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## CONTINUING PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT WEBINAR

# Fundamentals on Data Protection

On the occasion of the World Data Privacy Day held every year on 28 January, this is the second in a series of Continuing Professional Development (CPD) Webinars organised by the School of Law of the Cyprus Campus of the University of Central Lancashire (UCLan Cyprus) to celebrate the signing of Memoranda of Understanding with the Larnaca Bar Association and Famagusta Bar Association respectively.

For further information, please visit <https://bit.ly/3qzug8r> and <https://bit.ly/3tzGznh>

The topic of Data Protection forms part of the Fundamentals in the CPD portfolio of the School of Law in association with legal and other practitioners. You may view last year's event by way of introduction: <https://bit.ly/3KIPNtX> and [https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=Pa2eT5\\_17bE](https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=Pa2eT5_17bE)

**Date** 31 March 2022 | **Time** 18:00-19:30 Cyprus time (i.e. 16:00-17:30 UK time)

**Venue** Online via Microsoft Teams (Details will follow after registration)

**1 CPD hour**

### THE SPECIFIC AIMS OF THE WEBINAR

This webinar will aim to provide participants with information and insights into recent developments in data protection regulation in Cyprus, the European Union and internationally. The webinar format will provide plenty of opportunities for participants to engage in discussions with the panellists about current issues in data protection regulation and practical approaches for addressing the issues arising from these matters.

### TRAINING CONTENT

- Introduction by the Chair
- Recent legal developments in data protection, including analysis of data protection authority enforcement actions, regulation and court decisions
- international data transfers
- How the COVID-19 pandemic has affected the enterprises and their obligation for adequate data protection
- Wrap-up and questions

### PROGRAMME

**18:00-18:15** Introduction by the Chair

**Prof. Stéphanie Laulhé Shaelou**, Professor of European Law & Reform and Head, School of Law, UCLan Cyprus ([www.uclancyprus.ac.cy/academic/dr-laulhe-shaelou-stephanie/](http://www.uclancyprus.ac.cy/academic/dr-laulhe-shaelou-stephanie/))

**18:15-19:00** Presentation by Keynote Speakers

**Mr Stylianos Christoforou**, Managing Partner, Stylianos Christoforou & Co LLC

**“Analysis on the Spirit of the Decisions of the Commissioner for the Protection of Personal Data”**

*Stylianos N. Christoforou studied in the UK and received an LLB (Hons) and a Master of Laws in International Commercial Law. In 2000, he was admitted to the Bar and became a Barrister at Law of Grays’ Inn. Stylianos returned to Cyprus in 2001 and established Stylianos Christoforou & Co LLC in 2005 after practicing law with some of the most- renowned organizations in Cyprus. Further to his academic achievement, Stylianos, obtained four professional certifications. In 2004 he became a Member of the Chartered Institute of Arbitrators of England and Wales, in 2014 he became a Qualified Lecturer on Legal Matters, in 2015 a Qualified Insolvency Practitioner and in 2017 a TUV Austria Accredited GDPR Practitioner. Stylianos is the retained legal advisor of a number of renowned large and medium size Cypriot Enterprises. Along with his team of lawyers and IT experts they have assisted over 80 Companies to achieve compliance with the GDPR, are constantly advising on Technology Law, and offer the service of the DPO to a number of enterprises both in Cyprus and abroad. Resulting from this engagement he has developed a practical experience on the data protection area and is regularly providing training seminars through which he shares his knowledge.*

**Ms. Maria Raphael**, Director and Shareholder in I. Frangos & Associates LLC

**“International Data Transfers: Compliance and Challenges”**

*Maria Raphael is a director and shareholder in I. Frangos & Associates LLC, heading the legal and litigation department of the firm since 2010. She is the co-founder, managing director and shareholder of Privacy Minders Cyprus and Privacy Minders UK. She is the Chair of the Cyprus Branch of EADPP (the European Association of Data Protection Professionals). In November 2020, she had been elected to serve as the Chair of the EADPP. Prior to her election and as of November 2019, she was a board member of EADPP and a Chair of the EADPP Strategy & Policy Committee. As of May 2021, she represents EADPP (Liaison Organization) at the CEN/CLC/JTC 13 Technical Committee on “Cybersecurity and Data Protection”. She is a Certified Information Privacy Professional /Europe (CIPP/E) and has been certified by the Human Resource Development Authority as a trainer of Vocational Training. Maria graduated in Law from the Aristotle University of Thessaloniki and holds a Master’s degree (LL.M.) in Criminology and Criminal Justice from the University of London, as well as a Postgraduate Diploma in Common Law and a Postgraduate Certificate in International Criminal Justice. She is also an ADR Group Accredited Civil & Commercial Mediator.*

**19:00-19:30** Question-and-Answer session

#### **TARGET AUDIENCE**

This webinar will be relevant to members of the legal profession, compliance officers, data protection officers, risk management specialists, entrepreneurs, financial executives, negotiators, public servants, advanced students and all other people who need to be familiar with issues related to data protection.

#### **CERTIFICATION OF ATTENDANCE FOR CPD PURPOSES**

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**LANGUAGE** English

#### **ORGANISER**

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#### **REGISTRATION**

Admission is free, but registration is essential. To register to attend the Webinar, **please click here** and return the consent form to [lawacademy@uclancyprus.ac.cy](mailto:lawacademy@uclancyprus.ac.cy) (Telephone: +357 24694048). The running of the webinar is subject to a satisfactory number of participants booking their place as soon as reasonably possible. Accordingly, participants who wish to attend are kindly requested to book their places promptly and, in any event, not later than 24 hours before the scheduled start time.

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