## **PRESSRELEASE**



## eurobits at it-sa 2022 - Your European network for cybersecurity

**Bochum/Nuremberg, 25.10.2022** - Cybersecurity is the core topic of eurobits e.V. As a non-profit association from the heart of the Ruhr Area, the competence networks universities and IT security companies with the user economy such as hospitals, utilities, public clients and commercial enterprises. An excellently developed network of contacts and an increasing number of members prove both necessity as well as success of this approach.

For its members, the association is not only an important hub and point of contact, but also a source of inspiration: with projects such as the "eurobits women academy (ewa)" or the "Cyberwehr", eurobits promotes and optimizes cybersecurity together with its members. The goal of the association is always the sustainable strengthening of cybersecurity and digital resilience in NRW, Germany and the EU. This is reflected, among other things, in long-standing and fruitful cooperation at European level - for example, with the European Cybersecurity Organisation (ECSO) or the North European Cybersecurity Cluster (NECC). This also includes the fact that eurobits e.V. is the only German awarding body to date to award the ECSO "Cybersecurity made in Europe" label with the aim of improving European digital autonomy.

Bringing these successes back to the region on an international level and directly to the users is the core task of the association: Especially with the project "RegioCall eurobits" and as a partner of the DIGITAL.SECURE.NRW (DSNRW) competence centre, eurobits e.V. and its members provide very concretely for more IT security in the region and in the state of NRW.

"I am pleased that this year, for the first time, we will also be able to use it-sa in Nuremberg as a stage to elaborate the networking of our association with a large audience including the cybersecurity community as well as users. With our broad-based approach, which takes into account every aspect of IT security from research to providers to users, we deliver a coherent concept - and make a contribution to decisively shaping the ongoing digitisation of North Rhine-Westphalia, Germany and the European Union in terms of cybersecurity."

- Christine Skropke, Chairwoman of the Board of eurobits e.V.

eurobits and its staff are looking forward to seeing you at it-sa 2022 in Nuremberg. You will find us at the NRW pavilion (No. 7-402). Please send any queries to: kontakt@eurobits.de.







