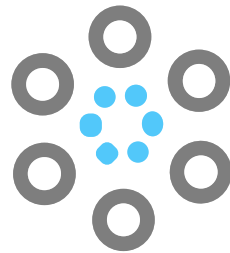




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SAFE-6G

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ISSUE HIGHLIGHTS



- ✓ SAFE-6G PROJECT INTRODUCTION
- ✓ COMMUNICATION & DISSEMINATION ACTIVITIES
- ✓ PERIOD DELIVERABLES
- ✓ SNS JU NEWS



The 9th issue of SAFE-6G Newsletter presents the project’s activities during the third period January-March 2026. This specific issue focuses on the dissemination and communication activities of the period, along with SNS JU/6G SNS News, Period and Upcoming Deliverables.

In numbers, the activities of SAFE-6G during this 3-month period are:

- 2 Events
- 2 New YouTube videos
- 1 Open Capif Release 3
- 1 Plenary Meeting
- 4 Deliverables



COMMUNICATION & DISSEMINATION ACTIVITIES

EVENTS

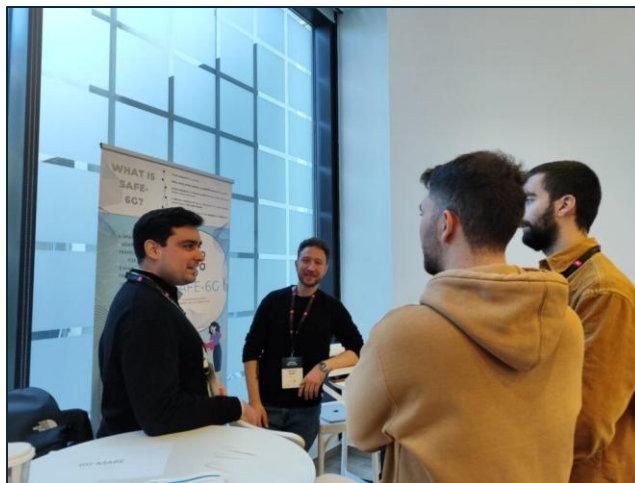
Cybersecurity Meetup by COSMOTE TELEKOM

On the 14th of January 2026, SAFE-6G participated in the Cybersecurity Meetup by COSMOTE TELEKOM, organized by the Big Data Value Association (BDVA), contributing to high-level discussions on cybersecurity challenges and opportunities in next-generation telecommunications.

The event brought together industry experts, researchers, and policymakers to exchange insights on building secure, resilient, and trustworthy digital infrastructures. SAFE-6G's participation reinforced its commitment to advancing human-centric and secure 6G networks through collaboration and knowledge sharing.

Find more here:

<https://bdva.eu/events/cybersecurity-meetup-by-cosmote-telekom/>



ETSI SNS4SNS Event

On the 2nd -5th of February 2026, ETSI SNS4SNS event took place at Sophia Antipolis, France. The SAFE-6G was featured at this event, which brought together open-source, standards, and research communities to shape the future of smart networks and 6G.



Collaboration, innovation, and software-driven standards are key to building resilient next-generation connectivity. With a multidisciplinary approach, the SNS4SNS event brings together open-source communities, industry standardization, and cutting-edge research initiatives to discuss best practices and opportunities for global collaboration in defining tomorrow's networks and services.

