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Introduction

In Europe today migration and security are areas of great importance that have many effects on the EU, and will continue to do so in the years to come. For both areas each EU Member State has its own concerns and issues, however there also many commonalties and shared challenges. A practical and effective way of managing migration and tackling security includes joint and coordinated approaches between Member States.

The EU funds provide financial contributions for strengthening the area of freedom, security and justice and for developing the common EU policy on asylum and immigration based on solidarity. The funds run for a period of 7 years (2014-2020) and are designed to be flexible and responsive to both the common and differing challenges and opportunities faced by Member States in relation to migration and security.

There follows a selection of projects being implemented by EU Member States and Associated States under the Migration and Security Funds of the EU.

The [Asylum, Migration and Integration Fund](#) (AMIF) promotes the efficient management of migration flows and the implementation, strengthening and development of a common EU approach to asylum and immigration.

The Internal Security Fund (ISF) provides EU financial support to implement law enforcement cooperation under the internal security strategy and the management of the Union's external borders. The ISF is composed of two instruments covering the areas of [borders and visa](#) (ISF Borders and Visa) and [police cooperation, preventing and combating crime, and crisis management](#) (ISF Police).

Each fund is divided into two parts: funds managed directly by the European Commission and funds managed by the EU Member States (known as shared management). The Member States implement their multiannual national programmes covering the whole of the 2014-2020 period. These programmes are prepared, implemented, monitored and evaluated by the responsible authorities in the Member States, along with the relevant stakeholders, including civil society.

For more information about the projects or funds managed by the Member States there is a reference website for each project.

Information about the projects managed by the European Commission can be found at: <https://ec.europa.eu/home-affairs/financing/fundings>



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The Asylum, Migration and Integration Fund (AMIF) was set up for the 2014-2020 period, with a total of EUR 3.137 billion for the 7 years. It promotes the efficient management of migration flows and the implementation, strengthening and development of a common EU approach to asylum and immigration. This fund has the following four specific objectives.

- **Asylum.** Strengthening and developing the *common European asylum system* by ensuring that EU legislation in this field is efficiently and uniformly applied.
- **Legal migration and integration.** Supporting legal *migration* to Member States in line with labour market needs and promoting the effective *integration* of non-EU nationals.
- **Return.** Enhancing fair and effective strategies, which contribute to combating with an emphasis on the sustainability and effectiveness of the return process.
- **Solidarity.** Making sure that the Member States most affected by migration and asylum flows can count on solidarity from other Member States.

Special financial incentives for Member States have been built into the AMIF to support the **Union resettlement programme**, with a focus on common EU priorities. A similar financial mechanism is envisaged for the transfer of beneficiaries of international protection from a Member State with high migratory pressure to another.

ACHIEVING THE KEY OBJECTIVES

The largest share of the total amount of the AMIF (approximately 88 %) is channelled through **shared management**. Member States implement their multiannual national programmes, covering the whole of the 2014-2020 period. These programmes are prepared, implemented, monitored and evaluated by the responsible authorities in the Member States, in partnership with the relevant stakeholders in the field, including civil society.

THE FUND'S BENEFICIARIES

All Member States except Denmark participate in the implementation of this fund. Examples of beneficiaries of the programmes are state and federal authorities, local public bodies, non-governmental organisations, humanitarian organisations, private and public law companies and education and research organisations.

AMIF Projekt: NIPE Gesamtprojekt – Psychotherapie für Flüchtlinge (AT/2015/PR/1005)

Projektidee: Der Rucksack an psychischen Belastungen, den Flüchtlinge mitbringen, ist größer als die Plastiktasche in ihrer Hand. 25-40% aller Ankommenden leiden unter einer posttraumatischen Symptomatik. Was dann hilft, ist Psychotherapie. Die NIPE Zentren bieten diese an – mit geschulten Dolmetscher/innen und hohen Qualitätsstandards.

Ziele: Psychotherapie und psychologische Behandlung haben zum Ziel, Menschen durch Trauer und Erschütterung zu begleiten, hin zu einem als gut und sinnvoll erlebtem Leben.

Tätigkeiten: Bei NIPE arbeiten gut eingespielte Teams von Dolmetscher/innen und Psychotherapeut/innen mit geflüchteten Kindern und Erwachsenen.

Ergebnisse: Von den rund 2500 pro Jahr Behandelten wird die Mehrzahl mit einer deutlichen Verbesserung der Symptomatik die Therapie abschließen.

Besonderheiten: NIPE ist ein Netzwerk von 10 Psychotherapiezentren in ganz Österreich, das gemeinsame Behandlungsstandards entwickelt hat.



AMIF project: NIPE Network project — psychotherapy for refugees (AT/2015/PR/1005)

Project beneficiary:

Asylkoordination Österreich.

Other partners:

Diakonie Flüchtlingsdienst gem. GmbH, Verein Aspis, Hemayat, Verein menschen.leben, Volkshilfe Oberösterreich Flüchtlings- und MigrantInnenbetreuung, Caritasverband der Erzdiözese Salzburg, ZEBRA - Interkulturelles Beratungs- und Therapiezentrum, Caritas der Diözese Feldkirch, Caritas Wien.

Project duration:

1.7.2015-31.12.2019.

Total cost of the project (2015-2016) (EUR):

3 382 063.47:

- EU contribution: 968 269.56;
- national co-financing: 631 730.44;
- other contributions: 1 782 063.47.

Total cost of the project (2017-2019) (EUR):

7 514 599.66

- EU contribution: 2 231 898.92;
- national co-financing: 1 448 101.08;
- other contributions: 3 834 599.66.



For more information see Asyl-, Migrations- und Integrationsfonds (AMIF) on the website: <http://www.bmi.gv.at/>

Challenge. The backpack of mental stress that the refugees bring with them is bigger than the plastic bag in their hand. 25-40 % of all arrivals suffer from post-traumatic symptoms. What then helps is psychotherapy. And that's what NIPE centres do — with trained interpreters and high quality standards.

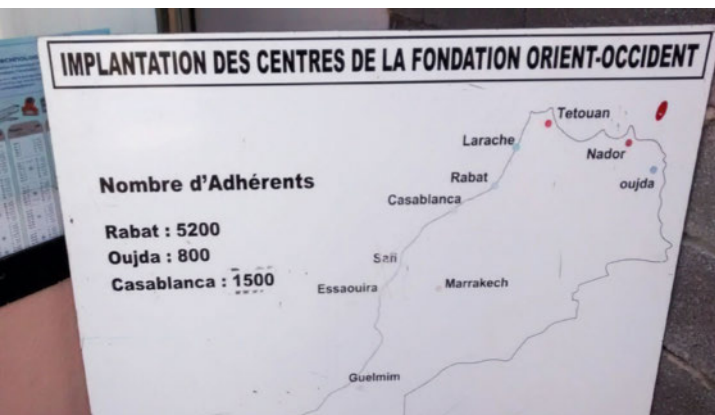
Objectives. Psychotherapy and psychological treatment aim to accompany people through mourning and shock towards a life that is seen as worth living.

Activities. At NIPE centres, well-trained teams of interpreters and psychotherapists work with refugee children and adults.

Results. Of the approximately 2500 patients treated per year the majority will conclude their therapy with a clear improvement in their symptoms.

What makes this project particularly interesting? NIPE is a network of 10 psychotherapy centres in Austria that have developed common treatment standards.

AMIF project: Versterking van maatwerk-assistente vrijwillige terugkeer (BE/2016/PR/1603)



De eerste doelstelling van het project is het geven van bijkomende re-integratiesteun aan 280 persoon die vrijwillig terugkeren naar hun land. Terugkeerders worden voor hun terugkeer begeleid (uitwerken van persoonlijk re-integratieplan) en krijgen steun na terugkeer in samenwerking met lokale partners in

het land van herkomst. De re-integratiesteun is divers: opzetten van micro-business, job begeleiding en ontwikkelen van vaardigheden, speciale ondersteuning voor kwetsbare terugkeerders,

Daarnaast wil het project ook specifieke projecten met betrekking tot vrijwillige terugkeer opzetten in onder meer Kameroen, Mongolië en Marokko. Dit om een publiek te bereiken en te informeren dat moeilijk te bereiken is inzake vrijwillige terugkeer. De mogelijkheden om de vrijwillige terugkeer naar deze landen te versterken worden onderzocht en geanalyseerd.

Een derde doelstelling van het project is het bewustzijn rond vrijwillige terugkeer te vergroten door infosessies te organiseren.



AMIF project: Strengthening tailor-made assisted voluntary return (BE/2016/PR/1603)

The first aim of the project is to provide additional reintegration support to 280 people who return voluntarily to their country of origin. Returnees are assisted during the preparations for their return by establishing a personal reintegration plan and are given post-return support in cooperation with local partners in the country of origin. The reintegration assistance provided can be diverse: setting up micro-business activities, accompaniment towards employment and skill development, special support for vulnerable returnees, etc.

The scheme's second aim is to set up country-specific voluntary return projects in Cameroon, Mongolia and Morocco, amongst other countries. This is in order to inform a public that is difficult to reach with regard to voluntary return. The possibilities for reinforcing voluntary return to these countries are examined and analysed.

A third goal of the project is to raise awareness of voluntary return by organising activities such as information sessions.

For more information see the website: <http://www.amif-isf.be>

Project beneficiary:

Caritas International vzw.

Other partners: Fedasil, CAW Brabantia.

Project duration: 1.1.2016-31.12.2017.

Total cost of the project (EUR):

425 806,93:

- EU contribution:
299 810,64;
- national co-financing:
107 907,34;
- other contributions:
18 088,95.



AMIF проект: Консултиране и обучение на граждани на трети страни (ГТС), получили международна закрила (BG/2016/PR/0001)

Целта на проекта е осигуряване на информираност и улесняване на интеграцията на ГТС, законно пребиващи в България, особено уязвимите лица, чрез консултиране, езиково обучение, социална ориентация и културна адаптация.

Дейности: предоставяне на консултации и информация, за подобряване на условията за интеграция, социална ориентация и културна адаптация, запознаване със социалната сис-

тема, политическото устройство, културните традиции и др.; провеждане на курсове по български език на ГТС, включително лица получили международна закрила в гр.София и гр.Бургас.

Резултати: подобряване на условията за интеграция на ГТС, социалното им включване и успешна реализация; подобряване на способностите на ГТС за разбиране и комуникиране на български език.



AMIF project: Consultation and education of third-country nationals who have received international protection (BG/2016/PR/0001)



The project aims at providing information to and facilitating the integration of third-country nationals (TCNs) legally staying in Bulgaria, with a special focus on vulnerable persons, through consultations, language training, social orientation and cultural adaptation.

Project beneficiary: International Organisation for Migration.

Other partners: Red Cross Bulgaria.

Project (estimated) duration: 2.3.2016-2.3.2017.

Total cost of the project (EUR): 2 200 000:

- EU contribution: 112 478.16;
- national co-financing: 37 495.72.



Results. Improving conditions for the integration of TCNs, their social inclusion and professional career; improving the ability of TCNs to understand and communicate in Bulgarian.

Activities. Providing consultations and information to improve conditions for integration, social orientation and cultural adaptation; introduction to the social system, political structure, cultural traditions etc.; Bulgarian language courses for TCNs, including those with international protection, in Sofia and Bourgas.

For more information see the websites: www.mvr.bg/dmp and <https://www.mvr.bg/dmp/en/activities/funds/asylum-migration-and-integration-fund>

AMIF Projekt: Psihosocijalna podrška i socijalne usluge TMZ

Obzirom na povećan broj tražitelja međunarodne zaštite (TMZ) ukazala se potreba za unapređenjem sustava socijalnih i zdravstvenih usluga te psihosocijalne podrške TMZ,

Daljnji razvoj sustava prihvata i skrbi tražitelja međunarodne zaštite u RH u skladu s najvišim međunarodnim i europskim standardima,

Pružanje psihosocijalne podrške i zdravstvenih usluga, održavanje radionica i tečajeva za tražitelje međunarodne zaštite, aktivnosti s

lokalnom zajednicom s ciljem prevencije diskriminacije i ksenofobije,

Unaprijeđen sustav socijalnih i zdravstvenih usluga te psihosocijalne podrške TMZ

Osiguran pristup relevantnim informacijama za TMZ na inovativan i učinkovit način; stvaranje sigurnog i smirenog okruženja za TMZ putem svakodnevnih aktivnosti; osnaživanje, učenje vještina te priprema na integraciju i učinkovitiji život TMZ u zajednici



AMIF project: Psychosocial and social support for asylum seekers



In view of the increased number of asylum seekers there is a need to improve the social and healthcare system and psychosocial support for asylum seekers.

Objective: further development of the system of reception and care provided to international-protection seekers in Croatia in accordance with the highest international and European standards.

Activities: providing psychosocial support and health services, implementing workshops and courses for asylum seekers, activities with the local community with a view to preventing discrimination and xenophobia.

Results: Improved social and healthcare system and psychosocial support for asylum seekers.

Providing access to relevant information for asylum seekers in an innovative and efficient manner; creating a safe and calm environment for asylum seekers through daily activities; empowering, learning skills and preparing for integration and a more effective life for asylum seekers in the community.

Project beneficiary: Croatian Red Cross.

Project duration: 24.1.2017-31.12.2018.

Total cost of the project (EUR): 676 279.55:

- EU contribution: 490 104.90;
- national co-financing: 163 368.30;
- other contributions: 22 806.34.

For more information see the website:
<http://www.eufondovi.mup.hr>

AMIF έργο: ΚΕΝΤΡΑ ΕΞΥΠΗΡΕΤΗΣΗΣ ΜΕΤΑΝΑΣΤΩΝ (ΚΕΜ) (CY/2016/PR/0020)



Σκοπός του έργου είναι η δημιουργία, λειτουργία και διαχείριση των Κέντρων Εξυπηρέτησης Μεταναστών τα οποία παρέχουν υποστηρικτικές υπηρεσίες σε Υπήκουους Τρίτων Χωρών (ΥΤΧ) προκειμένου να επιτυγχάνεται αποτελεσματικότερη και γρηγορότερη ένταξη τους στην κοινωνία της Κύπρου. Τα Κέντρα λειτουργούν σε κεντρικά σημεία στις τέσσερις μεγαλύτερες Επαρχίες της Κύπρου (Λευκωσία, Λεμεσό, Λάρνακα και Πάφο). Είναι στελεχωμένα με κατάλληλα εκπαιδευμένο επιστημονικό προσωπικό, υιοθετώντας μια προσωποκεντρική προσέγγιση που ανταποκρίνεται αποτελεσματικά στις γενικές και ειδικές ανάγκες της ομάδας

στόχου. Προσφέρονται μεταξύ άλλων υπηρεσίες όπως ενημέρωση και πληροφόρηση για τα δικαιώματα και τις υποχρεώσεις τους, βοήθεια για εξεύρεση εργασίας και στέγης, ενημέρωση για ευκαιρίες εκπαίδευσης, συμβουλευτική στήριξη κτλ. Επιπλέον πραγματοποιείται άμεση και έμμεση επικοινωνία με τις αρμόδιες κρατικές υπηρεσίες και τμήματα, ΜΚΟ και εθελοντικές οργανώσεις.

Είναι η πρώτη φορά στην περίπτωση της Κύπρου, που σχεδιάζεται και υλοποιείται μια συστηματική προσπάθεια σε πολλαπλά επίπεδα του πεδίου της κοινωνικής ένταξης και ενσωμάτωσης ΥΤΧ στις τοπικές κοινωνίες.

AMIF project: Migrant information centres (MIC) (CY/2016/PR/0020)

The main purpose of the project is to establish and operate the migrant information centres in order to help third-country nationals that live in Cyprus to enter Cypriot society and to know better their rights and obligations.

The centres operate in the four major cities of the island: Nicosia, Limassol, Larnaca and Paphos. Properly trained and qualified personnel, undertaking a person-centred approach, support migrants' general and special needs. The centres' service provision includes direct and indirect advocacy on migration, employment, housing, educational opportunities, healthcare, culture and social inclusion information, etc. In addition there is cooperation with relevant governmental organisations and departments, NGOs and voluntary agencies.

What makes this project interesting is that this is the first time that a systematic effort has been implemented in this sensitive and highly important field of migrants' social inclusion and integration in the republic.

Project beneficiary: University of Cyprus.

Project duration: 1.12.2016-30.11.2017.

Total cost of the project (EUR): 599 999.98:

- EU contribution: 539 999.98;
- national co-financing: 60 000.

For more information see the websites:

- http://www.moi.gov.cy/MOI/eufunds2015.nsf/index_gr/index_gr?OpenDocument
- www.moi.gov.cy/efu



AMIF Projekt: Integrační centrum Praha VI (CZ/2016/PR/1003)

Hlavním cílem projektu je v souladu s platnou Konceptcí integrace cizinců vytváření podmínek pro dlouhodobou, koncepční a udržitelnou podporu integrace cizinců, kteří legálně pobývají na území hlavního města Prahy.

Cílem je provoz centra na podporu integrace cizinců, v rámci kterého je cílové skupině poskytováno široké spektrum integračních služeb jako poradenství, jazyková výuka, poskytování informací a zprostředkování kontaktu s hostitelskou společností.

Hlavní aktivity centra zahrnují právní a sociální poradenství, výuku českého jazyka, socio-kulturní

kurzy, pořádání integračních multikulturních aktivit a workshopů. Dále jsou organizována pravidelná setkání v rámci krajské platformy a probíhá monitoring cílové skupiny v kraji.

Důsledkem realizace aktivit bude zvýšení soběstačnosti cílové skupiny, její lepší integrace a poklidné soužití s majoritní společností v Praze. Služby budou využity přibližně 7 000 osobami z cílové skupiny.

Integrační aktivity jsou přístupné pro cílovou skupinu na jednom místě a mají synergický efekt. Komplexnost a propojení nabízených služeb jsou klíčovými faktory pro úspěšnou integraci.



AMIF project: Integration Centre Prague VI (CZ/2016/PR/1003)

The main goal is, in compliance with the policy for the integration of third-country nationals, to create conditions for long-term, conceptual and sustainable support for the integration of third-country nationals legally residing in the territory of Prague.

The aim is to operate an integration support centre which would provide a broad spectrum of integration services for the target group, such as counselling, language tuition, provision of information and provision of contact with the host society.

Project beneficiary: Integration Centre Prague, o.p.s, InBáze, z. s., Organisation for Aid to Refugees, Centre for Integration, Association for Integration and Migration.

Project duration: 1.7.2016-30.6.2019.

Total cost of the project (EUR): 1 776 284:

- EU contribution: 1 332 213;
- national co-financing: 444 071.

For more information see the website:

<http://www.mvcr.cz/fondy-eu-v-oblasti-vnitřních-vecí-amif-a-isf.aspx>



The main activities include legal and social counselling services, Czech language courses and socio-cultural courses, organisation of integration and multicultural events and workshops. Furthermore, the centre organises regular meetings of the regional platform and monitors the target group in the region.

The activities will increase the self-sufficiency of the target group and lead to their better

integration and peaceful cohabitation with the majority society in Prague. The project expects to provide services to 7 000 people from the target group.

The integration activities are accessible by the target group at one place and they have synergistic effect. The complexity and interconnection of the offered services are the key factors for successful integration.

AMIF Projekt : Tugiisikuteenus (EE/2015/PR/0010)



Problem: Eesti omavalitsuste sotsiaaltöötajad ei ole hetkel ette valmistatud tööks varjupaigataotlejate ja rahvusvahelise kaitse saanud isikutega, mistõttu on selleks välja koolitatud tugiisikud. Paindlik tugiisikuteenus on end tänaseks õigustanud, kuna nii varjupaigataotlejate majutuskeskustel kui omavalitsustel puudub hetkel piisav inimressurs, et korraldada pagulaste kliendikeskne (s.t. takistustega igakülgsest arvestav) vastuvõtt kohaliku omavalitsuse territooriumil. Selle vajaduse täidavad tugiisikud, kes loovad esimese kontakti kohaliku omavalitsusega, sotsiaaltöötajaga, Töötukassaga, kooliga, lasteaiaga jne, eesmärgiga, et klient suudaks neid tegevusi teha lõpuks iseseisvalt.

Eesmärk: Varjupaigataotlejate vastuvõtutingimused ja rahvusvahelise kaitse saanud isikute kohanemine Eestis on paranenud tugiisikuteenuse kaudu.

Peamised tegevused:

- Kvaliteetse tugiisikuteenuse pakkumine sihtrühmale üle Eesti.

- Rahvusvahelise kaitse saanud inimeste elama asumise korraldamine kohalikesse omavalitsustesse, tööturuteenustele saamine või õppima asumine (koostöös Vao keskusega), kohaliku tasandi koostöömudeli arendamine.
- Rahvusvahelise kaitse saanud isikutele olulise tugivõrgustiku tugevdamine kohalike omavalitsuste territooriumil.
- Väljaspool Vao keskust elavatele rahvusvahelise kaitse saanud perede lastele neile vajaliku huvi- tegevuse otsimine.
- Rahvusvahelise kaitse saanud isikute vaimse tervise jälgimine ning vajadusel suunamine psühholoogi või psühhiaatri juurde.
- Tõlketöö korraldamine, et abistada sihtrühma liikmeid suhtlusel ametiasutuste ja tugiisikutega.
- Tugiisikute koolitamine ja superviseerimine.

Tulemus: Paranenud on haavatavatesse gruppidesse kuuluvate varjupaigataotlejate ning rahvusvahelise kaitse saanud isikute sotsiaalne toimetulek ja kultuuriline kohanemine Eestis.

AMIF project: Support-person service (EE/2015/PR/0010)

Challenge. Today, a flexible support-person service is needed as there are not enough human resources in either the accommodation centres or local governments to provide client-centred reception of refugees at the local level. Support persons are essential in creating first contact with local government, schools, kindergartens, etc.

Objective. Improve reception conditions for asylum seekers and beneficiaries of international protection in Estonia through the support-person service.

Activities.

- Provide a quality support-person service to the target group all over Estonia.
- Assist refugees in contacting necessary institutions, finding local housing, accessing the local job market, furthering their education and establishing stronger ties with the local community.
- Strengthen the important support networks in the local municipalities and communities.

- Assist in finding recreational activities for the children of the target group.
- Monitor the mental health of beneficiaries and direct them to medical services if needed.
- Organise translation services to assist communication with different institutions and support persons.
- Train and supervise the support persons.

Results. The cultural adaptation and self-management of the beneficiaries of international protection and vulnerable asylum seekers is improved.

Project beneficiary: NGO Johannes Mihkelson Centre.

Project duration: 1.7.2015-30.6.2018.

Total cost of the project (EUR): 397 344:

- EU contribution: 298 008;
- national co-financing: 99 336.

For more information see the website:
<http://www.amif.ee>



AMIF Projekti: Turvapaikanhakijoiden yleisen oikeudellisen neuvonnan tila ja kehittämistarpeet (FI/2015/PR/1439)



Kattavaa tietoa yleisen oikeudellisen neuvonnan saatavuudesta eri paikkakunnilla ja sen yhdenvertaisesta toteutumisesta sekä hakijoiden kokemuksista ei ole ollut.

Tavoitteena oli selvittää turvapaikanhakijoiden yleisen oikeudellisen neuvonnan toteutumista ja kehittämistarpeita sekä löytää erityisen haavoittuvassa asemassa olevien hakijoiden erityistarpeet.

Hankkeessa järjestettiin ryhmäinfoja yli 500 uudelle hakijalle vastaanottokeskuksissa sekä haastateltiin noin 50 turvapaikanhakijaa sekä 40 vastaanottokeskusten johtajaa ja alan ammattilaista.

Tuloksena oli, että yleinen oikeudellinen neuvonta ei toteutunut yhtenäisin käytännöin eikä sisällöin vuonna 2016. Osa hakijoista jäi ilman perustietoa turvapaikkamenettelystä. Erityisen haavoittuvassa asemassa olevien hakijoiden tunnistamiseen tarvitaan ohjeita ja koulutusta.

Tavoite on, että hankkeen kehittämisohjeet huomioidaan viranomaisten toiminnan ohjeistuksessa ja suunnittelussa.

Hanketta suunniteltaessa turvapaikanhakijamäärät olivat rajussa kasvussa.

AMIF project: The state and development of general legal advice for asylum seekers in Finland (FI/2015/PR/1439)

From the experiences of asylum seekers it seems that there is a lack of comprehensive information on the availability of general legal advice and its uniform provision in different locations.

To examine the way general legal advice is provided to asylum seekers, the related development needs and the special needs of asylum seekers in a particularly vulnerable position are taken into account.

Group info sessions were organised at reception centres for more than 500 new asylum seekers, and approximately 50 asylum seekers and 40 reception centre directors and other professionals were interviewed.

It was found that the general legal advice practices and content were not uniform in 2016. Not all asylum seekers received basic information about the asylum procedure. Training and

clearer instructions are needed to identify asylum seekers in a particularly vulnerable position.

The goal is that the authorities take account of the project's development proposals when planning and drawing up instructions for the activities.

The project was launched at a time that saw a large increase in the number of asylum seekers.

For more information see the website:
<http://www.eusa-rahastot.fi>

Project beneficiary: Pakolaisneuvonta ry/Refugee Advice Centre.

Project duration: 1.1.2016-8.2.2017.

Total cost of the project (EUR): EUR 76 049,34:

- EU contribution: EUR 57 037;
- national co-financing: EUR 57 037.

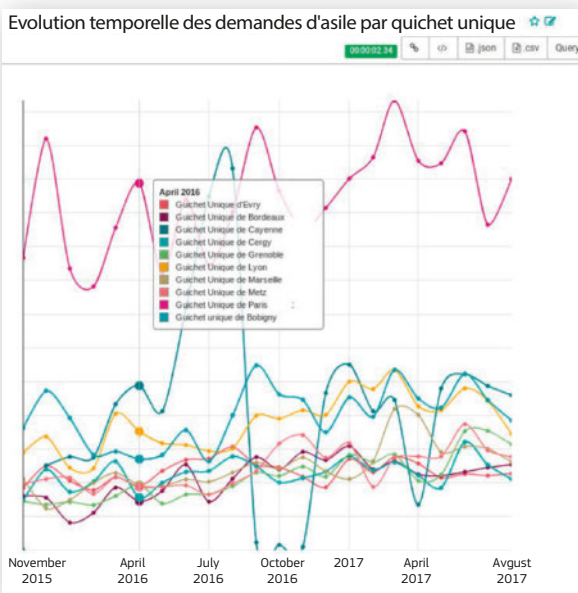


FAMI Projet: Administration numérique des étrangers en France (FR/2014/PR/3238)

Le programme «Administration numérique pour les étrangers en France» (ANEF) répond à tous les objectifs spécifiques du FAMI et vise à développer un système d'information dans le domaine de l'asile, du séjour et du retour.

