



NTNU CCIS and SFI NORCICS Joint Conference 2025
“Future directions of Cyber Security in the light of Disruptive Technologies”

November 18-19 2025, Hotel Scandic Lerkendal Trondheim

Day 1, Tuesday November 18

10:30-11:00	Registration, coffee, mingling
11:00-11:30	Welcome Thomas Tybell, Dean Faculty of Information Technology and Electrical Engineering NTNU, Chair of the CCIS and NORCICS Boards Basel Katt, Head of Department of Information Security and Communication Technology NTNU Peggy Sandbekken, Director NTNU CCIS Sokratis Katsikas, Professor NTNU and Centre Director SFI NORCICS
11:30- 12:30	Lunch
12:30- 13:10	Keynote: Generative AI and LLMs: Double-Edged Swords in Critical Infrastructure Protection Jeriek Paul Van den Abeele, Telenor
13:10 - 13:50	Keynote: Insights into deploying Private 5G and outlook to making 6G happen Dirk Trossen, VP Research& Development, Chief scientist Norwaves Networks and Executive Partner DaPaDOT Tech
13:50 – 14:10	Overview of NORCICS results Stephen Wolthusen, Professor NTNU/IIK and WP2 Leader SFI NORCICS
14:10 – 14:50	PhD/PostDoc/Researcher pitches Session chair: Poul Einar Heegaard, Professor NTNU/IIK and Centre Associate Director SFI NORCICS
14:50- 15:20	Break and mingling
15:20- 16:00	Keynote: It's the law: Some technical things all Security Architects ought to know about CRA, EUCC regulation Markku-Juhani O. Saarinen, Professor of Practice, Faculty of Information Technology and Communication Sciences, Tampere University
16:00-16:05	Closing

18:30 Aperitiff

19:00 Dinner

Day 2, Wednesday November 19

08:30-09:00	Registration, coffee, mingling
09:00-09:10	Welcome
09:10 - 09:50	Keynote: The Evolution of Cyber Operations Benjamin James Knox, The Norwegian Cyber Defence and Adjunct Associate Professor NTNU CCIS/IIK
09:50 - 10:30	Keynote: Cyber threat intelligence and management decision-making behavior: Gathering data through agent-based simulations, cyber exercises and serious games Erjon Zoto and Grethe Østby, NTNU
10:30 – 11:10	Keynote: AI-driven digital forensics: Navigating cybersecurity challenges in the age of disruptive technologies Hans Hensler, Professor with the Nederlands Forensic Institute
11:10 – 11:30	Building the new cybersecurity workforce (CTF, NRC, EVU, etc) Session chair: Sokratis Katsikas, Professor NTNU/IIK and Centre Director SFI NORCICS
11:30- 12:30	Lunch
12:30 – 13:10	Keynote: NTNU-HUNT data services: utility, security, and privacy considerations Arnulf Langhammer, Professor, NTNU ved Medisin og helsevitenskap
13:10-14:30	BRUA projects I (Introduction + 7 projects) NSM, NFR, NTNU
14:30- 15:00	Break and mingling
15:00-16:00	BRUA projects II (6 projects) NSM, NFR, NTNU
16:00-16:30	Closing and the future of NORCICS and CCIS