

Romanian Law Enforcement Involvement in Fighting Cyber Crime

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Abstract

There are various legislative and technological developments in the field of cybersecurity that make a positive impact and create excellent opportunities, but sometimes can affect the investigation of the cybercrime phenomenon. This paper underlines the need for international cooperation and presents the Romanian law enforcement involvement in fighting cybercrime.

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