**INVITATION**

**to**

**the Conference of**

**Scientific Research Papers and Innovative Solutions**

**of the Internal Security Academy students of**

**consortium members and their cooperation partners**

**“Internal Security in the 21st Century: Contemporary Challenges in Studies and Law Enforcement”**

Dear colleagues, students and interested parties!

We would like to invite you to participate in the Internal Security Academy Student Conference **“Internal Security in the 21st Century: Contemporary Challenges in Studies and Law Enforcement”**, which will take place on **28-29 November 2024** **at the State Police College, Ezermalas Street 10, Riga, Latvia**.

The conference invites students to discuss the most topical issues in the field of law enforcement and to share their experiences on contemporary challenges both in the study process and in the daily work of law enforcement authorities.

Topics of discussion:

* Digital crime and the use of technology in investigation;
* Public attitudes towards policing and challenges in ensuring public order;
* Crisis management and emergency response;
* Human rights and ethics: their respect in law enforcement;
* Mental health and well-being in law enforcement.

We would be honoured to see you at the Internal Security Academy Student Conference organised by the State Police College and its partners to explore together the challenges and solutions of internal security in the 21st century.

**The working languages of the conference:** English and Latvian. Interpretation will be provided.

**Participation** in the conference is possible **in person and remotely**.

We would like to invite *2-5 students as speakers* from your institution to share your experience in the field, as well as listeners to participate in the conference.

All the costs for speakers (travel, accommodation and meals, except insurance and visa) will be covered from the funding of the State police college, as well as the State police college will take care on booking and other issues.

**Please inform** on speakers and listeners **by October 21, 2024,** by filling in the registration form: <https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLScRydP1odJg0eRSciFqg_oMCUb_pd_pfgRQsUE4iR2oEPK71A/viewform?vc=0&c=0&w=1&flr=0>

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For the conference proceedings, **papers should be submitted** electronically to santa.reksce@koledza.vp.gov.lv before the Conference, **between 10 November and 25 November 2024.**

Participation in the conference is free of charge.

We look forward to welcoming you in Riga!