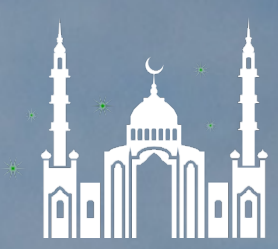




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Countries We Are Working In (2021 – 2023)



DENMARK



HUNGARY



GERMANY



FRANCE



NETHERLANDS



AUSTRIA



BELGIUM



What's our Strategic Ambitions



EMPOWER COMMUNITIES TO BE AND FEEL SAFE IN PALACES OF WORSHIP

Through effective communications and training build resilient communities to feel safe in places of worship

BRING COMMUNITIES TOGETHER

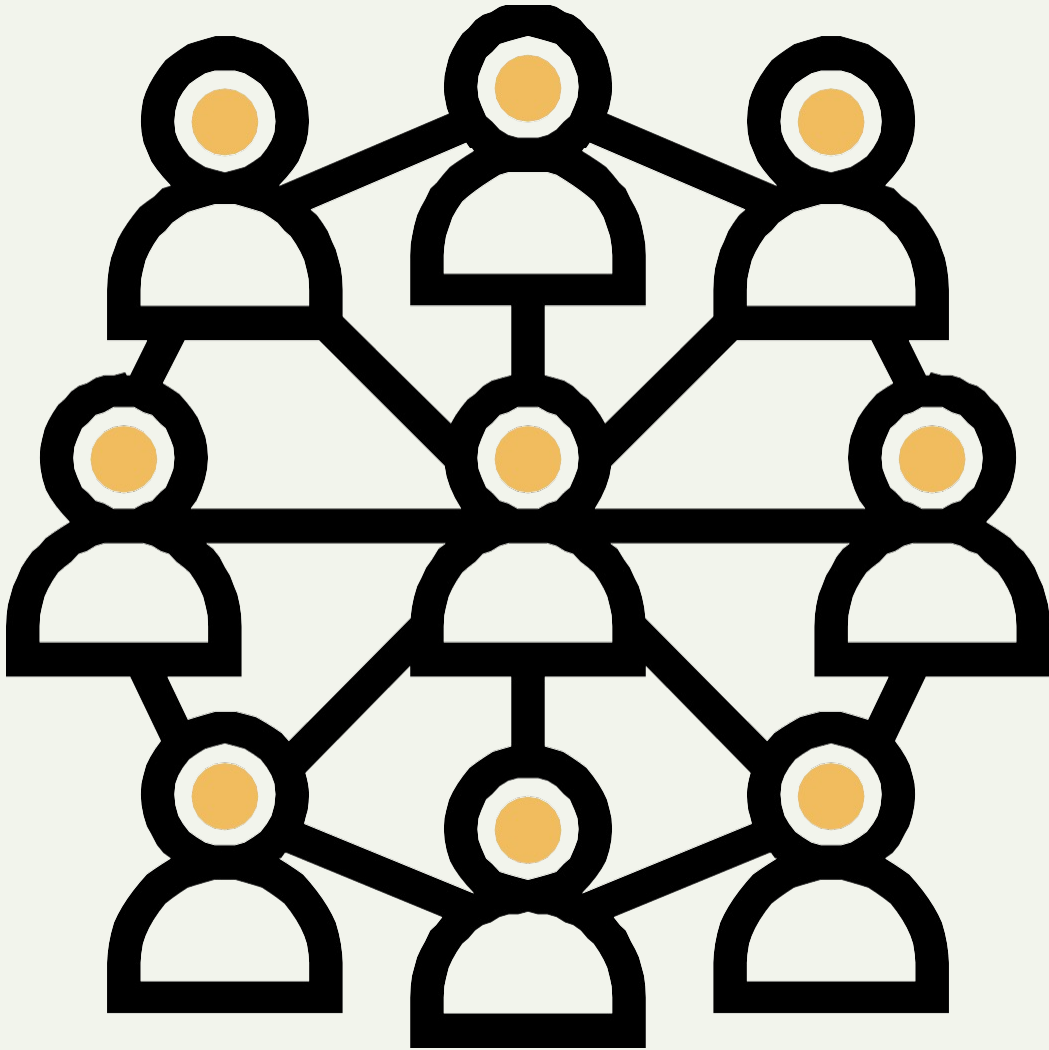
By working collectively with all faith communities, training and engaging on practical steps together to build cohesion

