

AGENDA

4th INTERNATIONAL CONFERENCE ON CRITICAL INFRASTRUCTURE

“Resilience of the Critical Infrastructure of the Republic of Serbia at the Intersection of Geopolitics, Artificial Intelligence and Climate Change”

DAY 1 — 5 NOVEMBER 2026

10:00-10:30 — Welcome Addresses and Opening of the Conference

- Representative of the Organizer
- Representative of the University / Academic Community
- Representative of the Relevant Government Institution
- Representative of Partner Organizations

10:30-11:15 — Opening Presentations

- Critical Infrastructure of the Republic of Serbia in the New Security Environment
- Critical Infrastructure Resilience amid Geopolitical Disruptions, Technological Transformation and Climate Risks

11:15-11:30 — Coffee Break

11:30-13:00 — PANEL I

Geopolitics and Critical Infrastructure Resilience

Discussion Topics:

- The impact of geopolitical crises and international conflicts on critical infrastructure
- Energy security and supply chain security
- Protection of transport, telecommunications and digital infrastructure
- Interdependence of national and cross-border infrastructure systems
- The role of government, business and international cooperation in strengthening resilience

13:00-14:00 — Lunch

14:00-15:30 — PANEL II

Artificial Intelligence and the Digital Transformation of Critical Infrastructure

Discussion Topics:

- Application of artificial intelligence in risk assessment and risk management
- AI systems for early warning, monitoring and incident prediction
- Cybersecurity of critical infrastructure in the era of artificial intelligence
- Risks associated with the misuse of AI and emerging technologies
- Automation, autonomous systems and the protection of key infrastructure processes
- Regulatory and ethical challenges of applying AI in critical infrastructure

15:30-16:00 — Discussion and Conclusions of Day One

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DAY 2 — 6 NOVEMBER 2026

09:00-09:15 — Introduction to Day Two and Summary of Key Conclusions

09:15-10:45 — PANEL III

Climate Change, Extreme Events and Critical Infrastructure Resilience

Discussion Topics:

- The impact of climate change on energy, transport and utility infrastructure
- Floods, droughts, wildfires, extreme temperatures and other climate-related risks
- Vulnerability assessment and adaptation of critical infrastructure
- Continuity planning under extreme event conditions
- Climate-resilient infrastructure and sustainable investment

10:45-11:00 — Coffee Break

11:00-12:30 — PANEL IV

An Integrated Approach to the Resilience of the Critical Infrastructure of the Republic of Serbia

Discussion Topics:

- Connecting geopolitical, technological and climate-related risks
- Systems for assessing complex and cascading risks
- Institutional coordination and information sharing
- Public-private partnerships in critical infrastructure protection
- The regulatory framework and opportunities for its improvement
- Development of a national critical infrastructure resilience model

12:30-13:00 — Closing Discussion and Adoption of Conference Conclusions

13:00 — Closing of the Conference and Lunch