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**CERIS WORKSHOP ON
INNOVATION FOR
MARITIME SITUATIONAL AWARENESS AND SECURITY
19 FEBRUARY 2024
RENAISSANCE HOTEL
BRUSSELS**

This thematic Workshop of the [Community for European Research and Innovation for Security \(CERIS\)](#) aims at presenting and discussing **European research and innovative solutions, as well as further capability needs, relevant for maritime situational awareness and maritime security**. Interested audience include practitioners, especially **Coast Guards**, but also innovators and policy makers on capabilities such as those related to **search-and-rescue at sea, sea border surveillance**, and other maritime **security and safety functions**. The Workshop will bring together updates and EU-funded projects of innovative European technologies in the field, from autonomous platforms to data fusion; present experiences and opportunities of cooperative and integrated information management; and discuss how research results can be more efficiently exploited. Interested participants can consider to also attend (upon separate registration) the Stakeholder event for external guests of Horizon 2020 project AI-ARC on the morning of Tuesday 20 February.

Draft Agenda

09h30 – 10h00	Registration & welcome coffee
10h00 – 10h30	Welcome and opening remarks (DG HOME)
10h30 – 12h30	Session I: Innovation for integrated maritime information management and sharing
12h30 – 13h45	Lunch break and poster session
13h45 – 15h00	Session II: Innovative technologies for maritime situational awareness
15h00 – 15h30	Coffee break
15h30 – 17h00	Session III: Panel on using today's innovation and preparing tomorrow
17h00 – 17h30	Conclusions
17h30 – 19h00	Networking reception