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

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



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# 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](http://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 sessions

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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## Conference fees (excluding workshop day)

### Members

[AETAP, APATAP, ATAP, CATAP, AFATAP and ALATAP]

**550€**

### Non-members

**810€**

## Free attendance for speakers\*\* (one speaker per presentation)

### Students\*\*

[below 30 years of age]

**250€**

### Conference dinner (Tuesday)

Additional guests / speakers / students

**95€**

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

### Workshop day (Monday)

Members / non-members / speakers / students

**285€**

# WORKSHOP AND CONFERENCE SCHEDULE 2026

## Monday 13 April 2026 - Workshop day

### Foundations of threat assessment and management

08.00-09.00

#### REGISTRATION

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Address: Tolosa avenue 70, CP 20018, Donostia

09.00-10.30

Foundations of threat assessment and management

10.30-11.00  
Coffee / tea

11.00-12.30

Gathering information for threat assessment and interview techniques

12.30-13.30  
Lunch

13.30-15.00

Domestic violence and Stalking

15.00-15.30  
Coffee / tea

15.30-17.00

Threat management – what to do after the analysis

### Advanced training Track 1

08.00-09.00

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09.00-12.30

Interviewing and consultancy skills for direct and indirect assessments by threat assessment professionals  
**Dr Caroline Logan [UK]**

12.30-13.30  
Lunch

13.30-17.00

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18.00-18.45

Welcome drinks

City Hall, Ijentea Kalea, 1, 20003 Donostia / San Sebastián

### Advanced training Track 2

08.00-09.00

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09.00-12.30

Perspectives on a cross-border workplace threat assessment case: Legal and behavioural dimensions  
**Bram Van der Meer [NL] and Ronald Bertens [NL]**

12.30-13.30  
Lunch

13.30-17.00

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## Tuesday 14 April 2026 - AETAP Conference

08.00-09.00

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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 [LI]**

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 IPVAV 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] and Lily De Clercq [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] and Dr. Macarena Orchard Rieiro [CL]**

13.30-14.15

Predicting Risk, Protecting Rights: Ethics and Accuracy of AI Risk Prediction Models  
**Lena Machetanz [CH] and Johannes Kirchner [CH]**

14.15-15.00

FROM PROMPT TO PLATFORM: AI and the New Era of Executive Targeting  
**Julio Morillo [US]**

15.00-15.30  
Coffee / tea

15.30-16.15

Children as Victims in Parental Stalking – A Systematic Analysis of 107 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

## Wednesday 15 April 2026

08.00-09.00

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09.00-09.45

Threat Assessment: A Behavior-Based Approach to Preventing Workplace Violence  
**Katie Lord [US] and Dr. Lina Alathari [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] and Bill Theroux [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]**

17.00-17.30

**AETAP General Meeting**

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] and Anne Munch [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] and Laurent Grivet [CH]**

## Thursday 16 April 2026

08.00-09.00

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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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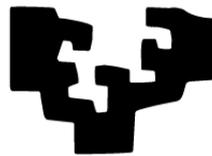


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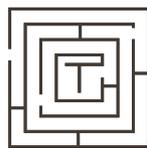
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