



**Agenda**  
**The ITU–INTERPOL Regional Cyberdrill for Africa**

**DAY 1 Regional Conference**

Tuesday 1 July 2025

**08:30 – 09:15 Registration**

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**Opening Ceremony**

**Moderator: Gildas Mayela**, Advisor to the prime minister, Rep. of Congo

**Welcoming Remarks**

- 09:15 – 10:00**
- **Stella Mensah Sassou**, Nguesso, Mayor of Kintele
  - **Cosmas Zavazava**, Director of the Telecommunication Development Bureau, ITU
  - **Isah Mohammed**, Head of Africa cybercrime operations desk, INTERPOL.
  - **Abdourahamane Diallo**, UN resident coordinator, Rep. of Congo
  - **Jean Dominique OKEMBA**, Minister Secretary general of the National Council of Security, Rep. of Congo
  - **Leon Juste IBOMBO**, Minister of Posts, Telecommunications and Digital Economy, Rep. of Congo
  - **H.E. Anatol Collinet MAKOSSO**, Prime minister, Rep. of Congo
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**10:00 – 10:30 Group Photo & Networking Break**

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**Spotlight Presentation 1: Presentation on Republic of Congo's Cybersecurity Architecture**

**10:30 – 10:45**

**Oboulhas Tsahat Conrad Onésime**, Director General of National Agency of information security systems (ANSSI), Rep. of Congo

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**10:45 – 11:00 GCI 2024 Insights – Key Discoveries, Lessons, and Challenges in Africa Region**

**Serge Valery Zongo**, Programme officer, ITU

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**Combatting Cybercrime in Africa – Insights from INTERPOL's 2025 African Cyberthreat Assessment**

**11:00 – 11:15 Paul PAJARES**, Cybercrime Intelligence Officer, Cybercrime Directorate INTERPOL

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**Panel 1: Strengthening National Cyber Resilience in Africa – Priorities, Good Practices, and Multi-Agency Coordination**

**11:15 – 12:30**

This session will bring together national stakeholders from across Africa, including

cybersecurity agencies, law enforcement bodies, and other key institutions, to share practical experiences in strengthening national cyber resilience. It will explore priorities, challenges, and good practices in implementing national strategies, enhancing institutional coordination, and fostering inclusive, whole-of-government and multi-stakeholder approaches to cybersecurity.

Moderation:

- **Narcisse KIOUARI**, Head of the Electronic Communications Sector Monitoring Office International Affairs Department, Directorate of Legal and International Affairs – ARPCE, Rep. of Congo

Speakers:

- **GOMA Serge Parfait**, Technical advisor, ANSSI, Rep of Congo
- **Christian NDJIDDA ADAWAL**, Senior Assistant Superintendent of Police, Head of Technical and Transmission Service, General Delegation for National Security, Cameroon
- **Pedro Diogo CACHARAMBA**, Cybercrime Specialist, Criminal Investigation Service, Angola
- **Luka Mafereka** - CTI Analyst, Lesotho communications CIRT, Lesotho

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12:30 – 13:30 **Lunch Break**

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**Spotlight Presentation 2: INTERPOL's Operations – A Coordinated Law Enforcement Response to Cybercrime in Africa**

13:30 – 13:45

**Lauren MISSLER**, Regional Specialized Officer, Cybercrime Directorate, INTERPOL

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**Panel 2: Advancing Sustainable Cybersecurity Capacity Building in Africa – The Role of Partnerships, Donor Cooperation, and Multi-Sector Engagement**

This session will explore how partnerships and donor-supported initiatives involving cybersecurity agencies, law enforcement, and development partners can strengthen national capacities in Africa. It will showcase good practices in aligning efforts across sectors to build sustainable, inclusive, and resilient cybersecurity ecosystems.

