



Welcome to the latest edition of the EIT Digital newsletter!

In this issue, we spotlight new opportunities and fresh perspectives that are helping shape Europe's digital future, from cybersecurity upskilling to deep tech entrepreneurship and beyond. There's plenty of education-related news this month.

First up, [Cybersecurity Essentials](#) launches on 21 May 2025. This compact, expert-led course is designed to equip professionals and individuals alike with the tools to protect against cyber threats—whether you're securing personal data or managing organizational risk. Don't miss your chance to join—discount code included.

Ready to turn research into real-world impact? [SPIN: Explore](#), EIT Digital's entrepreneurial education program for scientists and researchers, returns this June. The course offers tools to commercialize innovations in AI, robotics, cybersecurity, and beyond—bridging the critical gap between the lab and the marketplace.

And finally, applications are open for the [EIT Digital Summer School 2025](#). With tracks across seven countries and hands-on learning in real business scenarios, the program offers a unique opportunity to develop skills, grow your network, and gain international experience—at a highly accessible price.

Beyond the classroom, our [Grow Digital Insights](#) series explores how Healthcare Digital Twins are poised to redefine personalized medicine. The latest article unpacks the benefits and challenges of using AI-driven simulations to guide treatments, predict health risks, and empower patients through data.

This newsletter is your invitation to join the community driving Europe's digital transformation. We're glad to have you with us on the journey.



Cybersecurity Essentials starting on 21 May 2025

EIT Digital is launching a course on Cybersecurity Essentials starting soon, on 21 May 2025.

Why You Can't Miss It: Through five expert-led sessions, you will gain insights into safeguarding data, preventing social engineering attacks, and implementing effective strategies for both personal and organizational security.

When: Once a week starting from 21 May till 18 June 2025

Price: €49 for a Single session or €139 for the full package of 5 sessions,

Language: All sessions are in English

Discount Code: Use the code EITDBuddy50 to access a 50% discount during the registration process

Course Content & Registration: For more information about the speakers, content and enrolment, please visit the link [HERE](#)



From lab to launchpad. EIT Digital's SPIN: Explore is here

Calling all researchers, scientists, and deep tech innovators: if you've got a breakthrough idea but need a roadmap to market, [EIT Digital's SPIN: Explore](#) might be your launchpad.

What It Is: SPIN: Explore is a 9-hour, online crash course in entrepreneurial thinking—specifically built for scientists looking to bridge the gap between research and real-world impact. Running from **June 9 to June 25, 2025**, the program tackles big themes like **AI, Robotics, Cybersecurity, Electronics**, and **Sustainable Energy**, all through the lens of commercialization.

The Curriculum (3 key modules):

- **Innovation Assessment:** Learn to evaluate your research for market fit with the KTH Innovation Readiness Level Model.
- **IP Rights:** Master the essentials of intellectual property with pros from the European IP Helpdesk and Patent Office.
- **Stakeholder Comms:** Pitch like a pro with tips from funding and venture capital experts.

Why It Matters: Europe's Deep Tech edge is strong, but there's still a gap between invention and innovation. SPIN: Explore aims to change that—starting at the research bench. The 2024 pilot showed high demand and high impact: 102 participants, 48% women, and a 4.2/5 satisfaction score.

Deadline Alert: Applications close **June 3, 2025**.

□ Bonus: Complete the course and earn an **EIT Digital certificate with EIT Label**—a trusted mark of top-tier entrepreneurial training in Europe.

Ready to SPIN into action? [Apply now](#) and turn your science into startup fuel.



Summer School, serious impact: Applications now open!

EIT Digital Summer School 2025 is now accepting applications—and if you're a Master's student, young professional, or PhD candidate with a digital dream, this two-week experience could be your game changer.

Where? Take your pick from **8 tracks in 7 countries**—Spain, Finland, France, Italy, Greece, Slovenia, and Scotland. Each location offers a different lens on tech, business, and innovation.

What's On the Agenda?