HELP DECISION MAKERS, MAKE THE CORRECT CHOICES TO IMPROVE SAFETY

Developing materials, tools, choices and strategies for leaders to adopt to enhance worship experiences but not change worship practices

Community Centric Approach

WORK PACKAGE 4

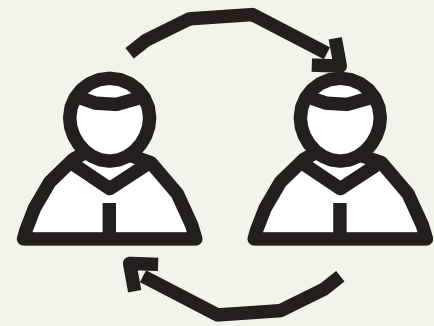


**Approach Interfaith leaders
and known actors at
regional and local levels**

CDO

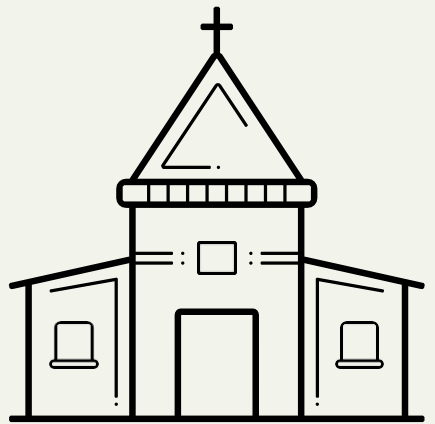


Engage with larger venues

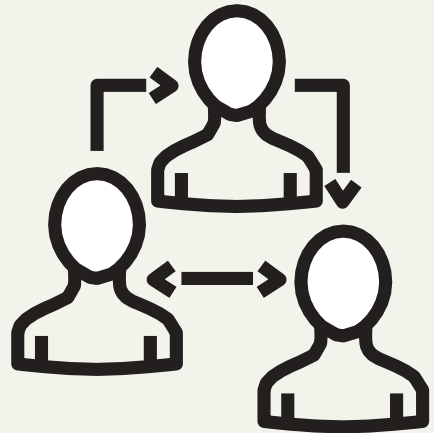


**Encourage Intra faith
engagement**

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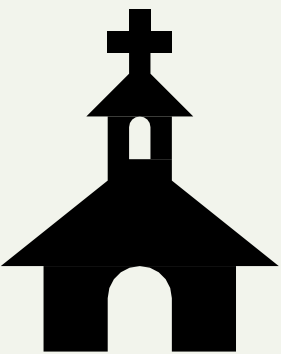


Engage with medium venues

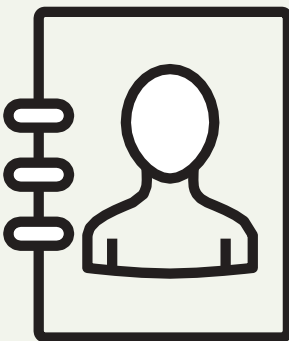


**Cross denominational and
those in operational roles**

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And engage with smaller venues