Le projet ambitionne la mise en place d'une administration numérique pour les étrangers en situation régulière, et à améliorer la gestion de l'immigration irrégulière et de l'éloignement.

Le développement et la mise en place du volet asile du système d'information (période 2015-2017) permet un pilotage de l'asile au niveau national, une gestion globale des demandes d'asile, y compris les procédures Dublin.



D'autres services sont en cours de développement : téléservice de validation du visa long séjour, dématérialisation des démarches

d'embauche de salariés étrangers, dématérialisation et développement de téléprocédures du volet séjour et développement du volet retour.



AMIF project: French digital administration for foreign nationals (FR/2014/PR/3238)



The 'French digital administration for foreign nationals' programme contributes to all AMIF specific objectives by developing a global information system for asylum, legal migration and return.

The programme aims at creating a digital administration for legal migrants and improving the monitoring of illegal migration and the management of return.

For more information see the website:
<https://www.immigration.interieur.gouv.fr/Info-ressources/Fonds-europeens>

The information system deployed for asylum has enabled the monitoring of asylum policies at the national level and the overall management of asylum claims, including Dublin procedures.

Other services are being developed: an online service to validate long-stay visas; digital management of applications to hire foreign national employees. Digitalisation of legal migration and return will be the priority, along with the development of online services for legal migrants.

Project beneficiary: French Ministry of the Interior.

Project duration: 2014-2020.

Total cost of the project (EUR): 44 422 650:

- EU contribution: 22 211 325:
 - 2014-2016: 7 848 825;
 - 2017-2019: 14 362 500;
- national co-financing: 22 211 325..



AMIF Projekt: Work for you (DE/2014/PR/00134)

Das RheinFlanke Programm **Work for you** ermöglicht es sozial- und bildungsbenachteiligten Jugendlichen ihre beruflichen Chancen durch die Ausübung einer ehrenamtlichen Tätigkeit zu verbessern. Über verschiedene Sportangebote gewinnen die pädagogischen Mitarbeiter Zugang zu den jungen Teilnehmern und können diese für ein soziales Engagement begeistern. Angepasst an ihre individuellen Fähigkeiten werden sie anschließend in geeignete Aufgabenfelder weitervermittelt. Das Ehrenamt bietet den Jugendlichen vielfältige Möglichkeiten sich

sinnvoll zu engagieren, die eigenen Potenziale zu erkennen und diese sukzessive zu erweitern. Während dieses Entwicklungsprozesses werden die Teilnehmer kontinuierlich begleitet und in speziellen Berufsberatungs- und Qualifizierungsangeboten gefördert – ein perfekter Start in das Berufsleben!

Mit dem Programm **Work for you** möchte die RheinFlanke auch einen Beitrag für die Integration von jungen Menschen mit Fluchterfahrung leisten.



AMIF project: Work for you (DE/2014/PR/00134)

The RheinFlanke 'Work for you' programme enables young people with social and educational disadvantages to improve their professional opportunities by carrying out a voluntary activity. Through various sport programmes, teaching staff gain access to the young participants and inspire them to be socially engaged. Depending on their individual abilities they are then placed into suitable voluntary activities. Voluntary posts offer a wide range of possibilities to young people to get involved, to recognise their own potential and to expand it. During this development process the participants are continuously accompanied and supported via special vocational counselling and qualification programmes — a perfect start to working life!

Project beneficiary: RheinFlanke gGmbH.

Project duration: 30.6.2015-29.6.2018.

Total cost of the project (EUR): 1 200 000:

- EU contribution: 490 104.90;
- other contributions: 300 000.

For more information see the website:
<http://www.bamf.de/DE/DasBAMF/EU-Fonds/AMIF/amif-node.html>

With the 'Work for you' programme the Rhein-Flanke also intends to contribute to the integration of young refugees.



ΑΜΙΦ έργο: Ένταξη Προσφυγοπαίδων, ηλικίας έως 15 ετών, στο Εκπαιδευτικό Σύστημα

Η Δράση αφορά στην υποστήριξη της ένταξης των παιδιών πολιτών τρίτων χωρών, ηλικίας έως 15 ετών, στο εκπαιδευτικό σύστημα. Ωφελούμενος πληθυσμός είναι τα παιδιά πολιτών τρίτων χωρών και οι οικογένειές τους. Αναλυτικότερα η Δράση περιλαμβάνει την στελέχωση των δομών εκπαίδευσης με το κατάλληλο προσωπικό, την παροχή εκπαιδευτικού υλικού και την προμήθεια και εγκατάσταση υποδομών κατάλληλων για εκπαίδευση εντός των δομών φιλοξενίας. Με την υλοποίηση της δράσης επιδιώκεται:

- η προώθηση της διαπολιτισμικότητας,
- η κοινωνική ευαισθητοποίηση σε θέματα αποδοχής της πολιτισμικής –φυλετικής ετερότητας και καταπολέμησης της ξеноφοβίας και του ρατσισμού,
- η ενίσχυση της αμοιβαίας κατανόησης και επικοινωνίας μεταξύ διαφορετικών κουλτουρών,

- η εκμάθηση της ελληνικής νοοτροπίας και γλώσσας και εξοικείωση με τους θεσμούς και τις αξίες που διαμορφώνουν την καθημερινότητα στην ελληνική κοινωνία

Το ενδιαφέρον της δράσης έγκειται στην παροχή ίσων ευκαιριών στην εκπαίδευση για παιδιά πολιτών τρίτων χωρών με συνακόλουθο αποτέλεσμα την ένταξή τους στο εκπαιδευτικό σύστημα και την ενίσχυση της κοινωνικής συνοχής. Η εκπαίδευση και ένταξη των παιδιών αυτών αποκτά ιδιαίτερο ενδιαφέρον διότι, λόγω αφενός των επικρατουσών συνθηκών στις χώρες προέλευσής τους και αφετέρου της ηλικίας τους, είτε δεν έχουν μνηθεί καθόλου στην εκπαιδευτική κοινότητα είτε έχουν απομακρυνθεί πολύ από αυτή λόγω της παρατεταμένης αποχής τους από οργανωμένες εκπαιδευτικές διαδικασίες.



AMIF project: Integrating refugee children up to 15 years old into the educational system



The objective of the action is to integrate refugee children aged up to 15 years old into the education system. The beneficiaries are the children of third-country nationals and their families. The action will be implemented by supporting the educational structures with the appropriate staff, providing educational material and installing infrastructure suitable for training within the existing hosting areas. It is intended to:

- promote interculturalism, social awareness of issues of acceptance of cultural-racial diversity and the fight against xenophobia and racism;
- enhance mutual understanding and communication between different cultures;
- help beneficiaries learn the Greek mentality and language; and
- familiarise beneficiaries with the institutions and values that shape everyday life in Greek society.

The action is intended to provide equal opportunities to children of third-country nationals

Project beneficiary: Executive Structure for NSRF Ministry of Education and Religious Affairs/ Education Sector.

Project duration: 16.9.2016-31.12.2017.

Total cost of the project (EUR): 7 000 000:

- EU contribution: 5 250 000;
- national co-financing: 1 750 000.

in education, resulting in their integration into the education system and the strengthening of social cohesion. The education and integration of these children is of particular interest because, due to prevailing conditions in their countries of origin and their age, either they have not been initiated at all into the educational culture or they have been far removed from it due to their prolonged absence from organised educational activities.

For more information see the website:
<http://www.eufondovi.mup.hr>

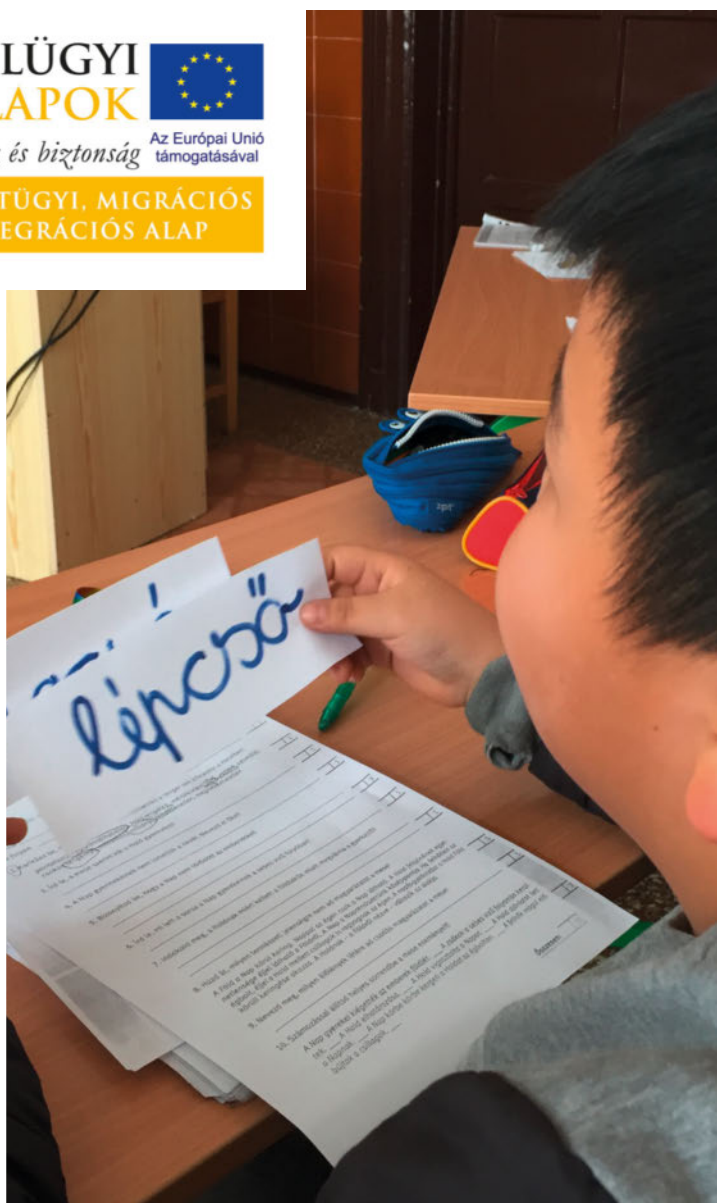
AMIF Program: Együtthaladó - Tandemre NYITva (HU/2016/PR/0018)

A projekt célja, hogy egymásra épülő tevékenységei eredményeképpen a hazai közoktatási rendszerbe való beilleszkedéshez szükséges magyar nyelvi kompetencia megszerzését segítse elő a migránsháttérű gyermekek számára.

Fő tevékenységként 180 személy részül magyar nyelvi képzésben, kidolgozásra kerül egy, a Nemzeti Alaptantervhez igazodó magyar, mint idegen nyelv digitális tananyag

és tanulástámogató mobil applikáció, továbbá pedagógus továbbképzés is megvalósul.

A projekt közvetlen célcsoportjába az Európai Parlament és a Tanács 516/2014/EU rendelete 9. cikk (1) és (3) bekezdése által meghatározott személyek közül az általános iskolában tanuló gyermekek, valamint a velük foglalkozó pedagógusok, illetve pedagógushallgatók tartoznak. A projekt eredményei által csökken a gyermekek iskolai lemorzsolódása és növekednek továbbtanulási esélyeik.



AMIF project: StepTogether — CLIL on ride (HU/2016/PR/0018)



The project aims to facilitate the acquisition of language competences required for the integration of children from a migrant background into the Hungarian education system through a sequence of project activities.

Project beneficiary: University of Miskolc.

Project duration: 1.5.2015–30.6.2018.

Total cost of the project (EUR): 156 997,20:

- EU contribution: 117 747,90;
- national co-financing: 117 747,90.

Main activities. Providing a Hungarian language course for 180 people; developing digital teaching material on Hungarian as a foreign language tailored to the Hungarian national curriculum and a mobile application to support learning;

For more information see the websites:

AMIF: <http://belugyalapok.hu/alapok/menekultugyi-migracios-es-integracios-alap>
http://belugyalapok.hu/alapok/nemzeti_program/16

and implementing a continuing education programme for teachers.

The direct target group of the project is individuals as specified in Article 9(1) and (3) of Regulation (EU) No 516/2014 who attend primary school, their teachers and trainee teachers.

The project contributes to reducing the number of early school leavers and increasing children's chances of further education.

AMIF project: Yellow flag programme (IE/2017/PR/0010)



Ireland has welcomed a large number of migrants in recent years. Successfully integrating them into local communities remains a challenge. The 'Yellow flag' programme was established by the Irish Traveller Movement to support inclusion and interculturalism within schools. It brings together students, staff, management, parents and wider community groups to celebrate diversity and challenge racism.

The participating schools complete an eight-step programme within the day-to-day running of the school, including training for school management and staff; engaging with the local community; establishing a diversity committee of students, staff and parents; and producing a diversity code and an anti-racist policy for the school. The 'Yellow flag' programme targets schools with high proportions of third-country nationals, asylum seekers, refugees, travellers and other minority ethnic groups. On successful completion of the programme, participating schools are awarded the yellow flag, which they can fly with pride.

AMIF project: Yellow flag programme (IE/2017/PR/0010)



To date, 69 schools incorporating 26 000 children have been involved in the programme, representing 83 nationalities and over 1 600 teachers. It is anticipated that a further 10-15 schools will achieve the yellow flag through this project.

For more information see the website:
<http://www.yellowflag.ie>

Project beneficiary: Irish Traveller Movement.

Project duration: 1.5.2017-30.4.2020.

Other partners:

- Joint Managerial Board (JMB);
- Education Training Board Ireland (ETBI);
- National Association of Principals and Deputy Principals (NAPD);
- Teachers' Union of Ireland (TUI).

Total estimated cost of the project (EUR):
200 547;

- EU contribution: 150 410;
- national co-financing: 50 137.

AMIF Progetto: Passim (IT/2016/PR/1005)

Il progetto ha come obiettivo macro quello di rafforzare il ruolo della Autorità Nazionale nella gestione dell'arrivo di migranti alle frontiere, in termini sia di salute individuale, pubblica e transfrontaliera sia di coordinamento di diversi attori coinvolti nelle fasi di soccorso in mare, triage sanitario, valutazione di vulnerabilità, sbarchi e trasferimento nei centri di accoglienza.

Il progetto in particolare intende raggiungere un generale rafforzamento delle capacità di rispondere all' emergenza umanitaria derivante dai flussi migratori nel bacino del Mar Mediterraneo, in ambito sanitario quantificabile e verificabile, in base all' analisi dei dati quantitativi e qualitativi degli interventi che verranno svolti in mare.



AMIF project: Passim (IT/2016/PR/1005)



The project aims to strengthen the role of the national authority in managing the arrival of migrants at the border in terms of individual health, both public and cross-border coordination of different actors involved in the relief phase at sea, medical triage, vulnerability assessment, disembarkation and transfer to the reception centres.

The project specifically aims to increase the overall capacity to respond to humanitarian emergencies caused by migration in the Mediterranean Sea, in a measurable and verifiable manner with regard to healthcare, based on the analysis of the quantitative and qualitative data from actions carried out at sea.

Project beneficiary: Italian Ministry of Health.

Project duration: 1.2.2016-1.2.2018.

Other partners: Italian Ministry of Defence and International Organisation for Migration.

Total cost of the project (EUR): 7 050 000,00:

- EU contribution: 4 700 000,00;
- national co-financing: 2 350 000,00.

For more information see the websites:

<http://www.interno.gov.it/it>

<https://fami.dlci.interno.it/fami>

AMIF Projekts: Atbalsta pasākumi starptautiskās aizsardzības personām (LV/2016/PR/0003)



Projekta ietvaros 530 starptautiskās aizsardzības personām tiek nodrošināti viņu vajadzībām pielāgoti mācību kursi un dažādas informatīvās aktivitātes. Sociālekonomiskās iekļaušanas mācību programmas ietvaros tiek nodrošināts 10 lekciju cikls par Latviju, organizētas Mācību vizītes pie dažādiem uzņēmumiem un apmeklēti Rīgas muzeji. Projekta laikā ir aktualizēts informatīvs materiāls pieaugušajiem “Latvija – valsts pie Baltijas jūras”, kurā ir apkopota praktiska informācija par dažādām sadzīves tēmām.

Pirmo reizi Latvijā ir izstrādāts jauns materiāls bērniem — patvēruma meklētājiem: “Ezis un viņa draugi iepazīst Latviju”, kurā iepazīstina ar Latviju, vēsturi, kultūru, tradīcijām. Viena no interesantākajām projekta aktivitātēm ir 10 video-animācijas, kurās vizuāli tiek atspoguļots kā rīkoties dažādās dzīves situācijās. Visi materiāli ir pieejami mājaslapā www.beg-lis.lv/refugees.lv, kura Latvijas sabiedrībai un bēgļiem ir pieejama 6 valodās – arābu, krievu, angļu, darī, franču un latviešu.

AMIF project: Support activities for persons under international protection (LV/2016/PR/0003)

Under the project, various information events organised for 530 persons under international protection and training courses adapted to their needs are provided. Within the framework of the social and economic inclusion training programme 10 lectures about Latvia will be given, and educational visits to different enterprises and museums in Riga will be organised. During the implementation of the project the information document for adults Latvia — a Baltic Sea state, which contains practical information on various topics related to everyday life, was updated. For the first time in Latvia new material was provided for child asylum seekers, The hedgehog and his friends get to know Latvia, which introduces children to Latvia, its history, culture and traditions. Among the most interesting project activities are 10 video animations that visually explain

the course of action in different real-life situations. All materials are provided on the website <http://www.beglis.lv/refugees.lv>, which is made available to Latvian society and refugees in six languages: Arabic, Dari, English, French, Latvian and Russian.

Project beneficiary: Asylum seekers, persons with subsidiary status's and refugees, Latvian society.

Project duration: 27.6.2016-31.12.2017.

Total cost of the project (EUR): 221 538,67:

- EU contribution: 166 154,00;
- national co-financing: 55 384,67.

For more information see the website:

<http://www.patverums-dm.lv/lv/atbalsta-pasakumi-starptautiskas-aizsardzibas-personam>



AMIF Projektas: Bendruomeninis integracijos centras Vilniaus mieste (LT/2016/PR/0012)

Projektu siekiama integruoti trečiųjų šalių piliečius (TŠP) į Lietuvos visuomenę, suteikti naujų žinių, išmokyti lietuvių kalbos, nes tai padeda įsitraukti į darbo rinką, socialinį gyvenimą, taip pat siekiama įtraukti ir vietos bendruomenę

Teikti bendrąsias ir specializuotas paslaugas TŠP, siekiant pagerinti jų integracijos sąlygas Lietuvoje, kartu patenkinant jų fizinius, dvasinius, socialinius ir ugdymosi poreikius

Bendruomeninis integracijos centras, kuriame didelis dėmesys skiriamas TŠP problemų

sprendimui, teikiamos socialinės, psichologinės, teisinės, įsidarbinimo, profesinio orientavimo konsultacijos, lietuvių kalbos bei pilietinio pažinimo kursai, organizuojami renginiai

Padėti TŠP integruotis Lietuvoje bei Lietuvos visuomenei tapti labiau atsakinga ir atvira

Tai centras, kuriame teikiamos ne tik paslaugos TŠP, bet ir vietos bendruomenė kviečiama ateiti, veikti kartu – taip skatinant žmones priimti vieniems kitus



AMIF project: Community integration centre in Vilnius (LT/2016/PR/0012)



This project aims to integrate third country nationals (TCNs) into Lithuanian society by providing them with new knowledge and helping them learn the Lithuanian language, because this will help them to enter the labour market, improve their social life and be included in the local community.

The objective is to provide common and specialised services for TCNs in order to facilitate conditions for their integration in Lithuania while also satisfying their physical, spiritual, social and educational needs.

The community integration centre, which focuses on solving TCNs' problems, provides social, psychological, legal, employment and vocational orientation consultations and Lithuanian language and civic orientation courses, and also organises events.

The results will help TCNs integrate into Lithuanian society and Lithuanian society to become more responsible and open.

The centre not only provides services for TCNs, but also the local community is invited to come and work together, encouraging people to accept each other.

Project beneficiary: Vilnius Archdiocese Caritas.

Other partners: Social-Educational Initiatives Centre PLUS.

Project duration: 31.5.2016-31.8.2019.

Total cost of the project (EUR): 410 502,27:

- EU contribution: 307 876.70;
- national co-financing: 102 625.57.

For more information see the website:

<http://esf.socmin.lt/index.php?-1066060705>

AMIF Projet: L'empowerment économique des ressortissants de pays tiers (LU/2015/PR/0011)

Ce projet répond aux besoins d'*empowerment* économique des ressortissants de pays tiers (RPT), de première ou seconde langue anglaise ou portugaise, à travers deux actions.

1. *Le cours d'orientation pour nouveaux arrivants* est un cours de 6 heures, dispensé le samedi en anglais ou en portugais. Il transmet les principales informations que les RPT nouveaux arrivants se doivent de connaître pour s'installer et fonctionner de façon optimale au Luxembourg.

2. *Profile Snapshots* a pour vocation de réaliser des portraits de RPT nouveaux arrivants et de

résidents de longue date. Ces portraits, publiés dans le magazine « Connexion », présentent les personnes interviewées et la manière dont elles participent ou participeront à la vie économique du Luxembourg.

Des événements organisés deux fois par an complètent ces actions. Conçus comme des opportunités de réseautage avec des professionnels, ils contribuent à diffuser l'information à plus grande échelle. L'ensemble de ces actions promeut l'intégration des RPT à travers le développement de savoir-faire et de faire-savoir.



AMIF project: The economic empowerment of third-country nationals (LU/2015/PR/0011)

The project addresses the economic empowerment needs of third-country nationals (TCNs) that have English or Portuguese as their first or second language via two main activities:

For more information see the website:
<http://www.olai.public.lu/>

1. The newcomer's orientation course is a 6-hour Saturday course available in English or Portuguese. The course brings together all of the must-know information that TCNs who have recently arrived in Luxembourg need to know to settle in and function in this new environment.

2. Profile snapshots showcase interviews with new and long-term foreign TCN residents. Published in Amcham's Connexion magazine, the interviews put a human face on the individual expats explaining who they are and what contributions they have made or can make to Luxembourg.

Events organised twice a year complement these two actions. Created above all as networking opportunities, the events also contribute to the dissemination of information at a larger scale.

All of these actions promote the integration of TCNs through the smart communication of appropriate information.



Project beneficiary: The American Chamber of Commerce Luxembourg.

Other partners: Chamber of Commerce of Luxembourg, Chamber of Commerce Luxembourg — Cap Verde, Luxembourg Brésil Business Council, The Association of International English Speaking Business Organisations.

Project duration:
36 months (14.10.2015-13.10.2018).

Total estimated cost of the project (EUR):
283 353:

- EU contribution: 106 666.50;
- national co-financing: 106 666.50;
- national co-financing: 70 020.

AMIF Proġett: RESTART VI – Għajnuna għar-Ritorn Volontarju u Ri-integrazzjoni fil-Pajjiż ta' l-Origini (MT/2015/AMIF/1.01)



Xejriet ta' Immigrazzjoni flimkien ma l-isfidi li l-immigranti jiffaċċaw tul il-vjaġġ u meta jaslu, irriżultaw f'numru kbir ta' immigranti li ma jistgħux jew ma jridux jibqgħu f' Malta. RESTART VI huwa kontinwazzjoni ta' 5 proġetti ta' AVRR li ġew implimentati b'suċċess mill-IOM b'kollaborazzjoni mall-awtoritajiet Maltin sa mill-2009. L-għan tal-proġett hu li jikkontribwixxi għall-amministrazzjoni tal-immigrazzjoni effettiva billi jkompli ikun ta' support għal fidma tal-Gvern Malti biex jagħti

opportunitajiet lill-immigranti li jixtiequ jmorru lura fil-pajjiż tal-Origini tagħhom u jissetiljaw hemm. Il-proġett se jipprova sa 170 benefiċjarju b' għajnuna skont il-bzonnijiet ta' kull individwu. L-attivitajiet tal-proġett jinkludu attivitajiet biex l-immigranti u dawk interessati jiġu infurmati dwar il-proġett, pariri lill-immigranti fuq ir-ritorn, għajnuna biex wieħed iġġib passaport, arrangamenti tal-ivvjaġar, għajnuna waqt il-vjaġġ, għajnuna għar ri-integrazzjoni u moniteragħ.

AMIF project: Restart VI — Assisted voluntary return to and reintegration in the country of origin (MT/2015/AMIF/1.01)

Migration trends, coupled with challenges that migrants face on their journey and upon arrival, have resulted in relatively high numbers of

Project beneficiary: International Organisation for Migration.

Other partners: Ministry for Home Affairs and National Security of the Republic of Malta.

Project duration: 3 years (1.7.2016-30.6.2019).

Total cost of the project (EUR): 1 249 972.42:

- EU contribution: 937 479.32;
- national co-financing: 312 493.1.

For more information refer to the RA or IOM website:

<https://eufunds.gov.mt>

<https://malta.iom.int>

migrants unable or unwilling to stay in Malta. Restart VI is a continuation of five assisted voluntary return and reintegration (AVRR) projects successfully implemented by IOM Malta in cooperation with the Maltese authorities since 2009. Restart VI aims to contribute to the effectiveness of migration management by further supporting the government of Malta in making the AVRR option available to migrants willing to return to their countries of origin and to re-establish themselves there. Over 3 years the project will provide up to 170 beneficiaries with tailor-made voluntary return and reintegration assistance. Project activities include outreach among the target group and relevant stakeholders, counselling on the return procedure, helping obtain travel documents, travel arrangements, and reintegration assistance and monitoring.



AMIF project: Eigen-Wijs (NL/2015/PR/2015EFA2012)

In Nederland groeien enkele duizenden kinderen van asielzoekers en vluchtelingen op in centrale opvanglocaties. Deze kinderen komen vaak uit heftige situaties uit hun land van herkomst (oorlogssituaties), en hebben veel moeten doorstaan gedurende hun vlucht en reis naar Nederland.



