ASIS International Code of Conduct

ASIS Europe 2026 – Antwerp, 23-25 March 2026

In accordance with Article I. of the ASIS International Code of Conduct, ASIS is committed to providing a respectful, safe, and welcoming experience for all event participants. All attendees should feel welcome and included at ASIS.

By extension, all ASIS attendees, presenters, exhibitors, sponsors, vendors, contractors, other service providers, and ASIS staff at any onsite or virtual meeting, interaction, or event will conduct themselves with dignity, respect, and without judgement towards others.

Participants will:

- Follow all laws applicable to the person and place.
- Respect the specific rules and policies of the event; and
- Otherwise uphold the reputation of ASIS.

Participants will not behave in the following ways:

- Intimidating, threatening, harassing, abusive, discriminatory, derogatory, demeaning conduct, whether written, verbal, electronic, or other abuse.
- Inappropriate use of nudity and/or sexual images or language.
- Failing to obey any rules or policies of the venue or ASIS.
- Whether such behavior constitutes unacceptable behavior shall be determined by ASIS and its representatives, in their sole discretion. ASIS takes matters of such unacceptable behavior in any form seriously.

CHATHAM HOUSE RULE

Some sessions may operate under the Chatham House Rule – if so this will be noted in the session description in the programme and verbally announced by the speaker at the beginning of the session. Participants are free to use and share the information discussed, but may not reveal the identity or affiliation of any speaker or attendee, nor attribute any statement to a specific individual. This rule exists to encourage open and candid dialogue by ensuring participants can speak freely without fear of attribution. Adherence to the Chatham House Rule is a condition of participation in these sessions and is expected of all attendees as part of the code of conduct.

Consequences of Unacceptable Behavior

Unacceptable behavior will not be tolerated. Any event participant requested to stop any unacceptable behavior is expected to comply immediately.

At any ASIS event, ASIS staff (or their designee) may take any action deemed necessary and appropriate, including removal of a participant, for any unacceptable behavior as described above.

Anyone engaged in unacceptable behavior may be subject to expulsion from the event, at ASIS's sole discretion, without refund. Depending on the severity of the unacceptable behavior, further consequences may include termination of membership in ASIS, or denial to participate in future ASIS events or meetings as determined by ASIS.

Reporting Unacceptable Behavior

If you are the subject of unacceptable behavior as defined above or have witnessed any such unacceptable behavior and you have been unable to resolve the situation in another way you may notify ASIS staff, either in person or by email to europe@asisonline.org.

Requests for confidentiality will be honored to the extent permitted by the law and ASIS procedure.

Suitcasing Policy

Exhibiting, promotion or solicitation of products and services is allowed from designated exhibit booths only. Solicitation, distribution, advertising, displaying or promotion of any products or other materials or media outside of an exhibitors' designated booth ("suitcasing") is strictly prohibited. ASIS International retains, at its sole discretion, the right to cancel this Attendee registration and to remove or require the removal of any Attendee whose networking or sales conduct is determined to be "suitcasing". If such action is necessary, there will be no refund of fees paid to Attendee, nor will ASIS International be liable for any damages including but not limited to any direct, incidental, or consequential damages arising from or related to the Attendee's action or removal from ASIS Europe 2026.

The organiser reserves the right to exclude attendees who do not abide by these requirements.