**Smaller communities and
connected with mainstream**

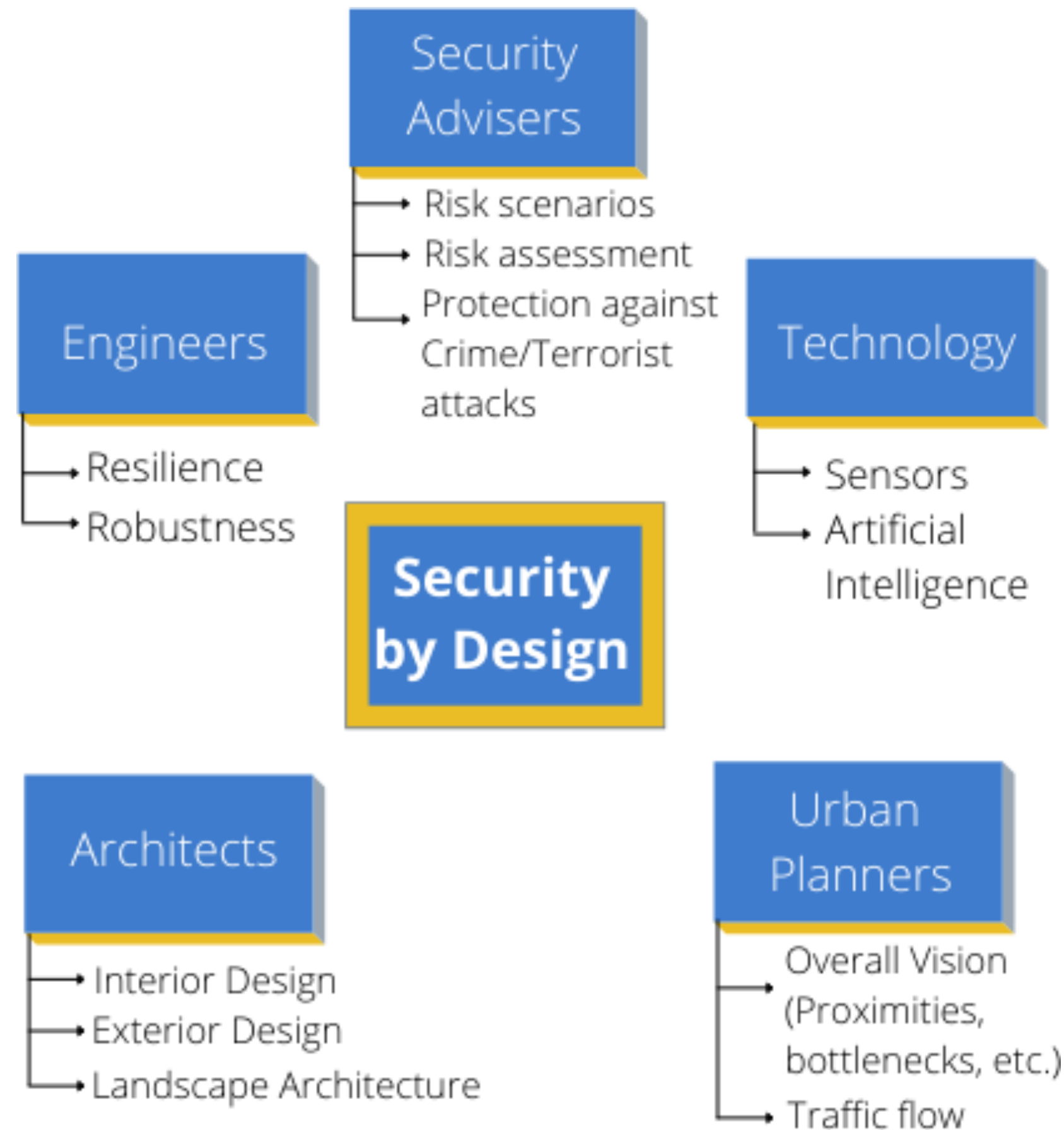


DELIVERING VARIOUS TRAINING TO PLACES OF WORSHIP


- REGIONAL EVENTS IN KEY CITIES IN 7 EU MEMBER STATES
- PROTECTIVE SECURITY TRAINING TO PLACES OF WORSHIP (RISK ASSESSMENTS, SECURITY BY DESIGN, SECURITY TRAINING)
 - WOMEN AND YOUTH TRAINING
 - SECURITY BY DESIGN
 - POLICY ROUNDTABLES




SECURITY BY DESIGN - PROTECTING PLACES OF WORSHIP IN EUROPE



SECURITY BY DESIGN PAPERS



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SBD
VISUAL DETERRENTS
(CCTV, SURVEILLANCE AND SIGNS)




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IMPLEMENTING SBD
FOR AND IN EXISTING BUILDINGS,
INCLUDING HERITAGE SITES



