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IPES 2026
35th ANNUAL MEETING of the
INTERNATIONAL POLICE EXECUTIVE SYMPOSIUM (IPES)
Lisbon, Portugal
June 21st – 26th, 2026

DEMOCRATIC CHALLENGES TO POLICING:

RESILIENCE, ETHICAL INTELLIGENCE, THE ROLE OF TECHNOLOGY
AND AI IN POLICE AND CRIMINAL JUSTICE

CONFERENCE PROGRAMⁱ

Sunday, 21 June 2026 – Arrival & Welcome Reception

- 17:30 – 19:00** Welcome Reception at the hotel lobby.
20:00 – 22:00 Welcome Dinner at the hotel restaurant.

Monday, 22 June – Opening Session & Panels I & II

- 09:00 – 09:30** Registration and welcome coffee at Universidade Autónoma de Lisboa (UAL).
09:30 – 10:30 Official Opening Session, with remarks from the Executive and Scientific Coordination.
10:30 – 12:30 **1st Plenary Session | Panel I**
12:30 – 14:00 Lunch
14:00 – 16:00 **2nd Plenary Session | Panel II**

Tuesday, 23 June – Panels III & IV and IPES Anniversary Celebration

- 09:30 – 10:30** Registration and welcome coffee at UAL.
10:30 – 12:30 **3rd Plenary Session | Panel III**



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- 12:30 – 14:00** Lunch
- 14:00 – 16:00** **4th Plenary Session | Panel IV**
- 19:00** Celebration of the 35th Anniversary of IPES. Dinner cruise on the Tagus River, including live music.

Wednesday, 24 June – Cultural & Leisure Day | Trip to Sintra

- 09:30 – 18:00** Full-day cultural excursion to Sintra and the Cascais Coast, including guided visits and lunch.

Thursday, 25 June – Panels V & VI and Academic Closing Dinner

- 09:00 – 09:30** Registration and welcome coffee at UAL.
- 09:30 – 10:30** Executive and Scientific Coordination Committee's Remarks.
- 10:30 – 12:30** **5th Plenary Session | Panel V**
- 12:30 – 14:00** Lunch
- 14:00 – 16:00** **6th Plenary Session | Panel VI**
- 20:00** Farewell, Gala Dinner.

26 June 2026 – Friday

- All Day** Departures

ⁱ The detailed academic program and presentation titles will be posted online by the end of May. For more information, contact conferencechair@ipes.info