EACA 2026 Annual Training Conference Preliminary Agenda (ver. November 3rd, 2026)

Agenda

Moderator: Michelle Yew, Noémi Eckhoff

Time	Content/Title	time [min]	Presenter	Institution and/or Function
Day 1 - 9th November				
07:30-08:30	Registration, Morning Coffee	60		
08:30-08:45	Opening and President Welcome to Delegates	10	Sam Steiner and Andreas Melinato	EACA and EFI
08:45-09:35	Agentic AI Investigations across unstructured and structured data	50	Giovanni Tummarello and Team	Octostar
09:40-10:20	The Road to WW3: American Power Projection and Iranian Intellectual Strategy.	40	Sarah Crielesi	European Forensic Institute Lecturer and international experienced researcher
10:20-10:50	Coffee Break and Meet our Sponsors	30		
10:50-11:40	**Keynote: Violence reduction in England and Wales and how it has improved crime analysis**	50	Dr. Spencer Chainey	UCL London
11:45 - 12:05	The Benefits of AI and Metadata for Public Safety and Investigations	20	Charlotte Cardona and Team	Intersec
12:05-13:05	Lunch and Meet our Sponsors	60		
13:05-13:55	Analyzing and Understanding Crime Hot Spots	50	John Beck and Team	Esri USA
14:00-14:40	From Static Maps to Situational Awareness: The Power of Web GIS	40	Stacy Belledin	Amplified Analysis USA, former LEA Analyst
14:45-15:25	The Powder Puff Bandit: Solving a Bank Robbery Series with OSINT	40	Dr. Sally P. Vander Lugt	OSINT Instructor
15:25-15:55	Coffee Break and Meet our Sponsors	30		
15.55-16:25	Evidence-Based Policing – Using a Hotspot Policing Project in South Africa as an Example	30	Bernhard Egger	SAPS Advisor South Africa, ret. Bavarian Police Chief
16:30-17:30	Panel Session	60	Noémi Eckhoff and Panelists	European Forensic Institute Lecturer, former LEA Analyst
17:30-18:30	**Grab a drink at the Octostar booth**	**60**	Giovanni Tummarello and Team	Octostar
19:00-23:00	**Networking event sponsored by Esri: Prateralm Vienna**	**240**	John Beck and Team	Esri USA
Day 2 - 10th November				
07:30-08:30	Morning Coffee and Meet our Sponsors	60		
08:30-09:20	From Source to Market: How Latin American Organized Crime Structures Are Adapting to European Demand	50	Dr. Agnes Aponte-Munoz	Freelance Researcher
09:25-09:45	Free to Operate - Control Your Footprint in Online Investigations	20	Stefan Erne and Team	Slinf
09:50-10:10	Acceleration without Sacrificing Defensibilit	20	Kai-Michael Lilie	Nuix
10:10-10:40	Coffee Break and Meet our Sponsors	30		
10:40-11:30	Building a Capability: Australia's Journey to Operational Geographic Profiling	50	Adam Marsden	Geographic Profiler Australia
11.35-12:15	Roadmap to Optimizing Agency Resources (R.O.A.R.) for Crime Analysis	40	Noémi Eckhoff	European Forensic Institute Lecturer, former LEA Analyst
12:15-13:15	Lunch and Meet our Sponsors	60		
13:15-13:35	Investigating criminal domains with the Voyager OSINT Platform	20	Simon Peterson and Team	Web-IQ
13:40-14:10	Intelligence-Led Policing: Conceptual Challenges, Organisational Resistance, and the Danish Experience	30	Jakob Lindergaard-Bentzen and Dr. Adrian D. James	Senior Advisor National Special Crime Unit Denmark Reader in Police Studies & Head of Research Liverpool Centre for Advanced Policing Studies
14:15-14:35	Case Study and Best Practice	20	George Bara and Team	Zetta
14:35-15:05	Coffee Break and meet our Sponsors	30		
15:05-15:45	Connecting the Dots: Moving from In-Depth Analysis to Meaningful Assessment in the SARA Model	40	John Chapman	Community Safety Analytics Contractor, Birmingham City Council
15:50-16:10	Case Study and Best Practice	20	Piotr Gocal and Team	Matic Poland
16:15-16.30	From Research to Practice: Supporting Criminal Intelligence Analysts in Poland and Europe	15	Rashel Talukder	Polish Platform for Homeland Security
16:30-17:30	Training and pursuing degrees as a driver of Intelligence-Led Policing: From Learning to Organizational Change	60	Jakob Lindergaard-Bentzen and Panelists	Senior Advisor National Special Crime Unit Denmark
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Day 3 - 11th November				
07:30-08:30	Morning Coffee and Meet our Sponsors	60		
08:30-08:50	Financial Fraud Investigation Using Neo4j and GraphAware	20	Ondrej Bimka	Graphaware
08:55-09:35	The Modus Operandi of National Leader Assassinations	40	Magnus Andersson	Intelligence Project Manager/PhD-student, Swedish Police/Lund University
09.40-10:00	From Handle to Handover: Capabilities a Modern Cybercrime Team Needs	20	OR LEV, VP SALES ENGINEERING at KELA	Kela
10:05-10:35	From Hotspots to Harm Patterns: A Crime Analysis Framework for Cumulative, Low Trace Technology Enabled Coercion	30	Eser Durmaz Martins	European Forensic Institute, Master's Student
10:35-11:05	Coffee Break and meet our Sponsors	30		
11:10-11:40	Building Cases from Unstructured Data: What AI Can, Can't, and Shouldn't Do	30	Markus Franke and Team	Paliscope
11:45-12:25	Help me, Help You: Bridging the Gap Between Intelligence Analysts and the Front Line	40	Renee Leclerc	Royal Canadian Mounted Police (RCMP)
12:30-12:50	Image and Video Forensics	20	Christopher Knight and Team	EcaptureDtech
12:55-13:35	Tracing the path of a fall, from theory to the case of Tony Drago, assisted by advanced tool	40	Ledio Zeneli	European Forensic Institute, Master's Student
13:35-14:00	**Announcement of the raffle winners, President Conference Closure**	20	**Sam Steiner and Andreas Melinato**	EACA and EFI