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APDL HISTORY AND EVOLUTION

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Data protection and compliance in the spotlight!







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APDLHISTORY



The creation of our non-profit association for professionals:

- Articles of Incorporation published as of 23 October 2013
- Cyber, legal and data protection experts joined to create a platform for:
 - Collaboration, exchanging of point of views and networking
 - Taking a common position on legal uncertainties and the gap between technology and law
 - Creating a national SPOC for regulators and authorities
 - Assist in training campaigns
 - Following up with European regulations
- Membership limited to active experts





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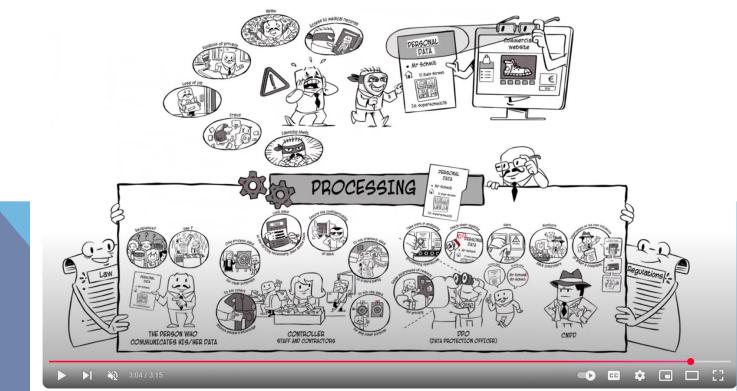


Active collaboration with local regulators and local associations

True professional platform for its members

Every year numerous Conferences, Round Tables and Networking events

- 4 historical permanent working groups (legal, DPO, technical and awareness)
- 1 professional Youtube Data Protection awareness video in 4 languages: https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=AuPmpmKoqgQ





APDL 2025 AND BEYOND



Continue on a national level:

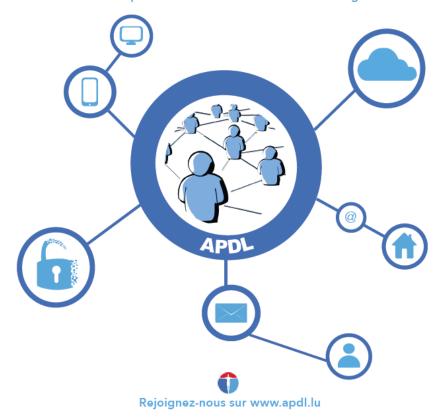
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- Collaboration with local professional associations and working groups

New cross boarder initiatives:

- Increase collaboration with European data protection associations and European regulators while promoting Luxembourg
- Start direct collaboration with European Commission and European public administrations
- Provide APDL members the possibility to directly participate in European Association and data protection working groups
- Provide state of the art support to practical data protection questions related to Al technologies



Association à but non lucratif créée par et pour les professionnels de la protection des données au Luxembourg



THANK YOU!