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SBD GATES/DOORS
AND WINDOWS
REDEVELOPMENT ACCESS

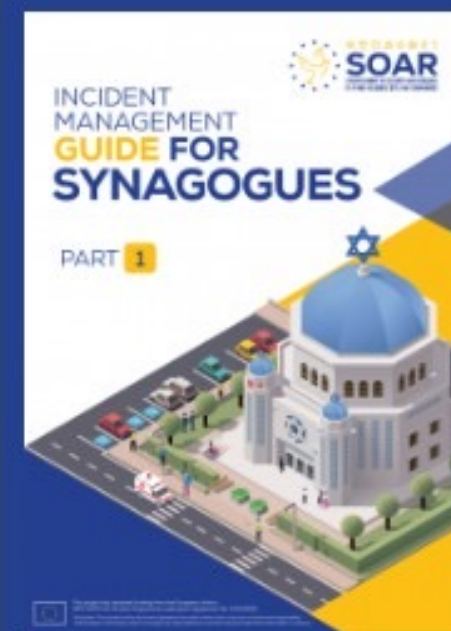


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OUTER AREA SBD
PROTECTION AND BOLLARDS

RESOURCES / KNOWLEDGE HUB



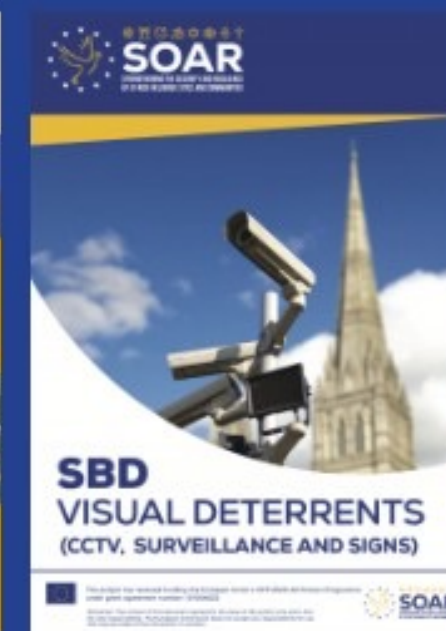
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Guide – Synagogues



Incident Management
Guide – Mosques



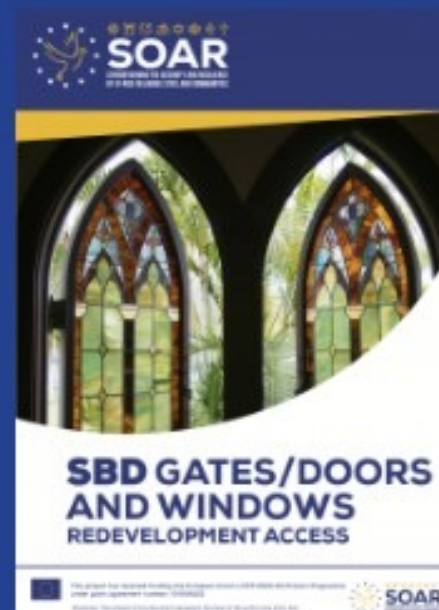
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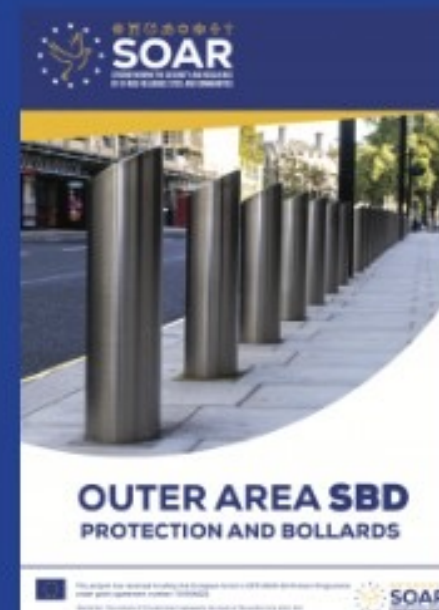
SBD Visual Deterrents



Implementing SBD for
and in Existing
Buildings



SBD Gates/Doors and
Windows
Redevelopment
Access



Outer Area SBD
Protection and
Bollards



10 Security Tips for
Mosques during Eid

SBD - CALL FOR EXPERTS AND BEST PRACTICE



RISK ASSESSMENTS FOR PLACES OF WORSHIP



TRAINING EVENTS DELIVERED ACROSS THE PILOT COUNTRIES



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COMMUNICATIONS & CAMPAIGNS



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Global Programme on Countering Terrorist Threats against Vulnerable Targets

PRESENTING SOAR PROJECT AT EUROPEAN WIDE EVENTS



G20 Summit



Munster, Germany

**PROTECTING PLACES OF WORSHIP
SECURITY RESEARCH AND INNOVATION
WEBINAR**

Shaukat Warraich - Director of
EFI & SOAR is presenting on
'SOAR- *Strengthening the
security & resilience of at risk
religious sites*' program
2nd Sept from 3 pm (UK-BST).