Aangekomen in Nederland zijn er in de leefsituatie knelpunten die het leven voor deze kinderen lastig maken, zoals stress en spanning en daardoor een structureel gevoel van onzekerheid en machteloosheid. Deze kinderen hebben minder makkelijk toegang tot informatie, ondersteuning, hulp en voorzieningen.

Eigen-Wijs richt zich op asielkinderen in de leeftijd van 4 tot en met 17 jaar die in centrale opvanglocaties van het COA verblijven. Hoofddoelstelling is het verbeteren van het welzijn en empowerment van kinderen in asielzoekerscentra. De muziek, voorlichting en spreekuuractiviteiten in Eigen-Wijs maken hen sterker om het leven aan te kunnen in een situatie die inherent onzeker is. Daarnaast zet Eigen-Wijs in op het bieden van samenwerking tussen en met professionals die te maken hebben met deze kinderen en op het versterken van het vangnet en netwerk rond de kinderen.

Beoogde resultaten (streefwaarden) zijn:

- (1) het bieden van specifieke bijstand aan +/- 2600 kinderen die gerekend worden tot de kwetsbare groepen,
- (2) het geven van informatie en bijstand in de gehele loop van de asielprocedure aan +/- 2500 kinderen alsook
- (3) aan +/- 25 personen een opleiding over asielgerelateerde onderwerpen geven.

Kenmerkend van dit project is de brede aanpak: enerzijds het welzijn van kwetsbare kinderen verbeteren en anderzijds het vangnet en netwerk rond deze kinderen versterken.



AMIF project: Your own tune (NL/2015/PR/2015EFA2012)

In the Netherlands several thousand asylum-seeking and refugee children are growing up in refugee (or reception) centres. These children often come from violent (war) situations in their country of origin and have endured a lot during their flight and travel to the Netherlands. After arriving they face restrictions in their living situation, such as stress

and tension from the sense of uncertainty and helplessness, making life difficult for these children. They do not have easy access to information, support, help or facilities. 'Your own tune' focuses on asylum-seeking children aged 4 to 17 living in central reception centres of the COA (Central Agency for the Reception of Asylum Seekers). The main objective is to improve the welfare and empowerment of children in reception centres. The music, information and consultation activities in 'Your own tune' make children more able to cope with living in a situation that is inherently uncertain. 'Your own tune' also provides cooperation between and with professionals working



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Project beneficiary: Vluchtelingenwerk Nederland (Dutch Council for Refugees).

Other partners: Stichting de Kindertelefoon (Dutch Child Helpline) and COA (Central Agency for the Reception of Asylum Seekers).

Project duration: 1.10.2015-1.4.2018.

Total estimated cost of the project (EUR): 1 751 114:

- EU contribution: 1 313 335;
- national co-financing: 30 058 (Stichting de Kindertelefoon);
- Vluchtelingenwerk Nederland (Dutch Council for Refugees): 407 721.

with these children and focuses on strengthening the safety net and network around these children.

The planned results (targets) of the project are:

- (1) to provide specific assistance to around 2 600 children from the vulnerable groups;
- (2) to give information and assistance throughout the asylum procedure to around 2 500 children;
- (3) to train around 25 people on asylum-related topics.

The broad approach is characteristic of 'Your own tune': on the one hand improving the well-being of vulnerable children and on the other hand strengthening the safety net and the network around these children.

For more information see the website:
<https://www.agentschapswz.nl/subsidies-en-regelingen/e/europese-migratie--en-veiligheidsfondsen-algemene-informatie>

AMIF Projekt: Nowy Dom Polska (PL/2016/PR/0022 - PL/2016/PR/0023)



Budowa kompleksowego systemu preintegracji i integracji cudzoziemców przez organizację, która od ponad 20 lat podejmuje działania w tym obszarze w Polsce.

Integracja osób należących do grupy docelowej FAMI poprzez kompleksowe działania organizowane na szeroką skalę poprzez sieć partnerów w ramach 2 celów szczegółowych.

Azyl: Pomoc socjalna, opieka zdrowotna, pomoc psychologiczna, udostępnienie bezpłatnej aplikacji mobilnej dla cudzoziemców, działania edukacyjne dla dzieci.

Integracja: Pomoc socjalna, dofinansowanie przedszkoli i żłobków, opieka zdrowotna, pomoc psychologiczna, organizacja turnusów

integracyjnych dla dzieci, pomoc w adaptacji w szkole.

5 500 osób (w tym 1 500 należących do grup szczególnego traktowania) skorzysta z uczestnictwa w działaniach projektu. Rezultatem dotychczasowym indywidualnych osób będzie poprawa ich dostępu do opieki medycznej, społecznej i psychologicznej, poprawa sytuacji materialnej, poprawa dostępu do informacji o procedurze uchodźczej oraz poprawa poziomu integracji.

Projekt wyróżnia się szerokim zasięgiem oddziaływania (5 partnerów udziela wsparcia na najbardziej istotnych obszarach Polski z punktu widzenia uchodźców), różnorodnością działań, wysoką liczbą uczestników, kompleksowością wsparcia.

AMIF project: New home Poland (PL/2016/PR/0022-PL/2016/PR/0023)

Project beneficiary: Caritas Polska.

Other partners: Caritas Diecezji Siedleckiej, Caritas Archidiecezji Białostockiej, Caritas Archidiecezji Lubelskiej, Caritas Archidiecezji Warszawskiej, Caritas Diecezji Zielonogórsko-Gorzowskiej, Urząd do Spraw Cudzoziemców (Office for Foreigners).

Project duration: 1.1.2016-31.12.2017.

Total cost of the project (EUR): 445 911.44:

- EU contribution: 334 433.58;
- national co-financing: 44 591.14;
- other contributions: 66 886.72.

Building of a comprehensive pre-integration and integration system for foreigners by an entity active in this field in Poland for over 20 years.

Integration of AMIF target-group members by way of comprehensive activities organised on a wide scale by a network of partners with the following two specific objectives.

Asylum. Social assistance, financing medical care, psychological assistance, creating free mobile application for foreigners, education activities for children.

Integration. Social assistance, co-financing of kindergartens and nurseries, financing medical care, psychological assistance, organisation of integration trips for children, assistance in school adaptation.

Some 5 500 people (including 1 500 people belonging to vulnerable groups) will benefit from participation in project activities. As for results related to individual persons, one can highlight improvements in access to medical care, social and psychological aid, improvements in material status, improvements in access to information on asylum procedures and improvements in the level of integration. This project stands out due to the wide impact it has exerted (five partners provide assistance in the crucial regions of Poland as regards asylum seekers and beneficiaries of international protection), its variety of actions, the high number of final beneficiaries and the comprehensiveness of its approach.

For more information see the website:

<http://fundusze.mswia.gov.pl>



AMIF Projeto: Capacitar e Dar a Conhecer Asilo (PT/2016/PR/0008)

Problema: Acolhimento e Asilo.

Objetivos: Este projeto visa a criação de um novo Título de Viagem para Refugiados e Passaporte Português para Estrangeiros e a divulgação de informação aos refugiados.

Atividades: Informação e Documentação (Produção, tradução e impressão de informação aos refugiados; Criação e produção de documentos individuais de proteção internacional (Título de Viagem para Refugiados e Passaporte Português para Estrangeiros); Seminário sobre Proteção Internacional.

Resultados: A informação a facultar aos requerentes de proteção internacional na sua língua materna contribuirá para uma melhor e mais célere integração na sociedade portuguesa, funcionando estes como polo integrador. Por outro lado, Portugal fez um esforço significativo no sentido de adotar documentos seguros de viagem que possam garantir segurança e dignidade aos refugiados e beneficiários de proteção internacional que deles necessitem, o que constitui um esforço de integração de enorme importância.



AMIF project: Empowering and getting to know asylum (PT/2016/PR/0008)



For more information see the website:

<http://www.sg.mai.gov.pt>

Challenge. Reception and asylum.

Objectives. This project aims at creating a new travel document for refugees and Portuguese passports for foreigners and at disseminating information to refugees.

Activities. Information and documentation: producing, translating and printing information for refugees; creating and producing individual international protection documents (travel document for refugees and Portuguese passport for foreigners); seminar on international protection.

Project beneficiary: Serviço de Estrangeiros e Fronteiras.

Project duration: 1.1.2015-30.6.2017.

Total estimated cost of the project (EUR): 271 498.10:

- EU contribution: 203 623.58;
- national co-financing: 67 874.52.

Results. Providing information to applicants for international protection in their mother tongue will contribute to better and faster integration into Portuguese society, allowing them to function as focus points for integration. In addition, Portugal has made a significant effort to adopt secure travel documents that can guarantee safety and dignity for refugees and beneficiaries of international protection who need them, which is a major effort towards integration.

AMIF Proiect: INTERACT- Servicii integrate pentru migranți, dialog social și multicultural (FAMI/15.03.01)

Obiectiv general: Proiectul își propune să sprijine integrarea socio-economică și culturală a beneficiarilor de protecție internațională și resortisanților ai unor țări terțe, în societatea românească printr-o abordare integrată

Obiective specifice: Îmbunătățirea furnizării serviciilor de integrare pentru migranți și a calității în furnizarea acestor servicii prin înființarea a două centre Regionale de Integrare la București și Craiova

Activități principale: asigurarea de servicii integrate pentru beneficiarii de protecție și resortisanții unor țări terțe, formarea reprezentanților

instituțiilor și autorităților cu atribuții în domeniul integrării străinilor, promovarea participării active a dialogului multicultural și a cooperării inter-instituționale

Rezultatele proiectului:

- Centre regionale de Integrare la București și Craiova funcționale.
- Puncte Regionale de Coordonare în centrele regionale București și Giurgiu active.
- Bază de date pentru managementul integrat al informațiilor privind beneficiarii funcțională.
- Informarea și consilierea a cel puțin 1500 BP și RTT cu privire la nevoile lor de integrare asigurată.
- Asigurări medicale pentru 587 BP plătite pentru o perioadă de 2 luni.
- Cel puțin 587 BP și 450 RTT participanți la activitățile educaționale, inclusiv cursuri de limba română și orientare culturală.
- Asistență materială/medicală/juridică pentru beneficiarii vulnerabili,
- Cel puțin 587 BPI și 450 RTT participanți la activități socio-culturale și recreative.
- Excursii-tabere și alte evenimente/festivaluri organizate cu participarea și implicarea BP și RTT.
- Formarea reprezentanților instituțiilor și autorităților cu atribuții în domeniul integrării străinilor.



AMIF project: Interact — integrated services for migrants, social and multicultural dialogue (FAMI 15.03.01)



Project beneficiary:
IOM Romania.

Other partners:
Asociația Ecumenică a Bisericii din România — AIDRom, Fundația Schottener Servicii Sociale, Asociația Global Help Craiova, Asociația Națională a Exportatorilor și Importatorilor din România.

Project duration:
6.5.2016-6.5.2017.

Total estimated cost of the project (RON/EUR):
3 571 025.19/793 331.97:

- EU contribution:
2 678 268.89/594 998.98;
- national co-financing:
714 205.04/158 666.39;
- other contributors:
178 551.26/39 666.60.

Overall objective. The project aims to support beneficiaries of international protection and third-country nationals in their socioeconomic and cultural integration into Romanian society using an integrated approach.

Specific objectives. To improve the accessibility and quality of migrant integration services by creating two regional centres in Bucharest and Craiova.

Main activities. Integrated services for beneficiaries of international protection (BPs) and TCNs, training of representatives of institutions and authorities with competences in the field of integration of migrants, promotion of active participation, multicultural dialogue and interinstitutional cooperation

Main results.

- Two regional integration centres (RICs) in Bucharest and Craiova.
- Two coordination working points functional in the asylum centres from Bucharest and Giurgiu.
- An integrated data management system.
- 1 500 migrants provided with information/counselling.
- 587 BPs benefiting from medical insurance.
- 587 BPs and 450 TCNs participating in educational activities.
- Material/medical/legal assistance for vulnerable beneficiaries.
- 587 BPs and 450 TCNs participating in socio-cultural events.
- Two excursions organised by RIC Bucharest and two excursions organised by RIC Craiova.
- Specific activities carried out by the reception centres (CRCPA) in Bucharest and Giurgiu.
- Three training sessions for representatives of institutions and authorities with competences in the field of integration of migrants.

For more information see the website:
<http://www.romaniaeacasa.ro>

AMIF Projekt: Efektívne služby žiadateľom o azyl v SR II (SK/2017/PR/0010)

Projekt kľúčových výziev sa snaží riešiť: Zabezpečenie efektívneho azylového systému založeného na dostatočnej kvalite života jednotlivcov počas azylového procesu.

Ciele: Zlepšenie kvality života migrantov počas azylového procesu v súlade s medzinárodnými štandardmi.

Hlavné činnosti / zložky projektu: sociálna starostlivosť a poradenstvo, psychologická starostlivosť s dôrazom na starostlivosť o zraniteľné skupiny osôb, vzdelávanie a jazyková príprava, doplnková materiálna pomoci, doplnková zdravotná starostlivosť

Očakávané výsledky: Počet osôb, ktorým bolo poskytnuté sociálne poradenstvo sociálne: 1000, Počet osôb, ktorým bolo poskytnuté psychologické poradenstvo: 500, Počet osôb, ktorí absolvovali aspoň jednu vzdelávaciu aktivitu: 800, Počet osôb, ktorí absolvovali kurz SJ: 800, Počet osôb, ktorým bola poskytnutá materiálna pomoc: 700

Čo robí tento projekt obzvlášť zaujímavý?: Komplexná starostlivosť o žiadateľov o azyl v rámci celého územia SR poskytovaním profesionálnych služieb.



AMIF project: Efficient services for asylum seekers in the Slovak Republic II (SK/2017/PR/0010)



Key challenge project seeks to address.

To ensure an effective asylum system based on sufficient quality of life of individuals during the asylum process.

Objectives. Improve the quality of the life of migrants during the asylum process in accordance with international standards.

Main activities/components of the project.

Social care and counselling, psychological care with an emphasis on the care of vulnerable groups, education and language courses, supplementary material help, supplementary healthcare.

Expected results. Number of persons who receive social care: 1 000. Number of persons who receive psychological care: 500. Number of persons who attend at least one educational

activity: 800. Number of persons who attend a Slovak language course: 800. Number of persons who receive material help: 700.

What makes this project particularly interesting? Comprehensive care for asylum seekers throughout the territory of Slovakia by providing professional services.

Project beneficiary: Slovak Humanitarian Council.

Other partners: Rovné municipality.

Project (estimated) duration: 1.2017-12.2019 (36 months).

Total estimated cost of the project (EUR): 1 008 400.00:

- EU contribution: 756 300.00;
- national co-financing: 252 100.00.

AMIF Projekt: Slovenščina - Začetna integracija priseljencev (SI/2015/PR/0001)



Priseljence naučiti osnov slovenščine in znanje nadgraditi do ravni, potrebne za pridobitev certifikata. V učni program je integrirano spoznavanje slovenske kulture, zgodovine in ustavne ureditve.

Cilji: priseljencem zagotoviti osnovno znanje slovenskega jezika, uveljaviti vsebine iz življenja in dela, ki krepijo integracijo, spodbujati aktivno sodelovanje, motivirati za vseživljenjsko učenje in prenos znanj med različnimi kulturami.

Projektne aktivnosti: svetovanje pred vključitvijo v program, vključevanje v program začetne inte-

gracije (100 priseljencev/mesec), svetovanje med izvajanjem programa, vključevanje v nadaljnje jezikovno izobraževanje (120 ur), svetovanje priseljencem po zaključku programa.

V obdobju dveh let in desetih mesecev bo v program učenja slovenščine vključenih najmanj 1500 priseljencev, predvsem žensk in tistih z nižjo izobrazbo.

Projekt je zanimiv, ker je večina projektnih aktivnosti osredotočenih izključno na ljudi in njihovo dobro počutje v izobraževalnem procesu.

AMIF project: Slovenian — initial integration of immigrants (SI/2015/PR/0001)

Immigrants learn the basics of the Slovene language and knowledge upgraded to the level required for certification. The programme integrates topics about Slovenian culture, history and constitutional order.

Objectives: to provide basic knowledge of the Slovenian language, to implement aspects of life and work that enhance integration; to promote active participation; to motivate immigrants for lifelong learning; to transfer knowledge between different cultures.

Project activities. Consulting before joining the programme; inclusion in the initial integration programme (100 immigrants/month); counselling during the programme; engaging in further language training (120 hours); advising immigrants after completion of the programme.

Project beneficiary: Javni zavod Cene Štupar — Center za izobraževanje Ljubljana.

Project (estimated) duration: 2 years 10 months (24.8.2015-30.6.2018).

Total estimated cost of the project (EUR): 615 000.00:

- EU contribution: 461 250.00;
- national co-financing: 153 750.00.

For more information see the website:
<http://www.cene-stupar.si>

At least 1500 immigrants, especially women and those with less education, will be involved in the Slovenian learning programme over 2 years and 10 months. The project is interesting because most of the project activities focus exclusively on people and their well-being in the educational process.



AMIF Proyecto: Campañas de sensibilización a través del cine y nuevas tecnologías de la información y comunicación (ES/2017/PR/1703)

La finalidad es sensibilizar a la sociedad general, medios de comunicación y profesionales, sobre la diversidad social y las diferentes realidades a las que se enfrentan las personas solicitantes y beneficiarias de protección internacional.

Los objetivos son la promoción de actitudes positivas y sin prejuicios, llegando a sectores más amplios de la sociedad mediante el uso del cine.

La actividad central es el festival “Refugiados en el cine”, acompañado de otras actividades como charlas y debates, la campaña “Mujeres

refugiadas” y un blog sobre películas en torno al fenómeno de la migración y refugio, complementadas con difusión en redes sociales y medios de comunicación.

El festival tiene lugar en junio en Madrid, coincidiendo con el Día del Refugiado@, con una asistencia media de 7.000 personas.

La particularidad del proyecto reside en el uso del cine como instrumento que facilita la empatía y transmite de una manera más directa las experiencias vividas por las personas refugiadas.



AMIF project: Awareness campaign through cinema and social media (ES/2017/PR/1703)



The key challenge is to raise awareness in Spanish society (citizens, media and professionals) about social diversity and the different realities faced by asylum seekers and international protection beneficiaries.

The main objectives of the project are to promote positive and unprejudiced perceptions and attitudes, reaching broader social sectors through cinema.

The central activity is the film festival 'Refugees in the Cinema', together with other activities such as talks and debates, the 'Refugee Women' campaign and a blog about films around refugee and migration experiences, complemented by broadcasting in social networks and media.

The film festival is held in Madrid, coinciding with World Refugee Day, with an average attendance of 7 000 viewers.

The particularity of the project lies in the use of cinema as an instrument that facilitates empathy and reflects in a more direct way the experiences of refugees and asylum seekers.

Project beneficiary: ACCEM.

Project duration: 13 months (1.7.2016-30.7.2017).

Total cost of the project (EUR): 70 443.38:

- EU contribution: 52 832.53;
- national co-financing: 16 201.98;
- other contributions: 1 408.87 (beneficiary).

For more information see the website:

http://extranjeros.empleo.gob.es/es/Fondos_comunitarios/fami/index.html

AMIF Projekt: Nyanlända en resurs i Åre kommun, NYÅR (SE/2016/PR/0107)



Åre kommun har fastslagit att nyanlända med sina olika kompetenser och erfarenheter utgör en tillväxtfaktor. Genom projektet ska fler tredjelandsmedborgare lyckas etablera sig i kommunen. Projektet pågår i 3 år och ska leda till en utvecklad modell av det lokala integrationsarbetet.

Projektet ska:

- Genomföra utbildningar som efterfrågas på arbetsmarknaden och ge fler kommunplacerade möjlighet att snabbare bli anställningsbara inom bristyrken.
- Utöka samarbetet med frivilligsektor, kyrkan, studieförbund och folkhögskola för att ge ökade möjligheter till nyanlända att skapa sociala kontaktnät i lokalsamhället och minska risken för segregation och främlingsfientlighet.
- Ta fram ett verktyg för att kunna göra tidiga preliminära valideringar av deltagarnas utbildning och arbetslivserfarenhet. På så sätt kan kommunen erbjuda utbildning, arbete eller arbetspraktik snabbare.
- Bidra till att arbeta könsutjämmande.

AMIF project: Immigrants: a resource in Åre (SE/2016/PR/0107)



Åre municipality has determined that newly arrived people, with their different skills and experiences, are a growth factor. Through the project, more third-country nationals will succeed in establishing themselves in the community. The project will last for 3 years and lead to a developed model for local integration work.

community and to reduce the risk of segregation and xenophobia;

- develop a tool to enable early preliminary validations of the participants' training and work experience — in this way, the municipality can provide education, work or job training within a faster time limit;
- contribute to gender equalisation.

Project beneficiary: Åre municipality.

Project duration: 1.8.2016-31.7.2019.

Total cost of the project (EUR): 1 016 560:

- EU contribution: 762 420;
- national co-financing: 254 140.

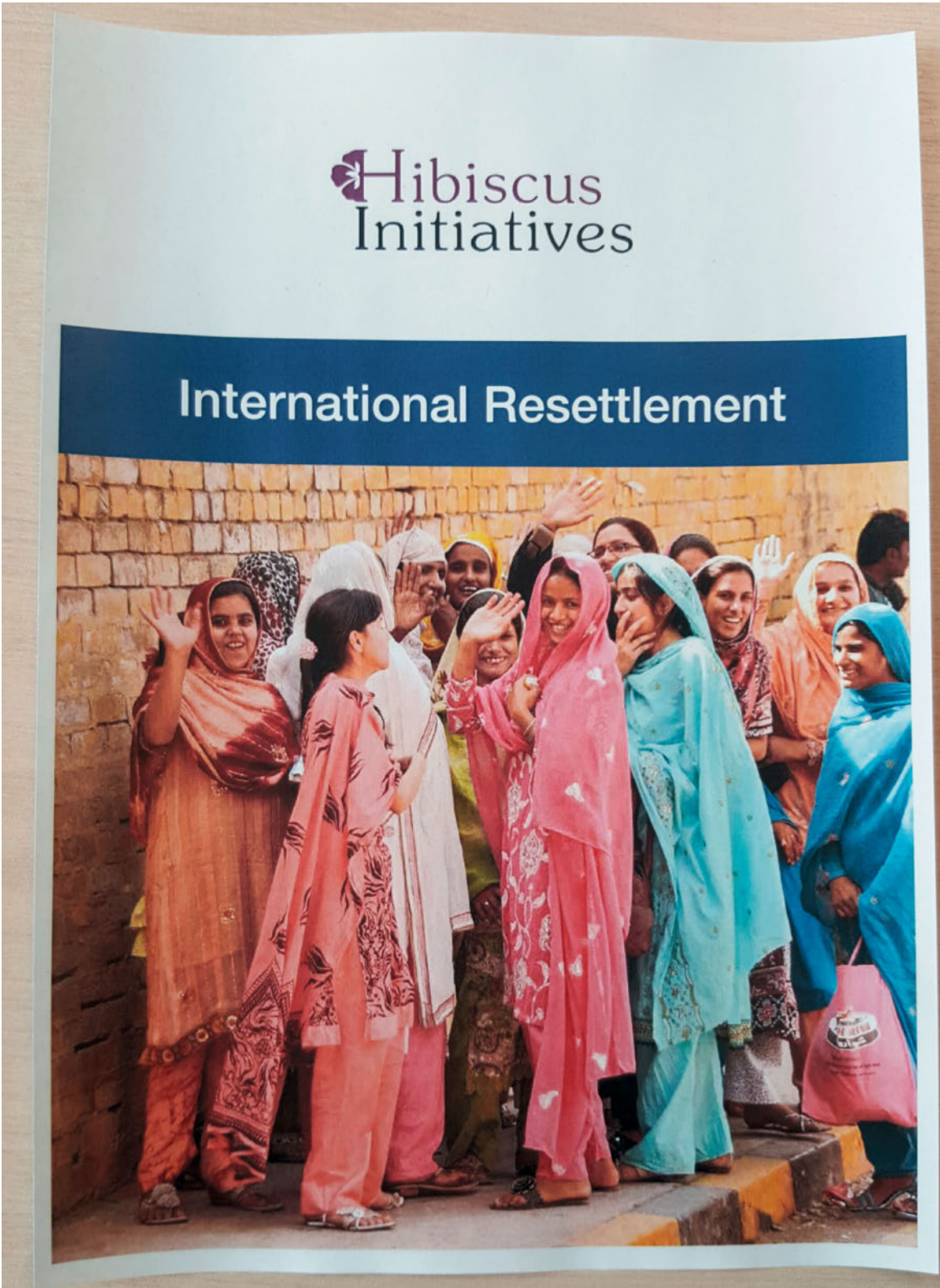
The project will:

- implement training programmes requested by the labour market and enable third-country nationals to become employable in occupations with a shortage of personnel;
- increase cooperation with the voluntary sector, church, educational centres and folk high schools to increase opportunities for newcomers to establish social networks in the local



For more information see the website:
<https://www.migrationsverket.se/Andra-aktorer/EU-fonder/Asyl--migrations--och-integrationsfonden-AMIF.html>

AMIF project: Returns facilitation: Heathrow and Yarl’s Wood
IRCs (UK/2016/PR/0024)



AMIF project: Returns facilitation: Heathrow and Yarl's Wood IRCs (UK/2016/PR/0024)

Key challenge project seeks to address. Return measures to encourage UK immigration detainees to comply with the UK immigration returns process.

Objectives. To facilitate the return of at least 624 UK immigration detainees per year and to provide support through guidance, advocacy and small welfare financial payments to support the resettlement of 240 detainees per month.

Main activities/components of the project. To provide a bespoke level of support for each of its clients that is independent of the immigration removal centre service providers and so is best placed to offer impartial, focused advice and support to detainees via 1-1 sessions, targeted monthly workshops and drop-in sessions for detainees. Guides for certain countries of return are also prepared for detainees. More information can be found here: <http://hibiscusinitiatives.org.uk/index.php/project/international-resettlement>

Expected results. To reduce the average length of time a detainee remains in detention and allow the detainees to make an informed choice about their return and to return home to their country of origin with dignity.

