

# **AETAP's 17th CONFERENCE & WORKSHOP DAY**

Donostia-San Sebastián, Spain April 13th to 16th, 2026



### 17th AETAP Conference Donostia-San Sebastián, Spain Workshop Day 13 April 2026 Conference 14-16 April 2026

In recent years, professionals dedicated to preventing targeted and predatory violence have recognized an increasing demand for the latest information on threat assessment and management across Europe. Representatives from law enforcement, private security, law, victim support, forensic and clinical psychology and psychiatry, as well as academics, have emphasized the importance of networking to facilitate trans-European information exchange.

Join us to network, stay updated on global threat assessment and management, and connect with leading experts in the field. This conference is a must-attend for those involved in security management, the prevention of targeted violence, violence risk assessment, threat management, and anyone interested in networking throughout Europe.

#### **ASSOCIATIONS**













#### **Conference and workshop day location**

Psychology Faculty of the University of the Basque Country UPV/EHU".

Address: Tolosa avenue 70, CP 20018, Donostia

#### Registration and payment

You can purchase tickets online at www.aetap.eu/next-conference Payment should be made via PayPal or bank transfer.

#### **Lunches & coffee breaks**

AETAP provides coffee breaks and lunches during the seminar and workshop.

Poster presentations during the breaks are welcome. Interested participants are invited to submit a brief poster description via email by March 1, 2026.

#### **Conference badges**

Name badges supplied by AETAP should be worn to all events.

#### **Conference languages**

The primary language for conference presentations will be English. We endeavour to provide professional translation services in Spanish, French, and/or German but this will be dependent upon a minimum number of delegates registering for this requirement and therefore cannot be guaranteed.

#### **Conference dinner**

Palace Miramar (https://www.miramar.eus/en/)

#### **Contact**

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550€

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[below 30 years of age]
250€

**Conference dinner (Tuesday)** 

Additional guests / speakers / students

95€

\*\*Conference dinner (Tuesday evening) not included.

Workshop day (Monday)

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285€

## **WORKSHOP AND CONFERENCE SCHEDULE 2026**

Monday 13 April 2026 - Workshop day		
Foundations of threat assessment and management	Advanced training Track 1	Advanced training Track 2
08.00-09.00 REGISTRATION Psychology Faculty of the University of the Basque Country UPV/EHU Address: Tolosa avenue 70, CP 20018, Donostia	08.00-09.00 REGISTRATION Psychology Faculty of the University of the Basque Country UPV/EHU Address: Tolosa avenue 70, CP 20018, Donostia	08.00-09.00 REGISTRATION Psychology Faculty of the University of the Basque Country UPV/EHU Address: Tolosa avenue 70, CP 20018, Donostia
09.00-10.30 Foundations of threat assessment and management	09.00-12.30 Interviewing and consultancy skills for direct and indirect assessments by threat assessment professionals	09.00-12.30 Perspectives on a cross-border workplace threat assessment case: Legal and behavioural dimensions
10.30-11.00 Coffee / tea	Dr Caroline Logan [UK]	Bram Van der Meer [NL and Ronald Bertens [NL]
11.00-12.30 Gathering information for threat assessment and interview techniques	12.30-13.30 Lunch	12.30-13.30 Lunch
12.30-13.30 Lunch		
<b>13.30-15.00</b> Domestic violence and Stalking	13.30-17.00 Interviewing and consultancy skills for direct and indirect	13.30-17.00 Perspectives on a cross-border workplace threat assessment
15.00-15.30 Coffee / tea	assessments by threat assessment professionals Dr Caroline Logan [UK]	case: Legal and behavioural dimensions Bram Van der Meer [NL] and Ronald Bertens [NL]
15.30-17.00 Threat management – what to do after the analysis		

18.00-18.45 Welcome drinks City Hall, Ijentea Kalea, 1, 20003 Donostia / San Sebastián

### **Tuesday 14 April 2026 - AETAP Conference**

#### 08.00-09.00 REGISTRATION

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#### 09.00-09.45

Conference Opening

#### 09.45-10.30

Conducting Safety Planning: Managing Important Challenges
Kelly Watt [CA] and Totti Karpela [FI]

10.30-11.00 - Coffee / tea

#### 11.00-11.45

The Impact of Deepfakes in Criminal Law and Procedure: An Exploratory Approach

Luiza Borges Terra [ES]

#### 11.45-12.30

The Loss to Post-Grievance Trajectory: Understanding Revenge Cravings to Defuse Grievance-Fueled Violence

Diana M. Concannon [US] and Nadine Kranz [DE]

12.30-13.30 - Lunch

#### 13.30-14.15

From clinical context to police settings: Implementing the Child-to-Parent Violence Risk Assessment Tool

