Brasil-Estados Unidos, já em sua sétima edição. O Seminário intitulado "VII Encontro de Magistrados Brasil & EUA: Inteligência Artificial, Crimes Cibernéticos e Financiamento de Litígios" foi realizado nos dias 29 e 30 de maio e reuniu grupo renomado de especialistas dos dois países para tratar das questões legais e dos aspectos jurisprudenciais envolvendo as temáticas." [READ MORE](#)

Source: Abes

Date: 25 June 2024

## Trend Micro e Interpol unem forças contra o trojan bancário Grandoreiro

“A organização internacional prendeu, no Brasil, cinco integrantes da quadrilha que utilizava phishing para roubar dados e limpar contas bancárias. A Trend Micro, líder mundial em soluções de cibersegurança, colaborou com a Interpol na operação que resultou na prisão de cinco programadores e operadores brasileiros do trojan bancário Grandoreiro. A Unidade de Crimes Cibernéticos da organização internacional entrou em ação após acionamento das polícias federais brasileira e espanhola.” [READ MORE](#)

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Date: 28 June 2024

## La Justicia panameña absolvió a los 28 imputados en los casos “Panama Papers” y “Lava Jato”

“Un tribunal de Panamá absolvió este viernes a los 28 imputados por el caso ‘Panama Papers’, la histórica filtración de documentos del extinto bufete panameño Mossack Fonseca, que vinculó a diversas personalidades del mundo con el blanqueo de capitales, informó el Órgano Judicial (OJ). [...] En la sentencia, la jueza señala que en los “Panama Papers” se determinó que las pruebas recabadas en los servidores de Mossack Fonseca, con evidencias electrónicas que fueron aportadas al proceso en soporte papel, “no cumplieron con la cadena de custodia, así como los principios que rigen la prueba digital principalmente al carecer de valores ‘hash’ (algoritmo matemático para transformar bloques de datos) que permitieran tener certeza de su autenticidad e integridad.” [READ MORE](#)

Source: Dig Watch

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## African ministers endorse AI strategy for digital growth

“African ICT and Communications Ministers have collectively endorsed the ‘Continental Artificial Intelligence (AI) Strategy and African Digital Compact’ to accelerate the continent’s digital evolution by harnessing the potential of new digital technologies. The decision came during the 2nd Extraordinary Specialized Technical Committee on Communication and ICT session, attended by over 130 African ministers and experts. The aim is to drive digital transformation amidst rapid advancements fueled by AI technology and applications.” [READ MORE](#)

Source: aNiamey.com

Date: 16 June 2024

## Au Niger : le RJDH dénonce le durcissement de la loi sur la cybercriminalité comme un recul pour la liberté de la presse

“ [...] La nouvelle loi, signée par le général Abdourahamane Tiani le 7 juin, prévoit des peines sévères allant jusqu’à trois ans de prison et des amendes de cinq millions de francs CFA pour diffamation ou injures par voie électronique. Pour diffusion de données perturbant l’ordre public ou portant atteinte à la dignité humaine, les peines peuvent aller jusqu’à cinq ans de prison et des amendes similaires.” [READ MORE](#)

Source: Primature

Date: 24 June 2024

## Lutte contre la Cybercriminalité et la désinformation : la Côte d'Ivoire lance l'initiative "En Ligne Tous Responsables" ( 24-06-2024 )

"[...] Présidant cette cérémonie, le Premier Ministre, Ministre des Sports et du Cadre de Vie, Robert Beugré Mambé a expliqué que cette initiative vise à promouvoir un environnement numérique sain et sûr pour tous les Ivoiriens. « Elle représente un jalon crucial dans notre engagement à lutter contre la désinformation et à protéger nos citoyens en ligne, tout en renforçant le leadership de la Côte d'Ivoire dans la lutte contre ces fléaux en Afrique de l'Ouest », a dit le Chef du gouvernement." [READ MORE](#)

Source: Afriqueitnews

Date: 17 June 2024

## Le Niger renforce sa législation contre la cybercriminalité : Des peines sévères pour un meilleur avenir numérique

"Le Niger a récemment adopté une nouvelle ordonnance pour renforcer sa loi sur la cybercriminalité, visant à équilibrer la liberté d'expression et la protection des droits individuels ainsi que la sécurité publique. Signée par le président du Conseil national pour la sauvegarde de la patrie, Abdourahamane Tiani, cette législation impose des peines plus sévères pour les infractions commises par des moyens de communication électronique." [READ MORE](#)