What makes the project interesting? The daily presence and continuity of enhanced welfare provision for detainees ensures the levels of trust that have built up between AMIF project-funded Hibiscus caseworkers and detainees. Specifically focussed workshops encourage traditionally hard to reach nationalities, to comply with the returns process and to engage more fully in activities available to them whilst at the detention centres.

Project beneficiary: UK Home Office — Immigration Enforcement.

Project duration: 36 months (1.4.2016-31.3.2019).

Other partners: Delivery in immigration removal centres is provided by Hibiscus Initiatives, a voluntary-sector organisation.

Total estimated cost of the project (EUR): 1 439 525.08:

- EU contribution: 1 079 643.81;
- national co-financing: 359 881.27.

For more information see the website: <https://www.gov.uk/government/publications/asylum-migration-and-integration-fund-programme>



Supporting European Union actions and cooperation on security

Internal Security Fund: Police



http://ec.europa.eu/dgs/home-affairs/financing/index_en.htm

The Internal Security Fund (ISF) was set up for the 2014-2020 period, with a total of EUR 3.8 billion for the 7 years. The fund promotes the implementation of the *internal security strategy*, *law enforcement cooperation* and the *management of the EU's external borders*. The ISF is composed of two instruments: *ISF Borders and Visa* and *ISF Police*.

ACHIEVING THE KEY OBJECTIVES

The ISF Police component of the Internal Security Fund contributes to ensuring a high level of security in the EU. Within this general objective the fund's activities focus on the following two specific objectives.

- **Fighting against crime.** Combating cross-border, serious and *organised crime*, including *terrorism*, and reinforcing coordination and cooperation between law enforcement authorities and other national authorities of Member States, including with *Europol* and other relevant EU bodies and with relevant non-EU and international organisations.
- **Managing risks and crises.** Enhancing the capacity of Member States and the EU to manage security-related risks and crises effectively and preparing to protect people and critical infrastructure against terrorist attacks and other security-related incidents.

For the 2014-2020 period slightly over EUR 1 billion is available for funding actions under the ISF Police instrument, of which EUR 662 million will be channelled through shared management and EUR 342 million through direct management.

Concrete actions to be funded through this instrument include a wide range of initiatives such as setting up and running IT systems, acquiring operational equipment, promoting and developing training schemes and ensuring administrative and operational coordination and cooperation.

THE FUND'S BENEFICIARIES

All Member States except Denmark and the United Kingdom participate in ISF Police. Examples of beneficiaries are state and federal authorities, local public bodies, non-governmental organisations and private and public law companies.

ISF Polizi projekt: CyberKids (AT/2015/PR/0014)

Das Projekt hat den Schwerpunkt "Schutz vor Gefahren für Kinder im Alter von 8 - 12 Jahren im Umgang mit dem Internet". Dafür wurden Zielgruppen definiert: 8 - 10 Jährige (Kinderpolizei/Verkehrserziehung) und 10 - 12 Jährige (Kriminalprävention).

Für Präventionsbeamte wurden Handbücher zielgruppengerecht aufbereitet. Es wurden Methoden entwickelt, die die Zielgruppe 8 - 10 nicht zum Opfer und die 10 - 12 Jährigen nicht zum Opfer oder Täter werden lässt.

Noch ein Ziel war die Ausbildung der Präventionsbeamten mit E-Learning-Modulen und einer Präsenzs Schulung. Nach der Ausbildung wurden 32 Pilotklassen ausgewählt, die in Summe eine positive Rückmeldung zum Projekt geben.

Das Besondere am Projekt ist die gute Zusammenarbeit der Experten in unterschiedlichen Bereichen, die ein gemeinsames Produkt erstellen konnten und dass eine fundierte Ausbildung für die Präventionsbeamten zur Verfügung gestellt werden konnte, um den Schülern die Inhalte und Methoden altersgerecht präsentieren zu können.



ISF Police project: CyberKids (AT/2015/PR/0014)



The key challenge of the project is 'protection against risks for children aged 8 to 12 using the internet'. The project defines two target groups: 8 to 10 (prevention by provincial traffic department) and 10 to 12 (prevention by crime prevention).

One objective was to create handbooks for the prevention officers. The methods for the target groups should prevent children from 8 to 10 from becoming a victim and children from 10 to 12 from becoming a victim or an offender.

Another objective was the training of prevention officers, which involved an e-learning-module and face-to-face training. After the training course prevention officers visited schools to test the methods (32 classes) and received only positive feedback.

The project shows that collaboration between experts in various specialist fields can produce a handbook of this type and that prevention officers can join a well-established training course to present the content and methods to children aged 8 to 12.

Project beneficiary: Federal Ministry of the Interior, Unit II/BK/5.2-C4 Cybercrime Competence Centre.

Project duration: 1.3.2015.28.2.2018.

Total cost of the project (EUR): 50 000.00:

- EU contribution: 45 000.00;
- national co-financing: 5 000.00.

For more information see the website:
http://www.bmi.gv.at/cms/BMI_Fonds/amif_isf/isf/programm/start.aspx

ISF Politie Project: Project Opleiding rond radicalisering in gevangenissen (ISF-P-17-01)



Het centrale objectief van het project ‘Opleiding rond radicalisering in gevangenissen’ is tweeledig: 1. Vermijden dat gedetineerden geradicaliseerd worden tijdens hun verblijf in de gevangenis en 2. De ontwikkeling van een gespecialiseerde benadering van geradicaliseerde individuen tijdens hun detentie. Deze objectieven pogen bereikt te worden via vorming voor personeel van ‘normale’ gevangenissen en door training van gespecialiseerde teams die zullen werken in penitentiaire instellingen met een groter aantal geradicaliseerde gedetineerden.

Op de bijgaande foto's ziet men de sprekers Nicolas Henin, die maandenlang gegijzeld werd door IS in Syrië, en Mourad Guan, een ge-de-radicaliseerde moslim die beiden pakkend getuigen en interessante tools en ideeën kunnen meegeven. Een studiedag met dergelijke sprekers bereikte elke gevangenisdirectie in België die elk met een multidisciplinair team deelnam (directieleden, psychologen, sociaal assistenten, psychiaters, ...), gezien de actualiteit van het thema en de recente aanslagen in Brussel.



ISF Police project: Project on training about radicalisation in prisons (ISF-P-17-01)

For more information see the website:
<http://www.amif-isf.be>

The central objective of the project is twofold: 1. prevent detainees from being radicalised during their time in prison; 2. develop a specialised approach to radicalised individuals during their detention. These objectives will be met through training for staff of 'normal' penitentiary institutions and training for specialised teams that will work in penitentiary institutions with a greater number of radicalised detainees.

In the attached pictures we see speakers Nicolas Henin, who was held hostage by the Islamic State in Syria, and Mourad Guan, who could be considered a deradicalised Muslim,

speaking in a moving way about their experiences and providing the audience with interesting tools and ideas. Every prison service in Belgium participated in the seminar with a multidisciplinary team (members of staff, psychologists, social workers, psychiatrists, etc.). The topicality of the issue and the recent attacks in Brussels play a major role in the amount of interest generated.

Project beneficiary:

Ministry of Justice, Prison Department.

Project duration:

1.1.2016-31.12.2022.

Total cost of the project (EUR):

505 335:

- EU contribution:
379 000;
- national co-financing:
126 335.



ISF полиция проект: Намаляване нивото на корупция сред патрулната и пътна полиция чрез въвеждане на видеонаблюдение в полицейските автомобили (BG/2015/PR/0003)



Проектът цели повишаване ефективността на антикорупционните мерки сред служителите, ангажирани с контрол и безопасност на

движението и намаляване нивото на корупция сред патрулната и пътна полиция чрез въвеждане на видео наблюдение в полицейските автомобили.

Дейности: изграждане на интегрирана система за видеонаблюдение в 600 автомобили на МВР чрез доставка, инсталация и пускане в експлоатация на оборудване и софтуер; обучение на 8 000 служители от охранителна и пътна полиция за работа с интегрираната система; тестване на 50 носими видеокамери от служители на Охранителна полиция.

Резултати: ограничаване на неправомерните действия при осъществяване на пътния контрол за безопасност на движението; постоянен вътрешен контрол на територията на страната; намаляване на сигналите за корупционно поведение на полицейските служители; възпиращ ефект върху нарушителите на пътя и обществения ред.



ISF Police project: Decreasing the level of corruption in patrol and traffic police by installing video surveillance in police vehicles (BG/2015/PR/0003)



Project beneficiary: General Directorate National Police, Bulgarian Ministry of the Interior.

Project duration: 13.10.2015-13.10.2018.

Total cost of the project (EUR): 2 200 000:

- EU contribution: 1 650 000;
- national co-financing: 550 000.

The project aims at increasing the effectiveness of anti-corruption measures and decreasing the level of corruption among patrol and traffic police officers by establishing an integrated mobile video surveillance system in police cars.

Activities. Establishing an integrated mobile video surveillance system in 600 cars of the Bulgarian Ministry of the Interior by delivering,

installing and implementing hardware and software, training 8 000 patrol and traffic police officers to work with the integrated system and testing 50 body-worn video cameras using patrol police officers.

Results. Reduction in possible wrongful activities of police officers when performing traffic control; regular internal controls throughout the territory of the country; decrease in submitted reports of corrupt behaviour by police officers; preventive effect on offenders on the roads.

For more information see the website:
<http://www.dmp.mvr.bg>

ISF Policija Projekt: Jačanje istraživanja teškog i organiziranog kriminala (HR/2017/PR/0003)

Kriminalistička policija ne raspolaže sa suvremenom forenzičkom opremom i vozilima za njen transport na mjesta kaznenih djela teškog i organiziranog kriminala. Također postoji potreba za unaprjeđenjem definiranja postupaka i edukacijom osoba koje obavljaju očevide,

Ciljevi projekta su daljnji razvitak tehničke podloge za istraživanje teškog i organiziranog kriminala, izrada priručnika i edukacija,

Glavne aktivnosti projekta su nabava suvremene forenzičke, opreme i vozila za njen tran-

sport, izrada i distribucija priručnika i provedba edukacija;

Očekivani rezultati su povećanje kvalitete istraživanja mjesta događaja teških kaznenih djela i organiziranog kriminaliteta,

Ovaj projekt će biti koordiniran na razini sjedišta kriminalističke policije, no uključit će sve relevantne službe na nacionalnoj i regionalnoj razini. Očekuje se da će projekt doprinijeti kvaliteti istraživanja teških kaznenih djela i organiziranog kriminaliteta.



ISF Police project: Strengthening serious and organised crime investigation (HR/2017/PR/0003)



The Criminal Police lack advanced forensic equipment and vehicles for transportation to sites where serious and organised crimes have been perpetrated. There is also a need to improve the definition of procedures and the training of investigators.

Project beneficiary: Ministry of Interior, General Police Directorate.

Other partners: State Attorney's Office, Forensic Science Centre, Police Academy, Criminal Police and attorneys at the national and regional level.

Project duration: First quarter 2017-second quarter 2018.

Total cost of the project (EUR): 996 500.00:

- EU contribution: 747 375.00;
- national co-financing: 249 125.00.

Objective: further development of the technical basis for investigating organised and serious crime, creation of a manual for investigative procedures and training.

Activity: supply of advanced forensic equipment and vehicles for its transportation, creation and distribution of the manual and implementation of training.

Results: enhanced quality of investigations of serious and organised crimes.

The project is coordinated by the headquarters of the Criminal Police. However, it will involve all the relevant services at the national and regional levels. The project is expected to contribute to the quality of investigation of organised and serious crimes.

For more information see the website:
www.eufondovi.mup.hr

ISF Αστυνομία έργο: Αγορά εξοπλισμού για καταπολέμηση της τρομοκρατίας (CY/2016/PR/0011)



Το έργο αφορά στην πρόληψη και διαχείριση των συνεπειών της τρομοκρατίας και των κινδύνων που σχετίζονται με την ασφάλεια στην Κύπρο και στην ΕΕ. Ως εκ τούτου αγοράστηκε ή αναβαθμίστηκε εξοπλισμός για πρώτη φορά στην Κύπρο, ως εξής: όχημα διαπραγμάτευσης κρίσεων, κινητός σταθμός διοίκησης, αλεξίσφαιρο όχημα ομαδικής αντιμετώπισης κρίσεων, τηλεκατευθυνόμενα οχήματα, εξειδικευμένος εξοπλισμός διαχείρισης κρίσεων και περιστατικών χημικών-βιολογικών-ραδιολογικών-πυρηνικών-εκρηκτικών υλικών και αντιπυρικές επιχειρησιακές στολές.

Με τη χρήση των οχημάτων και του εξοπλισμού αναμένεται όπως επιτευχθεί βελτίωση των ικανοτήτων διαχείρισης καταστάσεων κρίσης. Το έργο εστιάζεται στην ενίσχυση των διοικητικών και επιχειρησιακών ικανοτήτων των μελών της Αστυνομίας για την προστασία κρίσιμων υποδομών και τη διασφάλιση άμεσης ανταπόκρισης σε σχετικά με την ασφάλεια περιστατικά, με προηγμένης τεχνολογίας εξοπλισμό όπως περιστροφικές κάμερες, ηλεκτρονικούς υπολογιστές, μη επανδρωμένα πτητικά μέσα, ακτινογραφικό εξοπλισμό, σύστημα διαμετακόμισης εικόνας και μετατροπέα σήματος εικόνας, ικανότητα σύνδεσης των οχημάτων μεταξύ τους.

ISF Police project: Purchase of equipment to fight terrorism (CY/2016/PR/0011)

The project refers to the prevention and management of the consequences of terrorism and the risks related to security, in Cyprus and in the EU. Hence, the following equipment has been purchased for the first time in Cyprus, or has been upgraded: crisis negotiation vehicle; mobile administration station; bulletproof mass-crisis-response vehicle; remotely operated vehicles; specialised equipment for the management of operations and incidents with chemical/biological/radiological/nuclear/explosive materials; and fire-protection operational suits.

The improvement of crisis management capacity is expected to be accomplished by using vehicles and equipment. The project focuses on strengthening the administrative and operational capacity

Project beneficiary: Cyprus Police.

Project duration: 1.1.2014-31.12.2017.

Total cost of the project (EUR): 1 045 466.58:

- EU contribution: 940 919.92;
- national co-financing: 104 546.66.

For more information see the website:

<http://www.moi.gov.cy/MOI/eufunds2015.nsf>

of police officers to protect critical infrastructure and ensuring direct responses to security incidents by using advanced technology equipment such as rotary cameras, computers, drones, radiographic equipment, image transit systems, video signal converters and vehicle interconnectivity.



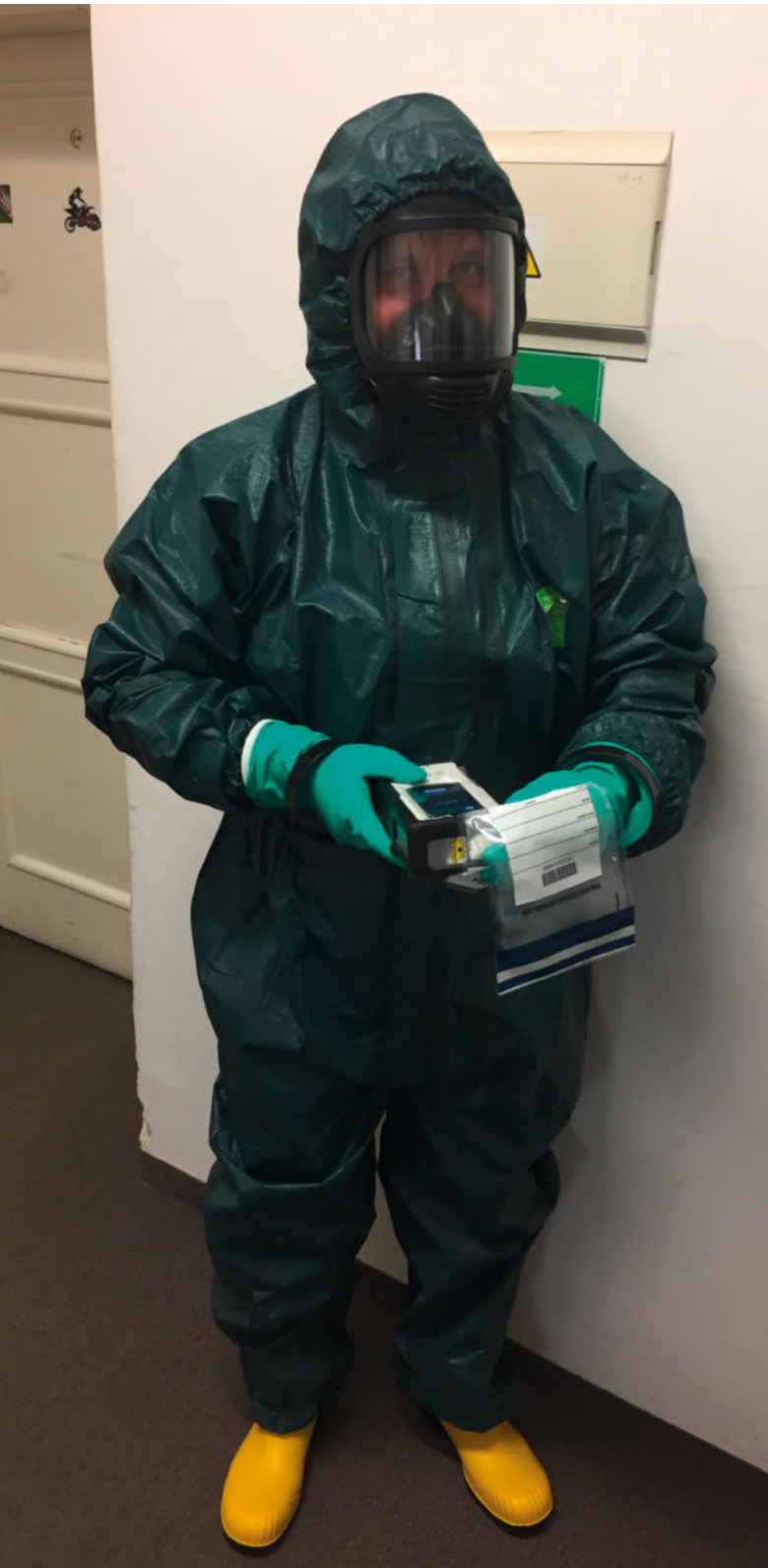
ISF Policie Projekt: Mobilní analytická laboratoř (CZ/2016/PR/0203)

Cílem projektu je zvýšení úrovně technického zabezpečení Policie ČR pro včasnou a efektivní detekci nelegálních laboratoří pro výrobu drog spolu s možností terénní identifikace zajištěných chemických látek prostřednictvím mobilních analytických laboratoří s adekvátním přístrojovým vybavením a ochranných prostředků.

Výstupem projektu bude zvýšení kapacity Policie ČR v boji proti drogové kriminalitě páchané organizovanými zločineckými skupinami působícími ve státech Evropské unie zejména prostřednictvím odhalování nelegálních laboratoří na výrobu drog. Současně bude zajištěna dostatečná ochrana zasahujícím policistům před působením nebezpečných látek a jejich včasná identifikace.



ISF Police project: Mobile analytical laboratory (CZ/2016/PR/0203)



The aim of the project is to enhance the Czech police's technical equipment so they are able to detect illegal laboratories in a timely manner and effectively identify seized chemical substances using mobile analytical labs, and also to provide adequate personal chemical protection.

The project will enhance the Czech police's capacity to combat international organised criminal groups operating within the EU by detecting illegal laboratories and by identifying hazardous substances early, and will provide policemen with proper personal protection at the scene.

Project beneficiary:

Czech Republic Police.

Project duration:

1.9.2016-30.9.2018.

Total cost of the project (EUR):

978 128:

- EU contribution: 733 596;
- national co-financing: 244 532.

For more information
see the website:

<http://www.mvcr.cz/fondy-eu-v-oblasti-vnitrich-veci-amif-a-isf.aspx>

ISF Politsei Projekt: Narkotester (EE/2015/PR/0017)

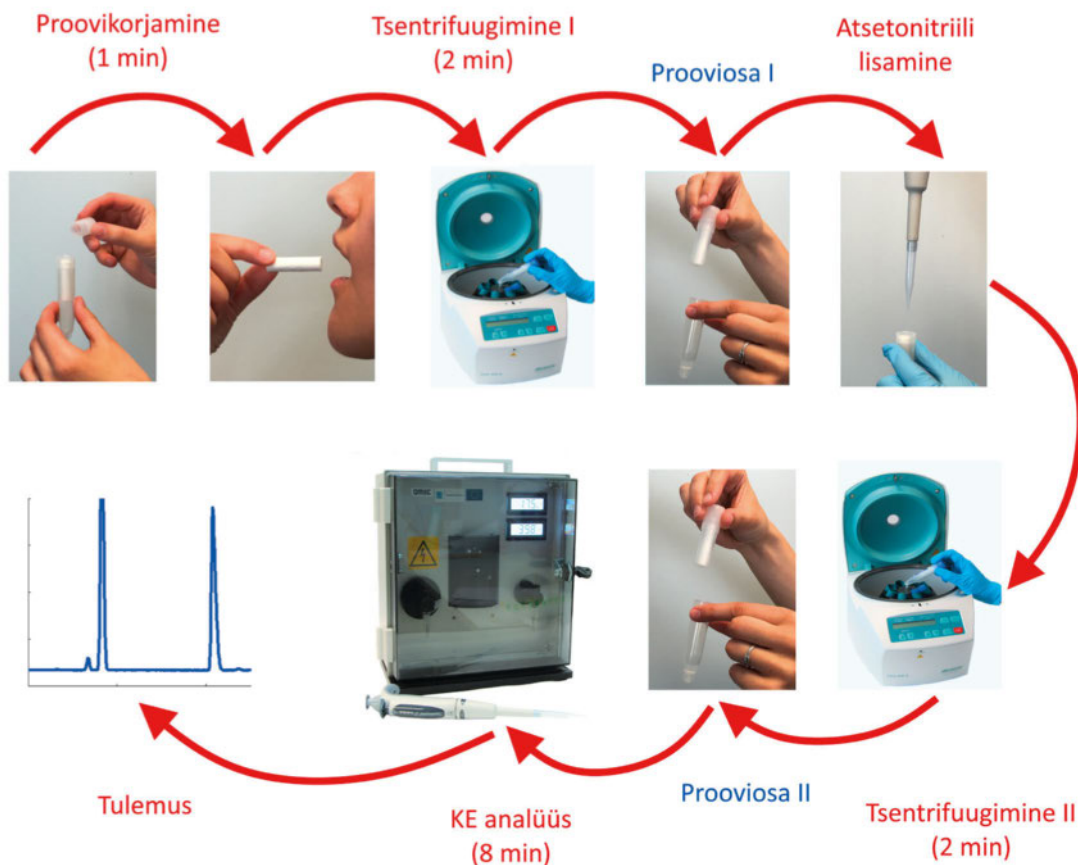
Probleem: Puudub piisavalt täpne narkojoovet tuvastav masin, mida saaks kasutada töendusliku narkotestrina. Kasutatakse kiirtestreid, millega esineb palju valepositiivseid tulemusi, või narkojoobe ekspertiisi, mis on keeruline, ajamahukas, aparatuur on kallis ning suuremõõtmeline ja selle käsitlemine nõuab teatud oskusi.

Eesmärk: Narkojoobe tuvastamine süljest. Seni avastatust täpsemal meetodikal baseeruva töendusliku narkotestri väljatöötamise võimalikkuse analüüs ning, meetodika töötamisel, masina prototüübi loomine.

Peamised tegevused:

- teaduskirjanduse analüüs;
- meetodika väljatöötamine ja arendus;
- seadme ehitamine;
- süljeproovide analüüs.

Tulemus: Leiti tehnoloogia, millega on võimalik avastada süljes narkootilisi aineid juba väikestes kontsentratsioonides. Ehitati maailmas ainulaadne kaasaskantav väga tundlik fluorestsentsdetektor, mis tuvastab narkojoobe sülje analüüsi kaudu 15 minutiga. Masinat plaanitakse edasi arendada, et tulemuse saaks juba hingõhust (sarnaselt alkomeetriga).



ISF Police project: Narcotics tester (EE/2015/PR/0017)



Project beneficiary: Estonian Police and Border Guard Board.

Other partners: Tallinn University of Technology.

Project duration: 1.6.2015-30.11.2016.

Total cost of the project (EUR): 130 000:

- EU contribution: 97 500;
- national co-financing: 32 500.

For more information see the website:
<http://www.sisejulgeolekufond.ee>

Challenge. There is no accurate device that detects drug intoxication and can be used as evidence in court. Rapid testers produce many false positive results and expert analysis of drug intoxication is complicated and time consuming, requiring specific skills and expensive, large-scale equipment.

Objectives. Detect drug intoxication from saliva. Develop a higher-quality, more accurate evidential drug tester than existing ones and create a prototype.

Activities.

- Analysing scientific literature.
- Developing new methodologies.
- Developing a portable device.
- Analysing real saliva samples.

Results. Technology has been found that detects narcotics in saliva even at very small concentrations. A unique, portable, highly sensitive fluorescence detector enables the detection of drug intoxication from saliva within 15 minutes. It is planned that the device will be developed further so that the same results can be achieved from exhaled air (similar to a breathalyser).

ISF Poliisi Projekt: Vaativan teknisen rikostutkinnan laatujärjestelmän kehittäminen (RITU) (FI/2015/PR/1861)



Tekniset rikostutkimuskeskukset suorittavat valtaosan näytteiden alkuvaiheen tutkimuksista. Koko teknisen rikostutkinnan luotettavuuden osoittaminen edellyttää laatujärjestelmän kehittämistä.

Hankkeen päämääränä on saavuttaa valmiudet, jotka Euroopan Unionin neuvosto on puitepäätöksessä asettanut sormenjälki- ja DNA-laboratoriotutkimuksille.

Hankkeessa rakennetaan rikostutkimuskeskuksiin standardiin ISO 17025 pohjautuva laatujärjestelmä ja työ vaatii valtakunnallisten

toimintatapojen kriittistä tarkastelua, kehittämistä ja yhtenäistämistä.

Hankkeessa on yhteistyössä poliisilaitosten kanssa rakennettu valtakunnallinen laatukäsikirja ja ohjeistus huomioiden sormenjälki- ja DNA-tutkimusten kansainväliset käytännöt.

