

## Media release

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# Swiss Cyber Security Days 2025: Change at the top of the Executive Committee

**The Swiss Cyber Security Days (SCSD) will take place on 18 and 19 February at BERNEXPO in Bern. On two stages, high-ranking speakers will explain the central importance of cyberspace and new technologies in our lives. After five years at the helm, former FDP National Councilor Doris Fiala is handing over the reins to the "greatest bridge-builder" in the Swiss National Council, EPP National Councilor Nik Gugger.**

The Swiss Cyber Security Days (SCSD) will take place on February 18 and 19, 2025 at the BERNEXPO site in Bern and will show why cyberspace and new technologies are among the greatest challenges of our time. The speakers come from the fields of science, research, defense, administration, business, media and civilian life.

With her enthusiasm and great commitment, former FDP National Councilor Doris Fiala played a key role in shaping the format of the event. "The SCSD was a matter close to my heart," says Fiala. "Our goal was always to organize a relevant event in this urgent area. Today, I am proud to say that we have succeeded. After five years as President, the handover to my esteemed colleague Gugger feels right and good".

Doris Fiala will be succeeded by EPP National Councillor Dr. h. c. Nik Gugger, the "greatest bridge builder" in the Swiss National Council (CH Media 2021). With his digital expertise, social commitment and national and international network, he is the ideal candidate for the SCSD presidency. Nik Gugger is a member of the Foreign Affairs Committee of the National Council, part of the Swiss delegation to the Council of Europe, President of the Swiss-Indian Parliamentary Friendship Group and Co-President of the Swiss-Ukrainian Parliamentary Group. "Many of the big issues of our time are digital," says Gugger. "We are setting the course for tomorrow today. I am delighted to be at the forefront of ensuring that we can move independently and securely in the digital space."



### **Swiss Cyber Security Days (SCSD)**

The SCSD is Switzerland's leading dialog and knowledge platform in the field of cyber security and offers politicians, administrators, experts and users insights into current and future threats as well as innovative solutions. The platform is open to all interested national and international players to exchange information, be inspired and meet leading security experts.

The SCSD will take place on February 18 and 19, 2025 at the BERNEXO site in Bern.

The President of the SCSD is EVP National Councillor Nik Gugger.

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