- **Maritime Robotics** in Spain (IEEE Symposium included)
- □ **Smart City Platforms** in Helsinki
- **Digital Wellbeing via Design Thinking** in Barcelona
- □ **Space Tech & AI** in Italy

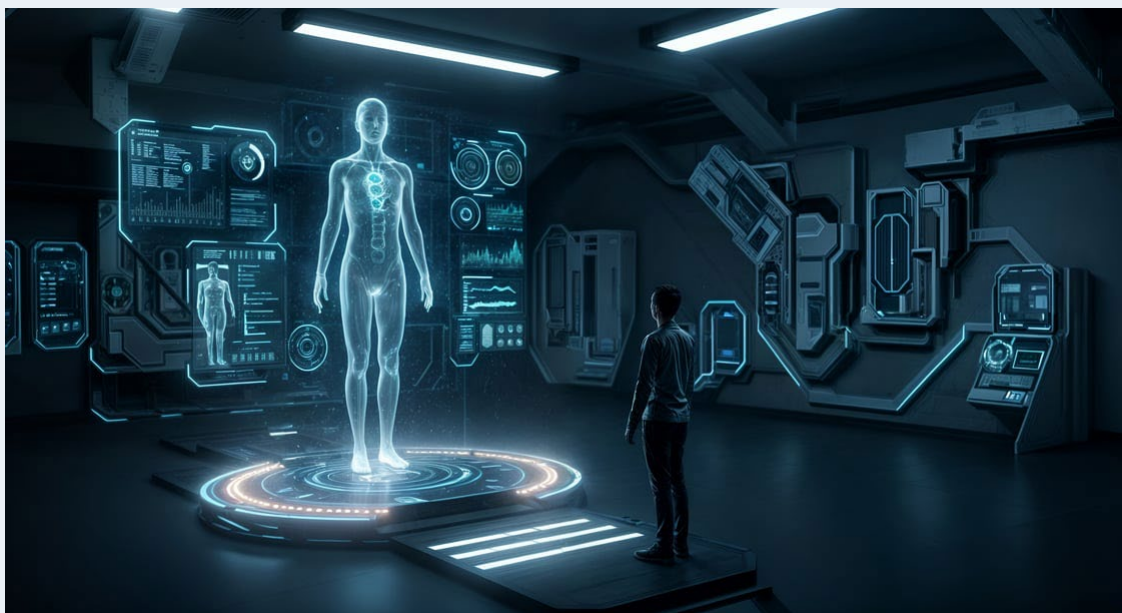
FinTech Innovation in Madrid

- **Digital Transformation Projects** in Ljubljana
...and more.

Students will collaborate on business cases sourced from EIT Digital's startup and corporate ecosystem, culminating in a **pitch competition** where winners could move on to real startup development via the EIT Digital Open Innovation Factory.

□ Hot tip: Some tracks are already full. So don't wait.

Apply now at the [EIT Digital Summer School website](#) and make summer 2025 the launchpad for your digital future.



Meet your (Digital) Twin: The future of healthcare?

What if your post-surgery recovery plan wasn't just handed to you—but personalized, updated daily, and backed by AI? That's the promise of **Healthcare Digital Twins**—the subject of the [latest article](#) in *Grow Digital Insights*, our expert-led series diving deep into the future of tech.

What's a Digital Twin? Think of it as a dynamic health simulation of you—pulling from clinical, lifestyle, and even genetic data to:

- Predict illness before symptoms show
- Simulate treatments before doctors apply them
- Personalize care down to the molecule

The Catch: To work, these systems need top-quality, diverse, and constantly

updated data. But current data lives in silos, lacks standards, and—oh yeah—92% of EU data is stored in the U.S. That raises questions about digital sovereignty, privacy, and control. If not properly addressed, your digital health coach could quickly become a digital watchdog.

Dive into the full article on [Grow Digital Insights](#) and explore how tech is reshaping care—one (virtual) patient at a time.



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