



SIDE EVENT

High-level Conference on International and Regional Border Security and Management Cooperation to Counter Terrorism and Prevent the Movement of Terrorists

Behavioural Insights to Counter Terrorism: Applying Behavioural Techniques to Securing Borders



19 October 2022 | 8:00am (GMT+5) | Kofi Annan, White Room, 8th Floor, 1/F

Please join us for a side event organized by the International Hub on Behavioural Insights to Counter Terrorism, established in Doha, Qatar, in January 2020. Our Hub performs three functions: (1) conducts and advance behavioural research to better understand the factors contributing to violent extremism and terrorism; (2) provides capacity-building assistance to Member States, regional organizations and civil society partners to develop and implement programmes, projects and initiatives that integrate behavioural insights to counter terrorism; (3) promotes advocacy, outreach and partnerships to share knowledge, expertise, experiences and lessons learned on behaviourally informed counter-terrorism interventions.

We encourage you to register:
<https://bit.ly/OCT-RSVP-Bi-19OCT> or via QR Code

More about the Event

Our event will follow two themes; how behavioural techniques can be facilitated through recent advances in technology and how behavioural analysis can be used to facilitate deception detection. Both have been tested in real-life scenarios over the past few decades, with varying rate of success. However, recent advances in research and technology warrant a review of these knowledge sets and methods. This event aims to present the latest knowledge and identify gaps in their applications.

PROGRAMME:

The overall objective of the event is to contribute to the global efforts led by the UN Office of Counter-Terrorism.

We focus on supporting innovative, results-oriented, and impactful capacity-building assistance that meets the needs and priorities of Member States. Our goal is to promote BI approach to foster resilience to terrorism, and strengthen technical, strategic, and practical partnerships for the implementation of the UN Global Counter-Terrorism Strategy.

Expected Outcomes

- Developing an accurate understanding of where behavioural insights-centric approach to securing borders could be best applied
- Brainstorming on research and pilot programmes for further applications
- Cultivating an interest for experimenting with non-traditional approaches towards securing borders.

Q&A and Discussion

