

25 - 26 April 2024

Venue

SALÓN DE ACTOS, ESCUELA TÉCNICA SUPERIOR DE INFORMÁTICA,
UNIVERSITAT POLITÈCNICA DE VALÈNCIA, VALENCIA (SPAIN)

1st International conference

Cross-disciplinary Approaches to Online Child Protection

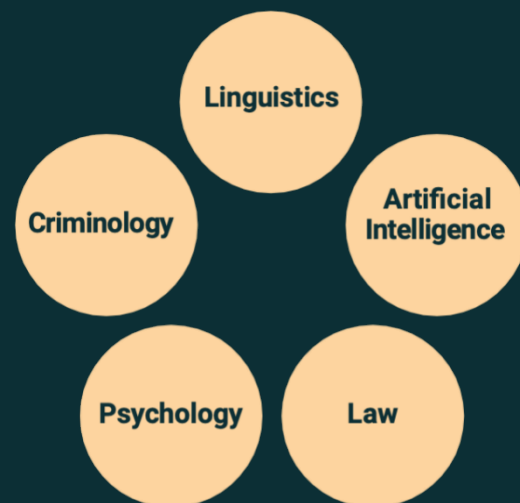
Two days of interdisciplinary and cross-professional presentations and conversations designed to **advance research on online child protection**.

Hosted at the Universitat Politècnica de València, Valencia (Spain), the Cross-disciplinary Approaches to Online Child Protection Conference brings together participants working on ensuring that children are and feel safe online across academia, civil society, and government.

This international conference provides a space for cross-disciplinary researchers in fields including linguistics, law, criminology, sociology, psychology, education, and computer sciences to connect with child safeguarding practitioners and policymakers, collaboratively addressing children's digital wellbeing and safety.

In addition to oral presentations and interactive workshops, the conference offers extensive networking opportunities including round tables and a conference dinner.

Research areas included:



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DAY 1

Thursday 25th April

9:30 – 9:45 OPENING SESSION: Academia, institutional representatives

9:45 - 10:45 PLENARY SESSION

NURIA LORENZO-DUS (Swansea University, United Kingdom)

From linguistics research to scalable technology for child protection: A focus on online child sexual exploitation and abuse

Chair: Carmen Pérez-Sabater (Universitat Politècnica de València)

Coffee break

PANEL 1 (11:15-12:30)

CHAIR: Enrique Carbonell (Universitat de València)

Hanna Lahtinen (University of Eastern Finland) & Anna Ovaska (Protect Children Finland)

Exploring disparities among dark web child sexual abuse material users: Self-reports of offenders

Sergio Maruenda (IULMA/Universitat de València) & Nuria Lorenzo-Dus (Swansea University)

News narratives of child sexual abuse in the UK press: A corpus-informed approach to the discursive construction of newsworthiness

María José Garrido (Secretaría de Estado de Seguridad) & Neus Mascaró (Universidad Autónoma de Madrid)

Ciberviolencia de género en mujeres menores de edad

Marc Salat (Universitat de Lleida)

La IA como herramienta útil en la investigación policial y judicial de delitos de sex grooming

PANEL 2 (12:30-13:30)

Chair: Enrique Carbonell (Universitat de València)

Omar Abdedaim Herrera (Universitat d'Alacant)

Understanding online sexual contact with minors: A case law study

Virginia Soldino (Universitat de València)

Descriptive analysis of online child sexual grooming cases investigated by Spanish law enforcement agencies

Andrea García-Montes (Universitat Politècnica de València), Nuria Lorenzo-Dus (Swansea University) & Carmen Pérez-Sabater (Universitat Politècnica de València)

“pero me debes una por los regalos”: Exploring CSAM solicitation in online child sexual grooming interactions

Lunch break (cafeteria la Vella)

15:15 - 16:15 PLENARY SESSION

CAROLINA VILLACAMPA (Universitat de Lleida, Spain)
Grooming and sexting: Spanish criminal policy versus data

Chair: Javier Guardiola (Universitat de València)

16:30-17:45 ROUND TABLE

Chair: Marc Salat (Universitat de Lleida)

*Challenges of and opportunities in integrating insights from different research areas into
child safeguarding practice:
Perspectives from academia, law enforcement and policy making*

Participants:

Santiago Escobar (VRAIN, Cátedra INCIBE, Universitat Politècnica de València)

María José Garrido (Dirección General de Coordinación y Estudios, Secretaría de Estado de Seguridad, Ministerio del interior)

Nuria Lorenzo-Dus (Swansea University)

Ethel Quayle (University of Edinburgh)

Paolo Rosso (ValgrAI, Universitat Politècnica de València)

Carolina Villacampa (Universitat de Lleida)

18:45-20:00 CULTURAL EVENT

Visit to the [Arts Centre Hortensia Herrero](#)
Palau de Valeriola, C/ del Mar 31, 46003 Valencia

20:30 CONFERENCE DINNER

[Le Marquis Restaurant – Hotel Boutique Inglés](#)
C/ del Marques de Dos Aigües 6, 46004 Valencia

DAY 2

Friday 26th April

9:30 - 10:30 PLENARY SESSION

ETHEL QUAYLE (University of Edinburgh, United Kingdom)

Technology-assisted sexual abuse: Digital tools for psychological approaches to managing distress and reducing further victimization

Chair: Virginia Soldino (Universitat de València)

Coffee break

PANEL 3 (11:00-12:30)

Chair: Andrea García-Montes (Universitat Politècnica de València)

Thuy Nguyen Vo, Berta Franch Martínez & Jorge Piqueras (Universitat Internacional de Catalunya)

Recursos terapéuticos en línea para usuari@s de material de explotación sexual infantil: el proyecto STOP-CSAM

Silvia Sempere Faus (Universitat Catòlica de València)

El acceso a la justicia de las personas menores de edad ante la violación de sus derechos en el entorno digital

Craig Evans & Nuria Lorenzo-Dus (Swansea University)

Investigating child resistance and groomer counter-resistance in online grooming interactions

Eva Mestre-Mestre (Universitat Politècnica de València)

Exploring criminal intent: A corpus pragmatics analysis of explicit language and emotion in online sexual grooming

Ruth Mullineux-Morgan & Nuria Lorenzo-Dus (Swansea University)

'it's made me feel sad and confused. im scared to go to school and i feel humiliated and ashamed': Children's discourse about their experiences of being groomed online

12:45-14:00. ROUND TABLE

Chair: Sergio Maruenda (IULMA/Universitat de València)

Protección del menor en entornos educativos y de prevención: estrategias y realidades

Participants:

Gloria Bonet Moreno (IES Benlliure)

Rubén Fernández Bleda (Oficina Proyectos Europeos Policía Local de Valencia)

Esmeralda Llorca (Direcció General d'Innovació i inclusió Educativa, Secció Igualtat, Convivència i Compensació de desigualtat, Generalitat Valenciana)

Teresa Martínez Peral (Fundación ANAR)

Alejandra Ramírez González (Instituto de derechos humanos, Universitat de València, Proyecto europeo EDUCAP: Multiplying educational capacities to combat sexual violence against children)

Joaquín Sanz de Galdeano Armero (Inspección Educativa)

Closing Ceremony: 14:00