Toimivan laatujärjestelmän rakentaminen vaikuttaa koko teknisen rikostutkinnan laatuun ja kustannustehokkuuteen. Teknisen rikostutkinnan näyttöarvoa on yhä vaikeampi kiistää tuomioistuimissa, kun toiminnan laatu on osoitettu ulkopuolisen ja riippumattoman arvioijan toimesta.

ISF Police project: Facilitation of the accreditation of Finnish crime scene units (FI/2015/PR/1861)

Forensic science laboratories perform most of the laboratory analyses of samples taken from a crime scene in the early stages of an investigation. A quality system will be required in order to demonstrate the reliability of forensic investigation in general.

Objective: to meet the conditions for fingerprinting and DNA profiles set out in the Council framework decision on the accreditation of forensic service providers carrying out laboratory activities.

Activity: building a quality system for forensic science laboratories based on the ISO 17025 standard; this requires the critical evaluation, development and harmonisation of national procedures.

For more information see the website:
<http://www.eusa-rahastot.fi>

Project beneficiary: Poliisihallitus/National Police Board.

Project duration: 1.1.2015-31.12.2017.

Total cost of the project (EUR): 340 000:

- EU contribution: 255 000;
- national co-financing: 85 000.

A national quality manual and quality guidelines have been created in collaboration with police departments, taking into due consideration the international practices for fingerprinting and DNA profiles.

Building an effective quality system affects the quality and cost-effectiveness of forensic investigation as a whole. Forensic evidence will become harder to challenge in court when its quality has been demonstrated by an external and independent evaluator.



ISF Police Projet: Laboratoires mobiles d'analyses documentaires (FR/2016/PR/9037)

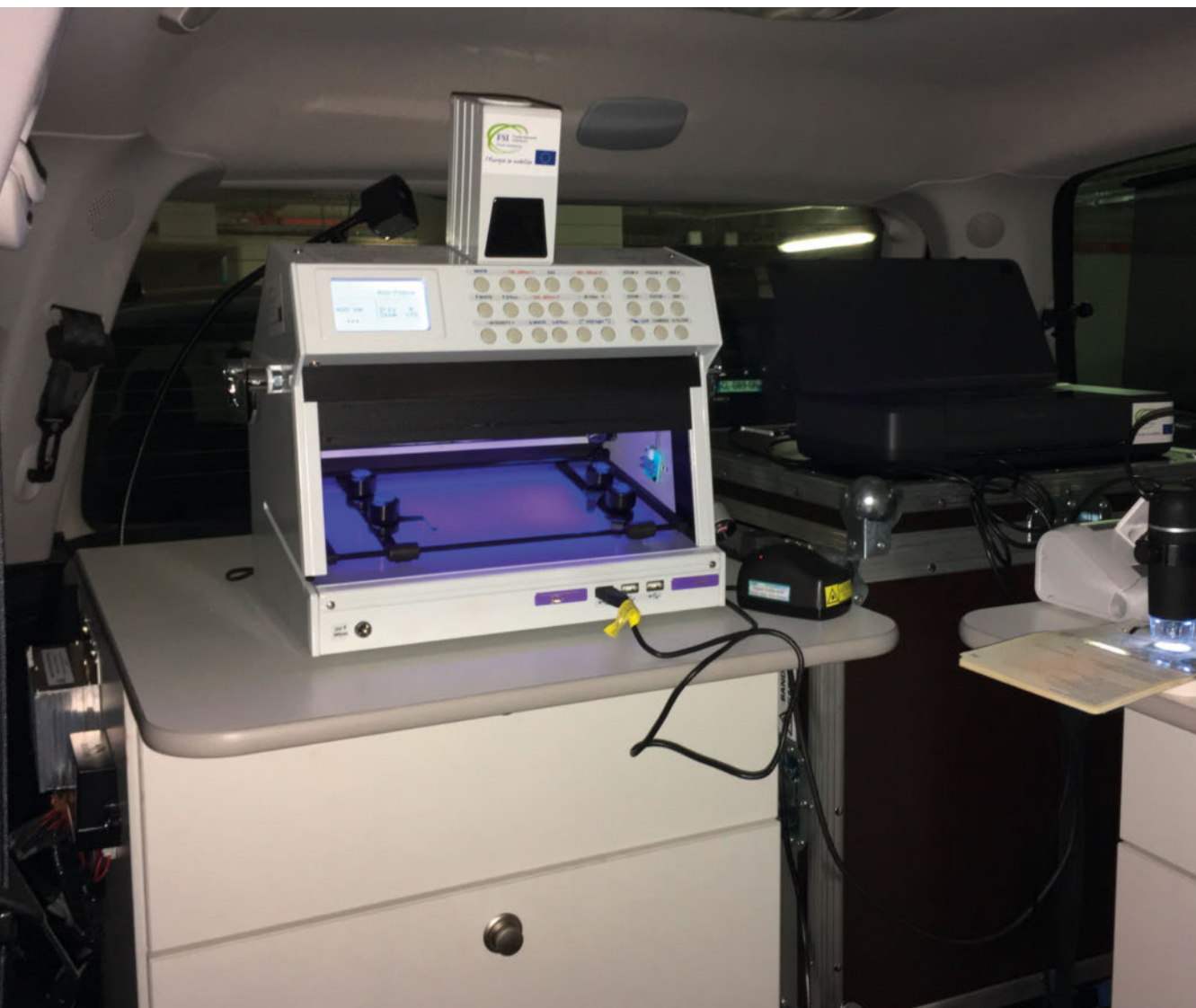
Les laboratoires mobiles d'analyse documentaire (LMAD) sont des véhicules dotés d'équipements permettant de procéder à des examens rapides et complets des documents de voyage ou d'identité sur les lieux mêmes des contrôles diligentés par la police aux frontières.

Ce projet renforce la capacité de la France à lutter contre les fraudes documentaires ou à l'identité, ainsi que contre les multiples formes de criminalité transnationale et terrorisme dont elles constituent l'un des supports.

Il dote la police aux frontières de véhicules spécialement équipés pour la détection des faux documents (microscopes, scanners-détecteurs de faux...).

Les principaux résultats attendus sont une augmentation du nombre de mis en cause et le démantèlement de filières criminelles ou terroristes.

L'intérêt des LMAD réside dans l'expertise immédiate et in situ des documents et dans la réactivité accrue des forces de sécurité intérieure.



ISF Police project: Mobile document-analysis laboratories (FR/2016/PR/9037)



Mobile document-analysis laboratory vehicles are equipped with apparatus that enables rapid and complete examinations of travel or identity documents on the very premises at which border control checks are carried out by the border police.

This project strengthens France's capacity to combat documentary or identity fraud and the many forms of transnational crime, including terrorism.

It provides the border police with vehicles that are especially equipped to detect false documents (microscopes, scanners for detecting fakes, etc.).

For more information see the website:
<https://www.interieur.gouv.fr/Publications/Fonds-europeen-pour-la-securite-interieure>

Project beneficiary: Ministère de l'Intérieur/ Direction générale de la police nationale/Direction centrale de la police aux frontières.

Project duration: 1.4.2016-1.6.2018.

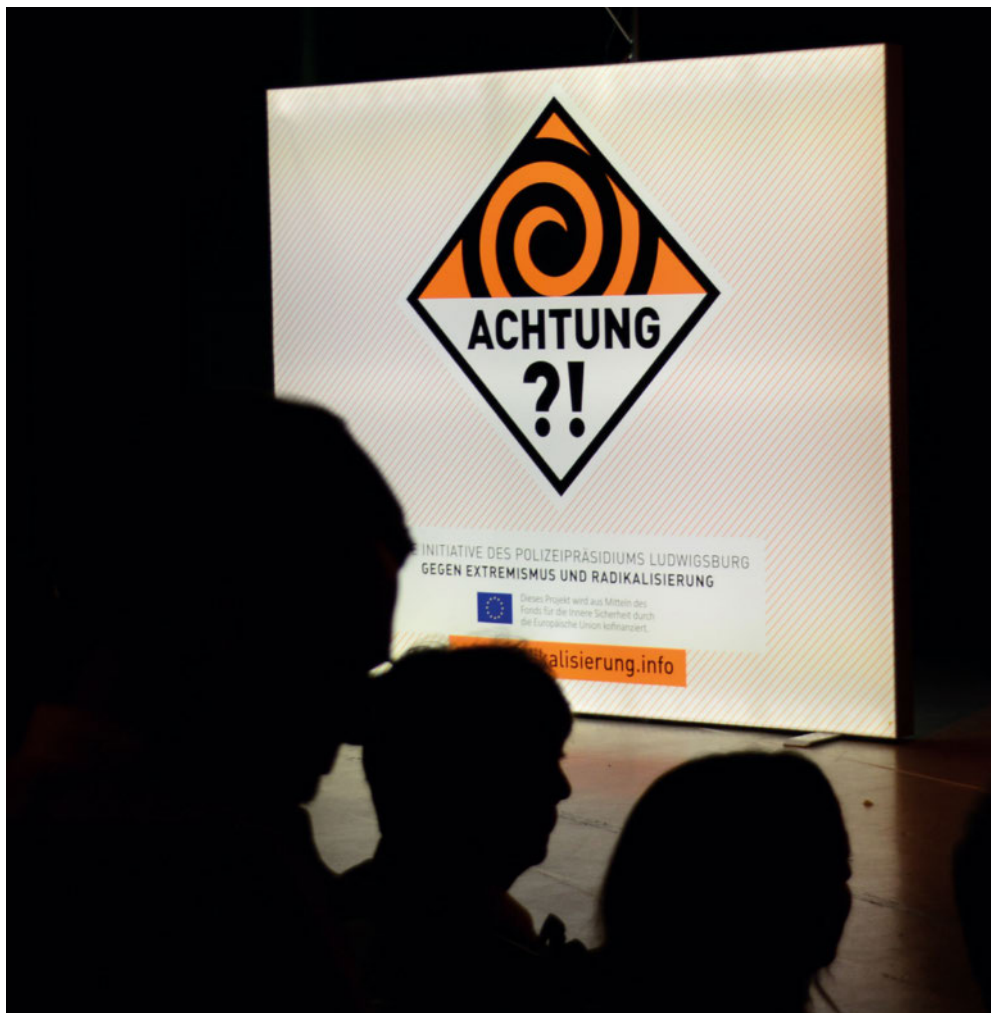
Total cost of the project (EUR): 733 018.45:

- EU contribution: 659 716.61;
- national co-financing: 73 301.85.

The key results expected are an increase in the number of suspects arrested and the dismantling of criminal or terrorist networks.

The interest regarding these mobile document-analysis laboratories lies in the immediate and in situ document expertise they provide and in the increased responsiveness of the internal security forces involved.

ISF Polizei Projekt: Projekt „ACHTUNG?!“ des Polizeipräsidiums Ludwigsburg (DE/2016/PR/1508)



Die Initiative gegen Extremismus und Radikalisierung soll LehrerInnen, Eltern und v. a. Jugendliche unterstützen, Extremismus und Vorgehensweisen radikaler Gruppierungen zu erkennen und sich dem entgegen zu stellen. Die Polizei Ludwigsburg hat namhafte Partner eingebunden, die Expertisen aus Wissenschaft, Pädagogik und politischen Bildung ins Projekt einbringen. Dadurch entstanden zahlreiche Module, die von Schulen gebucht werden können.

Kernelement ist ein interaktives Theaterstück für 14-16-Jährige, über zwei Jugendliche, die sich verschieden radikalieren – rechtsradikal und islamistisch. Dabei wird der phänomenübergreifende Charakter des Projekts deutlich, der sich gegen Extremismus jeglicher Ideologie und deren Propagandisten wendet. Die Filmakademie Baden-Württemberg schuf authentische Portraits von Aussteigern extremistischer Szenen, die mit begleitendem Materialien Schulen zur Verfügung stehen. Vielfältige Informations-, Hilfs- und Fortbildungsangebote runden das Angebot ab.

ISF Police project: 'Attention?!' project of the Ludwigsburg police department (DE/2016/PR/1508)

The initiative against extremism and radicalisation is intended to help teachers, parents and especially young people to recognise and oppose the extremism and procedures of radical groups. The Ludwigsburg police have involved well-known partners who add expertise from science, pedagogy and political education to the project. This has resulted in numerous modules that can be booked by schools.

The core of the project is an interactive play for 14- to 16-year-olds about two teenagers who radicalise themselves in different ways — one right-wing, the other Islamist. The play reveals the cross-phenomenal character of the project, which turns against the extremism of any ideology and its propagandists. The Baden-Württemberg film academy has created real portraits of young people who have turned their back on extremism and provides

For more information see the website:
https://www.innerersicherheitsfonds.de/Innerersicherheitsfonds/DE/Home/home_node.html

Project beneficiary: Polizeipräsidium Ludwigsburg.

Other partners: Theater Q-rage, Landeszentrale für politische Bildung, Stiftung Weltethos, Landesamt für Verfassungsschutz Baden-Württemberg, S-Team Coaching, Filmakademie Baden-Württemberg.

Project duration: 1.4.2016-31.7.2018.

Total cost of the project (EUR): 350 943.60:

- EU contribution: 262 500;
- national co-financing: 88 443.60.

accompanying materials for practical work at schools. A wide range of information, support and training programmes are also available.



ISF Police project: Προμήθεια Συστημάτων για Έξυπνη Αστυνόμευση (GR/2017/5008889)

Βασικό σχέδιο πρόκλησης που επιδιώκει να αντιμετωπίσει η παρούσα δράση:

- «Αντιμετώπιση του οργανωμένου εγκλήματος από την Ελληνική Αστυνομία, καθώς θα επιτυγχάνεται αμεσότερη αναγνώριση ύποπτων οχημάτων και ατόμων που εμπλέκονται στην παράνομη διακίνηση προσώπων ή/και υλικών.
- Επίτευξη μεγαλύτερης ταχύτητας διενέργειας των ελέγχων.
- Ενίσχυση της ασφάλειας των πολιτών παρέχοντάς τους αίσθημα εμπιστοσύνης προς την Ελληνική Αστυνομία.
- Ενίσχυση του αισθήματος ασφάλειας των αστυνομικών.
- Ενίσχυση της προληπτικής αστυνόμευσης.



Στόχοι: στόχος της δράσης «Προμήθεια Συστημάτων για Έξυπνη Αστυνόμευση (Smart Policing)» είναι η χρήση και εφαρμογή σύγχρονων τεχνολογιών - έξυπνων φορητών συσκευών- από τους αστυνομικούς, οι οποίες θα χρησιμεύσουν στην εξακρίβωση προσώπων, οχημάτων και αντικειμένων σε πραγματικό χρόνο. Ειδικά στην περίπτωσης πολιτών που δεν φέρουν έγγραφα προσδιορισμού ταυτότητας, ο έλεγχος θα δύναται να διαρκεί μόλις μερικά δευτερόλεπτα από μερικές ώρες που μπορεί να διαρκέσει σήμερα. Παράλληλα η λειτουργία ενός ενιαίου περιβάλλοντος αναζητήσεων θα διασφαλίσει την ταχύτερη και ακριβέστερη ολοκλήρωση της διαδικασίας ελέγχου ενός προσώπου ή οχήματος ή αντικειμένου

Κύριες δραστηριότητες / στοιχεία του έργου: προμήθεια σύγχρονων φορητών ηλεκτρονικών συσκευών τύπου "Smart Phone", οι οποίες μέσω μίας ενιαίας εφαρμογής/διεπαφής αναζητήσεων στις υφιστάμε-

νες βάσεις δεδομένων (Εθνικές και Ευρωπαϊκές) και της λήψης βιομετρικών χαρακτηριστικών (μέσω της μεθόδου σάρωσης), αριθμών πινακίδας κυκλοφορίας και στοιχείων εγγράφων θα επιτυγχάνουν τη γρήγορη και ασφαλή αναζήτηση και ταυτοποίηση οχημάτων, προσώπων και αντικειμένων.

Αναμενόμενα αποτελέσματα: βελτίωση της ασφάλειας των αστυνομικών, αποφυγή άσκοπης ταλαιπωρίας των πολιτών και εξοικονόμηση ανθρωπίνων και υλικών πόρων, καθώς και χρόνου εργασίας. Θα αξιοποιηθούν νέες τεχνολογίες, θα υιοθετηθούν αποτελεσματικότερα μοντέλα διοίκησης, καθώς και θα αναπτυχθεί ο κεντρικός εξοπλισμός της Ελληνικής Αστυνομίας, βελτιώνοντας τις παρεχόμενες Υπηρεσίες της.

Παράλληλα, προωθείται η αποτελεσματική αστυνόμευση μέσω της ακριβέστερης και ταχύτερης συλλογής στοιχείων (ασφαλή ταυτοποίηση πολιτών και οχημάτων), ιδιαίτερα σε περιπτώσεις τακτικών και μαζικών ελέγχων. Συμπληρωματικά, η εν λόγω δράση, θα συμβάλλει ουσιαστικά στην πρόληψη - εντοπισμό και καταστολή σοβαρών, επικίνδυνων και οργανωμένων μορφών εγκληματικότητας, καθώς θα επιτυγχάνεται αμεσότερη ανίχνευση και αναγνώριση ύποπτων οχημάτων, ατόμων ή αντικειμένων που εμπλέκονται σε υποθέσεις τρομοκρατίας, εμπορίας ανθρώπων, παράνομης διακίνησης ναρκωτικών ουσιών, παράνομης μετανάστευσης κ.ά.

Τι κάνει αυτό τη δράση ιδιαίτερα ενδιαφέρουσα: Η προμήθεια και χρήση έξυπνων συσκευών και η ενιαία εφαρμογή αναζητήσεων στις υφιστάμενες βάσεις δεδομένων, αποτελούν πρωτοπόρα βήματα στον τομέα της τεχνολογίας για την Ελληνική Αστυνομία, καθώς παρέχεται η δυνατότητα γρήγορων και ασφαλών αναζητήσεων με σκοπό την ταυτοποίηση προσώπων, οχημάτων ή αντικειμένων.

Επιπρόσθετα, για πρώτη φορά θα παρέχεται η δυνατότητα σε κάθε επιχειρησιακή μονάδα να πραγματοποιεί αναζητήσεις με τη λήψη φωτογραφιών και δακτυλικού αποτυπώματος, στο σημείο του ελέγχου, για τον ανωτέρω σκοπό, της άμεσης ταυτοποίησης, στην εξαιρετική περίπτωση που ο ελεγχόμενος στερείται προσδιοριστικών της ταυτότητάς του στοιχείων.

ISF Police project: System supply for smart policing (GR/2017/5008889)

Key challenge project seeks to address.

- Combat Organised Crime by the Hellenic Police through more direct identification of suspect vehicles and people involved in the illicit trafficking of persons and/or materials.
- Achieve greater speed of checks.
- Enhance citizens' security by giving them a sense of trust in the Hellenic Police.
- Reinforce the security of police officers.
- Strengthen preventive policing.

Objectives. The objective of smart policing is for police officers to use and apply modern technologies — smart portable devices — to identify persons, vehicles and objects in real time. Particularly in the case of citizens who do not have identification documents, the check could take just a few seconds instead of the several hours that it can last today. At the same time, the operation of a single search environment will ensure faster and more accurate completion of the process for checking a person, vehicle or object.

Main activities/components of the project. Supplying modern smartphones, which, through a single application/search interface connected to existing databases (national and European), biometric data (through scanning), driving licences, number plates and documents, will achieve quick and safe searching and identification of vehicles, persons and objects.

Expected results. It is expected that the project will improve police security, prevent unnecessary suffering for citizens and save human and material resources and working time. New technologies will be exploited, more efficient management models will be adopted and the central equipment of the Hellenic Police will be developed, improving the services provided.

At the same time, effective policing will be promoted through more accurate and faster data collection (secure identification of citizens and vehicles), particularly in cases of regular and mass checks. In addition, this project will contribute substantially to the prevention, detection and repression of serious, dangerous and organised crime, with more direct detection and identification of suspect vehicles, persons

Project beneficiary: Ministry of Interior/Hellenic Police Headquarters/Traffic Police Division.

Project duration: 45.65 months (1.9.2017-20.6.2021).

Total estimated cost of the project (EUR):
4 500 000.00:

- EU contribution: 3 375 000.00;
- national co-financing: 1 125 000.00.

or objects involved in terrorism, trafficking in human beings, illicit trafficking in narcotic drugs, illegal immigration and others.

What makes this project particularly interesting.

The provision and use of smart devices and the application of searches in existing databases are leading technological advances for the Hellenic Police, as they provide the capability for fast and secure searches for the purpose of identifying persons, vehicles or objects.

Additionally, for the first time, in cases where the auditees have no ID, each police unit will be able to perform checks by taking photographs and fingerprints at the checkpoint for the purpose of direct identification.

For more information see the website:
<http://www.mopocp.gov.gr>



ISF Rendőrség Program: Közép-európai CBRN-E Kiképző Központ létrehozása (HU/2016/PR/0012)

A projekt célja vegyi-, biológiai-, radioaktív-, sugárzó- és robbanóanyagokkal (CBRN-E) kapcsolatosan a nemzetközi oktatási tevékenységet koordináló és megvalósító központ kialakítása.

Főbb tevékenységek: építés-beruházás (épület-felújítás, szimulációs tér-gyakorlótér kialakítása, technikai támogató konténer beszerzése), a központ felszereléséhez kapcsolódó bútor-, technikai, műszaki eszközök beszerzése.

A projekt közvetlen célcsoportja az oktatási központ képzéseiben résztvevő hazai- és nemzetközi CBRN-E szakterületen dolgozó szakemberek.

A projekt teljes mértékben illeszkedik a BBA Nemzeti Programjában tervezett célok eléréséhez, mivel nagyértékben hozzájárul a CBRN-E területen hazai és nemzetközi szinten is jelentkező képzési igényekhez szükséges infrastruktúrális feltételek kielégítéséhez.



ISF Police project: Establishment of the Central European CBRN-E Training Centre (HU/2016/PR/0012)

Project beneficiary: Rapid Response and Special Police Service.

Project duration: 1.3.2016-31.12.2017.

Total cost of the project (EUR): 1 585 762,59:

- EU contribution: 1 189 321,94;
- national co-financing: 396 440,65.

For more information see the websites:

<http://belugyalapok.hu/alapok/belso-biztonsagi-alap>

http://belugyalapok.hu/alapok/nemzeti_program/17

The aim of the project is the establishment of the Central European CBRN-E Training Centre to coordinate and perform international educational activities.

Main activities. Construction works (building renovation, designing a space-training simulation area, obtaining a technical-support container), procurement of furniture and technical equipment.

The main target group is professionals in the field of CBRN-E attending the courses, education staff and professionals responsible for performing CBRN-E duties.

The project is fully in line with the objectives of ISF Police cooperation, as it greatly contributes to creating the infrastructural background necessary to satisfy the training needs of CBRN professionals internationally.



ISF Police project: FIND — Fixed Interpol Network Database

Interpol offers an integrated solution named FIND (Fixed Interpol Network Database) for linked member countries to access Interpol's global databases, especially the Stolen and Lost Travel Documents (SLTD) database, with speed and accuracy. SLTD aims to detect and prevent the use of fraudulent travel documents by terrorists and criminals for their

international travel and identity concealment. With FIND, national law enforcement authorities have the capacity to perform systematic and thorough searches of all passports, vehicles or persons at any particular place, and especially at border crossings on land and other points of international entry (seaports and airports).



ISF Police project: FIND — Fixed Interpol Network Database

FIND went live at Dublin Airport on 30 November 2016. The objectives of the project have all been met in full. This project has brought Ireland up to date with the majority of Member States, which were already using the FIND system.

For more information see the website:
<http://www.garda.ie>

Project beneficiary: An Garda Síochána.

Other partners: Interpol, INIS.

Project duration: 5.9.2016-30.11.2016.

Total cost of the project (EUR): 176 019:

- EU contribution: 160 000;
- national co-financing: 16 019.



ISF Polizia Progetto: Progetto SINC3 (Sistema informativo Nazionale di Contrasto Cyber Crime) Dal CNAIPIC al Sistema Nazionale Anticrimine Informatico (IT/2017/PR/23)

Nel 2016 il CNAIPIC ha registrato 582 attacchi alle infrastrutture critiche, diramato 1.851 alert, effettuato 57 indagini e ricevuto dalle istituzioni pubbliche e gli operatori private 101 richieste di assistenza mediante la rete High Tech Crime 24/7 del G7.

Sulla base della Direttiva 2016/1148 dell'UE che richiede di innalzare il livello di cyber security dei fornitori di servizi essenziali tra cui ricadono le PMI e le PAL, si rende necessaria l'implementazione di un Sistema Nazionale anticrimine informatico. Gli Obiettivi del progetto sono:

- attuare misure preventive grazie alla creazione di una piattaforma centralizzata SINC3 e di un sistema nazionale per trasmettere in tempo reale le informazioni tecniche ricavate dall'attività operativa del CNAIPIC e dei NOSC;
- intervenire presso le realtà colpite da attacchi informatici fornendo una compiuta analisi degli incidenti, creare dei Nuclei Operativi Sicurezza Cibernetica (NOSC) ed infine attivare i partenariati per favorire l'infosharing



ISF Police project: Project SINC3 (Cyber Crime Contrast Information System) — from Cnaipic to the national IT anti-crime system (IT/2017/PR/23)



In 2016 Cnaipic registered 582 attacks on critical infrastructure, branched 1 851 alerts, carried out 57 surveys and received 101 requests for assistance from public institutions and private operators through the G7 high tech crime 24/7 network.

On the basis of EU Directive 2016/1148, which calls for an increase in the level of cybersecurity of essential service providers, including SMEs and public administrations, it is necessary to implement a national cybercrime system. The objectives of the project are:

- to implement preventive measures by creating a centralised SINC3 platform and a national system to transmit in real time the technical information obtained from Cnaipic and NOSC operational activities;

- to intervene in the realities affected by computer attacks by providing a thorough analysis of the incidents, to create cybernetic security operational nuclear (NOSC) nuclei and to initiate partnerships to promote information sharing.

For more information see the website:
<https://fondosicurezzainterna.interno.gov.it/it>

Project beneficiary: Direzione Centrale per la Polizia Stradale, ferroviaria, delle comunicazioni e per i reparti speciali della Polizia di Stato — Servizio Polizia Postale e delle Comunicazioni — CNAIPIC.