Source: BBC

Date: 24 May 2024

## Sextorsion : "En 6 heures, mon fils était mort"

"Une mère dont le fils s'est suicidé six heures à peine après avoir été la cible de « sextortionnistes » fait campagne pour sensibiliser l'opinion publique. Jordan DeMay est mort en 2022 après que les frères Samuel et Samson Ogoshi l'ont pris pour cible depuis Lagos, en se faisant passer pour une fille séduisante de son âge, puis en le faisant chanter avec des images explicites de lui-même. Aujourd'hui, sa mère, Jenn Buta, utilise le compte TikTok que Jordan a créé pour elle afin de mettre en garde les jeunes contre de tels criminels, principalement basés au Nigéria - et ses vidéos ont plus d'un million de « likes »." [READ MORE](#)

Source: Osiris

Date: 30 June 2024

## Madagascar adhère officiellement à la Convention de Malabo

"Madagascar a franchi une étape décisive en ratifiant officiellement la Convention de Malabo. Cette annonce a été faite par le ministère du développement numérique, des postes et des télécommunications. Cette adhésion marque un renforcement de l'engagement de Madagascar pour un espace numérique national performant et sécurisé. Elle intervient après le processus de ratification par le conseil des ministres, l'Assemblée Nationale et le Sénat. Grâce à ce pas franchi, la Grande Île "pourra s'aligner sur les normes juridiques relatives à la protection des données personnelles, sous la supervision de la Commission malagasy de l'informatique et des libertés et de l'Agence nationale de la sécurité des systèmes d'information", explique le portail du ministère du développement numérique, des postes et des télécommunications." [READ MORE](#)

Source: *Innovation  
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Date: 24 June 2024

## Kenyan government agencies in the crosshairs of alleged Chinese cyber espionage

"A comprehensive report by the cybersecurity intelligence organization Recorded Future has revealed that Kenyan government agencies were among the victims of cyber espionage activities carried out by an alleged Chinese hacking group known as RedJulliett. The report documented a series of cyber attacks that occurred from November 2023 to April 2024, identifying over 24 government entities from various countries, including Kenya and Rwanda, that were compromised." [READ MORE](#)

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## Réseaux sociaux : le Cameroun signe un partenariat avec TikTok pour offrir du contenu sûr aux utilisateurs

"Le Conseil national de la communication (CNC), le régulateur des médias au Cameroun, et une délégation de TikTok ont officialisé, ce 27 juin à Yaoundé, la signature d'un protocole d'accord visant à réguler le contenu en ligne dans le pays. Cet accord inédit, rapporté par la CRTV, l'organisme public de radio-télévision, fait suite à des discussions fructueuses entre Joseph Chebongkeng Kalabubsu, président du CNC, et les représentants de la célèbre plateforme chinoise de réseautage social de partage de vidéos courtes, qui connaît un succès grandissant parmi les jeunes à travers le monde." [READ MORE](#)

Source: *The Guardian*

Date: 29 June 2024

## Revealed: the tech entrepreneur behind a pro-Israel hate network

"A prime mover behind the Shirion Collective, a conspiracy-minded, pro-Israel disinformation network seeking to shape public opinion about the Gaza conflict in the US, Australia and the UK, is a tech entrepreneur named Daniel Linden living in Florida who co-wrote a guidebook for OnlyFans users, the Guardian can reveal. Shirion has harassed pro-Palestinian activists, including many Jews, offered bounties for the identity of pro-Palestinian protesters, spread conspiracy narratives centered on figures like George Soros, and boasted of an AI-surveillance platform but offered few concrete details of how the technology functions." [READ MORE](#)

Source: *HRW*

Date: 18 June 2024

## Tunisie : Déclaration conjointe appelant à mettre fin de la répression

« Les arrestations de membres de la société civile ont coïncidé avec l'intensification de la campagne de répression menée contre des journalistes et des avocat·e·s avec l'arrestation de deux avocats et de deux journalistes. L'un des avocats est inculpé au titre du décret-loi n° 54, une loi abusive relative à la cybercriminalité, et les deux journalistes ont chacun été condamnés à un an d'emprisonnement au titre de ce même décret-loi. Le décret-loi n° 54 est devenu un outil privilégié pour étouffer la presse et la liberté d'expression ; depuis son entrée en vigueur, plus de 60 journalistes, avocat·e·s et opposant·e·s politiques ont fait l'objet de poursuites judiciaires en vertu de ses dispositions, selon le Syndicat national des journalistes tunisiens." [READ MORE](#)

