

Baltic MoU for cooperation in cybersecurity signed on 4 November 2015



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Where did some inspiration for the MoU come from?



NATO cyber defense workshop, Redmond, Washington

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“Excuse me, my country is under cyber attack”

- Not clear who to call for help
- No agreements in place for providing help
- No prepared plan for this kind of event
- Atmosphere of shock, some anxiety

Where did the idea for the MoU come from?

- Cybersecurity experts meeting since Riga 2009
- Decision made to put a more legal basis on cooperation



Participants of the meeting:

Latvia:

1. Baiba Kaškina, CERT.LV (Information Technologies Security Incident Response Institution)
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6. Viktors Lipeniņš, Ministry of Transport and Communications
7. Edgars Svareņieks, Ministry of Defence
8. Jolanta Markota, Ministry of Defence
9. Guntis Bušs, Ministry of Defence
10. Aleksandrs Holmanovs, National Armed Forces / Deputy chairman of the National Information Technologies Security Council
11. Jānis Beļeris, Ministry of Foreign Affairs
12. Sergejs Kanteruks, Ministry of the Interior
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Lithuania:

15. Vytautas Butrimas, Ministry of National Defence
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17. Jonas Juknius, Lithuanian, Lithuanian national Computer Emergency Response Team (CERT.LT)
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Estonia:

20. Jaan Priisalu, Information System's Authority (RIA.EE)
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22. Hillar Aareleid, Information System's Authority (RIA.EE)
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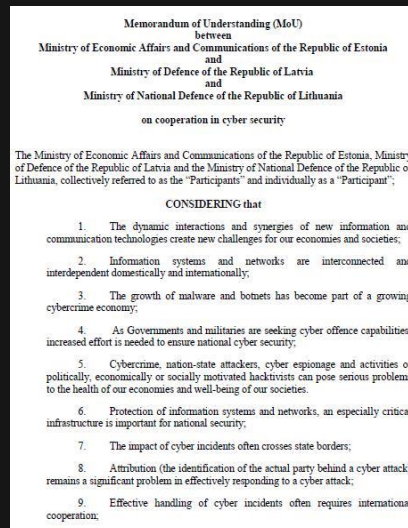
What is in the cybersecurity MoU?

- Statement of common principles
- Acknowledgement of the value of X-border cooperation
- Share information about national efforts and best practice
- Appoint national PoC's for regular and emergency comm.



Who signed the cybersecurity MoU and how?

- Minister of Economic Affairs and Infrastructure (Estonia)
- Minister of Defence (Latvia)
- Minister of Defence (Lithuania)
- Signed using electronic signatures during VTC
- 3 national electronic formats recognized on one document

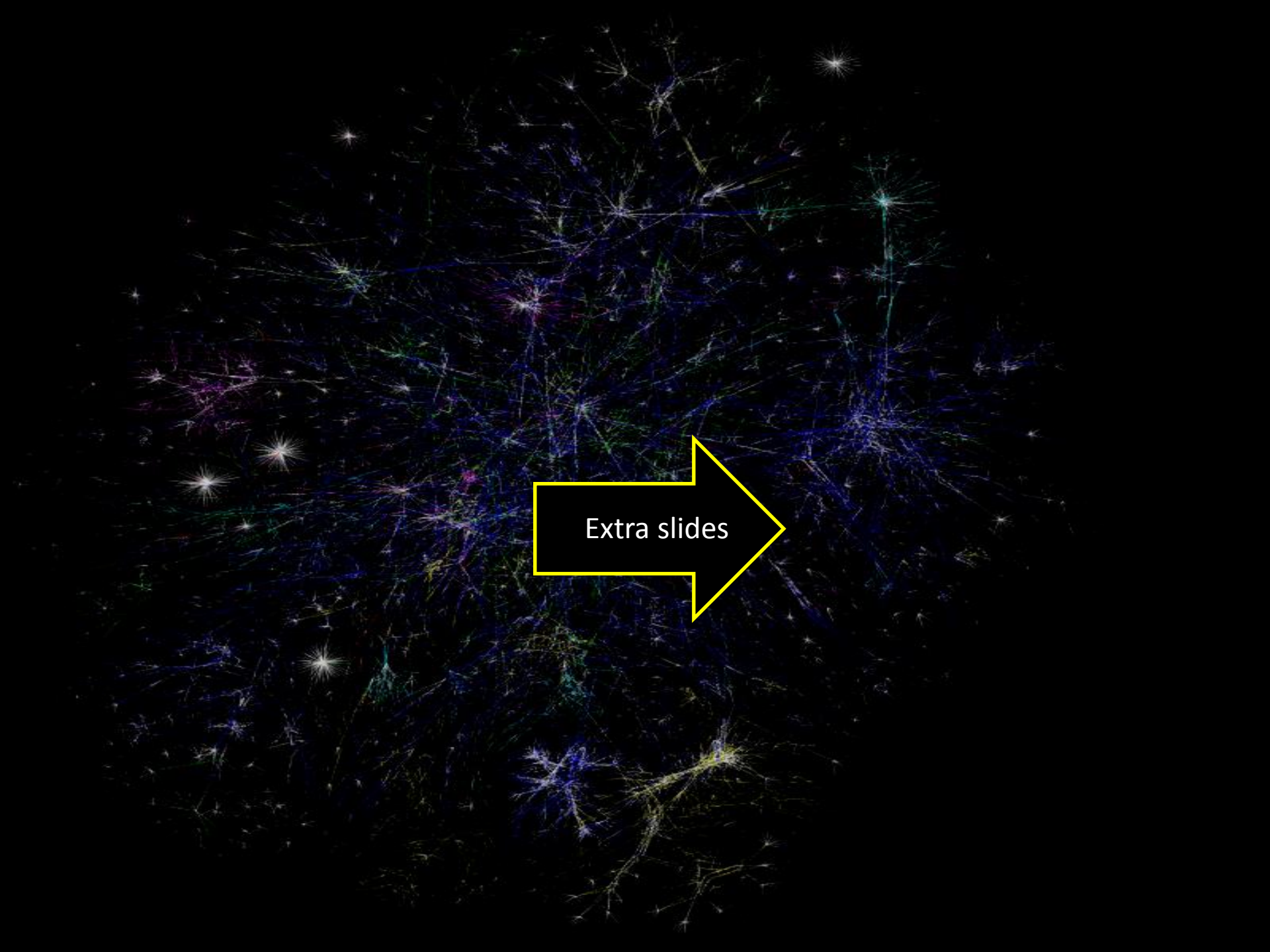




Thank you, are there any questions?

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Extra slides

Information highway: the promise vs today's reality

The promise: 1992



Today's reality

