



EUCAP SAHEL MALI



MANDATE

Upon request of the Republic of Mali, the EU Capacity Building Mission in Mali (EUCAP Sahel Mali) was established by the [Council Decision 2014/219/CFSP of 15 April 2014](#). The current 24-month mandate ends on January 31, 2025.

As a *non-executive civilian mission* under the EU Common Security and Defence Policy (CSDP) umbrella, EUCAP Sahel Mali provides support to different ministries, ministerial departments, the internal security forces (ISF) consisting of Police, Gendarmerie, and National Guard, as well as national civil society organizations in a capacity building role.

FRAMEWORK

As part of the [2021 EU integrated strategy for the Sahel](#), and its continued commitment towards the promotion and protection of (i) human rights, (ii) gender equality and (iii) the rule of law, conducts three lines of action:

- Strategic guidance
- Capacity building
- Infrastructure projects

For the period 2023-2025 the Mission is focused on the following general domains: (i) civilian crisis management, (ii) integrated border management, (iii) relations between the ISF and the civilian population, (iv) access to justice and accountability and (v) the strengthening of training capacities within the ISF structures.

KEY ACHIEVEMENTS

- Support and guidance for (i) the drafting of Criminal Code and the Code of Criminal Procedure, (ii) the implementation of the National Strategy for securing border areas, (iii) the launching of the Crisis & Disaster Coordination Center (CECOGEC).
- A monthly average of 15 training activities for the current mandate encompassing (i) border management, (ii) ethics, (iii) training of trainers, attended by an average of 190 law enforcement officers (of whom 25% are women) from the National Police and the Gendarmerie.
- Over 200 projects worth €40 million including: (i) the construction of the facilities for the fast action unit of the Gendarmerie in Sévaré, (ii) the development of a regional radio network as a tool for crisis management, (iii) the implementation of forensic laboratories within the DG of the Technical and Scientific Police.

CURRENT MAIN PROJECTS & ACTIVITIES

- The House of Justice in Mopti (central Mali).
- The Integrated Centre for Border Security in Kourémalé (Guinea-Mali border).
- The implementation of the Economic, Social, and Cultural Development Program (2022-2026) of the municipality in district 5 in partnership with local authorities and civil society organizations (Bamako).
- The overall training, health and gender-based violence project in the National Police School (Bamako).



MISSION HQ
Bamako



MISSION LAUNCHING
15 January 2015



AUTHORISED MISSION STAFF
133 EU and third country national staff
70 Malian national staff



HEAD OF MISSION
Peter Grabow Kolding



DURATION OF MANDATE
2 year-mandate
until January 31 2025



KEY MALIAN PARTNERS
Ministries of Security & Civil
Protection, Justice, Territorial
Administration as well as Civil Society
organizations