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*The next issue of the Journal of Mediterranean and Balkan Intelligence will explore the “**Intelligence and Technology**”*

The topic of the next issue of the Journal of Mediterranean and Balkan Intelligence is “Intelligence and Technology” and aims to highlight the challenges that technological developments pose to the Intelligence Community. Intelligence services have always depended on the capability to develop and use technology for collecting, analysing and disseminating intelligence in order to protect national security. Technological developments, ranging from nuclear technology and nano-technology, to critical information infrastructures, social media and big data analysis, broaden the conflict spectrum and therefore the intelligence targets. Collecting and analyzing intelligence about many of these new targets requires not only new technologies, but also challenges present legal, ethical and operational approaches. When approaching the relation between intelligence and technology one has to consider the kinds of technology that intelligence organizations use, the kinds of intelligence these technical systems produce, and the organizations that are responsible for developing intelligence technology and operating technical intelligence systems. Furthermore, we have to consider the way technology affects the various intelligence disciplines like IMINT, SIGINT, OSINT, HUMINT, etc. This categorization is important, since each discipline entails different training, culture and technology. The next issue of the JMBI aims to provide a needed perspective on the challenges of technology on the practice of intelligence and calls for papers that address the above topics. The JMBI is looking for articles that cover theoretical, legal, ethical and operational aspects concerning the relation between technology and intelligence.

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