

SECREDAS working on establishing direct collaborations with other EU funded projects in security and transport

Over the past year, several attempts have been made to connect the SECREDAS project and/or individual SECREDAS partners to other EU-funded project in the same domain. In one case this has led to a draft MoU to be able to exchange information with the ENSEMBLE project (<https://platooningensemble.eu/>) on their use of V2X communication and standards in platooning. We also hope to have shared dissemination activities and exchange ideas and best practices related to holding demonstrations. A further course of action has been SECREDAS' participation in the Cyberwatching.eu initiative. Cyberwatching itself is an EU funded project that has evolved to a central gateway to information and business opportunities in cybersecurity and privacy research. A number of large EU-funded projects, among which SECREDAS, are now represented on the platform, and are in the process of linking their dissemination and exploitation activities, give each other access to networks and hold joint workshops. A joint workshop of all represented projects was held in late July, which led to the establishment of contacts with the CARMEL consortium (<https://www.h2020caramel.eu/>) who are working on Artificial Intelligence-based Cybersecurity for Connected and Automated Vehicles. The aim is to connect the two projects and make use of network channels to promote the outcomes of both projects.

Furthermore, Cyberwatching.eu has a dedicated support service called the “Dissemination & Exploitation Booster”, through which communication/marketing/accounting/ICT experts support funded projects in the implementation of their dissemination and exploitation plans. On behalf of SECREDAS, the Project Office applied for support from this service and we are now waiting to hear back.