Call for Participation

2024 CAP Implementation Workshop

Traveller Information Services Association (TISA), U.S. Agency for International Development (USAID), U.S. National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration (NOAA), and Alert-Hub.Org CIC are hosting the 2024 Common Alerting Protocol (CAP) Implementation Workshop. Co-sponsors are the International Association of Emergency Managers (IAEM) and the OASIS standards organization.

The Workshop will be 23-24 October, 9:30-17:30 CEST, in the Grand Auditorium of Irish College in Leuven, Belgium. The CAP Implementation Workshop follows two events on 22 October in the same venue. There will be CAP Training 9:00 to noon and a TISA Workshop in the afternoon. Everyone is welcome to participate in all three days.

Documents pertaining to the Workshop can be found at the CAP Implementation Workshop website.

The CAP Implementation Workshop will be conducted in person, with online Webinars for those who cannot participate in person. You can click here to register. Webinar instructions will be sent to all registered participants.

Here is a short flyer about the CAP Implementation Workshop. Further venue details and information for travelers is available here.

Check this site for information about getting a visa to enter Belgium. Please allow at least several weeks for your visa processing. Contact Eliot.J.Christian@gmail.com If your visa application requires a Letter of Invitation.

CAP, designated as ITU Recommendation X.1303, is recognized internationally as the key standard for societies to achieve all-hazards, all-media public alerting for emergencies. CAP Implementation Workshops provide a forum for implementers of CAP and associated organizations to discuss how best to expand adoption of the CAP standard and to share practices among users of the standard. There is no charge to participate and anyone interested in emergency alerting is welcome (managers, technical staff, media...), including governments, non-governmental and commercial organizations.

If you have CAP implementation experiences or insights to share, please let the Program Committee know that you want to give one of the presentations. You can contact the Program Committee by e mail to the Chair: Eliot.J.Christian@gmail.com. As usual, presentations will be limited to 20 minutes, plus 10 minutes for Q&A. Accepted presenters will be notified by 1 August 2024. Scheduled presentation topics will be listed in the Workshop Programme, and the List of Speakers.

Please share this note with discussions lists and individuals interested in emergency alerting.

The Program Committee of the 2024 CAP Implementation Workshop:

- Chair: Eliot Christian
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