Source: RFI

Date: 28 June 2024

## La cybercriminalité en plein essor en Asie du Sud-Est

“Une centaine de ressortissants taiwanais ont été arrêtées ce 28 juin sur l’île indonésienne de Bali. Ils sont accusés d’usage illégal de permis d’immigration et d’escroqueries en ligne ciblant des Malaisiens. [...] Les 12 femmes et 91 hommes arrêtés dans une villa luxueuse du paradis touristique de Bali sont soupçonnés d’appartenir à un réseau d’arnaque en ligne. Les suspects, tous de nationalité taiwanaise, auraient escroqué des Malaisiens. Ils doivent être expulsés prochainement.” [READ MORE](#)

Source: Manila Times

Date: 30 June 2024

## Philippines: The impact of cybercrime allegations on journalistic integrity

“To ensure that journalists and publications operate safely within the boundaries of the Data Privacy Act of 2012 (Republic Act 10173) and the Cybercrime Prevention Act of 2012 (RA 10175) in the Philippines, they should implement a comprehensive verification and reporting process. This process should address the ethical, legal and practical aspects of handling cybercrime reports, leaked data, and interactions with hackers.” [READ MORE](#)

Source: Reuters

Date: 24 June 2024

## Cyber attack compromised Indonesia data centre, ransom sought

“A cyber attacker compromised Indonesia's national data centre, disrupting immigration checks at airports, and asked for an \$8 million ransom, the country's communications minister told Reuters on Monday. The attack disrupted several government services, most notably at airports last week, with long lines forming at immigration desks. Automated passport machines were now functioning, the communications ministry said.” [READ MORE](#)

Source: ENISA

Date: 20 June 2024

## Cyber Europe tests the EU Cyber Preparedness in the Energy Sector

“Cybersecurity has become a growing threat gateway for the EU critical infrastructure sectors, as the number of cyberattacks has largely increased in recent years. In 2023 alone, over 200 reported cyber incidents targeted the energy sector and more than half of them were directed specifically at Europe. The significant role the sector holds for the European economy renders the energy industry particularly susceptible to cyber threats and attacks.” [READ MORE](#)

Source: The Record

Date: 28 June 2024

## Polish Parliament strips official of immunity, clearing path for prosecution in spyware scandal

“[...] Woś appears to be the first Polish politician to have legal immunity removed as a target for prosecution in what has become a sprawling scandal rocking Poland, where authorities have found that nearly 600 people, some of whom were opposition politicians and their aides, were eavesdropped on with Pegasus spyware.” [READ MORE](#)



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Source: Council of Europe

Date: 19 June 2024

## **Council of Europe at the European Dialogue on Internet Governance 2024 in Vilnius**

"The Council of Europe will participate in the 2024 edition of the European Dialogue on Internet Governance (EuroDIG), which brings together representatives of governments, international organisations, business, civil society, academia and the technical community to discuss in internet-related public policy issues." [READ MORE](#)

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Source: NATO

Date: 21 June 2024

## **NATO and Moldova continue to strengthen cooperation on energy resilience**

"NATO and Moldova continue their dialogue and cooperation to strengthen resilience in the energy sector, against cyber and hybrid threats. Experts from Moldova and NATO met in Chisinau to take stock of current efforts, on Friday (21 June 2024)." [READ MORE](#)

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Source: Council of Europe

Date: 25 June 2024

## **CyberSEE: Strengthening cooperation and real-time information exchange between Law Enforcement Agencies and Computer Emergency Response Teams**

"In June 2024, the CyberSEE project supported the Albanian State Police in organising a regional workshop within the framework of the EU policy cycle EMPACT, the cyber-attacks priority. The Albanian State Police took on the role of leader for an action aimed at strengthening the cooperation and real-time information exchange between Law Enforcement Agencies and Computer Emergency Response Teams. This action will focus on establishing a collaborative network among the Western Balkan countries to enhance regional cooperation and share best practices with European Union Member States on cybercrime." [READ MORE](#)

