

Privacy Policy

The Federal Statistical Office of Switzerland, FSO (hereinafter – “Us” or “We”) respects and values your privacy. We have designed this Privacy Policy to inform you of how we collect and process your personal information (hereinafter– “personal data”) that you have provided to us.

This Privacy Policy applies to you when you have submitted your personal data to us in the registration form (hereinafter – “Registration Form”) through our website or via email or other channels to attend the 111th DGINS Conference (hereinafter – “DGINS 2026”).

1. Data Collection and Processing Purposes

We collect and process your personal data for several purposes:

1.1. Registration and attendance

For you to be able to register and attend DGINS 2026 organised by us, we process your personal data obtained via the website for identification and registration purposes. Personal data processing is required for us for organizational requirements prior, during and after the event. If you wish, and when provided in the Registration Form or sent to our email dgins2026@bfs.admin.ch, you can inform us of your dietary preferences. We will use this information to accommodate, as far as reasonable, the relevant requests.

1.2. Event photography and video

Please be aware that we may take photographs and video material at DGINS 2026 and we may use these materials on our websites (<https://www.dgins2026.ch/> and <https://www.bfs.admin.ch/bfs/en/home.html>), social network profiles of the FSO (Facebook, LinkedIn, X) or other media to enhance awareness of our events. You as a participant may appear on such materials. If you are not comfortable with any material published containing your image, you can inform us accordingly and we will refrain from using such image in the future.

2. What kind of personal data is collected and processed by us?

For registration and attendance, we process the following personal data:

- Title
- First name(s)
- Last name(s)

- Email address
- Mobile number
- Participant category
- Country
- Organisation
- Position
- Dietary information
- Attendance at the conference and social programme
- Accompanying person's name and attendance at the social programme

Additionally, for speakers, moderators and session chairs, the information we collect and distribute on our website (<https://www.dgins2026.ch/>), social network profiles, in printed or virtual materials may include such personal data:

- Title, first and last name
- Position
- Organisation
- Résumé
- Photograph

3. Third-party Access

When you register for an event via the website (<https://www.dgins2026.ch/>), your personal data provided in the Registration Form is processed by us and the Platform service provider (data processor), OptimaNet Schweiz AG, 8472 Seuzach, Switzerland.

The use of personal data collected by OptimaNet Schweiz AG through the website is strictly limited to the purpose of providing the website service for us.

For organisational purposes, we may share your personal data with our contractual partners and service providers (data processor) and Eurostat.

We are obliged to provide you with detailed information on your personal data recipients if you so request.

4. Data Retention

We only retain your personal data as long as necessary for the purposes this personal data was collected for.

According to Eurostat's instructions, the DGINS 2026 website will be kept online for at least 12 months after the event. Participants' personal data provided for registration and attendance of DGINS 2026 will be retained for the same period.

5. Your Rights

Collecting and storing participants' personal data for the DGINS2026 Conference on a Swiss-hosted website constitutes personal data processing under the Swiss Data Protection Act and must comply with its general principles of data protection. We also process your data in accordance with the General Data Protection Regulation, as EU participants are registered. For personal data processing, which is based on your consent, you can withdraw your consent at any time. If you wish to withdraw your consent, please contact us at dgins2026@bfs.admin.ch.