13:45 – 14:45

Moderation: **Serge Valery Zongo**, Programme officer, ITU

Speakers:

- **Isah Mohammed**, Head of the Africa Cybercrime Operations Desk, Cybercrime Directorate, INTERPOL,
- **Ezra Kipkoech KIPSAINA**, Assistant Cyber Security Investigations and Digital Forensics Analyst, Ke-CIRT, Kenya,

- **Onur Özen**, Chief Executive Officer, Realtyme,
- **Jean Marius IBARA KIEBE KANIMBOET**, Technical advisor, ANSSI, Rep of Congo

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### Spotlight Presentation 3: Cyber Resilience in the Age of AI – Opportunities and Risks

14:45 – 15:00

**Eric Armel NDOUMBA**, National Coordinator of the African Center for Artificial Intelligence Research, Telecommunications Advisor to the Minister. Rep. of Congo

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15:00– 15:20 **Coffee Break**

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### Panel 3: Developing National Cyber Crisis Management Plans – Roles of National Cybersecurity and Law Enforcement Agencies

This session will focus on the development of national cyber crisis management plans in the Africa region, highlighting the complementary roles of national cybersecurity and law enforcement agencies. It will showcase good practices in institutional coordination, incident response planning, and strengthening national readiness to manage complex cyber crises.

Moderation: **Lauren MISSLER**, Regional Specialized Officer, Cybercrime Directorate, INTERPOL

Speakers:

15:20 – 16:20

- **Tonny CHIMUDZI**, Detective Assistant Inspector, Digital Forensic Examiner, Zimbabwe Republic Police
- **Henry Franck YEHI**, Department Head, CI-CERT, Côte d'Ivoire
- **Marwan Ben Rached**, Senior cybersecurity coordinator, ITU
- **Murphy Fred Vilaire MIEKOUTIMA SEMO**, Expert in Cyberlaw, Rep of Congo
- **Gaslanie Mackosso**, Network and Telecommunications administrator, ARPCE, Rep. of Congo

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### Closing Remarks:

16:20 – 16:30 **Oboulhas Tshat Conrad Onésime**, Director General of National Agency of information security systems (ANSSI), Rep. of Congo

## DAY 2 Training

Wednesday 2 July 2025

09:00 -11:00	<p>Training Track I (Technical) <b>Detecting Attacker TTPs and IOCs with Open-Source Tools.</b></p> <p><b>Samiul Islam</b>, Technical trainer FIRST community, Forum of Incident Response Teams (FIRST).</p> <p><b>Muchilwa Lawrence</b>, Africa Regional Liaison, Forum of Incident Response Teams (FIRST).</p>	<p>Training Track II (Management) <b>From Awareness to Action: Best Practices for Secure Government Communications</b></p> <p><b>Onur Özen</b>, CEO Realtyme</p>
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### DAY 3: SCENARIO-BASED EXERCISES

Thursday 3 July 2025

09:30 – 10:00 Team creation, registering team accounts to Cyber Range

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10:00 – 12:30 **Scenario 1:**  
**Samiul Islam**, Technical trainer FIRST community, Forum of Incident Response Teams (FIRST).  
**Muchilwa Lawrence**, Africa Regional Liaison, Forum of Incident Response Teams (FIRST).

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12:30 – 13:30 Lunch Break

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13:30 – 16:30 **Scenario 2:**  
**Marwan Ben Rached**, Senior cybersecurity coordinator, ITU

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### DAY 4: SCENARIO-BASED EXERCISES

Friday 4 July 2025

09:30 – 12:00 **Scenario 3:**  
**Paul Pajares**, Cybercrime Intelligence Officer, Cybercrime Directorate INTERPOL

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12:00 – 13:00 Lunch Break

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13:00 – 16:00 **Scenario 4:**  
**Gibson Michira**, Cyber Security Consultant, Cyber Ranges

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16:00– 16:15 **Closing remarks:**  
**Leon Juste IBOMBO**, Minister of Posts, Telecommunications and Digital Economy, Rep. of Congo