



Celebration of the 30th Anniversary of the AEPC
AEPC Annual Scientific Conference
and
5th Ludovika International Law Enforcement Research
Symposium (LILERS)
and
AEPC Governing Board Meeting 2026

Budapest, 14-15. October 2026.

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FINAL PROGRAMME

Tuesday, 13 October

Afternoon

Arrival of guests

accommodation: AKEAH Verdi Hotel

18.00-20.00

Joint buffet dinner

venue: restaurant of AKEAH Verdi Hotel

Wednesday, 14 October

Dress code for the whole day programme: Business Formal Attire

9.00

Departure to the Ministry of Interior

transportation: bus

Celebration of the 30th Anniversary of the AEPC and Annual Scientific Conference 1st day

AGENDA

14 October 2026		
Time	10.00	
Venue	Ministry of Interior, Buda Castle, Ceremonial Hall	
10.00-10.05	<i>Welcome and opening remarks, followed by a brief presentation of the programme and an introduction to the organization.</i>	<i>Moderator:</i> Mariann Kudar
10.05-10.12	<i>Welcome address by the Minister of Interior</i>	Gábor Pósfa Minister of Interior
10.12-10.20	<i>Presentation of awards and recognitions</i>	Gábor Pósfa Minister of Interior Gábor Kovács President of the AEPC
10.20-10.30	<i>Address by one of the of the Former President</i>	Albert Goedendorp Former president of AEPC Former Director of Police of the Netherlands
10.30-10.40	<i>Address by the Current President</i>	Gábor Kovács President of the AEPC
10.40-10.50	<i>Police Band</i>	
10.50-11.05	<i>Ceremonial signing of MoUs</i> Public Security and Police Academy operating within the System of the Ministry of Internal Affairs of Georgia Higher Institute for Police Sciences and Homeland Security, Portugal	Gábor Kovács Dean with the representatives of Georgia and Portugal
11.05-11.40	Family Photo and Coffee break	

11.40-12.20	Plenary Session	<i>Main challenges in the training of police officers and the expected competencies of European police officers today</i>	Trond Myklebust Associate Professor and Police Inspector Norway
12.20-13.10	Lunch break		
13.10-14.00	Panel discussion	<i>The transformation of the leadership role in Police</i> Panel members: Luis Farinha, Leonard Kok, Dennis Maier	Anne Rød Norwegian Police University College
14.00-14.05	Closing of the event		

14.05 Social programme

Guided tour in the Buda Castle District, followed by optional return to the hotel by bus and free time; or visit to the Hungarian National Museum by bus.

19.00 Gala dinner (International Training Center, 21 Böszörményi Str.) *The bus will depart from the front of the hotel at 18.00 hrs.*

Thursday, 15 October

**AEPC Annual Scientific Conference 2nd day
and 5th LILERS Conference
AGENDA**

Dress code for the morning programme: Smart Business Attire

15 October 2026			
Time	9.00		
Venue	Count Ödön Széchenyi Educational Centre, Ludovika Campus		
09.00-12.00	Room 104, First Floor 1. Police science in the 21st century Moderator: Bence Mészáros		
	1. session	09.00-09.20	Csaba Zsigmond – Negligence and Corruption Behind Disasters? – A Criminological Analysis of Preventable Mass Tragedies
		09.20-09.40	Gábor Bélai – What Can We Learn from the Portuguese Model? Practical Implementation of Decriminalization of Personal Drug Use and Harm Reduction in Contemporary Policing
		09.40-10.00	Tatjana Gerginova – Police and Effective Dealing with False Bomb Reports in Schools
		10.00-10.30	Break
		10.30-10.50	A.I. Esemuratov – Human Rights-Based Approaches to Police Training in the 21 st Century: Contemporary Challenges and Future Perspectives
		10.50-11.10	Bence Mészáros – Comparison of the Limits of Interrogation Tactics in Hungary and the United States of America
		11.10-11.30	Andreea Rurela Cîrciumaru – Academic Ethics in the age of AI – Changing the Educational Paradigm
		11.30-11.50	panel discussion - questions and answers
Venue	Count Ödön Széchenyi Educational Centre, Ludovika Campus		
09.00-12.00	Room 106, First Floor 2. Generational Challenges and Innovative Educational Approaches Moderator: Tibor Kiss		
	2. session	09.00-09.20	Gábor Mátés – The Conflict Between Police and Pedagogical Attitudes in Police Training
		09.20-09.40	Judit Forgács, Róbert Bogotyán, Gábor Sós – Elderly Inmates and Reintegration