Ismael Loinaz [ES]

#### 14.15-15.00

Risk Assessment and Management of IPVAW
Perpetrators: Insights from Multicountry and National
Studies in Spain
Berta Vall [ES]

15.00-15.30

Coffee / tea

#### 15.30-16.15

Risk Assessment in Elder Abuse: Spotlight on Needs, Challenges and Gaps in Theory and Practice Kasia Uzieblo [BE]

#### 16.15-17.00

PROTEGE: development and validation of a structured professional assessment tool to estimate the risk of recurrent abuse in children and adolescents in Chile

Lorena Contreras Taibo [CL]

#### 13.30-14.15

Predicting Risk, Protecting Rights: Ethics and Accuracy of Al Risk Prediction Models

Lena Machetanz [CH] and Johannes Kirchener [CH]

#### 14.15-15.00

FROM PROMPT TO PLATFORM: All and the New Era of Executive Targeting

Julio Morillo [US]

15.00-15.30 Coffee / tea

#### 15.30-16.15

Do Courts Recognize Children Exposed to Parental Stalking? A Systematic Analysis of 80 Swedish Court Verdicts

Carin Johansson [SE] and Susanne Strand [SE]

#### 16.15-17.00

Assessing and Managing Violence Risk Factors
Associated with Christian Nationalism
Joshua Villines [US]

19.00 -23.00

AETAP Conference Dinner: Palace Miramar

# **CONFERENCE SCHEDULE 2026 [page 2]**

### Wednesday 15 April 2026

#### 08.00-09.00 REGISTRATION

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#### 09.00-09.45

Threat Assessment: A Behavior-Based Approach to Preventing Workplace Violence Katie Lord [US]

#### 09.45-10.30

Snakes and Ladders: An integrated risk assessment model combining police and corporate security approaches to domestic and workplace violence

Varsha Avadhany [IN] and Kim Covent [BE]

10.30-11.00 - Coffee / tea

#### 11.00-11.45

Rough Drafts – or How I Learned to Stop Using the M-Word and Embrace the Nuance Steven Leach [US]

#### 11.45-12.30

"I feel like God": Pathways to Engagement in Nihilistic Violent Extremism

Caitlin Clemmow [UK]

12.30-13.30 - Lunch

#### 13.30-14.15

Managing Threat Cases Across Jurisdictions –
Challenges and Opportunities from a Corporate
Threat Assessment Perspective
John Rudoph [US]

#### 14.15-15.00

Navigating a threatwave:
Corporate threat assessment and management of communicated threats

Mark Rossin [US]

15.00-15.30 Coffee / tea

#### 15.30-16.15

The role of Safety and Security department Delft University of Technology in transgressive behaviour between work and private life: Where lies the responsibility?

Yvette Halfwerk [NL]

#### 16.15-17.00

C-PIM-C: A Specialized Methodology for Threatening Communications Assessment – Implementation and Adoption in an Operational Security Context

Philippe Masson [FR / EU]

#### 13.30-14.15

"Concerning Communication": Approaches to Threat Assessment for Law Enforcement amid Diverse Modalities and Missing Context Lena Deller-Wessels [DE]

#### 14.15-15.00

15 years of SPJ within the Swedish Police Authority

Kim Andelius [SE]

15.00-15.30 Coffee / tea

#### 15.30-16.15

Developing the Prevent Assessment Framework:
Supporting the identification of individuals at risk
of being drawn into terrorism in the UK
Stuart George [UK]

#### 16.15-17.00

Pyramid of Risk Factors – Violent Extremism (V.E.)

Stephanie Loup [CH]

17.00-17.30 **AETAP General Meeting** 

### Thursday 16 April 2026

# 08.00-09.00 REGISTRATION

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#### 09.00-09.45

Autism Spectrum Disorder and Violence Risk: Case Studies

Stephen Hart [CA] and Kelly Watt [CA]

#### 09.45-10.30

Unmet mental health needs in threat assessment: current research and implications for practice

Amber Seaward [UK]

10.30-11.00 - Coffee / tea

#### 11.00-11.45

The Gap Between Too Well and Too Concerning

Stephanie Leite [US]

#### 11.45-12.30

Adapting risk assessments to a changing terrorism landscape: Revising the extremism risk guidance Sian Watson [UK]

12.30-12.45

Conference closing

#### 12.45-13.45

Lunch exchange session: Corporate sector

#### 12.45-13.45

Lunch exchange session: Law enforcement

#### 12.45-13.45

Lunch exchange session: Academia & research

#### 13.45-15.15

CTAP-25: A structured approach to triaging concerning and threatening communication.

#### 13.45-15.15

Workshop: Mental health resilience for TAM practitioners

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