Project duration: 7.2017-10.2020 (40 months).

Total cost of the project (EUR): 3 638 950.00:

- EU contribution: 1 819 475.00;
- national co-financing: 1 819 475.00.

ISF Police Project: VUGD CBRNE un cilvēku izraisīto katastrofu glābšanas darbu kapacitātes stiprināšana (LV/2016/PR/0009)



Projekta mērķis: uzlabot Valsts ugunsdzēsības un glābšanas dienesta

(turpmāk – VUGD) reaģēšanas spējas CBRNE apdraudējumu un cilvēku izraisīto katastrofu glābšanas darbu gadījumā.

Mērķis tiks sasniegts nodrošinot VUGD ar atbilstošu tehniku un aprīkojumu un uzlabojot darba drošību.

Projektā tiks sasniegti sekojoši rezultāti: ugunsdzēsēji glābēji tiks nodrošināti ar nepieciešamo tehniku un aprīkojumu, lai mazinātu CBRNE negadījumu sekas.

Lai sasniegtu projekta mērķi un rezultātus VUGD iegādāsies sekojošu CBRNE tehniku un aprīkojumu: 6 ķīmijas automobiļus, 5 glābšanas automobiļus un 4 konteinertipa piekabes ar aprīkojumu.

ISF Police Project: SFRS CBRNE and man-made disaster rescue service capacity building (LV/2016/PR/0009)



Project beneficiary: State Fire and Rescue Service of Latvia

Project duration: 10.10.2016 – 31.08.2018.

Total cost of the project (EUR): 5 948 598 :

- EU contribution: 4 461 448 ;
- national co-financing: 1 487 150 .

For more information see the website:
[http://www.iem.gov.lv/files/text/C_2015_9377_1_ANNEX_EN_V1_P1_833934\(2\).pdf](http://www.iem.gov.lv/files/text/C_2015_9377_1_ANNEX_EN_V1_P1_833934(2).pdf)

logical, radiological, nuclear and explosive (hereafter – CBRNE) substances.

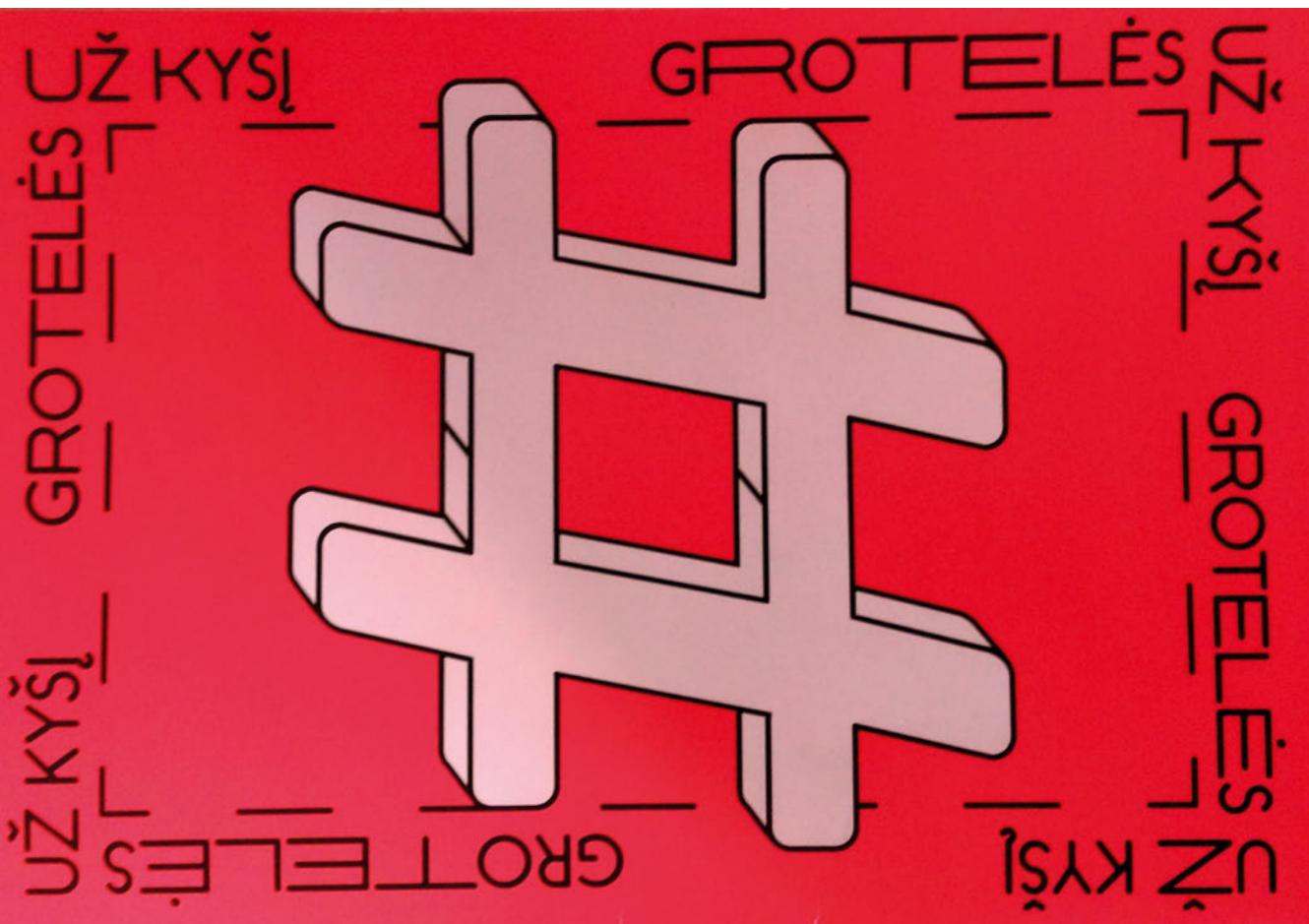
This goal will be achieved by providing SFRS with appropriate technical equipment at least at a minimum level and improving occupational safety.

The following results will be achieved – first responders provided with equipment for elimination of consequences of CBRNE accidents.

Project aim is to enhance risk reduction and disaster management by improving State Fire and Rescue Service of Latvia (hereafter – SFRS) capacity and capabilities in case of technological disasters and accidents involving chemical, bio-

In order to achieve the goal and results SFRS will purchase the following CBRNE equipment: 6 chemical trucks with equipment, 5 rescue trucks with equipment and 4 containers on trailers with equipment.

ISF Policija Projektas: Priemonės, skirtos antikorupciniam švietimui (LT/2016/PR/5143)



Projekto tikslas – antikorupcinių švietimo priemonių sukūrimas, siekiant platesnio visuomenės, ypač vaikų, informavimo apie korupciją, antikorupcinių nuostatų ugdymo, sąmoningumo ir netolerancijos korupcijai skatinimo bei patogių galimybių pranešti apie korupciją sudarymo.

[gyvendintos visos projekto veiklos:

- 1) Sukurta nemokama mobilioji aplikacija „Pranešk STT“ išmaniesiems telefonams, kuri suteikia galimybę, pasitelkiant išmaniąsias

technologijas, lengviau ir greičiau pranešti apie žinomus korupcijos atvejus STT – pagrindinei institucijai kovai su korupcija.

- 2) Vykdamas vaikų antikorupcinį švietimą, išleista edukacinė antikorupcinė komiksų knygelė.
- 3) Sukurti 5 edukaciniai antikorupciniai filmukai.

[gyvendinus projektą visuomenė įgavo galimybę operatyviau pranešti apie jiems žinomus korupcijos atvejus, o moksleiviai patraukliomis priemonėmis supažindinami su informacija apie korupciją, kokią ji daro žalą ir kodėl svarbu netoleruoti korupcijos.

ISF Police project: Tools for anti-corruption education (LT/2016/PR/5143)

Project objective. Anti-corruption measures in public education, especially of young people; information about corruption; corruption prevention; raising awareness on and intolerance of corruption and promoting convenient ways to report it.

Implemented by all project activities:

- the 'Report STT' free mobile application for smartphones was created, which helps report corruption cases quickly and easily to the Special Investigation Service (STT), the main

institution involved in the fight against corruption;

- an anti-corruption education comic book for children was released within the context of anti-corruption education;
- five anti-corruption education cartoons for children were created.

This project enables people to report corruption cases immediately and increases the anti-corruption awareness effect and intolerance of corruption among children and young people.

Project beneficiary:

Special Investigation Service of the Republic of Lithuania.

Project duration:

3.1.2016-28.2.2017.

Total cost of the project (EUR):

26 513.52:

- EU contribution: 19 885.14;
- national co-financing: 6 628.38.

For more information see the websites:

<http://vrm.lrv.lt/lt/naudinga-informacija/es-parama-vida-us-reikalu-sriciai-2014-2020-m>

https://www.cpva.lt/lt/veikla/paramos-administravimas/vida-us-saugumo-fondas-re5d/dokumentai_471.html



ISF Police Projet: Mise en oeuvre du plan d'action CBRN (LU/2016/PR/0003)

La finalité du projet est de préparer la Police Grand-Ducale en concertation avec les autres acteurs comme les services de secours aussi bien matériellement qu'opérationnellement à tous les risques et menaces d'origine CBRN, qu'ils soient de cause accidentelle ou émanent d'un acte malveillant. Le projet se décline en 5 phases :

Phase 1 : Une analyse détaillée de toutes les missions à remplir par la Police Grand-Ducale en cas d'un incident CBRN

Phase 2 : Afin de se préparer à ces nombreux défis, une doctrine complète CBRN a été éla-

borée qui se présente sous forme de deux documents: Un guide opérationnel d'interaction CBRN et Des fiches tactiques par mission

Phase 3 : Élaboration d'un cahier des charges d'investissement CBRN.

Phase 4 : Acquisition du matériel CBRN sur base du cahier des charges d'investissement CBRN.

Phase 5 : L'organisation de la formation et des exercices au sein de la Police Grand-Ducale et en collaboration avec les autres administrations étatiques concernées.



ISF Police project: Implementation of the CBRN action plan (LU/2016/PR/0003)

The main focus of the project is to prepare the Grand-Ducal Police, in collaboration with the other actors involved such as the rescue services, on an operational and material level, for any possible CBRN risk or threat resulting from either an accident or malicious intent. The project has five phases:

- **phase 1:** a detailed analysis of all tasks to be carried out by the Grand-Ducal Police in case of a CBRN incident;
- **phase 2:** in order to guarantee adequate preparation, a complete theory has been established that is presented in two documents: an operational guide to CBRN interaction and a tactical file for each mission;
- **phase 3:** the drafting of specifications for CBRN investment;
- **phase 4:** the acquisition of CBRN material based on the specifications for CBRN investment;

- **phase 5:** the organisation of training courses and exercises.

Project beneficiary: Police Grand-Ducale.

Other partners: Administration des Services de secours, Haut Commissariat à la Protection Nationale, l'Armée luxembourgeoise, Ministère de la Santé - Direction de la Santé - Division de la Radioprotection

Project duration: 1.2015-12.2020.

Total estimated cost of the project (EUR):
6 500 000:

- EU contribution: 1 000 000;
- national co-financing: 5 500 000.

For more information see the websites:

<http://www.police.public.lu/fr/support/recherche/index.php?q=ISF&go.x=0&go.y=0>

<http://www.fonds-europeens.public.lu/fr/fonds-europeens/isf/index.html>



ISF Police Proġett: Provvista ta' vettura EOD/IEDD ta' rispons b'emissjoni baxxa, flimkien ma' robot u tagħmir anċillari (MT/2015/ISF/1.03)



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Avvenimenti internazzjonali wrew li t-terroriżmu/organizzazzjonijiet kriminali żviluppaw kapaċitajiet avvanzati fil-qasam tal-Apparat Splussiv Improvviżat. Bosta incidenti wrew il-htieġa għal kapaċitajiet effettivi aħjar għal kontra l-Apparat li qed jintuza. L-għażla l-aktar xierqa u fattibbli biex jilqgħu dawn l-iżviluppi huwa permezz ta' tagħmir ta' rispons modernizzat imħaddem mill-EOD Platoon.

Għalhekk, l-attivitajiet ewlenini ta' dan il-proġett jinkludu is-segwenti: Vettura EOD b'emissjoni baxxa u b'reazzjoni mgħaġġa;

Tagħmir EOD speċjalizzat bħal per eżempju lbiesi protettivi għal kontra l-isplussiv, għodod EOD speċjalizzati u tagħmir ta' tfittxija; Robot EOD speċjalizzat li huwa kapaċi jitratta splussiv b'mod remot; Tieni Robot EOD speċjalizzat; u Taħriġ speċjalizzat għat-thaddim tat-tagħmir.

Il-vettura EOD flimkien mal-EOD robots huma kkunsidrati bħala assi vitali fit-tħaddim tat-tfittxijiet ta' sigurtà tal-infurzar tal-liġi, operazzjonijiet għal kontra t-terroriżmu u operazzjonijiet ta' sigurtà oħra f'Malta.

ISF Police project: Supply of an EOD/IEDD low-emission response vehicle complete with robot and ancillary equipment (MT/2015/ISF/1.03)

Project beneficiary: Armed Forces of Malta (AFM).

Project duration: 06.2014-02.2018.

Total estimated cost of the project (EUR):
1 815 496:

- EU contribution: 1 361 621.79 (75 %);
- national co-financing: 453 873.93 (25 %).

For more information refer to the RA or AFM website:

<https://eufunds.gov.mt>

<http://www.afm.gov.mt>

International events have shown that terrorist/criminal organisations have developed advanced capabilities in the field of improvised explosive devices (IEDs). Countless incidents have demonstrated the need for effective counter-IED capabilities. The most appropriate

and feasible option to counter such developments is to equip the explosive ordnance disposal (EOD) platoon with modern response equipment.

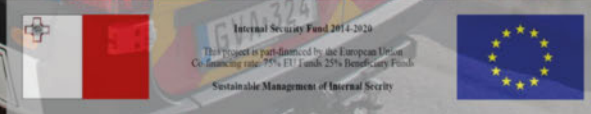
Thus, the main activities of this project comprise the following: a low-emission quick-response EOD vehicle; EOD/IEDD specialised equipment such as bomb suits, EOD specialist tools and search equipment; an specialised EOD/IEDD robot capable of conducting remote explosives disposal; a secondary/back-up specialised EOD/IEDD robot; specialised training for the operation of the equipment.

The EOD response vehicle, EOD robots and EOD equipment will be considered vital assets in the conduct of law enforcement security searches, counterterrorism and other security operations in Malta.



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ISF Politie Project: Internationale table top VITEX (NL/2015/PR/ISFP1)

Het doel van VITEX 2016 was de samenwerking op het gebied van de vitale infrastructuur te bevorderen. Voor de oefening is een vernieuwend publiek-privaat oefenconcept ontwikkeld voor deelnemers afkomstig van verschillende disciplines en uit verschillende Europese lidstaten (22).

Tijdens VITEX werd er geoefend op basis van een vernieuwend oefenconcept, gebaseerd op scenariodiscussies. Dit hield in dat deelnemers met elkaar in gesprek gingen over mogelijke maatregelen indien de totale stroomproductie in Europa sterk zou afnemen. Het scenario richtte zich op verschillende niveaus van

samenwerking – nationaal, internationaal en publiek-privaat.

De oefening creëerde een platform waar publieke en private spelers de mogelijkheden van nationale en internationale samenwerking konden verkennen. Deelnemers waren overheidsspecialisten en vertegenwoordigers van landelijke (stroom) netbeheerders – internationaal bekend onder de naam Transport System Operators (TSO's).

Als onderdeel van het project is een handboek opgesteld, waarin stap voor stap staat beschreven hoe een dergelijke bijeenkomst georganiseerd kan worden.



ISF Police project: International table-top VITEX (NL/2015/PR/2015ISFP1)



Project beneficiary: NCTV.

Project duration: 1.3.2015-30.9.2016.

Total estimated cost of the project (EUR):
494 408:

- EU contribution: 444 967;
- national co-financing: 49 441.

VITEX 2016 was developed to bring the public and private dimensions of critical infrastructure protection together at both the national and the international level, and aimed to provide an intensive and innovative learning experience for participants from various disciplines and Member States (22).

For more information see the website:
<https://www.agentschapzsw.nl/subsidies-en-regelingen/e/europese-migratie--en-veiligheidsfondsen--algemene-informatie>

The exercise focused on group discussions in alternating group compositions, within the context of a scenario with a rapidly growing impact. The scenario concerned the need for rotating planned blackouts due to an extremely dry period in Europe. The exercise scenario focused on various levels of cooperation — national, international and public-private.

The exercise created a platform where public and private actors could interact and explore the whole range of national and international cooperation. Participants included representatives of transport system operators and government representatives (critical infrastructure protection, energy policy and crisis management policymakers).

An important product from the project is a hands-on manual on how to organise a VITEX-style exercise on almost any scale.

Komponent policyjny. Budowa centralnego systemu informacji o plikach związanych z działalnością przestępczą. PL/2017/PR/0008

Celem projektu jest budowa zintegrowanego, centralnego systemu informacji o plikach związanych z działalnością przestępczą do gromadzenia w specjalnej bazie haszy plików o treści kryminalnej. Baza zostanie wykorzystana w codziennej analizie i pozwoli na natychmiastową identyfikację cyfrowych treści przestępczych, które znajdują się już w bazie. Wpłynie to na znaczące skrócenie czasu pracy analityków śledczych przy jednoczesnym wielokrotnym wzroście ich skuteczności. System pozwoli także na przełamywanie zabezpieczeń kryptograficznych (opartych na haszach). Projekt zdecydowanie przyczyni się do skuteczniejszego ścigania przestępców, zwłaszcza w przypadku pedofilii, gdyż budowana baza haszy będzie mogła zostać udostępniona innym krajom członkowskim oraz Europolowi. Obecnie niektóre kraje członkowskie UE już takie bazy posiadają, więc wzajemna wymiana rekordów przyczyni się do zwiększenia zasobów istniejących baz i skrócenia czasu analiz nośników cyfrowych.

Zbieranie informacji o plikach związanych z działalnością przestępczą jest aktualnie warunkiem koniecznym do skutecznej współpracy pomiędzy organami ścigania krajów członkowskich i pozwoli nie tylko na wspomniane skrócenie czasu analizy zawartości nośników cyfrowych, ale być może także na skuteczniejsze zwalczanie przestępstw o charakterze międzynarodowym – np. oznaczony plik z działalności grupy przestępczej w Polsce może być przydatny dla identyfikacji działania tej grupy poza granicami, np. na terenie Niemiec, Rumunii itd.

Należy także podkreślić, że zwiększona aktywność organów ścigania krajów członkowskich wpływa znacząco na działalność Europolu, którego jednym z celów jest próba łączenia rozwiązań i metod stosowanych przez kraje członkowskie i udostępnianie ich dalej.



ISF Police component. A development of the central information system containing files related to criminal activities. PL/2017/PR/0008

Project beneficiary:

National Revenue Administration
(Ministry of Finance).

Project duration:

1.4.2017-31.3.2019.

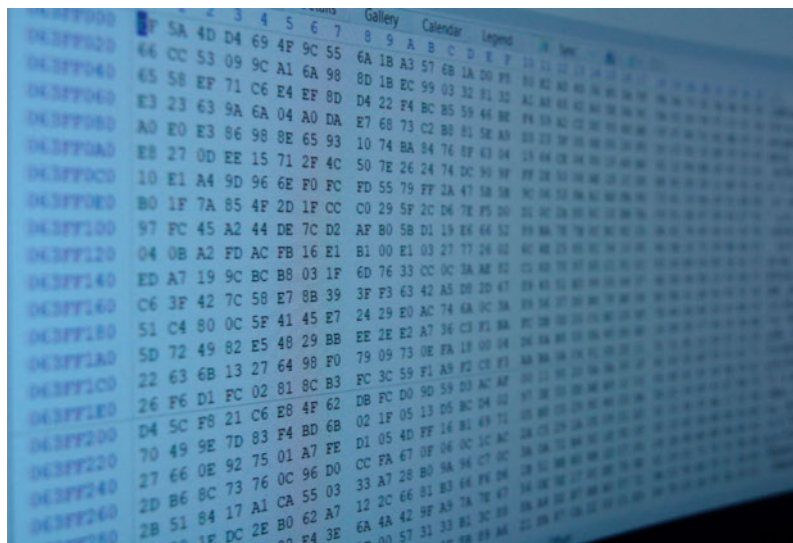
Total estimated cost of the project (EUR):

989 654.67:

- EU contribution:
742 241;
- national co-financing:
247 413.67.

For more information
see the website:

<http://www.fundusze.mswai.gov.pl>

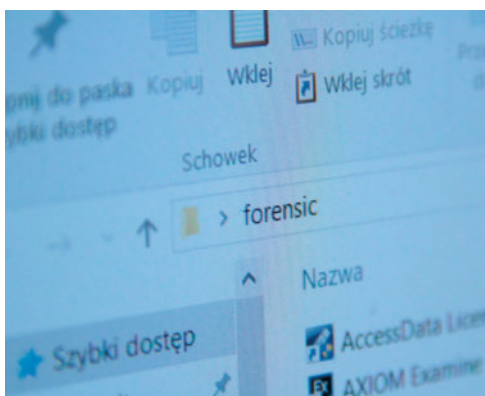


The aim of the project is to build an integrated, central information system containing files related to criminal activities in order to collect intertwined hash files in a special database comprising criminal contents. The database will be used for day-to-day analysis and will enable immediate access to digital criminal contents already present in the database. This will have an impact on significant reduction of work time of crime analysts while increasing their effectiveness by several times. The system will allow to break down cryptographic protection (based on hashes). The project will definitely contribute to more effective prosecution of criminals, especially in the case of pedophile, as

the built hash database could be made available to other EU Member States and Europol. Currently, some of the EU Member States are already in the possession of this database, therefore the mutual exchange of records will increase the capabilities of currently existing databases and will decrease the time for digital media analysis.

The collection of information about hash files linked with criminal activities is actually a sine qua non for effective cooperation with the EU Member States' law enforcement authorities which allow not only for the aforementioned reduction of time needed to analyse the content of digital media, but also, possibly, for more effective international crime combating. For instance, a marked file regarding the activity of an organized crime group in Poland may be useful for the identification of an activity of this group outside its borders, e.g. in Germany or Romania, etc.

It is worth mentioning also that an increased activity of the EU Member States' law enforcement authorities has a significant impact on the activity of Europol, which one of the aims is to try to link solutions and methods applied by EU Member States to make them available further.



ISF Pólice Project: Investigação e Prevenção Criminal Nacional (DIC1) (PT/2016/PR/0071)

Problema: A sofisticação que apresentam os grupos criminais organizados, em meios materiais, organizacionais e tecnológicos só pode ser

superada com meios de igual dimensão, que possam habilitar a Polícia a reagir e investigar este tipo de criminalidade.



Objetivos: Consolidação da qualidade da investigação criminal como ação policial de relevo para o sistema de justiça; aumento da capacidade de investigação de certos tipos criminais que implicam com o sentimento de justiça e segurança da comunidade; aumento da prevenção criminal por via indireta da repressão criminal; minimização da taxa de inoperacionalidade dos recursos materiais disponíveis; concretização uma verdadeira prevenção geral e especial.

Atividades: Aquisição de viaturas de investigação criminal; aquisição de equipamento técnico.

Resultados: A aquisição de viaturas próprias e dos equipamentos visa contribuir para a prevenção geral e especial no que tange à atividade criminosa.

ISF Police project: National crime prevention and investigation (DIC1) (PT/2016/PR/0071)

Project beneficiary: Polícia de Segurança Pública.

Project duration: 1.1.2015-30.11.2018.

Total estimated cost of the project (EUR):
1 337 194.14:

- EU contribution: 1 002 895.61;
- national co-financing: 334 298.53.

Challenge. The sophistication of organised criminal groups in relation to materials, organisation and technology can only be overcome by means of an equal dimension that can enable the police to react to and investigate this type of crime.

Objectives. Consolidate the quality of criminal investigation as an important police action for the justice system; increase the capacity to

investigate certain types of crime that imply the sense of justice and security of the community; increase criminal prevention by indirect means of criminal repression; minimise the rate of inoperability of available material resources; genuine and special prevention.

Activities. Acquire criminal investigation vehicles; acquire technical equipment.

Results. The acquisition of own vehicles and equipment is intended to contribute to general and special prevention regarding criminal activity.

For more information see the website:
<http://www.sg.mai.gov.pt>



FSI Cooperare Polițienească: Întărirea capacității Poliției Române în lupta împotriva traficului de droguri (RO/2016/PR/0010)



Obiectiv general - Dezvoltarea și implementarea instrumentelor referitoare la prevenirea și combaterea traficului de droguri, precursori și substanțe chimice esențiale și eficientizarea activităților de investigare a faptelor din sfera traficului de droguri prin creșterea capacității operaționale a structurilor de luptă împotriva traficului de droguri.

Obiectivul specific - Reducerea disponibilității drogurilor pe piață, a precursorilor și a substanțelor cu efect psihoactive.

Activități principale ale proiectului:

- Achiziționarea a 120 de autoturisme de serviciu

- Achiziționarea a trei aparate Gaz cromatograf și materiale de referință

Rezultate așteptate:

- Îmbunătățirea capacităților investigative ale poliției prin achiziționarea de autoturisme care să corespundă nevoilor informativ-operative
- Prevenirea și lupta împotriva traficului de droguri prin achiziționarea de echipamente de laborator

Particularități ale proiectului: Prin achizițiile ce se vor realiza în cadrul proiectului se va îmbunătăți capacitatea investigativă a polițiștilor din grupul țintă pentru a face față noilor amenințări referitoare la traficul de droguri

ISF Police project: Strengthening the capacity of the Romanian police in the fight against drug trafficking (RO/2016/PR/0010)

Project beneficiary: General Inspectorate of Romanian Police.

Project duration: 10.8.2016-10.8.2019.

Total estimated cost of the project (EUR):
2 190 000:

- EU contribution: 1 971 000;
- national co-financing: 219 000.

General objective. Develop and implement tools related to the prevention of and fight against drug trafficking, precursors and chemical substances and increase the efficiency of the investigation of drug-trafficking activities by increasing the operational capacity of the structures for fighting drug trafficking.

