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Artificial Intelligence for Secure and Human- Centric Digital Systems

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My Expertise

Expertise at the intersection of:

- ▶ Cybersecurity & AI/ML (adversarial ML, phishing, intrusion detection)
- ▶ Trustworthy & Robust AI systems
- ▶ Human factors in security (user perception, awareness, socio-technical risks)

I have published peer-reviewed papers in each of these fields!
(Google Scholar: <https://scholar.google.com/citations?user=X2DCBhsAAAAJ&hl=en>)

Project Vision:

- ▶ Developing Human-Centric, Secure and Regulation-Ready AI Systems
- ▶ Bridging technical AI innovation with societal, regulatory and behavioral dimensions

Topics of Interest & Potential Contribution

Relevant Horizon Europe AI–SSH Themes:

- Trustworthy AI & AI Security
- AI robustness, resilience & adversarial threats
- Human oversight, AI governance & compliance (AI Act)
- Societal impact of AI-driven decision systems

Potential Contribution:

- WP leadership on AI robustness & security evaluation
- Design of realistic adversarial & threat models
- Human-in-the-loop validation & behavioral studies
- Evaluation frameworks for regulatory compliance & risk assessment

Role in STEM–SSH Collaboration

- ▶ As a STEM expert with strong socio-technical focus, I provide:
 - ▶ Technical expertise in secure & adversarial ML
 - ▶ Empirical evaluation of AI systems in real-world contexts
 - ▶ Experience analyzing practitioner and user perception of AI
- ▶ Seeking SSH collaboration in:
 - ▶ Ethics, governance & AI policy analysis
 - ▶ Legal compliance (AI Act, cybersecurity regulation)
 - ▶ Socio-economic impact & participatory methodologies
- ▶ Goal: Integrate technical robustness with social legitimacy & regulatory readiness

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**Thank you
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