



SURVANT ATTENDANCE TO INTERNATIONAL EVENTS

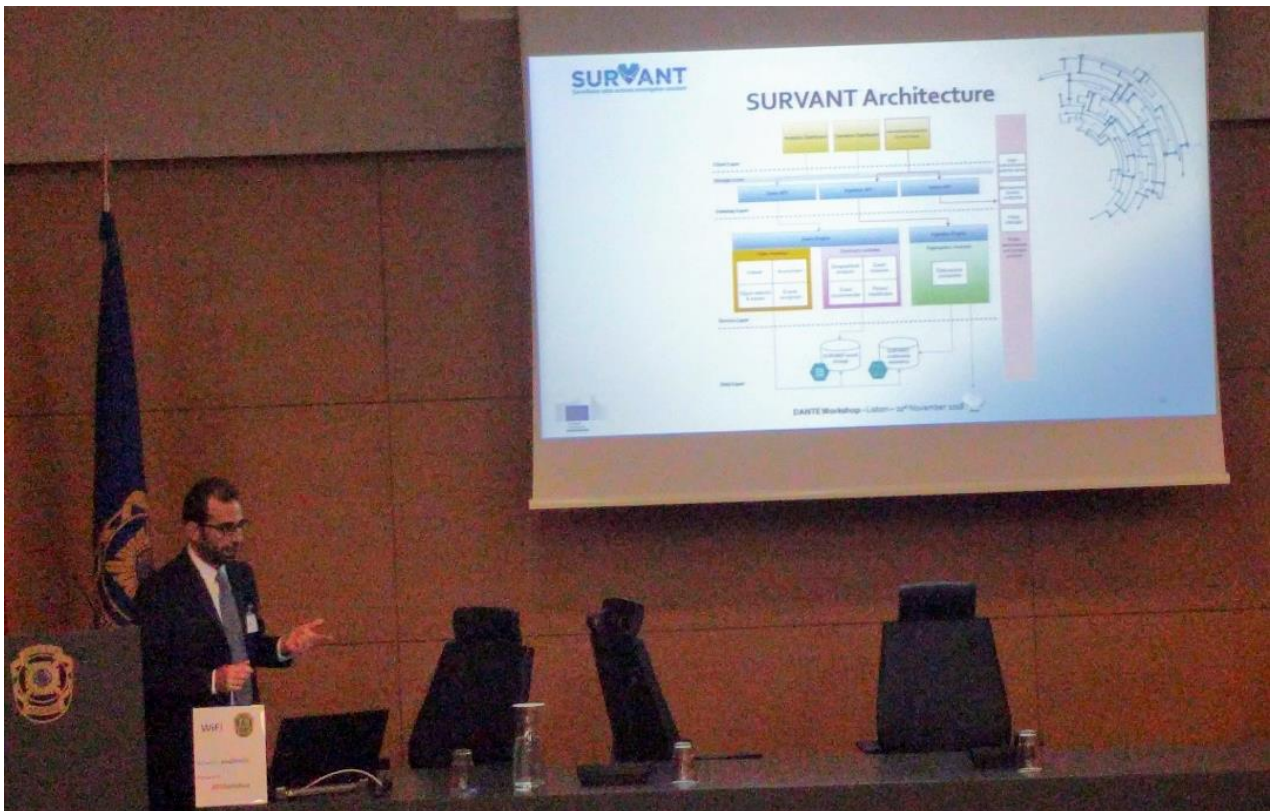
The SURVANT system ensures users a prompt examination of relevant videos from heterogeneous sources via a user-friendly interface and inter- and intra-camera advanced video analytics by means of reasoning and inference technologies. The analysis of video archives footage enabled by SURVANT enables prompt and effective detection of malicious events and suspect persons. As a consequence, traditional investigation practices will be dramatically improved in terms of their effectiveness, and time and cost consumption.

In order to communicate and show its innovative system, the SURVANT project has been presented at two major events: a training workshop held in Lisbon on November 2018 and the SRE, which took place in Brussels on December 2018.

WORKSHOP IN LISBON

SURVANT and the [DANTE](#) project co-organized a very successful workshop in Lisbon (at PJ headquarters) on 21st of November 2018, discussing about homeland security with other seven EU Horizon2020 projects in the security domain, law enforcement agencies, European Commission representatives, industries and researchers. The event included a demo of the SURVANT system showing how much SURVANT supports law enforcement practitioners in their day by day work of fighting against crime and terrorism.

The workshop received positive feedback from the different stakeholders, including the European Commission representatives.



THE SECURITY RESEARCH EVENT 2018

The Security Research Event is the annual meeting where industry, governments and knowledge institutions come together to discuss the state of play and current challenges for security research in Europe, and where EU funded security-related projects are displayed in a large exhibition area.

The SRE, jointly organised by the European Commission and the Austrian Ministry for Transport, Innovation and Technology, took place on 5th and 6th of December 2018 in Brussels, at the Square Meeting Centre 1.

The European Commission aimed at highlighting the role of security research to foster the implementation of EU Policies and address crucial societal challenges, demonstrating the strength and inspiring results of security related research and innovation activities, under the theme "Making Europe a safer place - demonstrating the impact of EU-funded security research". Dissemination and outreach of projects have been the cornerstone of the conference's discussions, as these activities are among the main enablers of market uptake and are currently identified as a major challenge for security research by all relevant stakeholders.

The SURVANT project had the chance to exhibit its last results and progresses with the support of a stand, which helped the project to gathered people in order to increase its visibility and to discuss about its innovative technologies in front of 800 participants representing a wide range of security stakeholders. Moreover the project was included in the VIP Tour and was the first booth to be visited by Norbert Hofer the Minister for Transport, Innovation and Technology as an example of using successfully the Fast Track to Innovation funds.



Many stakeholders interested in the project were glad to join the SURVANT booth where they found the related dissemination materials such as brochures, newsletters and technical factsheets.



The SURVANT platform of smart video surveillance supporting the investigators to discover suspicious criminal event was shown to end-users, researchers, industry representatives, public security providers and practitioners (i.e. fire departments, police, border guards, intelligence agencies, etc.), as well as a wide number of policymakers from across Europe. In particular, the Austrian Government representative showed great interest to the analysis of video archives footage performed by the SURVANT system.



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