			Custody: The Possibilities of a Gerontological Approach in Corrections
		09.40-10.00	Gökhan Varan – Training the Future Police Officer: International Cooperation, Artificial Intelligence and Capacity Building for the Next Generation of Law Enforcement
		10.00-10.30	Break
		10.30-10.50	Gábor Kovács – Challenges of Police Higher Education in the 21st Century
		10.50-11.10	András Rucska – The Development, Application Areas, and Usability of Photogrammetry in Virtual Reality
		11.10-11.30	Kristýna Holubová, Lukáš Hříbňák – Not Automation, but Individualized Instruction - How Artificial Intelligence Gives Police Instructors Time Back for What Matters Most
		11.30-11.50	panel discussion - questions and answers
Venue	Count Ödön Széchenyi Educational Centre, Ludovika Campus		
09.00-12.00	Room 203, Second Floor 3. Application of new research findings in practice Moderator: Orsolya Czenczer		
	3. session	09.00-09.20	Károly Szabó, József Balla – The Border Guard Innovation Programme as an institutional model for law enforcement innovation
		09.20-09.40	Gabriella Ūrmösné Simon, Orsolya Czenczer – Extraordinary penitentiaries worldwide, and the smart prison of Csenger
		09.40-10.00	Stojanka Mircheva, Rade Rajkovchevski, Zhaklina Prosaroska – Gender Responsive Policing: VAWG Police Training Matters
		10.00-10.30	Break
		10.30-10.50	Agata Malasińska-Nagórny – Academic Education for Uniformed Service Officers in the Face of Generation Z Challenges
		10.50-11:50	panel discussion - questions and answers
09.00-12.00	Room 206, Second Floor 4. Application of new research findings in practice II. Moderator: Imre Bezerédi		
	4. session	09.00-09.20	Muzaffar Dostqoriev – Bridging Theory and Practice: The Role of Legal Clinical Education in Enhancing the Practical Competencies of Law Enforcement Students in Uzbekistan

		09.20-09.40	Denise Martin – Can Police Education Produce Better Officers: The Case from England and Wales
		09.40-10.00	Saša Milojević, Petar Kokić - From Student Perceptions to Evidence-Based Improvement: Fifteen Years of Evaluating Police Field Training in Serbia — A Case Study of the University of Criminal Investigation and Police Studies
		10.00-10.30	Break
		10.30-10.50	Dragana Čvorović –Domestic Violence in Serbia
		10.50-11.50	panel discussion - questions and answers
Venue	Count Ödön Széchenyi Educational Centre, Ludovika Campus		
09.00-12.00	Room 107, First Floor 5. International cooperation, networking and exchange of instructors and lecturers Moderator: Viktória Kuszi		
	5. session	09.00-09.20	Gábor Németh – From Middle Eastern Conflicts to European Vulnerability: Security, Migration, Radicalization
		09.20-09.40	Dániel Rémai – Outside Our Lane, Inside the Consortium: Lessons from the CBRNE-Focused Horizon Europe SPARK-UP Project for Law-Enforcement Higher Education
		09.40-10.00	Mihaela Rotartu – Perspective on International Cooperation in the Light of Directive (EU) 2023/1544
		10.00-10.30	Break
		10.30-10.50	László Suba – Customs integration and digitalisation: Regulatory changes in the European Union concerning small parcels arriving from third countries
		10.50-11.10	Ivett Nagy – International Criminal Cooperation and the Role of Electronic Evidence in the Development of Law Enforcement Training
		11.10-11:50	panel discussion - questions and answers

12.00 - 13.00

Lunch

venue: Ludovika Educational Centre, Ground Floor Lobby

afternoon

Departure of certain participants

Dress code for the afternoon programme: Smart Business Attire

13.15 - 17.00

AEPC Governing Board Meeting

venue: Ludovika Main Building Széchenyi Assembly Hall
participants: Governing Board members and invited guests

Dress code for the evening programme: Smart Casual Attire

18.00 - 21.00

Joint dinner with VIP participants and Governing Board members

Friday, 16 October

morning

Departure of guests

airport transfer by car or bus provided by the University