

# Border Management & Technologies Summit Europe 2019

Istanbul, Turkey | 24th – 25th April 2019



## EVENT PROGRAMME

### DAY 1 – 24th APRIL 2019

#### 08.30 REGISTRATION AND NETWORKING

#### 09.00 CHAIRMAN'S OPENING REMARKS

Tony Smith CBE, Chairman, International Border Management and Technologies Association (IBMATA)

#### 12.40 CZECH MIGRATION AND BORDER ISSUES

- Czech migration challenges
- Border issues faced
- What is next for Schengen?
- Roadmap for the next few years

Invited: Jiri Celikovsky, Head of Unit for Coordination of Schengen Cooperation and Border Control, Ministry of Interior, Czech Republic

### HOST NATION – TURKISH BORDER MANAGEMENT

#### 09.10 OVERVIEW OF THE TURKISH BORDER

- Current situation at our borders
- Challenges faced at the Eastern Borders
- Cooperation with the EU
- Next steps

Invited: Onder Bozkurt, Border Management Department, Directorate General of Provincial Administration (DGPA), Ministry of Interior, Turkey

#### 09.40 TRACKING ORGANISED CRIME THROUGH TURKISH BORDERS

- Overview of the organised crimes conducted in Turkey
- Case studies of smuggling operations at Turkish borders
- Lessons learnt

Invited: Hakan Ozen, Department of Anti-Smuggling and Organised Crime, National Police Force, Turkey

#### 10.10 COOPERATION BETWEEN THE EU AND TURKEY TO MANAGE MIGRATION

- Overview of the work the EU is doing in Turkey
- Challenges faced with migration through the region
- Cross-border cooperation and collaboration
- What's next

Alexander Fricke, Head of Section, Delegation of the European Union to Turkey

#### 10.40 COFFEE BREAK

#### 13.10 NETWORKING LUNCH BREAK

### SURVEILLANCE OF LARGE LAND BORDERS

#### 14.10 MIGRATION CHALLENGES ACROSS MONTENEGRO – USE OF SURVEILLANCE SYSTEMS

- Overview of the Montenegro border
- Case studies of the use of surveillance to assist with managing the border
- Migration issues faced in Montenegro
- Regional cooperation with neighbouring nations

Zoran Lasica, Commander, Unit for Electronic Surveillance and Operational Support, Border Police, Montenegro

#### 14.40 ROMANIAN PERSPECTIVE ON BORDER SURVEILLANCE

- Overview of the Romanian border
- Challenges faced at our Eastern and Western borders
- Surveillance used at our land borders
- New technologies being introduced and needed to assist with border management operations

Invited: Senior Representative, Border Police, Romania

#### 15.10 MANAGING MOUNTAINOUS AND BORDERS

- Challenges faced managing the Georgian borders
- Threats faced at our borders
- How we currently monitor land borders
- Future developments for the Georgian border

Invited: Temur Kekelidze, Head, Border Police, Ministry of Interior, Georgia

#### 15.40 COFFEE BREAK

### CHALLENGES OF MANAGING THE FLOW OF MIGRATION

#### 11.10 IOM WORK ACROSS TURKEY – MANAGING THE INFLUX OF MIGRANTS

- Overview of the work being conducted by the IOM in Turkey
- Major challenges at the borders – case studies
- Cooperation between agencies
- What is needed to allow for a smoother process?

Emrah Guler, National Immigration and Border Management (IBM) Officer, International Organisation for Migration (IOM)

#### 11.40 HOW TURKEY DEALS WITH MIGRATION

- Overview of the work of the Directorate General for Migration Management
- Challenges faced with migration in Turkey
- Cooperation with government agencies in the region
- Current migration routes across Turkey

Invited: Abdullah Ayaz, Acting Director General, Directorate General for Migration Management (DGMM), Turkey

#### 12.10 CROATIAN BORDER MANAGEMENT – FUTURE AFTER JOINING SCHENGEN

- Current border situation in Croatia
- Challenges faced at the Croatian borders – EU borders and Non-EU border
- Developments being made at borders which will be part of Schengen
- Cooperation with EU Agencies

