



Kosovo Banking
Association



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Banking Cybersecurity Forum 2024

Prishtina, Emerald Hotel
1 October 2024
08:30 – 12:30

Agenda

08:30 – 09:00 — **Reception and registration**

09:00 – 09:05 — **Welcoming remarks**

Petrit Balijsa – Chief Executive Officer, Kosovo Banking Association

09:05 – 09:20 — **Opening speech**

Suat Bakkal - Chairman of the Board of Directors of Kosovo Banking Association / Chief Executive Officer, BKT
Bartosz Ciolkowski - Executive Vice President, Southeast Europe at Mastercard
Milot Cakaj – Deputy Governor for Financial Supervision, Central Bank of the Republic of Kosovo

09:20 – 09:35 — **Presentation**

“Overview on global cybersecurity trends, focus on challenges and activities in Kosovo” – Arbnor Imeri – Vice Chairman of the Cyber Security Committee of Kosovo Banking Association/Head of Information Security Function, ProCredit Bank

09:35 – 10:35 — **First Panel**

“The Role of Cybersecurity in Maintaining Trust in Banking System: Instant Payments and Other Digital Payment advancements”

Moderator: Xhanan Karaqa – Member of the Cyber Security Committee of Kosovo Banking Association / Head of Security, NLB Bank

Panelists:

- Elvin Mala – Head of Information Systems Supervision Division, Central Bank of the Republic of Kosovo



- Cihan V. Salihoğlu – Principal/Vice President, Advisors & Consulting Services, Strategy & Transformation, Mastercard
- Emanuela Caushi Azemi – Acting Chief Risk Officer, ProCredit Bank
- Primoz Vogrinec – Chief Information Security Officer, NLB Slovenia
- Pavel Shust – Digital Financial Services Regulation, Compliance, and Development Expert, International Finance Corporation

10:35 – 10:45 — **Questions and answers**

10:45 – 11:00 — **Coffee break**

11:00 – 11:15 — **Presentation**

*“Cyberattacks sophistication - how to build resilience” –
Jose M. Moreno De Barreda – Global Digital Finance Specialist,
International Finance Corporation*

11:15 – 12:15 — **Second Panel**

*“Increasing Cybersecurity Through Inter-Institutional and
International/Regional Cooperation”*

Moderator: Ertan Iliyaz – Member of the Cyber Security Committee
of Kosovo Banking Association / Chief Information Security Officer,
ISBANK

Panelists:

- Ledia Canga – Expert of Cyber Risk, National Cyber Security Authority
- Lule Ahmedi – Member of the Board, Regulatory Authority of Electronic and Postal Communications
- Ermal Galo - Member of the Cyber Security Committee of Albanian Association of Banks/Head of Information Security, Union Bank Albania
- Agim Ahmeti – Chairman of the Cyber Security Committee of Kosovo Banking / Chief Information Security Officer | Chapter Lead, Raiffeisen Bank
- Gonxhe Sylaj – Cyber Security Professional / Women4Cyber
- Jose M. Moreno De Barreda - Global Digital Finance Specialist, International Finance Corporation

12:15 – 12:25 — **Questions and answers**

12:25 – 12:30 — **Closing**

Arbnor Imeri – Vice Chairman of the Cyber Security Committee of
Kosovo Banking Association / Head of Information Security
Function, ProCredit Bank

12:30 — **Lunch**