



Mediterranean practitioners' network & capacity building for effective response to emerging security challenges

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Abstract

This deliverable document the initial performed risk assessment activities performed for the MEDEA project and details the proposed measures to prevent misuse of the research findings. The procedures for preventing misuse of the research findings throughout the project duration are described and explained.

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Executive summary

The MEDEA research actions will rely on the Technology, Human, Organisational and Regulatory (THOR) assessment methodology. This methodology will be primarily used to (i) assess the current technologies used by a wide range of security practitioners and first responders, (ii) study the existing Regulatory framework, (iii) identify Human skills which needs to be further developed and (iv) proposed Organisation changes to facilitate better response and preparedness. In addition, the three-horizon approach: current threats with the potential to evolve (0-3 years); Emerging threats (3-10 years); and foresight of future scenarios (>10 years) will assess emerging and future threats. Proposals, recommendations and conclusions that will result from the stakeholder's interaction will be subject to security checks and the research results will be disclosed based on their dissemination level.

The MEDEA members will perform the above research activities with benign intentions, however the possibility the research results might be used by adversaries to potential affect humans, impact security and harm the environment is not eliminated. This deliverable document the measures and the plans that MEDEA partners will use to avoid any potential misuse of materials, technologies and information and comply with the numerous international, EU and national laws that address concerns relating.