EFI ENHANCING FAITH INSTITUTIONS **SOAR** Strengthening the security and resilience of religious sites and communities **G20 INTERFAITH FORUM** **PROTECTOR** PROTECTING places of worship

Interfaith Forum

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World Council of Churches Assembly Conference in Germany



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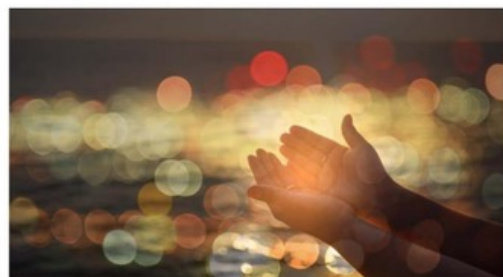
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SOAR Project

SOAR stands for 'Strengthening the security and resilience of at-risk religious sites and communities' programme. We, Enhancing Faith Institutions (EFI) are the lead partner of this EU-funded project and we are working alongside our European project partners Finn Church Aid and Architects' Council of Europe. The project is supported by the United Nations Alliance of Civilisations.

A key component of the programme is to advance the protection of religious sites by implementing a 'security by design' (SBD) concept. Providing time for experts in our trainings to discuss this concept and its importance, makes it a key aspect of the SOAR programme.



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Editorial Note

Places of Worship have long been vulnerable targets for terrorism, hate crime, extremism, and vandalism. Attacks on places of worship is not a new phenomenon. Rather it is an increasingly worrying trend that puts our societies at risk. An attack against a place of worship is an attack against a community, against our fundamental freedom of religion or belief. The freedom of thought, conscience and religion are protected by international legal instruments, such as the UN, as well as national legal frameworks. Yet, attacks including the ones that occurred in Nice, Halle, Vendée, and many others, serve as an unfortunate reminder of the persisting cases of discrimination, intolerance, and terrorism.

Our efforts are therefore directed towards the protection of religious sites and communities.



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Editorial Note

We are delighted to present this October's Newsletter Issue!

The SOAR Project had an exciting and eventful month. This Newsletter presents events that the SOAR project hosted and attended, information on our various upcoming activities, and updates on the platforms and networks that our team engaged with.

Additionally, this newsletter also highlights the most important EU publications and developments that discuss pressing issues within the security arena, including terrorist attacks and urban crime prevention, as well as showcasing EU's plans to address these issues moving forward.

The SOAR Project continues to advance and promote the protection & safeguarding of places of worship across Europe.



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Editorial Note

We are delighted to present this November's Newsletter Issue!

Firstly, we would like to thank you for following the SOAR Project's journey through our monthly Newsletters. We are consistently working towards our goal - to protect places of worship and at-risk religious communities all across Europe.

This month's Newsletter presents the latest events that the SOAR project hosted and organized; significant publications from leading institutions within the security sector; relevant International Days and our traditional list of media documented attacks against places of worship.

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 <div>SAFETY TRAINING FOR COMMUNITIES IN RADHADESH - BELGIUM 29 SEP 2022 - 10:00 - 16:00pm</div> 	 <div>FORMATION SUR LA PROTECTION DES LIEUX DE CULTE À PERPIGNAN 17 SEPTEMBRE 2022 - 10H00 - 16H00</div> 	 <div>PROTECTIVE SECURITY TRAINING FOR PLACES OF WORSHIP IN BUDAPEST 17 SEPT 2022 - 10H00 - 16H00</div> 
Training Event – Radhadesh September 29 @ 10:00 am - 4:00 pm	Training Event – Perpignan September 17 @ 10:00 am - 4:00 pm	Training Event – Budapest (17/09) September 17 @ 10:00 am - 4:00 pm



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