Specific objective. Reducing the availability of drugs, precursors and psychoactive substances on the market.

Main activities of the project. Purchasing 120 service cars; purchasing three gas chromatograph devices and reference materials.

Expected results. Improved police investigative capabilities by purchasing cars that meet informative and operational needs; preventing and combating drug trafficking by acquiring laboratory equipment.

Particularities of the project. Through the acquisitions within the project, the investigative capacity of the target group's police officers will be improved in order to deal with new threats related to drug trafficking.

For more information see the website:
<https://politiaromana.ro>



ISF Polícia Projekt: Zavedenie ISO štandardov pre forenzné inštitúcie a zriadenie laboratória na analýzu DNA (SK/2016/PR/0004)

Key challenge project seeks to address: Automatizácia analyzačného procesu DNA vzoriek

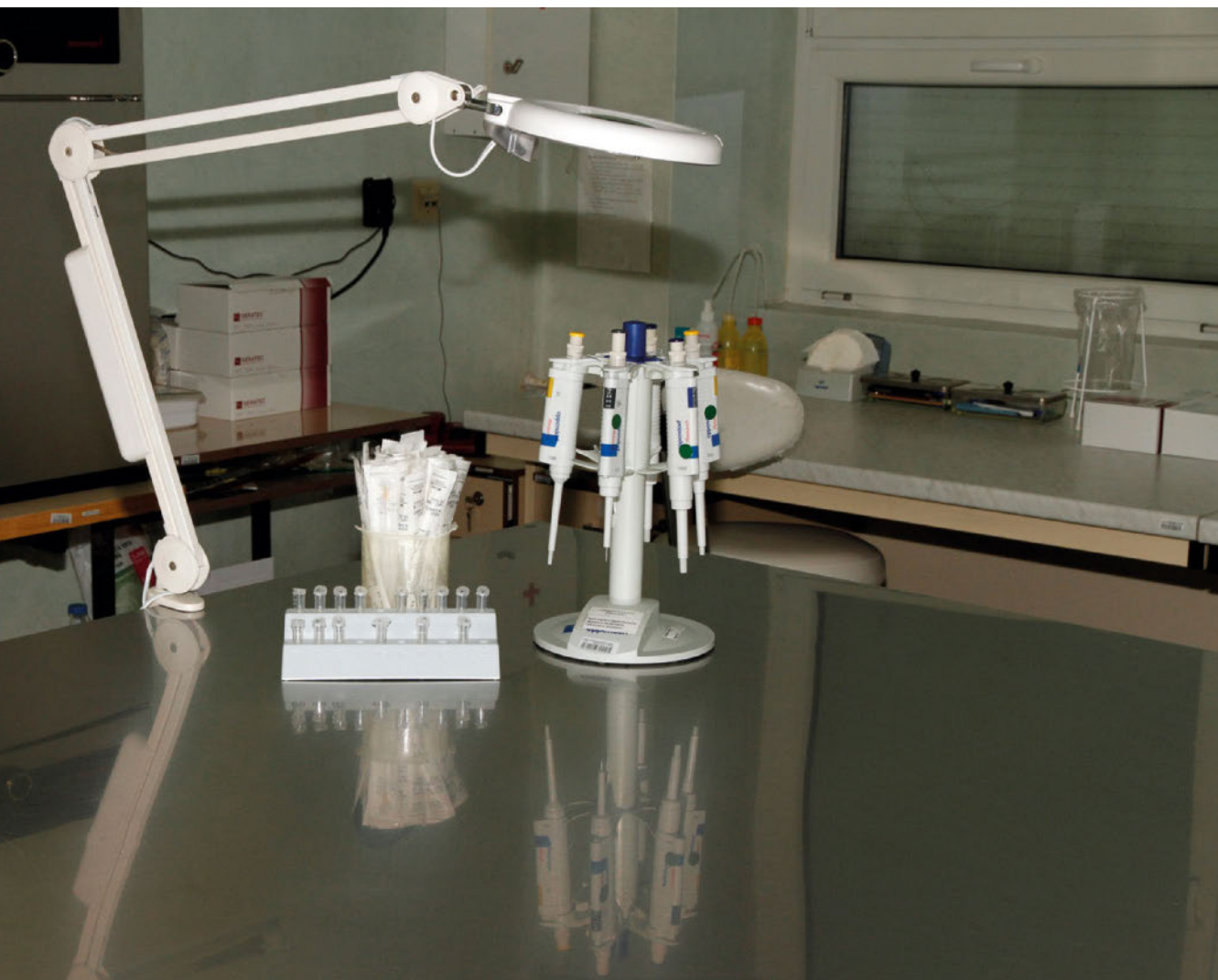
Objectives: Zvýšenie efektivity medzinárodnej výmeny DNA profilov zabezpečením technického vybavenia pre automatizovaný výkon analýzy DNA a zavedenie ISO štandardov v súlade s medzinárodnou normou ISO 17025 pre laboratórium na analýzu DNA

Main activities/components of the project: zriadenie laboratória na automatizovanú analýzu DNA, zvýšenie odbornej spôsobilosti pracovní-

kov v oblasti automatizovaného spracovania a analýzy vzoriek DNA, zavedenie štandardov v súlade s normou ISO 17025

Expected Results: zriadené pracovisko na analýzu DNA, zvýšená odborná spôsobilosť pracovníkov laboratória, akreditovaná metóda na analýzu DNA

What makes this project particularly interesting?: Zvýšená efektivita medzinárodnej výmeny DNA profilov a posilnenie kapacity laboratória



ISF Police project: Enhancing the institutional capacities of the DNA laboratory (SK/2016/PR/0004)

Project beneficiary: Institute of Forensic Science of the Police Forces.

Project duration: 6.2016-12.2018 (31 months).

Total estimated cost of the project (EUR): 480 000.00:

- EU contribution: 360 000.00;
- national co-financing: 120 000.00.

For more information see the website:
www.minv.sk

Key challenge project seeks to address. Automating the analytical process for DNA samples.

Objectives. Increasing the efficiency of the international exchange of DNA profiles through technical equipment for automated DNA analysis and

ISO standards in line with the ISO 17025 standard for DNA laboratories.

Main activities/components of the project.

Establishing a laboratory for automated DNA analysis; increasing the professional competence of staff in the field of automated sample processing and analysis; introducing standards in line with ISO 17025.

Expected results. An established laboratory for DNA analysis; increased professional competence of laboratory staff; an accredited method for DNA analysis.

What makes this project particularly interesting? Increased efficiency of the international exchange of DNA profiles and enhanced laboratory capacities.



ISF Policija Projekt: Nakup hidravličnega sistema za prisilno odpiranje protivlomnih vrat

Policija se občasno srečuje s primeri, ko se storilci kaznivih dejanj zabarikadirajo v objekte in posledično ovirajo policiste pri varovanju življenj in imetja. Zaradi takšnih stanj je nastala potreba po nakupu sistema za fizično prediranje ovir, ki omogoča vstop v objekte, kadar je izkazana višja stopnja nevarnosti.

S ciljem izbire in nakupa najustreznejšega hidravličnega sistema se je Specialna enota Policije povezala z mednarodnim združenjem

policijskih specialnih enot ATLAS, ki deluje pod okriljem EU, ter pridobila koristne informacije in praktične izkušnje.

Projekt je zanimiv iz več razlogov. Poleg samega izdelka nabave, ki je tehnološko dodelan, tehnično dovršen in učinkovit, predvsem pa enostaven za uporabo, je pomemben tudi z vidika nabavnega procesa, saj je pokazal sinergijske učinke, ki nastanejo pri povezovanju in skupnem delovanju sorodnih inštitucij znotraj EU.



ISF Police project: Acquisition of a hydraulic system for opening armoured doors

Occasionally, the Police is confronted with cases, where perpetrators of crime block up facilities and consequently hinder the Police in protecting lives and property. Due to such situations there is a need to purchase an appropriate system to pierce physical barriers to ensure entry into premises when a higher degree of danger occurs.

To select and purchase the most appropriate system, the Police anti-terrorist unit has been connected with the international ATLAS network of

Police special forces, which operates under the auspices of the EU, in order to obtain useful information and examine their practical experiences.

The project is interesting for several reasons. In addition to the product itself, which is technologically sophisticated, technically perfect, effective and simple to use, it is also significant in terms of the purchasing process, since it has demonstrated synergy effects arising in the connection and joint operation of similar institutions within the EU.

Project beneficiary:

Policija — GPU — UPS
— Specialna enota
(anti-terrorist unit).

Project duration:

15.1.2016-31.1.2016.

Total estimated cost of the project (EUR):

65 520.07:

- EU contribution:
49 140.05;
- national co-financing:
16 380.02.

For more
information see
the website:

<http://www.mniz.gov.si>



ISF Police Project: Sistema de Registro de Nombre de Pasajeros (PNR) (ES/2016/PR/67)



Una vez publicada la Directiva PNR (“Registro de Nombre de Pasajero”) 2016/681 de 27 de abril de 2016, los Estados Miembros tienen dos años para obligar a las aerolíneas a entregar a las autoridades nacionales los datos de los pasajeros de todos los vuelos llegados a la UE desde terceros países y viceversa para la prevención, detección, investigación y enjuiciamiento de delitos terroristas y otros delitos graves.

Objetivos: Una vez obtenidos los datos de las aerolíneas, el sistema coteja la información del PNR con bases de datos policiales (tales como BDSN –Base de Datos de Señalamientos Nacionales-, SIS –Sistema de Información Schengen-, SICOA –Sistema de Coordinación Antiterrorista-, APIS –Información Avanzada de Pasajeros-, etc.) generando alertas que permitan una mejora en la lucha contra el terrorismo y el crimen organizado.

Actividades: Adquisición de plataformas tecnológicas para la gestión de consultas gene-

radas por el sistema PNR a las bases de datos policiales. Adquisición de las licencias de sistema operativo necesarias para el correcto funcionamiento de los servidores que soportan el sistema PNR. Adquisición de firewall y balanceadores para garantizar la seguridad y la robustez del sistema. Contratación de un servicio que garantice el mantenimiento correctivo, preventivo y evolutivo del sistema SARP.

Resultados: Adquisición del equipamiento necesario para garantizar la seguridad de las comunicaciones aislándolas de cualquier otro sistema y garantizando las conexiones al exterior así como explotar las funcionalidades que faciliten el correcto funcionamiento del sistema PNR.

Valor añadido: Realización de consultas y generación automática de alertas, reduciendo en gran medida los esfuerzos que han de realizar los analistas de la Oficina Nacional de Información de Pasajeros por vía aérea para localizar posibles positivos.

ISF Police project: Passenger Name Record System (PNR) (ES/2016/PR/67)



Key challenge project seeks to address. Once the PNR ("Passenger Name Registration") Directive 2016/681 of 27 April 2016 has been published, Member States have two years to compel airlines to provide passenger data to national authorities of all the flights come to the EU from third countries and vice versa for the prevention, detection, investigation and prosecution of terrorist crimes and other serious crimes.

Objectives. Once the airline data is obtained, the system match the PNR information with police databases (such as BDSN - National Signal Data Database - SIS - Schengen Information System - SICOA - Antiterrorist Coordination System- , APIS - Advanced Information of Passengers, etc.) generating alerts that allow an improvement in the fight against terrorism and organized crime.

Main activities/components of the project.

Acquisition of technological platforms for the management of queries generated by the PNR system to the police databases. Acquisition of the operating system licenses necessary for the correct functioning of the servers that support the PNR system. Acquisition of firewall and load balancers to ensure the security and robustness of the system. Contracting a service for a corrective, preventive, and developmental IT maintenance of the PNR System.

Expected results. Acquisition of the necessary equipment to guarantee the security of the communications isolating them of any other system and guaranteeing the connections to the exterior as well as to exploit the functionalities that facilitate the correct operation of the PNR system.

Project beneficiary: SGSICS (Subdirección General de Sistemas de Información y Comunicaciones para la Seguridad).

Other partners: CITCO (Centro de Inteligencia Contra el Terrorismo y el Crimen Organizado)

Project (estimated) duration (start and end dates): January 2014 - December 2017.

Total estimated cost of the project (EUR): 3 988 417.80:

- EU contribution: 3 327 925.30;
- national co-financing: 660 492.50.

What makes this project particularly interesting?

Consultation and automatic generation of alerts, greatly reducing the efforts of analysts of the National Office of Passenger Information to find possible positives.

For more information see the website:
<http://www.interior.gob.es/es/web/servicios-al-ciudadano/fondos-de-la-union-europea>

ISF Polis Projekt: Nationell utbildning om brottsutbyte och penningtvätt



Projektet syftar till att höja kompetensnivån inom rättsväsendet kring brottsutbytesfrågor och det nya penningtvättsbrottet. Målet är ökad effektivitet i arbetet med att återföra brottsvinster från kriminella samt att försvåra för kriminella att behålla egendom från brott. Effektivitetsvinsterna innebär rent konkret att egendom från brott säkras under förundersökningen i större utsträckning än idag och att antalet förverkandeyrkanden och yrkanden om skadestånd i samband med åtal samt antalet åtal och fällande domar för penningtvättsbrott ökar.

Projektet består av tre utbildningsinsatser för åklagare och revisorer inom Åklagarmyndigheten och finansiella utredare inom Polismyndigheten:

1. Nationell utbildning om brottsutbytesarbetet
2. Utbildningskonferens om det nya penningtvättsbrottet
3. Utbildningsresa om terrorfinansiering och penningtvätt

Brottsutbyte och penningtvätt är prioriterade frågor inom rättsväsendet och enligt FATF finns förbättringspotential på dessa områden i Sverige.

ISF Police project: National training on asset recovery and money laundering

This project seeks to improve the knowledge and use of asset tracing and confiscation of the proceeds of crime and to increase the number of prosecutions and convictions for money-laundering offences in Sweden.

The activities in the project consist of three training programmes for prosecutors and forensic accountants from the prosecution authority and financial investigators from the Swedish police:

- a national training programme for all prosecutors in Sweden regarding asset recovery and confiscation of proceeds from crimes;
- a national conference regarding money laundering;
- a study visit to the Metropolitan Police in London to see how they work with investigations on terrorist financing and money laundering.

Project beneficiary: Swedish Prosecution Authority (Åklagarmyndigheten).

Other partners: Swedish Police (Polismyndigheten).

Project duration: 1.1.2017-12.31.2018.

Total estimated cost of the project (EUR): 149 086;

- EU contribution: 111 814;
- national co-financing: 37 272.

For more information see the website:

<https://polisen.se/Om-polisen/Internationell-verksamhet/Verksamhet-inom-EU/EU-fond>

Following the money and recovering the proceeds from crime is one of the most efficient ways of investigating crimes. Asset recovery and money laundering are both priority issues within law enforcement. FATF has also identified areas of improvement in these areas in Sweden.



Supporting European Union actions and cooperation on security

Internal Security Fund: Borders and Visas



http://ec.europa.eu/dgs/home-affairs/financing/index_en.htm

The Internal Security Fund (ISF) was set up for the 2014-2020 period, with a total of EUR 3.8 billion for the 7 years. The fund promotes the implementation of the internal security strategy, *law enforcement cooperation* and *the management of the EU's external borders*. The ISF is composed of two instruments: *ISF Borders and Visa* and *ISF Police*.

ACHIEVING THE KEY OBJECTIVES

The ISF Borders and Visa instrument's main objective is to contribute to ensuring a high level of security in the EU while facilitating legitimate travel. This fund has the following specific objectives.

- **Visas.** The effective processing of Schengen visas by supporting a *common visa policy* to facilitate legitimate travel to the EU, providing a high quality of service to visa applicants, ensuring equal treatment of non-EU nationals and tackling irregular migration.
- **Borders.** Achieving a uniform and high level of control of the external borders by supporting integrated border management, harmonising border management measures within the EU and sharing information among Member States, and between Member States and *Frontex*, to halt irregular migration and ensure the smooth crossing of the external borders.

For the 2014-2020 period EUR 2.76 billion is available for funding actions under the ISF Borders and Visa instrument, of which EUR 1.55 billion is channelled through shared management and EUR 1.06 through direct management. EUR 154 million is reserved for the special transit scheme (Lithuania).

Concrete actions funded include a wide range of initiatives such as setting up and running IT systems, acquiring operational equipment, promoting and developing training schemes and ensuring administrative and operational coordination and cooperation.

THE FUND'S BENEFICIARIES

All Member States except Ireland and the United Kingdom participate in the implementation of the ISF Borders instrument. The four Schengen-associated countries (Iceland, Liechtenstein, Norway and Switzerland) also participate. Examples of beneficiaries are state and federal authorities, local public bodies, non-governmental organisations, humanitarian organisations, private and public law companies and education and research organisations.

ISF Grenzen Projekt: Ankauf von drei Wärmebildfahrzeugen für CRATE Pool Frontex (AT/2016/PR/0031)



Zur Verhinderung illegaler Migration und Bekämpfung grenzüberschreitender Kriminalität ist neben der Grenzübertrittskontrolle die Grenzüberwachung ein wesentlicher Erfolgsfaktor. Insbesondere Dunkelheit, schlechte Sicht und schwieriges Gelände erschweren die Feststellung von illegalen Grenzaktivitäten.

Wärmebildkameras helfen, die Anforderungen in der Nacht und anderen schwierigen Sichtbedingungen zu erfüllen.

Wärmebildtechnik ist auch bei Tageslicht hilfreich. Eine Wärmebildkamera kann nicht so durch die Sonne geblendet werden, wie herkömmliche Kameras. Darüber hinaus ist es sehr schwer, thermischen Kontrast zu verschleiern, wodurch versuchtes Tarnen oder Verstecken leichter entdeckt wird.

Der Einsatz von Wärmebildtechnik ermöglicht es dem Bundesministerium für Inneres, einen wertvollen Beitrag im Rahmen von FRONTEX Einsätzen zu leisten und damit den Einsatzwert der grenzpolizeilichen Unterstützungsmaßnahmen in anderen Ländern zu steigern.

ISF Borders project: Acquisition of three thermal-imaging vehicles for the Frontex CRATE pool (AT/2016/PR/0031)

In order to prevent illegal migration and fight against cross-border crime, border surveillance is an essential success factor. In particular, darkness, poor visibility and difficult terrain make it difficult to identify illegal border activities.

Thermal-imaging cameras help to meet the demands at night and in other low-light situations. Thermal imaging is also useful in broad daylight. A thermal-imaging camera cannot be

blinded by the sun like a normal CCTV camera. Furthermore, thermal contrast is extremely difficult to mask so people trying to camouflage themselves or trying to hide will be detected seamlessly.

The use of thermal-imaging technology makes it possible for the Federal Ministry of the Interior to make a valuable contribution within Frontex to increasing the value of cross-border support measures in other countries.

Project beneficiary: Federal Ministry of the Interior, Unit II/2/e.

Project duration: 1.3.2016–31.12.2017.

Total estimated cost of the project (EUR):
1 117 620.00:

- EU contribution: 551 250.00;
- national co-financing: 566 370.00.

For more information see the website:

http://www.bmi.gv.at/cms/BMI_Fonds/amif_isf/isf/programm/start.aspx

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ISF Borders project: Document Verification Officers (ISF-B-18-01)

Het project beoogt het bestrijden van frauduleuze en valse documenten in het kader van Schengen visa aanvragen. Document Verification Officers worden tewerkgesteld in buitenlandse posten die gevoelig zijn voor fraude. Zijn/haar taken zijn: documenten verifiëren in het kader van visa aanvragen, een informatienetwerk oprichten op het terrein, ad hoc verificatie van documenten op vraag van de Belgische autoriteiten en het rapporteren en updaten van statistieken in het bijzonder in relatie tot Schengen partners.

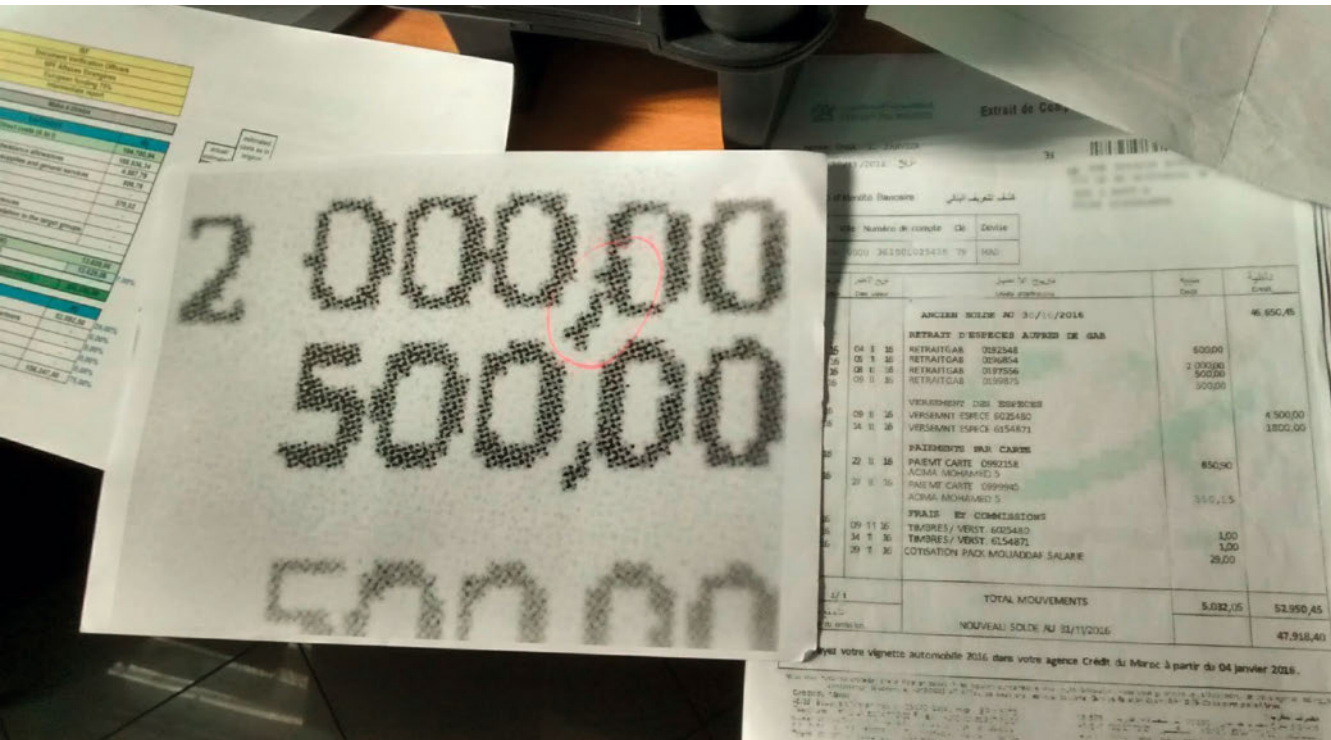
Er zijn 8 Document Verification Officers actief in de Belgische ambassades van 6 landen, namelijk in DRC (3), Marokko, Senegal, Ivoorkust, Nigeria en Kameroen. Het resultaat van een DVO is onmiddellijk in die zin dat een analyse van de authenticiteit van een document direct wordt doorgegeven aan de visa sectie. Statistische rapportage en de creatie van databanken worden eveneens momenteel gerealiseerd.



ISF Borders project: Document verification officers (ISF-B-18-01)

This project aims at fighting the use of fraudulent and false documents within the framework of Schengen visa applications. Document verification officers will be employed at posts

At this moment, eight document verification officers are active in the Belgian embassies of six countries: Cameroon, Côte d'Ivoire, the Democratic Republic of the Congo (3), Morocco, Nigeria



susceptible to fraud. His/her tasks are: verifying documents relating to visa applications; constructing a network in the field; ad hoc verifying of documents upon the demand of the Belgian authorities; and reporting and updating statistics, particularly in relation to Schengen partners.

and Senegal. The result of the work of a document verification officer is immediate, which means that an analysis of the authenticity of a document is transferred directly to the visa section. Statistical reporting is being carried out and databanks are being created.

Project beneficiary: Ministry of Foreign Affairs.

Project duration: 1.7.2015-31.12.2018.

Total estimated cost of the project (EUR):
660 000:

- EU contribution: 495 000;
- national co-financing: 165 000.

For more information see the website:
<http://www.amif-isf.be>

ISF Police Borders: Изграждане на системи за видеонаблюдение и за контрол на ГКПП на външните граници (BG/2016/PR/0006)



Проектът ще допринесе за развитието на общата политика за осигуряване на високо равнище на сигурност в ЕС и е елемент от общите усилия за подпомагане изграждането на интегрирана система за управление на границите и засилване на системите за контрол и наблюдение в зоната на ГКПП.

Дейности: анализ на съществуващите системи и процеси за видеонаблюдение в зоната на ГКПП и предложения за изграждане на нови; интегриране чрез обмен на информация

на съществуващите и новоизградени системи, тестване и въвеждане в експлоатация.

Резултати: подобряване на дейностите по контрол и наблюдение в зоните на ГКПП, международните летища и пристанища; намаляване на опитите за нелегално преминаване през българските ГКПП; подобряване на резултатите в борбата с трансграничната престъпност по външните граници, включително трафика на хора и незаконното превеждане през ГКПП.

ISF Police Borders: Development of an integrated system for video surveillance of border crossing points at external borders (BG/2016/PR/0006)

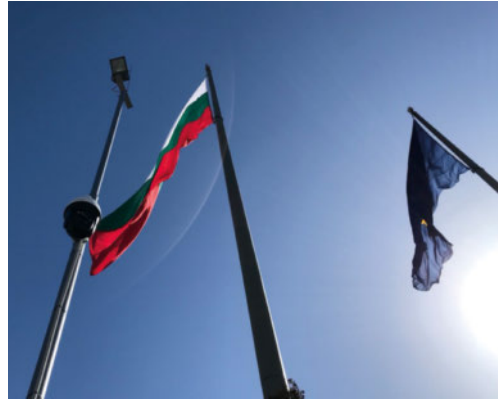
Project beneficiary: Communication and Information Systems Directorate, Bulgarian Ministry of the Interior.

Project duration: 17.8.2016-31.12.2018.

Total estimated cost of the project (EUR):
2 400 000:

- EU contribution: 1 800 000;
- national co-financing: 600 000.

For more information see the website:
<http://www.dmp.mvr.bg>



The project will contribute to the development of a common policy to ensure a high level of security in the European Union. It is part of the overall efforts to support the establishment of integrated border management and strengthen the systems for border control and surveillance in border control crossing areas.