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Source: ABC

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## **Tories 'highly alarmed' by network of pro-Russian Facebook pages interfering in UK election**

"Revelations of foreign interference in the UK election, uncovered by the ABC, have been described as "highly alarming" by the Conservative Party, which will be writing to the Cabinet Office seeking urgent advice about how to combat it. Ahead of the UK elections, the ABC has been monitoring five coordinated Facebook pages which have been spreading Kremlin talking points, with some posting in support of Nigel Farage's populist Reform UK party — a key challenger to the Conservatives in the July 4 poll.[...] The ABC shared its findings with disinformation experts, who said the network's activity had the hallmarks of a Russian influence operation." [READ MORE](#)

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Source: Council of Europe

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## **CyberSEE Launch event and first meeting of the Project Steering Committee**

"CyberSEE joint project of the European Union and the Council of Europe organised its Launch event and the first Steering Committee meeting, on 17 June 2024, in Strasbourg, France. The meeting gathered representatives from the European Commission, the Council of Europe and delegates from Public Prosecution Offices, Ministries of Justice, Police Cybercrime Investigation Units, Financial Investigation Units, Computer Emergency Response Teams and training institutions from all priority countries/areas." [READ MORE](#)

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## **Tirana Prosecution Seized 50 mln euro Belonging to 7 Individuals Convicted in Belgium**

"Tirana Prosecution Office in cooperation with the Economic Crime Section of Tirana Police Directorate and the General Directorate of Customs and Taxes has sought the imposition of preventive precautionary measures on assets belonging to citizens E. A., M. T., K. B., D. B., E. B., V. A., E.B., as well as several commercial entities under their management. This action pertains to the criminal offense of "Laundering the proceeds of the criminal offence or criminal activity" as stipulated in Article 287, second paragraph of the Criminal Code. A preliminary assessment estimates these assets at 50 million euros. Following the investigation, sufficient evidence indicates that citizens E. A., in complicity with K. B., E. B., and others, have committed "Laundering the proceeds of the criminal offence or criminal activity " as stipulated in Article 287, paragraph 2 of the Criminal Code" [READ MORE](#)

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## **1st Steering Committee of GLACY-e project: strategic objectives and international collaboration on cybercrime**

"More than 50 participants representing 30 countries have met in Strasbourg for the first Steering Committee of GLACY-e (Global Action on Cybercrime Enhanced), a joint project of the European Union (EU) and the Council of Europe (CoE). GLACY-e builds on efforts and achievements of its predecessor projects (GLACY and GLACY+) and focuses on strengthening capacities of states worldwide to apply legislation on cybercrime and electronic evidence." [READ MORE](#)

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Source: US DoJ

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## **Four Members of Notorious Cybercrime Group 'FIN9' Charged for Roles in Attacking U.S. Companies**

"An indictment was unsealed today charging four Vietnamese nationals for their involvement in a series of computer intrusions that caused victim companies to collectively suffer more than \$71 million in losses, U.S. Attorney Philip R. Sellinger announced.[...] The defendants additionally stole personally identifiable information and credit card information associated with employees and customers of their victim companies." [READ MORE](#)

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- 1-4 July 2024, C-PROC/ZIMBABWE, (in person), Training on financial crime investigations – English edition, [GLACY-e](#)
- 2 July 2024 (TBC), C-PROC/KOSOVO, (in person), Domestic workshop on public-private cooperation on assessing and mitigating security risks and incidents in the 5G era, CYBERKOP Action
- 5 July 2024, C-PROC/RWANDA, (in person), Advisory mission on developing specialized units in cybercrime, [GLACY-e](#)
- 8-11 July 2024, C-PROC/COTE D’IVOIRE, (in person), Training on financial crime investigations – French edition, [GLACY-e](#)
- 9-10 July 2024, C-PROC/ARMENIA, (in person), Meeting on cybercrime legislation reforms / Workshop on the Second Protocol / Project country team coordination, [CyberEast+](#) and [T-CY](#)
- 10-11 July 2024, C-PROC/ TÜRKIYE, (in person), Regional workshop on Internet investigations, with DoJ, [CyberSEE](#)
- 14-17 July 2024, C-PROC/JORDAN, (in person), Training of trainers for new reference magistrates, [CyberSouth+](#)

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