



## IT'S TIME FOR CYBER SECURITY SCALEUPS TO SHINE!

Get recognised by the most influential Integrators & End-Users Access to the European Cyber Security Market | 13-14 September 2018, Milan

We are excited to invite you to the 3rd edition of ECSO Event to support European Scaleups and SMEs organised in cooperation with the European stakeholder EIT Digital. Through this unique opportunity, you will showcase your technology and introduce yourself to industry-leaders and integrators that are looking for the most promising cyber security companies.

Last editions of ECSO Startups Event in Tallinn (Sept., 2017) and Paris (Feb., 2018) successfully gathered +50 European startups and 20 international investors with several deals closed. This time in Milan, we facilitate the meetings between Integrator firms and End-Users with 25 innovative and promising cyber security Scaleups looking for market opportunities.

### **DATE & LOCATION**

DAY #1 TRAINING SESSION 13 Sept. 2018, EIT Digital, Milano Satellite CLC, Viale Sarca, 226, Milano DAY #2 MATCHMAKING SESSION 14 Sept., Politecnico di Milano, Piazza Leonardo da Vinci, 32, Milano - ITALY

## FORMAT OF THE EVENT

# PRE-SELECTION PHASE: 25 scaleups to be selected on the basis of the most innovative solutions they attempt to introduce to the Integrators and End-Users.

- **SCALEUP Competition:** Interested Scaleups are enquired to provide 5 slides presentation about their company and solutions to ECSO (wg4 secretariat@ecs-org.eu) & EIT-D(wolfgang.kniejski@eitdigital.eu)
- The presentation must answer the criteria listed in the "Registration for pre-selection phase" document, below.
- The selected 25 Scaleups list for the Matchmaking Session will be published on the 23rd of July.

# DAY 1 (from 14:00) comprises a special training by EIT Digital dedicated team of experts for the 25 selected scaleups. This will prepare them to be ready for the 'Pitch Session' with potential customers.

# DAY 2 is all about the access to market perspectives. Scaleups representatives will have the opportunity to showcase their solutions and in parallel to meet individually integrators and potential customers to pitch their solutions in 5 min + 3 min **Q&A.** Besides, **B2B meetings** will also be organised.

AGENDA DAY #2

9:00 - 9:30 Welcome and booth installation

## 9:30 - 11:00 Panel Discussion

Needs and solutions for boosting European companies and facilitating the creation of global champions specialized in cyber security. ECSO, EIT-Digital, European Commission - TBC.

11:00 -11:30 Coffee break

11:30 - 12:30 Matchmaking session #1 Pitch session & F2F presentation between European scaleups and international Integrators & End-Users

12:30 Lunch break

13:30 - 14:30: Matchmaking session #2

14:30-14:45- Coffee break

14:45 – 16:00 Matchmaking session #3

16:00: End of the event

Download the Cyber Security Scaleup Competition Register Form here Send it to wg4 secretariat@ecs-org.eu Deadline 15st July2018





# ECSO & EIT-DIGITAL SCALEUP COMPETITION REGISTRATION FOR PRE-SELECTION PHASE

# **# PRE-SELECTION PHASE:**

- 1. Interested Scaleups are required to fill in the Excel registration form available here.
- Candidates are requested to provide 5 slides presentation about their company and solutions, with their register form completed, to both:
   ECSO (wg4\_secretariat@ecs-org.eu) & EIT-Digital (wolfgang.kniejski@eitdigital.eu).
- 3. 25 scaleups to be selected on the basis of the most innovative solutions they attempt to introduce to the integrators end end-users.
- 4. The presentation must include the relevant information corresponding to the criteria of selection listed below:
  - Degree of innovation
  - Value proposition / USP
  - Revenues from customers (grants not to be included)
  - Market segments listed by ECSO in the Excel registration form:
    - Fraud / Identity & Access Management / Application Web Security /
      Network Security / End-point Security / Cyber security Services /
      Governance Risk & Compliance / Mobile Security / Data Protection /
      Mobile Security / ICS & IoT Security / Cloud Security / Other (to specify)
  - Team Size
- 5. Deadline for registration is fixed on the 15<sup>th</sup> of July 2018.
- 6. The selected 25 Scaleups list for the Matchmaking with the Integrators and End-Users will be **published on the 23<sup>rd</sup> of July 2018 with the final Agenda.**

# # DAY 1 - SPECIAL SCALEUPS TRAINING (from 14:00)

- 1. A special training by **EIT Digital** dedicated team of experts for the 25 selected scaleups.
- 2. This will prepare you to be ready for the 'Pitch Session' with Integrators & End-Users.
- 3. It will approve/improve your readiness to pitch to potential buyers.
- 4. It will help to create a Story Board for the scaleup focussing on highlights.

# # DAY 2 - MATCHMAKING SESSIONS

- 1. **Scaleups representatives** will have the opportunity to showcase their solutions to the audience composed of Integrators and End-Users.
- 2. Scaleups to meet individually Integrators and End-Users to pitch their solutions in 5 min + 3 min Q&A. B2B meetings to be also organised as soon as the participation list is finalised.
- Each company can be represented by 2prs.
- Limited Seats, registration will be on first come-first serve basis.
- Travel & accommodation costs are not covered by the organisers.