

GSMA Telecom Cybersecurity Roundtable

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Cybersecurity Roundtable: Emerging Threats and Industry Collaboration in Japan's Mobile Ecosystem

This roundtable will bring together cybersecurity leaders from Japan's mobile operator community to discuss the rapidly evolving threat landscape and the strategic response required to protect customers and networks.

Key topics include the rise of AI-enabled threats, such as deepfake impersonation, automated phishing and smishing campaigns, AI-driven malware, and vulnerability exploitation. Participants will explore how generative AI is lowering the barrier to entry for cybercriminals while increasing the sophistication, scale, and personalization of attacks.

GSMA and Operators will share mitigation strategies, including network-level filtering, real-time fraud detection powered by AI, enhanced customer authentication, number verification, and cross-industry intelligence sharing.

A dedicated segment will review GSMA's Anti-Scam and Fraud initiatives, including best practice frameworks, fraud intelligence collaboration, SMS sender ID protection, CLI spoofing countermeasures, and global operator coordination models. The discussion will focus on how Japanese operators can align with and strengthen these initiatives through regional cooperation.

The roundtable aims to foster actionable collaboration, promote threat intelligence sharing, and identify practical measures to enhance consumer trust and resilience across Japan’s mobile ecosystem and further regional cybersecurity cooperation.

Event Overview

Date: 15 April 2026

Time: 14:00 to 16:30

Venue: Hoshi Room, 28th Floor

JW Marriot Hotel, 2 Chome-21-2 Takanawa, Minato City, 108-0074

Networking Drinks: 5 to 7pm @ the JW Bar

Agenda

Time	Session	PIC
14:00 – 14:10	Opening	Sam Kight, Head of Industry Security, GSMA
14:10 – 14:40	GSMA Security Landscape Review + Discussion	David Turkington
14:40 – 15:20	Open Discussion: AI enabled attacks and how to speed up the security responses. Recent attacks/responses/news GSMA's T-ISAC initiative	All

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15:20- 15:35	Coffee break	
15:35 – 16:00	United Against Scams Initiative – status update	Sam Kight, David Turkington
16:00 – 16:25	Open discussion +AoB	All
16:25 – 16:30	Close + Next Steps	David Turkington