Invited: Zoran Niceno, Head, Border Police, Croatia

### FUTURE OF THE EUROPEAN BORDERS

#### 16.10 THE FUTURE OF BORDER CHECKS

- Current border checks across Europe
- Importance of information sharing to help monitor migration
- Frontex cooperation in creating smarter borders

Invited: Edgar Beugels, Head of Research and Development Unit, Frontex

#### 16.40 EU SMART BORDERS

- Delivering entry / exit systems at the EU Border
- Use of biometrics for third country travellers
- Introduction of European Travel Information and Authorisation System (ETIAS)

Invited: Ciaran Carolan, Head of the External Affairs and Capacity Building Sector, EU-LISA

#### 17.10 CHAIRMAN'S CLOSING REMARKS

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### DAY 2 – 25th April 2019

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### CUSTOMS ENFORCEMENT AND THE WAY FORWARD

#### 09.10 THE USE OF BIOMETRICS ON EXIT IN THE UNITED STATES

- Using passenger data to deliver entry exit controls at airports
- Facial recognition and manifests – is this the solution?
- Working with the industry – how can airports and airlines help?
- Is biometric entry / exit feasible at land borders?

Invited: Rose Marie Davis, Director in Planning, Program Analysis and Evaluation, Office of Field Operations, U.S. Customs & Border Protection

#### 09.40 CUSTOMS ENFORCEMENT IN TURKEY

- Developments made in Turkey's PNR/API system Papis
- Customs enforcement at the border
- Technology used for customs inspections

Invited: Can Yildiz, Head of the Projects and Technical Systems Department, Ministry of Customs and Trade, Turkey

#### 10.10 INTEGRATED BORDER MANAGEMENT – FINLAND AND EU INSIGHT

- Case study of the Finnish Customs model
- IBM across the EU
- What is happening next?

Invited: Samy Gardemeister, Director of Enforcement, Finnish Customs

#### 10.40 COFFEE BREAK

### AIRPORTS: DIGITAL IDENTITIES, PASSENGER TRAVEL AND THE AIRPORT OF THE FUTURE

#### 11.10 OVERVIEW OF THE NEWLY OPENED ISTANBUL AIRPORT

- Review of the development of the new Istanbul International Airport
- Current passenger experience through the airport
- New technologies used throughout the airport

Invited: Dr. Ozan Koseoglu, Chief Technology Officer, Istanbul International Airport (IGA)

#### 11.40 NEXT GENERATION OF PASSENGER TRAVEL – VANCOUVER AIRPORT

- Overview of Vancouver Airport
- Making passenger travel easier
- Next generation of passenger travel
- What is next

Invited: Christopher Gilliland, Director, Innovative Travel Solutions, Vancouver Airport Authority, Canada

#### 12.10 WHAT NEXT FOR E-GATES?

- Review of the development of e-Gates across the EU
- Case studies of best practices
- What next for the future of e-Gates?

Invited: Arabelle Bernecker-Thiel, Consultant for Border Management, Visa and Migration, Austria

#### 12.40 NETWORKING LUNCH BREAK

### MIDDLE EAST – BORDER MANAGEMENT OVERVIEW

#### 13.40 FUTURE TECHNOLOGIES BEING USED TO MANAGE IMMIGRATION – DUBAI PERSPECTIVE

- Current systems used at the Dubai borders
- Immigration challenges faced
- Technologies being introduced at the borders
- Next steps

Invited: His Excellency Major General Obaid Mehayer Obaid Suroor, Deputy Director-General, Highest Administration – Senior, Department Residency and Foreigners Affairs, Dubai

#### 14.10 SAUDI ARABIAN BORDER MANAGEMENT SYSTEMS

- Current border security situation on the Saudi Arabian borders
- Technology being used at the border
- Challenges faced
- What next?

Invited: Senior Representative, Ministry of Interior, Saudi Arabia

#### 14.40 QATAR PREPARATIONS FOR THE BORDER – FIFA WORLD CUP 2022

- Review of the Qatar border
- Systems that are being implemented at the borders for the 2022 World Cup
- Managing the high levels of tourists arriving in Qatar

Invited: Senior Representative, Ministry of Interior, Qatar

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#### 15.30 COFFEE BREAK

#### 16.00 CLOSE OF CONFERENCE