<u>International Conference on Crimes of the Digital Age: Anticipation and Response,</u> February 27-28, 2025, Kathmandu

1. Background

The rise of technology has revolutionized many aspects of society, but it has also given rise to complex and emerging forms of crime that challenge legal frameworks and enforcement mechanisms worldwide. Crimes such as technology-facilitated sexual violence and abuse (TFSVA), cybersecurity crimes, cryptocurrency-related digital economic crimes, and AI-enabled crimes are increasing rapidly, making it more difficult for law enforcement and legal systems to respond effectively.

The International Conference on Crimes of the Digital Age: Anticipation and Response will be held on February 27-28, 2025, in Kathmandu, Nepal (venue to be confirmed). The working language of the conference will be English, and the event is organized by the Office of the Attorney General of Nepal.

In today's interconnected world, technology-driven crimes are inherently borderless, unfolding within a virtual realm, and challenging geographic boundaries. Addressing this complex landscape requires not only skilled prosecutors and investigators but also a coordinated global response to confront the unique challenges posed by these digital threats. A unified network of solidarity among nations, along with harmonized legal frameworks, is essential to bridge differences in jurisdiction and enforcement. This international conference provides a vital platform for experts to explore emerging trends, collaborate on aligning legal standards, and enhance global solidarity. By working together, we can more effectively anticipate and respond to the rapidly evolving nature of cybercrime and other technology-driven offenses.

This two-day international conference will provide a platform for legal professionals, policymakers, technologists, and experts to discuss and develop strategies for investigating and prosecuting technology-driven crimes. Topics will include the growing threats of TFSVA, cybersecurity crimes, cryptocurrency-related digital economic crimes, and AI-enabled crimes. Through dialogue and collaboration, participants will explore innovative solutions to strengthen the global fight against these complex and evolving crimes.

2. Objectives

- Deepen the understanding of the legal frameworks and technological hurdles involved in combating digital crime.
- Engage with leading experts in artificial intelligence, digital currencies, and cybercrime to gain valuable insights into innovative approaches and trends.
- Explore detailed case studies and practices that illustrate real-world applications of legal and technological solutions to digital crime, highlighting successes and lessons learned.
- Establish and strengthen collaborative networks with international professionals and organizations to facilitate the development of cross-border solutions that effectively address the global nature of cybercrime.

3. Expected Outcomes

- Participants will enhance their comprehension of critical legal frameworks and identify key technological challenges that affect the effectiveness of digital crime prevention measures.
- Delegates will access firsthand knowledge and emerging trends from leading authorities in AI, digital currencies, and cybercrime, enriching their strategic approach to digital crime challenges.
- Delegates will examine real-world case studies, gaining insights into successful strategies and common pitfalls in the application of legal and technological solutions to combat digital crime.
- The conference will catalyze the creation and strengthening of international partnerships, fostering a collaborative environment conducive to developing cross-border responses to cybercrime.

4. Conference Registration

We invite prosecutors, investigators, legal professionals, scholars, and practitioners in law, criminology, artificial intelligence, cybersecurity, digital currencies, and related fields to join our exclusive event. Attendance is by invitation, but interested individuals are encouraged to submit an application through open registration by this form: .

Key Registration Details:

Participant Limit: 80

Application Deadline: December 25, 2024

Acceptance Notifications: By January 1, 2025

Registration Fee: None

To apply, please complete the registration form by the deadline. Selected applicants will receive a confirmation email regarding acceptance.

5. Details requested in Registration Form

- Full name
- Nationality
- Contact details (email and phone number)
- Organization/affiliation
- Short Bio (within 200 words)
- Job title, and department
- Area of expertise or interest related to the conference themes.
- Passport number and validity
- Upload a Photo & Passport
- Indicate if the attendee is a speaker, panelist, or general participant.