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To the attention of Her Excellency Kadri Simson

Your Excellency,

With the MSC 2022 only a week away, we would like to share some important information with you to help you finalize your plans. We also wanted to remind you that this conference will be different from previous editions as we are trying to navigate COVID-restrictions. We thus ask you to carefully read all information as procedures may be different from what you have become used to at previous MSC events. We also ask for your understanding that reduced room capacities may mean that not everyone will be able to participate in all aspects of the conference.

Confirmation of Registration

To be able to attend the MSC you need to complete your online registration. **If you are not registered, you will not be able to attend!** You will need a registration confirmation sheet to pick up your badge. The sheet will be available for download in the section "confirmation" of your online portal once you have completed your registration, including the upload of your vaccination certificate. Badges can be picked up at the Accreditation Desk in the Karmeliterkirche at the western entrance to the security area around the Hotel Bayerischer Hof from February 16. If you have any questions, please contact the MSC Accreditation Desk at accreditation@securityconference.org.

Vaccination Protocol

The health and safety of our participants is our first priority. Thus, all participants need to be vaccinated and be able to provide a valid certificate showing proof of vaccination with a vaccine approved by the European Medicines Agency. Please use the upload function in your portal to register your certificate. The team will contact you only if your certificate cannot be accepted.

Testing Protocol

Please note that in order to receive a badge you must be able to present formal proof of a negative PCR test (not older than 48 hours) upon arrival in addition to your registration confirmation sheet. This test will only be valid for badge pick-up and access on the day of arrival. For all subsequent days, you will need to present additional PCR tests taken within the 24hrs prior. That means that you will have to take a PCR test on the day of arrival if you intend to participate in the MSC the following day. The MSC will provide sufficient testing facilities free of charge for the duration of the conference. All badge holders must be PCR-tested every 24 hours and there will be no exceptions. A color-coded wristband will be provided to those with formal proof of a negative PCR test. Access to all MSC-venues is only possible with the combination of valid badge and the correct wristband for the day in question. Please ensure that you allow enough time between PCR test and access to an MSC-venue the following day. **Please find a more detailed information leaflet on our testing procedures attached to this mail.**

Mask Mandate

Within MSC venues it is mandatory to wear a FFP2-mask at all times, except when seated. The MSC will provide two color-coded FFP2-masks to each participant per day at various locations in and around the Hotel Bayerischer Hof. The colour code of the mask corresponds to the colour code of the test wristband for every given day.

Conference Agenda

Please find a preliminary conference agenda attached. A more detailed agenda will not be published until shortly before the conference.

Using the MSC Conferencing Platform

Our new Conferencing Platform allows you to register for events, navigate the conference weekend, participate virtually in most aspects of the MSC 2022 and to interact with other participants. Access to the Conferencing Platform will become available early next week. You can access the Conferencing Platform via your online portal. The "MSC Conferencing Platform" app will also be available in the App Store and Google Play Store. Additionally, temporary access can be provided on special tablets available at the Information Desk in the Hotel Bayerischer Hof.

Registering for Main Program Sessions

Given current COVID-restrictions **it is necessary to register for every session you are planning to attend in person via the Conferencing Platform.** If you have not registered for a session, you will not be granted access. You will, however, still be able to follow the session virtually via the Conferencing Platform. Please communicate any protocol issues to protocol@securityconference.org at your earliest convenience.

Registering for Side Events

All events for which you have received personal invitations are listed in your online portal as well as in the Conferencing Platform. Please check for new invitations regularly and indicate your preference. Please note that many side events are by special invitation only. Should you be interested in a particular event and have not received a personal invitation, we are more than happy to check with the respective organizers if capacity is available. If an in-person event has reached the room capacity and you are no longer able to register, you are welcome to participate in the event virtually via the MSC Conferencing Platform (if the event offers a hybrid option) or contact protocol@securityconference.org to check if further capacity is available.

We cannot wait to welcome you back to a real Munich Security Conference. Please contact us or your personal delegation liaison officer with any question that you might have.

Sincerely,

The MSC Team

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