Find out more here: <https://www.etsi.org/events/2501-etsi-sns4sns-event-2>

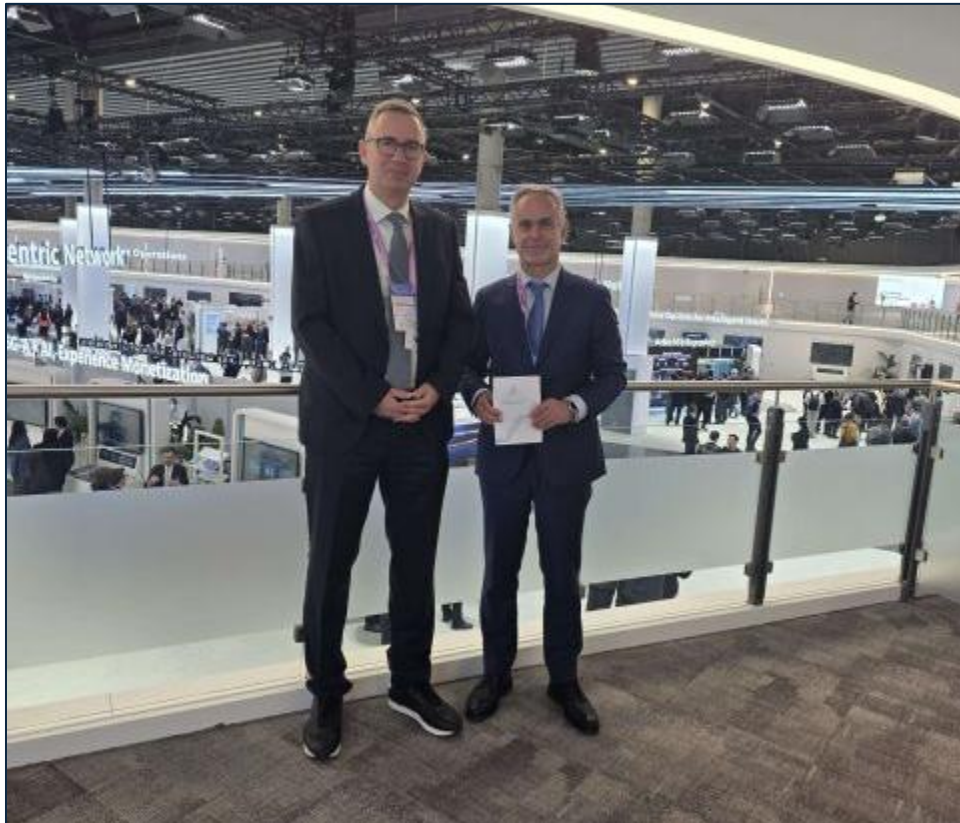
Project Presentation at NKUA

On the 4th of March 2026, Vasilis Mavrikakis from INFOLYSiS presented the SAFE-6G project to undergraduate students at the National and Kapodistrian University of Athens during a lecture on market research. The presentation introduced the project's objectives and explained how market research is used to understand stakeholder needs, identify potential applications, and support the development of new technologies. Students gained insight into how research projects combine technological innovation with market analysis to guide future digital communication services.



SAFE-6G at Mobile Work Congress 2026

Prof. Xenakis represented our Project at MWC 2026. The discussions at MWC 2026 clearly confirmed that as we move towards the 6G era, security, privacy, and resilience must be integrated by design. Building trustworthy digital ecosystems requires strong collaboration among academia, industry, policymakers, and innovators.



The Mobile World Congress 2026, held from 2–5 March 2026 in Barcelona, is one of the world’s most influential events for the mobile and connectivity industry. It brings together technology companies, researchers, startups, investors, and policymakers to explore the latest developments in areas such as 5G-Advanced, artificial intelligence, cloud computing, and future 6G networks. With more than 2,900 exhibitors and over 100,000 participants from around the world, the event serves as a global platform for showcasing innovations, launching new devices, and fostering collaborations that shape the future of digital communication and connected technologies.

UPCOMING EVENTS

Trust 6G-Net: Trust for Service-Oriented 6G Network Architecture workshop

The Trust 6G-Net: Trust for Service-Oriented 6G Network Architecture workshop, co-sponsored by SNS projects including SAFE-6G, will take place at the IEEE International Conference on Network Softwarisation (NetSoft 2026) on 29 June 2026 in Berlin. The workshop explores emerging trends in 6G security, focusing on trust, AI-driven protection, zero-touch management, privacy-preserving architectures, and confidential computing. Bringing together researchers, industry experts, and SNS initiatives, it aims to address evolving cybersecurity challenges and showcase innovative solutions, prototypes, and validation activities shaping trustworthy 6G networks.



Find more here: <https://www.sns-itrust6g.com/trust-6g-net-trust-for-service-oriented-6g-network-architecturew/>

SNS JU NEWSFLASH/NEWSLETTER

- ✓ **SNS JU Newsflash (January 2026):** <https://smart-networks.europa.eu/sns-ju-january-2026-newsflash/>
- ✓ **SNS JU Newsflash (February 2026):** <https://smart-networks.europa.eu/sns-ju-february-2026-newsflash/>
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- ✓ **SNSJU Newsletter (January 2026):** <https://smart-networks.europa.eu/sns-ju-january-2026-newsletter/>



PERIOD & UPCOMING DELIVERABLES

D3.1 User-centric Distributed 6G Core over Edge-Cloud Continuum with MLOps supporting Metaverse pilots– M16 (PUB)

D4.1 Cognitive coordinator, AI agents and user-centric functions – M18 (PUB)

D6.3 Dissemination, Communication and 6G-IA/SNS Engagement Activities (Intermediate) – M18 (PUB)

D6.4 Standardisation, innovation, Exploitation and technology Transfer Activities (Intermediate) – M18 (PUB)

You can find all the Deliverables here => <https://safe-6g.eu/deliverables//>

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