

Privacy Statement – ECHO Workshops and events

PRIVACY STATEMENT**Information to be provided for workshops and events**

(art. 13 GDPR “Information to be provided where personal data are collected from the data subject”)

European network of **C**ybersecurity centres and competence **H**ub for innovation and **O**perations.

ECHO delivers an organized and coordinated approach to improve proactive cyber defence of the European Union, through effective and efficient multi-sector collaboration. The Partners will execute on a 48-month work plan to develop, model and demonstrate a network of cyber research and competence centres, with a centre of competence at the hub.

Data controller and Data Protection Officer

RHEA SYSTEM SA (RHEA), established in AVENUE EINSTEIN 8, WAVRE 1300, Belgium, is the Data controller and will manage personal data in compliance with the provisions of European Regulation 2016/679 ("GDPR"), thanks also the establishment of a Privacy Team and the nomination of a DPO (Data Processor Officer).

Data subject can contact the Data Controller and DPO to the following email – address:

Controller Contact: echo.project@rheagroup.com

Data Protection Officer Contact: Jean-Yves Dumoulin:

echo.data.protection.officer@rheagroup.com

Data collected

ECHO is organizing a 2-hours Workshop “TACKLING MALWARE IN THE WILD” on 5 October, 2022 with online location using MS Teams.

Before making a decision on whether you want to participate or not, please read this document carefully. Please ask all the questions you may have so you can be completely sure to understand all the proceedings of the study, including risks and benefits. This informed consent document may include words that you do not understand. If this is the case, please ask the controller or the DPO to fully explain the meaning of the word or piece of information you do not accurately understand. At all times, we assure the compliance with the current legislation. With your consent, we will collect:

- **Contact data** (last name, first name, email address)
- **Work experience data** (Cybersecurity years of experience, affiliation type, participation to previous ECHO events)
- **Digital material** (photos, videos)

Purposes of the processing

The video recording made during the workshop will be treated under strict confidentiality. The recordings comply with the ethical and legal standards in the EU (GDPR). The further use of the recordings for learning purposes will not include personal data and such data will not be provided to

third party. The feedback of the participants will be anonymized and aggregated, so as to not reveal personal information and identity.

You are asked to participate to workshop “**TACKLING MALWARE IN THE WILD**” carried out by members of the Consortium, as part of the following Work Package(s):

- WP 4 - Inter-Sector Technology Roadmaps & Demonstration Cases
- T8.3 - Early prototypes demonstration workshops

The workshop will take less than 2 hours.

In particular, the main goals of the workshop “TACKLING MALWARE IN THE WILD” are the following:

- Addressing some of the problems related to IT product design in term of data protection and cyber-penetration vulnerabilities.
- Attend the practical demonstration of one of the software prototype developed within ECHO to help IT product designers against cyber-penetration and cyber-failure.

Data protection, confidentiality and privacy policies

Your contact data will be securely stored separately from the questions that you have provided. All data will be kept confidential, stored safely, transcribed and pseudonymised or anonymized.

Responses you give will be recorded. Your recorded data will not include any personal identification; hence it will not be possible to identify your responses afterwards.

Information will be processed during the phase of data analysis and will be shown or only used in project reports. It will not be possible to identify the source of the information. The results of this investigation may be published in scientific journals or conferences and may be used in further studies. Nothing of the provided personal data will be handled out to third parties.

The ECHO consortium as a whole as well as each consortium Partner has taken appropriate technical and organizational measures for the protection of personal data processed for the implementation of the ECHO project. Namely:

- Each Partner has appropriate (internal) security and privacy policies in place
- Partners without a security and privacy policy will enforce the security and privacy policy provided by the Data controller
- Each Partner uses state of the art technology/infrastructure and security solutions (firewalls, encryption, backups, etc.) and implements strict access control
- Each partner conducts regular security testing (vulnerability scans, etc.) of its internal infrastructure

Recipients of data collected

Personal data will be collected and handled only by key-personnel of the ECHO project involved in research activities.

Data will not be passed, sold or given in another way to third parties that might use it with other purpose.

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Photos and video will be publicly available on the ECHO Project website, through the press or other social media means, but they will not be disclosed to other specific recipients by another means.

Benefits and risks

You will learn more about specific topics of the project and you will have the possibility to do networking within the ECHO Project members, stakeholder and cybersecurity experts.

No risk is foreseen. You are only requested to be available to participate.

You can get more information in the ECHO website: www.echonetwork.eu

Period for which the personal data will be stored

Data will be stored during the project lifetime and 5 years after the project end (as agreed with the EC in the Grant Agreement).

Where does the data reside and where they are transferred

Personal data are stored on servers located within the European Union. In any case, it is understood that the Data Controller, if necessary, will have the right to move the servers even outside the EU. In this case, the Data Controller ensures that the data transfer outside UE will take place in compliance with the applicable legal provisions, also through the provision of standard contractual clauses provided by the European Commission and the adoption of binding corporate rules for intragroup transfers.

Consent

The provision of data and the related processing for the purposes referred above is necessary, but not mandatory, to participate to the workshop. **Any refusal or missed submitting will lead to the inability to be involved in the workshop activities.**

Rights of the data subject

You are the data subject of your personal data. The data subject may exercise her/his rights at any time. Specifically, the data subject can ask the data controller to:

- Access personal data;
- Rectify personal data;
- Obtain erasure of personal data.

The data subject is aware of the:

- Right to object to the processing of her/his data;
- Right to withdraw consent at any time;
- Right to lodge a complaint with a supervisory authority.

If RHEA intends to further process personal data for a different purpose than that for which it is collected, prior to such further processing, consent shall be sought from the data subject that shall be provided with full information regarding the different purpose and any further relevant information.

Informed consent

By accepting this document, you declare:

- to be 18 years or older and be competent to provide consent
- to have read the “Privacy Statement/Information to be provided” document

- to have been fully informed about the aims and purposes of the ECHO Project
- to agree freely and voluntarily to participate to the workshop giving your personal data
- to have had the opportunity to ask questions
- to be aware of:
 - identity and contacts of the relevant controller and the contacts of the data protection officer;
 - the methods and purposes of the following data collection and processing;
 - your rights;
 - information may be shared between any of the other researcher(s) and partners participating in this Project;