



Swiss Cyber AI Conference 2026 Agenda

Main Stage – Swiss Cyber AI

📍 Palazzo dei Congressi, Lugano – **Main Stage** – 800 seats

📅 **14 April 2026 from 11:00**

| Time | Session Title | Format & Focus |
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| 11:00 11:10 | Grand Opening | Welcome Keynote Panel – Moderator Milena & Host Taisiia |
| 11:10 – 11:30 | ⌚ Opening Panel: Beyond Deterministic Security – Securing the Agentic Era | Moderator: Yücel Karambulut Panelists: Alessandro Zoncu (VP Sales Critical Case), Christian Serra (Principal Consultant – Cyberopex), Doruntina Jakupi (Google Cloud), Gianclaudio Moresi (Corporate CISO Forbo Group). Focus: Agentic AI, autonomous decision-making, why traditional identity and security models break, and how CISOs can enable secure experimentation without losing control. |
| 11:30 – 12:00 | ⌚ Panel: AI Threats & Opportunities with Zero Trust in Cybersecurity | Moderator: Milena Thalmann Panelists: Balz Zürrer (CEO), Giovann Curatola (Google Cloud), Joshua Hunter (Director ISF) Focus: How attackers weaponize AI vs. how defenders respond, generative attacks, AI-enabled detection & forensics, Zero Trust reality. |
| 12:00 – 12:20 | 🔥 Fire Chat: When AI Fails – Who Takes Responsibility? | Live Fire Chat Speakers: Marco Randi (CTO) + Fabio Nigi (CISO). Format: Real incidents, accountability between CTO, CISO, and Business Leadership. |
| 12:20 – 12:40 | 🏛️ Panel: NIS2 & Compliance in the Age of AI | Moderator: Yücel Karambulut Panelists: Jakub Bryl, Doruntina Jakupi, Alessandro Zoncu, Rocco Talleri (Lawyer Talleri) Focus: NIS2, DORA, ISO 27001, GDPR, automation of compliance, and limits of regulation in AI-driven environments. |
| 12:40 – 13:00 | 🏛️ Panel: The Cost of a Breach – Ransomware, Insurance & Reputation | Moderator: Milena Thalmann Panelists: Christian Serra, Urs Huber + invited legal / insurance representative. Focus: Financial impact, cyber insurance, legal exposure, board communication, and reputational damage. |
| 13:30 – 19:30 | Track A/B (see next page) | Key Notes & Media Interviews & Networking & Demos |
| 19:30 – 20:00 | 🏆 Swiss Cyber AI Awards & Closing Panel: The Next Frontier of Trust | Startup Awards Ceremony. Closing Panel (proposed): Jury members + Gianclaudio Moresi Focus: AI ethics, resilience, human oversight, and trust in autonomous systems. |

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Sponsors:



Room A – Cybersecurity Track
Palazzo dei Congressi, Room A – 300 seats
14:00 – 19:30
Focus: Hands-on defense, incident response, and real-world resilience

| Time | Topic | Format | Speaker |
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| 13:30 – 14:00 | From AI Hype to AI Resilience – A Pragmatic, Scalable Enterprise Approach | Expert Keynote | Sascha Maier (CISO - sv Group) |
| 14:00 – 14:30 | Adopting AI across the workforce with confidence: The AI Genie is out of the bottle and granting infinite wishes to your employees...what next?! | Keynote + Discussion | James Derbyshire (VP Strategic Partnerships – Harmonic Security) |
| 14:30 – 15:00 | Defending the Edge: Zero-Trust & Cybersecurity & Endpoint Resilience | Expert Keynote | Giovanni Curatola (Security Engineer - Google Cloud) |
| 15:00 – 15:30 | How to orchestrate the world's best ethical hackers — human and AI — into one unstoppable force. | Expert Keynote | Sandro Nafzger (CEO Bug Bounty) |
| 15:30 – 16:00 | Inside Critical Cyber Incidents: Lessons Every Executive Must Know | Expert Keynote | Alessandro Zoncu (VP of Sales – Critical Case) |
| 16:00 – 16:30 | Red vs Blue Team Simulations – Lessons from Real Attacks | Live Demo + Discussion | Infoguard |
| 16:30 – 17:00 | How to Automate Incidents with Playbooks and AI | Keynote + Discussion | Gianclaudio Moresi (CISO – Forbo Group) |
| 17:00 – 19:00 | 🌟 Tabletop Exercise: Major Supply-Chain Breach Scenario Interactive Exercise Information Security Forum (ISF) | Interactive Exercise | Joshua Hunter (Regional Director DACH Information Security Forum) |



Room B - Artificial Intelligence Track

Palazzo dei Congressi, Room B – 300 seats

14:00 – 19:30

Focus: Artificial Intelligence and Risk Quantification

| Time | Topic | Format | Speaker |
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| 13:30 – 14:30 | Architecting Secure AI Agents | Tech Talk + Demo | Yücel Karambulut (Cybersecurity Executive – Amazon Web Services) |
| 14:30 – 15:00 | AI Governance & Ethical Challenges in Security | Keynote + Discussion | Christian Serra (Principal Consultant - Cyberopex GmbH) |
| 15:00 – 15:30 | Keynote: Real-world AI Threats | Keynote + Discussion | Carine Allaz (Founder of CIRISK Co-Founder Women4cyber) |
| 15:30 – 16:00 | Secure Your Sensitive Data and Sleep Well | Keynote + Discussion | Hervé Schweitzer (CTO & Principal Consultant – dbi services AG) |
| 16:30 – 17:00 | How to be protected by Deepfakes: Combat AI impersonation Threats | Keynote + Demo | Luzi Sennhauser (CEO - Aurigin AI) |
| 17:00 – 17:30 | Keynote: LLM and AI Agent Vulnerabilities | Keynote + Discussion | Nils Amiet (Security Researcher – Kudelski Security) |
| 17:30 – 18:00 | Building Trustworthy AI Models for Critical Systems | Keynote + Discussion | Pascal Brunner (Head of Modern Work - Campana & Schott) |
| 18:00 – 18:30 | Algorithm Design and Trustworthy AI | Keynote | Omran Ayoub (Senior Lecturer/Researcher SUPSI) |
| 18:30 – 19:00 | Threat Intelligence & Live Hacking Demo. | Demo | Donato Russo (Red Team Hacker & Cybersecurity Specialist) |

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