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7.00 PM - 8.30 PM CET

This is a series of panels for the Bocconi community, aimed at introducing a new generation of students to cybersecurity and the unique challenges careers in this field can present, especially for women. While everyone is welcome, the panels will give a holistic perspective to inspire young women interested in technology and cybersecurity, directly from leading women in the sector.

The panel will discuss the possibilities for cybersecurity careers in a non-corporate environment, such as consulting, public policy, law enforcement, or tech environments. What can a career in these field entail, what can it offer, and what are the difficulties in getting into this career path? We will hear the experience and advice of the panelists, and their opinions on what skills are important to develop to pursue such a career. Come join us and hear from these amazingly successful women in cybersecurity:

**Laura Duncan**, Director, Cyber Security at PwC UK

**Shira Kaplan**, Founder and CEO, Cyverse AG

**Audrey Plonk**, Head of Division - Digital Economy Policy at the Organisation of Economic Cooperation and Development (OECD)

**MJ Thomas**, Director of Security at General Dynamics - Bath Iron Works

**Moderator: Silvia Belloni** • MSc '22

**Host: Hans Brechbuhl** • Associate Professor of Practice, SDA Bocconi

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