



SAYS O

Standardisation of situational Awareness systems
to Strengthen Operations in civil protection

2nd Public Workshop

Brussels
4th December 2018



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SAYSO: What is it about?

SAYSO (Standardisation of situational Awareness sYstems to Strengthen Operations in civil protection) is a **not for profit, Civil Protection practitioner led** EU funded project focusing on **tackling the challenges met by emergency responders during cross-border and multi stakeholder, civil protection operations**. It was launched in May 2017 and is funded by the European Commission as part of the "Horizon 2020" programme.

The project's main objective is to put in place the preparatory work for the development of innovative **Situational Awareness Systems** that will improve the coordination of **civil protection operations** where multiple organisations are involved, especially in the case of international cooperation.

SAYSO will allow European civil protection and emergency responder organisations to procure, at a competitive price, innovative Situational Awareness systems and tools matching their needs.

Objectives of the workshop

The objectives of the first SAYSO public workshop are to:

- **Present the results of the SAYSO collection of EU practitioners' requirements:** Find out what systems, tools and functionalities EU practitioners need or want!
- **Obtain feedback on the SAYSO specifications of Situational Awareness tools** matching the actual needs of civil protection practitioners and emergency responders identified by SAYSO during the past year.
- **Demonstrate how public authorities, suppliers of innovative solutions and practitioners can benefit from EU-funded Pre-Commercial Procurement (PCP):** SAYSO will present ways to procure, at an affordable price, tailor-made innovative solutions matching practitioners' needs. PCPs include the funding of the research and development needed to bring solutions to maturity. You will also find out about the tools and guidelines that SAYSO will deliver to support public authorities and suppliers alike.

Benefits of attending the workshop

- **For practitioners:** Meet with suppliers of innovative technologies and learn about how SAYSO and the EU can help your organisation procure solutions matching your needs.
- **For suppliers of situational awareness tools:**
 - Provide feedback on the specifications that SAYSO will recommend for future EU-funded procurement actions.
 - Demonstrate your technology solutions to a relevant audience.
 - Network with practitioners and potential new industrial partners.
 - Learn how to join our Online Registry of Suppliers and learn about our future Open Call Platform.
- **For public procurement authorities:** you will learn about new procurement instruments (PCP/PPI) and establish connections with suppliers interested in getting involved in the development of innovative solutions for civil protection or emergency response, and with EU practitioners willing to share their own experience.

Date and Location

The workshop takes place on **4th December 2018 at the VBO-FEB centre in Brussels** (Rue Ravenstein 4, 1000 Bruxelles, Belgium).

Registration

To attend the workshop, please complete the details on the dedicated [registration page](#) on the SAYSO Online Community Platform. Alternatively, please copy and paste this link into your browser: <https://cmt.eurtd.com/events/event/view/153780/sayso-2nd-public-workshop>.

This link will be updated with all necessary information in due time.

Deadline for registration: Tuesday 27th November 2018

Contact details

General inquiries about the event:

If you have any queries about the workshop, please contact sayso_arttic@eurtd.com or ask a question on the workshop [registration page](#) on the SAYSO Online Community Platform (see above for further details).

If you have any problems with your online registration, please contact:

sayso_arttic@eurtd.com.

Agenda

A **Tradeshaw Session** will be organised: booths will be arranged for suppliers and projects to demonstrate their work, including innovative tools and systems able to support practitioners during civil protection or emergency response operations. The networking session will allow suppliers to introduce their technology(ies) to all attendees in a guided tour format and the booths will remain open during the buffet lunch and in the afternoon.

8:30 - 9:00 **Welcome coffee and registration**

9:00 - 9:15 **Welcome & Introduction speech**
Hanna Burkow, SAYSO Project Coordinator, THW
Carl Daniels, JESIP

9:15 - 9:25 **SAYSO project overview and objectives**
Hanna Burkow, SAYSO Project Coordinator, THW

9:25 - 10:00 **Session 1 - Inventory of practitioners' requirements**
Hanna Burkow, SAYSO Project Coordinator, THW

10:00 - 10:15 **Coffee break**

10:15 - 11:45 **Session 2 - System specifications and Reference Architecture for future Situational Awareness Systems**
Prof. Friedrich Steinhäusler, ISCC
Matts Ahlsen, CNet

11:45 - 13:00 **Session 3 - Networking session**
An opportunity for suppliers and practitioners to meet and discuss new technology solutions for civil protection and emergency response

13:00 - 14:15 **Lunch (Including Tradeshaw Session)**

14:15 - 15:45 **Session 4 - Future procurement of SAYSO-compliant Situational Awareness Systems: What's innovation procurement, PCP and PPI?**
Georgios Eftychidis and Ioannis Chasiotis, KEMEA

15:45 - 16:15 **Coffee break (Including Tradeshaw Session)**

16:15 - 16:45 **Feedback session**
Hanna Burkow, SAYSO Project Coordinator, THW
Prof. Friedrich Steinhäusler, ISCC

16:45 - 16:55 **Situational Awareness Innovation Network Europe (SA-IN-EU)**
Romuald Beauvais & Na'ama Agmon-Licht, ARTTIC

16:55 - 17:00 **Concluding remarks**
Hanna Burkow, SAYSO Project Coordinator, THW

Maps and directions

Nearest railway station: Gare de Bruxelles-Central, 3-4 minutes' walking distance.

From Brussels airport (Zaventem): Take the IC train from Brussels airport station and exit at Gare de Bruxelles-Central.

Nearest underground station: Gare Centrale.

Nearest tram station: Palais.

