

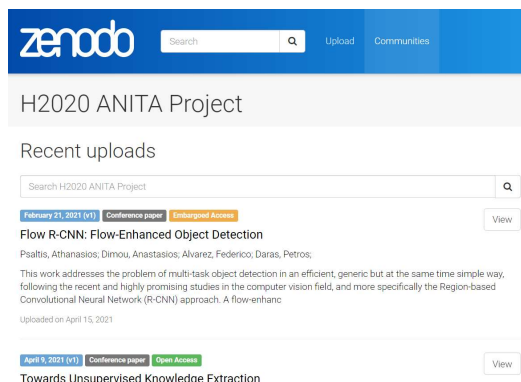


*The ANITA “Advanced tools for fighting online illegal trafficking” is a project focused on the design and development a novel knowledge-based user centered investigation system for analyzing heterogeneous online (on the Surface web, Deep web and Dark net) and offline content for fighting illegal trafficking of drugs, counterfeit medicines, NPS and firearms.*

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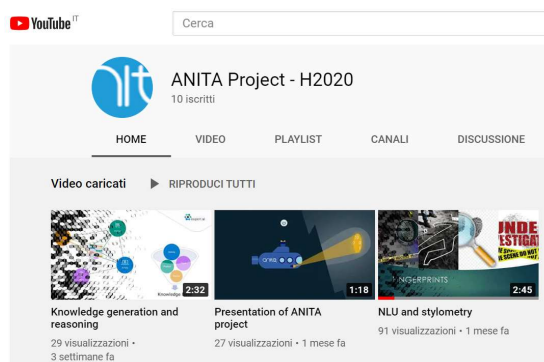
*Dear Reader,*

*Last 08-09/04/2021 was held the 12th e-General Assembly in which were presented interesting news about new communication tools, which are in addition to the newsletter and social channels, and was announced the first of two workshops that will conclude the project. Below are the details.*



We therefore invite you to visit the new **ANITA Community on Zenodo**, [is.gd/Qfqway](https://is.gd/Qfqway) where you can easily consult all the scientific publications of the project in a single and convenient repository.

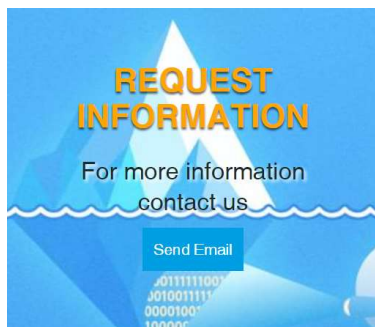
It will also be interesting to consult the videos already present on the **ANITA youtube channel** [t.ly/OFkQ](https://t.ly/OFkQ). In addition to the existing videos on stylometry and knowledge generation, others will soon be added on the main features of the investigation platform currently being developed.





Due to Covid, the end of the project has been moved forward 6 months. A period necessary to complete the training activities and conduct two workshops to be held, the first on 21 May and the second in the autumn of this year. These one-day events will focus on two main target audiences: the European Law Enforcement Agencies committed in fighting against illegal trafficking and organised crime activities and relevant EU agencies.

This first event is specifically dedicated to LEAs who are interested in learning more about the potential of the ANITA system, in understanding how it enhances and contributes to the technological advances in monitoring illegal trafficking and organised crime activities and how to use and integrate them in their own systems and operational investigation cycle.



The agenda is a blend of activities including the presentation and demo of the overall ANITA solution and a specific slot dedicated to ANITA sister projects developing complementary research results.

If you need more information, please visit Anita website and contact us sending an email and stay tuned to our [twitter](#) account @AnitaProject to get the latest news about the events.

## Events and workshops

On March, 3, **Politie Oost-Brabant** - Dienst Regionale Informatie Organisatie (DRIO) had a Teams-meeting with a large group of Empact delegates on the ANITA project. They represented a broad scala of perspectives on fighting criminal operations: Trafficking Human Beings, Organised property crime (art and antique), Drug trafficking, Sexual crime, Darkweb teams, NPN, Europol, Belgian police, Prosecutors Office, Technical department, FIOD ( tax investigation office). It was a very interesting meeting for a very interested and involved audience.



25 March I-LEAD Network: ANITA was present in the context of the [I-LEAD Research Day 2021](#).

30 March. This is the link to the article on Anita: [t.ly/tmWf](https://t.ly/tmWf) written by the Belgian partners - **Vias institute and LPV** - of the project. It has been submitted in Blue Connect of Blue Minds: <https://www.blueconnect.be/nl> The main public is the broad security sector and in particular the police sector. Reference: Verwee, Dormaels, Anthonissen, Heyndrickx, Van Bortel (2021). *Anita in de strijd tegen illegale handel*. Blue Connect.



Anita participated at MAGNETO FINAL EVENT  
Online, 30th of March 2021

## Upcoming events



RISCC will present ANITA experience about online training in the CEPOL conference which will be on May 6.

*Despite the difficult situation and the numerous events suppressed due to the pandemic, dissemination activities continue thanks to online events. An updated list with all dissemination activities is available here: <https://www.anita-project.eu/events.html>*

Logos of partner organizations: ENGINEERING, EXPERT SYSTEM, SYSTRAN, Home Office, R.F.F.C., JADS, IBEC, VIAN, CERTH, ANITA, Politie, AIT, POLITIE.

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