

The Hague Security Delta



Join the Largest Security Cluster in Europe

A Secure Gateway to Europe

The Hague Security Delta (HSD) is the largest security cluster in Europe. In this Dutch cluster, businesses, governments, and knowledge institutions collaborate on innovations and knowledge in the field of cyber security, national and urban security, protection of critical infrastructure, and forensics. They have a shared ambition: a secure world and economic development.

Access to Market

- More than 400 active (inter-)national organisations in the field of security
- Host to world-renowned organisations: Europol European Cyber Crime Centre, OPCW, NATO, Eurojust
- Host to security events: Nuclear Security Summit, ASIS, Global Cyber Space Conference, Europol Cybercrime Conference
- Dedicated HSD Office and SME Service Desk, providing advice, matchmaking, and support
- Global exposure; Strong ties with EU, ASIS, Department of Homeland Security and Maryland (USA), Singapore, Invest Ottawa (Canada), UKTI (UK), SIGNUM (Germany)
- Strategically located, providing easy access to continental Europe and beyond
- Superior logistics and secure IT infrastructure: Schiphol Airport, Rotterdam Harbour, AMS-IX, NL-IX (#1 in DHL Global Connectedness Index)

Access to Resources

- Availability of **capital and funds**; dedicated InnovationQuarter and HSD Development Fund
- Excellent **facilities** on the HSD Campus, the National Security Innovation Centre (office space, meeting rooms, Real Time Intelligence and Gaming Labs, and training facilities)
- **Incubator** and **start-up** facilities
- Access to HSD's **Security Talent Community**
- Top of class **Cyber Security Courses**, including Cyber Security Academy and ENCS, have led to a progressive supply of cyber security talent
- Cutting-edge **knowledge and expertise** available within HSD
- One of Europe's most **highly educated, flexible, multilingual, and motivated workforces**

Favourable Fiscal Climate

- Low statutory corporate income tax rate of 25% (20% for first 200,000 Euro)
- Available tax incentives to promote corporate R&D and subsidies for innovation consortia
- Innovation box: effective tax rate of 5%
- Favourable tax treatment for expats
- Advanced Tax Rulings: certainty on future taxes
- Favourable participation exemption regime
- Fiscal unity regime to freely offset profits and losses among group members
- Consistently ranked amongst best countries for business by various rankings

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| Partners of The Hague Security Delta include: | |
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| Corporate | 3M, AGT International, Bosch Security Systems, Capgemini, Deloitte, Fox-IT, G4S, HP, KPN, Rabobank, Siemens, Thales, Trigion, Unisys |
| International institutions | Eurojust, Europol European Cyber Crime Centre, NATO Communications and Information Agency, OPCW |
| Government | General Intelligence and Security Agency (AIVD), Ministry of Defence, Ministry of Security & Justice, National Coordinator for Security and Counterterrorism, National Cyber Security Centre, National Police, Netherlands Forensic Institute |
| Knowledge & Research Institutions | European Network Cyber Security (ENCS), Netherlands Organisation for Applied Scientific Research (TNO), The Hague Centre for Strategic Studies (HCSS) |
| Small & Medium Sized Enterprises | Aerialtronics, Authasas, Axis Communications, E-Semble, ENAI, Group2000, ICOPP, Redsocks, Tracks Inspector |
| Education | Cyber Security Academy, Delft University of Technology, The Hague University of Applied Sciences, University of Leiden |



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