Activities. Analysing the existing video surveillance systems and processes in the areas of external border crossings and elaborating pro-

posals to establish new ones; integration by exchanging information between existing and newly developed systems; testing and implementation of the systems.

Results. Improving control and surveillance activities in border crossing point areas, international ports and airports; decreasing the number of illegal attempts to cross border crossing points; improving results in the fight against cross-border crime at the external borders, including trafficking in human beings and smuggling through the BCPs.



ISF Borders Projekt: Dnevno/noćne termovizijske kamere velikog dometa (HR/2017/PR/0002)

Posljednjih nekoliko godina dogodio se visoki porast pokušaja nezakonitih prelazaka na nekim dijelovima vanjske granice, posebno u vezi sa povećanim pritiskom nezakonitih migracija,

Glavne aktivnosti projekta su nabava dnevno-noćnih nadzornih kamera velikog dometa za 6 lokacija na istočnoj granici i integracija u postojeći sustav tehničkog nadzora granice,



Ciljevi projekta su daljnji razvitak nadzora vanjske granice tehničkim sredstvima, s ciljem boljeg otkrivanja osoba koje nezakonito prelaze vanjsku granicu, u kombinaciji postizanjem efikasnijeg korištenja ljudskih resursa i opreme granične policije,

Očekivani rezultati su pojačana zaštita vanjske granice kroz bolji tehnički nadzor i efikasnije korištenje ostalih resursa,

Ovaj projekt je zanimljiv jer je nastavak projekta iz Schengenskog instrumenta, koji je do sada pokazao izvrsne rezultate. Ovim projektom će se znatno unaprijediti zaštita najugroženijih dionica vanjske granice.

ISF Borders project: Day/night long-range thermovision cameras (HR/2017/PR/0002)

Project beneficiary: Ministry of the Interior, border police.

Project duration: First quarter 2017-end 2017.

Total estimated cost of the project (EUR):
6 000 000.00:

- EU contribution: 4 500 000.00;
- national co-financing: 1 500 000.00.

Over the last several years, at some sections of the external border, there has been a large increase in illegal crossing attempts, especially in connection with the higher pressure of illegal migration.

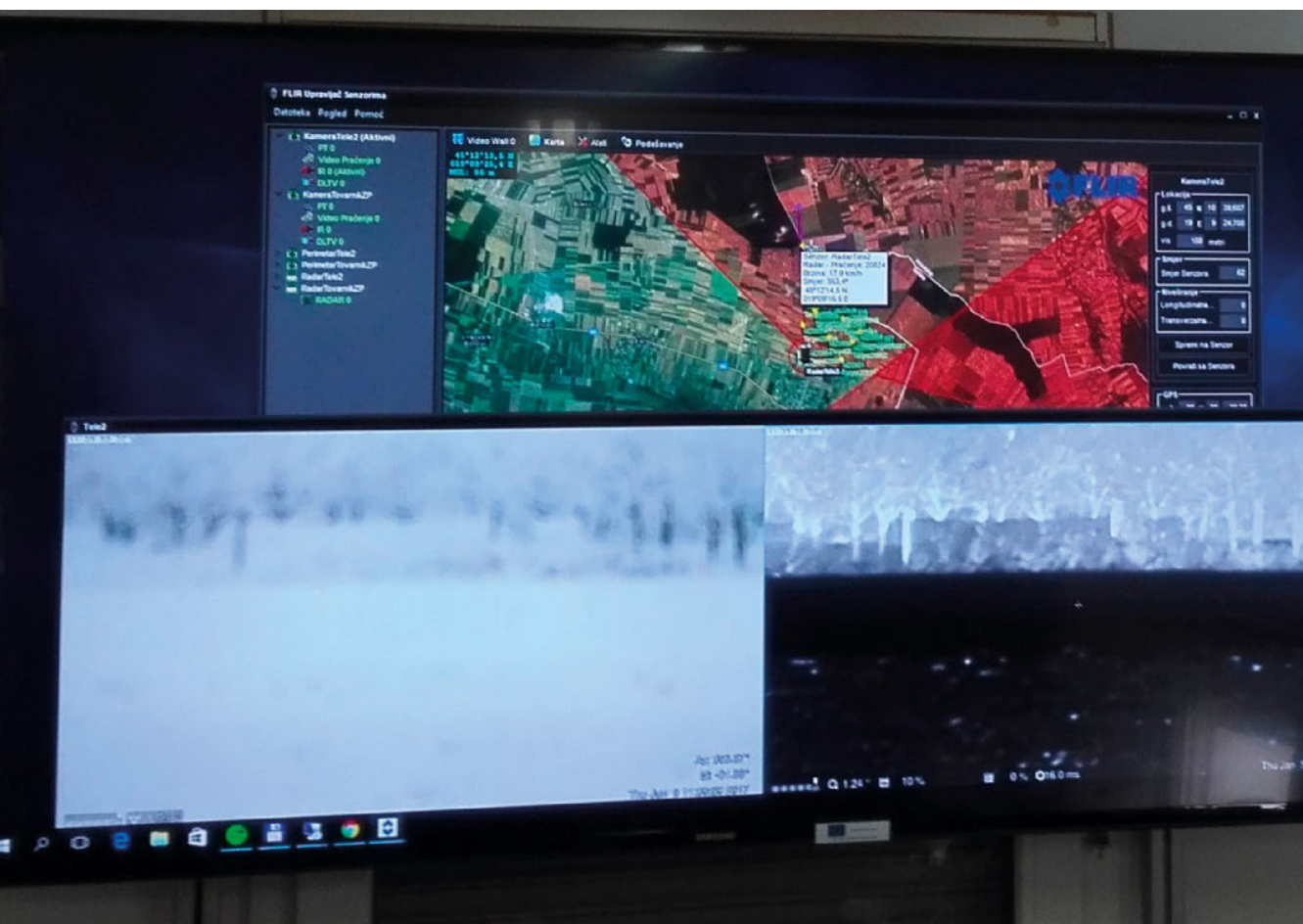
Further development of the technical surveillance system at the external border with the aim of better detecting persons who are illegally crossing the green border, combined with more efficient use of border police human resources and equipment.

Supply of long-range day/night surveillance cameras for six locations at the eastern border and integration into the existing technical surveillance system.

Enhanced protection of the external border through better technical surveillance and more efficient use of other resources.

The project is the continuation of a similar Schengen facility project, which showed excellent results. With this project, protection at the most threatened sections of the external border will be greatly improved.

For more information see the website:
<http://www.eufondovi.mup.hr>



ISF Border έργο: Σύστημα παράκτιας παρατήρησης- (Σ.Π.Π) (CY/2016/PR/0005)



Το Σ.Π.Π στοχεύει στην ενίσχυση της ικανότητας παρατήρησης, εντοπισμού στόχων στις θαλάσσιες περιοχές πλησίον της ακτογραμμής της Κυπριακής Δημοκρατίας και εγρήγορση των αρχών ενόψει έκτακτης κατάστασης.

Η συγχρηματοδότηση του Σ.Π.Π περιλαμβάνει 3 σταθερές, 3 κινητές και 2 εναέριες πλατφόρμες παρατήρησης, (μεγάλης εμβέλειας) και εξειδικευμένο λογισμικό, εγκαταστημένο σε κέντρα ελέγχου. Κάθε πλατφόρμα παρατήρησης εξοπλίστηκε με κάμερες ημέρας/ νύχτας, κάθετα ή οριζόντια μετακινούμενες για βέλτιστη οπτική γωνία, μέσω τηλεχειρισμού από το Κέντρο Συντονισμού Έρευνας και Διάσωσης -(Κ.Σ.Ε.Σ).

Η εγκατάσταση του Σ.Π.Π πολλαπλασίασε τις επιχειρησιακές δυνατότητες του Κ.Σ.Ε.Δ. Αποτέλεσμα, η πιο στοχευμένη έρευνα, ο γρηγορότερος εντοπισμός στόχων και η αυξημένη πιθανότητα διάσωσης. Παράλληλα βελτιώθηκε η επιτήρηση των θαλάσσιων συνόρων, η διαχείριση έκτακτων περιστατικών και τα επίπεδα ασφάλειας στην Κυπριακή Δημοκρατία και στην παρακείμενη ναυσιπλοΐα/θαλάσσιες δραστηριότητες.

Το Σ.Π.Π συμβάλλει τα μέγιστα στον εντοπισμό προσφύγων σε ακυβέρνητα σκάφη και στην καθοδήγηση της διάσωσης, ενίοτε νυχτερινής και εναέριας, υπό αντίξοες καιρικές συνθήκες.

ISF Borders project: Coastal surveillance system (CSS) (CY/2016/PR/0005)

The coastal surveillance system (CSS) aims to augment the surveillance and target identification capabilities of Cyprus in territorial waters close to its coastline and to effectively alert the Cypriot authorities during emergency.

The co-funded CSS comprises of three fixed, three mobile and two air-surveillance platforms (long range), along with specialised software installed in control centres operated by the Joint Rescue Coordination Centre (JRCC). Each platform is equipped with colour and thermal cameras, remotely controlled in azimuth and elevation, for optimum observation capability. Installing the CSS has augmented the operational capabilities of JRCC. The result is the immediate investigation of incidents by simply turning the camera to the required coordinates. This gives faster reaction

times and ultimately leads to more lives being saved. Alongside improved surveillance of maritime borders it increases effectively the safety levels of the waterways and maritime activities of Cyprus.

Project beneficiary: Cyprus Search and Rescue Coordination Centre under the jurisdiction of the Ministry of Transport, Communication and Works.

Project duration: 1.7.2015-1.9.2017.

Total estimated cost of the project (EUR):
2 475 229,60:

- EU contribution: 4 500 000.00;
- national co-financing: 247 522.96.

For more information see the website:
<http://www.moi.gov.cy>



ISF Projekt v rámci ISF Hranice: Národní situační centrum ochrany hranic (CZ/2017/PR/0601)



V rámci projektu bude vybudováno Národní situační centrum ochrany vnějších hranic jako společné komunikační centrum pro Ředitelství služby cizinecké policie a Celní správu za účelem efektivního plnění úkolů ochrany a správy hranic.

Předmětem projektu bude provedení zásadní rekonstrukce prostor, účelné zařízení těchto prostor pro operační řízení a vybavení příslušnou technologií.

Dále dojde k vytvoření datového skladu s možností provádění pokročilých analýz a k pořízení/vytvoření/úpravě informačních systémů pro provoz centra a ochrany hranic. Centrum bude odpovědné za operační řízení ostrahy hranic a společné provádění operačních analýz. Dále bude spravovat provoz informačních systémů ochrany hranic jako je EUROSUR, systém dohledu nad vzdušným prostorem AGAS, systém hraniční kontroly KODOX, systém předávání údajů o cestujících. Centrum bude plnit roli národní kontrolní autority ve vztahu k biometrickým dokladům.

ISF Borders: National Border Situation Centre (CZ/2017/PR/0601)

The aim of the project is to create the National Border Situation Centre for Border Control as a joint communication centre for the Directorate of Alien Police and the Customs Administration of the Czech Republic for effective fulfilment of protection and border management tasks.

The main activity of the project is the major reconstruction of premises. The premises will be suitably equipped for operational management with appropriate technology. A data warehouse with the ability to perform advanced and sophisticated analysis will be created. Other IT systems for border control and operation of the centre will be created or upgraded. The centre will be responsible for the operational management of border surveillance and the implementation of operational analysis. It will manage IT

systems for border protection, such as Eurosur, the AGAS airspace surveillance system, the KODOX border control system and the passenger data transfer system. The centre will carry out the tasks of the national control authority in relation to biometric documents.

Project beneficiary: Czech Republic Police.

Project duration: 1.11.2016-31.10.2019.

Total cost of the project (EUR): 4 440 990,34:

- EU contribution: 3 330 742,75;
- national co-financing: 1 110 247,59.

For more information see the website:
<http://www.mvcr.cz/fondy-eu-v-oblasti-vnitrnich-veci-amif-a-isf.aspx>



ISF Borders Projekt: Installation af ABC-gates og relaterede omkostninger (2014 DK65ISNP001)

Projektet er en del af et samlet projekt, som blev igangsat under EU's Grænsefond og bl.a. omfattede anskaffelse af 10 ABC eGates med tilhørende software, softwarelicenser, inventar og løsningsmodel til grænsekontrol i Københavns Lufthavn.

Projektet under ISF omfatter restbetaling af de 10 ABC eGates og 1 CCTV-Server anskaffet under fase 1 af projektet; Installation af ABC eGates og 2 ABC eGate overvågningsstationer med tilhørende hardware mv.; etablering af IT-mæssig integration mellem ABC eGate-løsningen og

relevante IT-systemer hos Dansk Politi, ekstern projektledelsesbistand, bygherrerådgivning og anden konsulentbistand; samt diverse øvrige foranstaltninger.

Projektet omkring installation af ABC-gates har styrket kontrolindsatsen i Københavns lufthavn, idet der i forhold til alle, der passerer gennem disse gates, foretages en automatisk søgning i relevante politisystemer (Kriminalregisteret, Pasregisteret, SIS II og Interpols person- og dokumentdatabaser).



ISF Borders project: Installation of automatic border control gates and related costs (2014DK65ISNP001)

The project is part of a joint project that was launched under the External Borders Fund and included the acquisition of 10 automatic border control (ABC) e-gates with associated software, software licences, inventory and border control solutions at Copenhagen Airport.

The project for the installation of the ABC gates has strengthened the control efforts at Copenhagen Airport, as an automatic search is performed in relevant police systems (criminal registry, passport register, SIS II and Interpol person and document databases) on all persons passing through.



The project under the ISF includes the remaining payment for the 10 ABC e-gates and one CCTV server acquired during phase 1 of the project; the installation of ABC e-gates and two ABC e-gate monitoring stations with associated hardware etc.; the establishment of IT integration between the ABC e-gate solution and relevant IT systems at Dansk Politi, external project management assistance, building consultancy and other consultancy assistance; and a range of other necessary measures.

Project beneficiary: National Policy Authority.

Other partners: Ministry of Immigration and Integration.

Project duration: 1.1.2015-30.9.2016.

Total estimated cost of the project (EUR):
2 351 463,66:

- EU contribution: 1 763 597,75;
- national co-financing: 587 865,91.

For more information see the website:

<http://uim.dk/arbejdsomrader/indrejse-og-ophold/det-internationale-udlaendingsesamarbejde-1/fonden-for-intern-sikkerhed>

ISF Borders Projekt: Multirootorid välispiiril vaatlustegevuse teostamiseks (EE/2016/PR/0040)



Problem: Eesti Vabariigi välispiiri maastik on väga mitmekesine. Maismaalõigust on suuri soiseid ja künklikke alasid, ning arvestades maastiku eripära, piirdub otsenägevus ca 100 meetriga. Esineb piirkondi, kuhu ei ole võimalik pääseda jalgsi patrullimisega ning igapäevane patrullimine laeva ja muude sõidukitega on väga kulukas, mistõttu on otstarbekam kasutada mehitamata õhusõidukeid, mis võimaldavad piirivahejuhtumeid lahendada kiiremini ja tulemuslikumalt, seda ka öisel ajal.

Eesmärk: Tõsta ebaseaduslike piiriületajate avastamise võimekust ja fikseerimist ning suurendada patrullidel oluliselt parema ülevaate saamist piirilähedasel alal toimuvatest tegevustest. Toetada kiiremat ja kuluefektiivsemat patrullide rakendamist piirivahejuhtumite lahendamisel.

Peamised tegevused:

- hanketaotluse esitamine ja kooskõlastamine hankelepingutalitusega;
- hanke läbiviimine, tulemuste hindamine, välitestid ja võitja väljakuulutamine;
- hankelepingu sõlmimine;
- multirootorite vastavuse kontroll tehnilisele kirjeldusele, vastuvõtmine, kasutajate koolitamine ja lõppkasutajale üleandmine.

Tulemus: Multirootorid on soetatud, antud kordonite käsutusse ja välja on koolitatud personal, kes oskab soetatud seadmeid kasutada. Läbiviidavad otsingud piirivahejuhtumite lahendamisel võtavad vähem aega ja on tulemuslikumad. Tõuseb reageerimistäpsus piirijuhtumitele, eriti öisel ajal. Piirijuhtumite lahendamine ja menetluste läbiviimise kvaliteet paraneb ning lihtsustub piiriveekogudel transpordivahendite tuvastamine.

ISF Borders project: Multirotors for surveillance at the external border (EE/2016/PR/0040)

Challenge. The problem throughout Estonian external border is that the terrain of the land border is very diverse, with large wet and hilly areas. Therefore, taking into account the difficult and diverse landscape features, direct views of and access to some of the areas near the border is very limited. Some areas are impossible for a foot patrol to access. However, carrying out daily patrols by using patrol vessels and other vehicles would be very costly. Thus, it would be rational to use unmanned aerial vehicles that provide the possibility to access rough areas and to solve border incidents faster and more effectively even at night.

Objective. It is important to increase the capability to detect illegal border crossings by improving the overview of the area close to the border and making it possible to access rough areas faster. Another important objective is to support faster and more cost-effective implementation of border patrols in resolving border incidents.

Activities.

- Conducting procurement activities.
- Field tests.
- Evaluating the procurement results and announcing the winner.
- Verifying the technical specifications.
- Receiving multirotors.
- Training users and transferring to the end user.

Results. Multirotors are acquired and provided at the disposal of the cordon. Personnel are trained and capable of using the equipment. Searches conducted by patrols to resolve border incidents take less time and are more effective. Response accuracy rises, especially at night. The quality improves in regard to resolving border incidents and conducting procedures. Waterway transport detection is improved and simplified.

Project beneficiary: Estonian Police and Border Guard Board

Project duration: 1.9.2015-28.2.2018.

Total cost of the project (EUR): 444 450.00:

- EU contribution: 333 337.50;
- national co-financing: 111 112.50.

For more information see the website:
<http://www.sisejulgeolekufond.ee>



ISF Borders Projekt: KEVAK 2020 - Rajavartiolaitoksen kevytalukskaluston suorituskyky 2020 (FI/2015/PR/1808)



Tarve hankkeelle on syntynyt vanhenevan kevyen aluskaluston myötä, mikä aiheuttaa huomattavia käyttö- ja ylläpitomenoja.

Tavoitteena on kotimaassa ja vuosittain erikseen sovittavalla tavalla Frontex-operaatioissa käytettävän kevyen aluskaluston merellisen suorituskyvyn varmistaminen 2020-luvulla.

ISF-rahaston erityistoimirahtauksella Suomi on hankkinut yhden nopean veneen. Hankkeessa on tehty perusteellisia teknisten ratkaisujen testejä, joiden pohjalta kehitetään lopullinen venesarja. Vene on ilmoitettu Frontexin kalustopooliin.

Näillä kehitettävillä veneillä tullaan suorittamaan merkittävä määrä rajaturvallisuustehtäviä monia vuosia eteenpäin. Venetyypin toimii yhdessä suurempien partioveneidä kanssa merivartioston päivittäisenä perustyökaluna.

Frontex-operaatioissa rajavalvontatehtävät johtavat usein meripelastustehtäviin ja tämän veneen ominaisuudet tulevat esiin vedestä pelastamisen turvallisuutena sekä kokoluokkaan nähden erittäin suurena evakuointikapasiteettina.

ISF Borders project: KEVAK 2020 — Finnish border guard light craft performance 2020 (FI/2015/PR/1808)

For more information see the website:
<http://eusa-rahastot.fi>

The project is needed due to the ageing of the lightweight vessel fleet, which is causing considerable usage and maintenance costs.

Objective: to ensure the performance in marine operating conditions of the lightweight marine vessel fleet used in Finland and, on the basis of separate annual agreements, in Frontex operations, in the 2020s.

Activity: as a specific action funded by the ISF Finland has implemented the acquisition of one rapid boat. The project has involved the thorough testing of the technical solutions on which the final boat series will be based. The boat has been entered into Frontex's technical equipment pool.

Project beneficiary: Rajavartiolaitos/Finnish Border Guard.

Project duration: 25.2.2014-24.2.2017.

Total cost of the project (EUR): 400 000:

- EU contribution: 360 000;
- national co-financing: 40 000.

Results: the boats to be developed will be used in a significant number of border security tasks for many years to come. This boat type will be a basic daily tool for the coast guard station alongside bigger patrol boats.

In Frontex operations, border control operations often lead to rescue missions at sea, and the properties of this boat make maritime rescue operations safer and, for a boat of its size, it has an extremely high evacuation capacity.



ISF Frontière projet: Local de délivrance de visas à la frontière (FR/2014/PR/0189)



Ce projet a permis la création de 8 locaux délivrant des visas biométriques dans les 4 terminaux de l'aéroport Roissy-Charles de Gaulle. Le visa est normalement délivré dans un poste consulaire préalablement au voyage. Le local permet de délivrer un visa directement à la frontière, c'est-à-dire dans l'aéroport, à des personnes n'ayant pas pu en faire la demande avant d'arriver en France (raisons médicales, changement de cap d'avion, motifs professionnels...).

Ces locaux sont pratiques pour les usagers car ils permettent la délivrance d'un visa en une vingtaine de minutes, dans un local privé assurant la discrétion. Les locaux ont été équipés afin d'alimenter la base de données du Système d'information visas (VIS). Cela permet donc le partage d'information avec les partenaires européens. En plus de conditions de travail améliorées, le local permet un traitement plus sécurisé de la demande grâce à la prise d'empreintes et la consultation de différentes bases de données européennes.



ISF Borders project: Premises for issuing visas at the border (FR/2014/PR/0189)

This project enabled the creation of eight premises for issuing biometric visas in the four terminals of the Roissy-Charles de Gaulle airport. Usually, visas are delivered in a consular post. These premises therefore enable visas to be issued directly at the border, i.e. in the airport, to people who could not apply for a visa before arriving in France (for medical reasons, a change to the aircraft's course, urgent professional reasons, etc.).

These premises are practical for users because they allow visas to be issued in about 20 minutes, in a private space that ensures confidentiality. The premises have been equipped to provide the visa information system with information to allow the sharing of information with European partners. In addition to better working conditions, the premises allow more secure processing of the visa application thanks to fingerprinting and the querying of the several European databases.

Project beneficiary: Direction centrale de la police aux frontières (DCPAF).

Project duration: 1.10.2014-1.10.2016.

Total estimated cost of the project (EUR): 121 492.08:

- EU contribution: 91 119.06;
- national co-financing: 30 373.02.

For more information see the website:

<http://www.immigration.interieur.gouv.fr/Info-ressources/Fonds-europeens/Les-nouveaux-fonds-europeens-periode-2014-2020/Le-Fonds-Asile-Migration-Integration-FAMIL-et-le-Fonds-Securite-Interieure-FSI>



ISF Grenz projekt: Automatisiertes Grenzkontrollsystem — EasyPASS (DE/2015/PR/1521)

Das wichtigste Herausforderungsprojekt sucht:

Mit dem Projekt EasyPASS soll ein automatisiertes Grenzkontrollverfahren für EU/ EWR/ CH-Staatsangehörige mit ePässen eingeführt werden, das einen wesentlichen höheren Durchsatz bietet, als die manuelle Kontrolle. Ein Registrierungsprozess hierfür sollte nicht erforderlich sein.

Ziele: Ein flächendeckender Einsatz an allen zugelassenen Grenzübergangsstellen war aus wirtschaftlichen Gesichtspunkten nicht Planungsgrundlage. Vielmehr wurden durch statistische Erhebungen die Passagierstärksten Flughäfen und deren Bedarf ermittelt. Somit bestand ein Bedarf von 200 eGates an 6 Flughäfen.

Hauptaktivitäten:

- Beschaffung des Grundsystems EasyPASS
- Einbau- und Umbaumaßnahmen an den Flughäfen

- Systemeinführung
- Systempflege
(Wartungsmaßnahmen)

Ergebnisse: In der Projektlaufzeit wurden insgesamt 32 EasyPASS Gates beschafft und an den Flughäfen aufgebaut und in Betrieb genommen. Die eGates stehen den Reisenden in Frankfurt/Main, München, Düsseldorf, Köln und in Berlin-Tegel zur Ein- und Ausreise zur Verfügung.

Was macht dieses Projekt besonders interessant:

Das System wurde an den Passagierstärksten Flughäfen in Deutschland eingeführt und durch die Reisenden sehr positive angenommen. Durch den Betrieb der EasyPASS Gates konnte Personal, welches im Bereich der Kontrolle von EU-Bürgern eingesetzt war, für die eingehende Kontrolle von Drittstaatsangehörigen gewonnen werden.



ISF Borders project: Automated border control system — EasyPASS (DE/2015/PR/1521)

Key challenge project seeks to address. With the project EasyPASS an automated border control procedure for EU/EEA/Swiss citizens should be established. The passenger flow-rate should be higher than for manual control. A registration process is not necessary.

Objectives. The procurement of the system for all authorised border crossing points was not the basis of the plan; rather, EasyPASS was implemented for economic reasons. A special economic study (cost-benefit analysis) for the project identified a requirement for 200 e-gates at the six most frequented airports.

Main activities/components of the project. Procurement of the basis system EasyPASS; installation and modification measures at the airports; system implementation; and maintenance and support of the system.

Results. Within the project period 32 EasyPASS gates were procured, installed at the airports and put into operation. The e-gates are available for

Project beneficiary: Federal Police Headquarters.

Project (estimated) duration:
1.5.2015-31.12.2016.

Total cost of the project (EUR): 3 066 586:

- EU contribution: 2 322 439,50;
- national co-financing: 744 146,50.

For more information see the website:
<http://www.innerersicherheitsfonds.de>

travellers at Frankfurt am Main, Munich, Düsseldorf, Cologne and Berlin-Tegel airports.

What makes this project particularly interesting? The system is implemented at the most frequented airports in Germany and is positively accepted by both travellers and border guards. EasyPASS opens up the possibility for border guards to concentrate more on thorough checks of third-country nationals, because the system conducts the minimum checks of EU citizens as provided for in the Schengen Borders Code.



ISF Borders έργο: Ενίσχυση της ικανότητας ανταπόκρισης των χερσαίων, πλωτών, και εναέριων μέσων για την επιτήρηση-περιπολία των συνόρων και για την προστασία και διάσωση της ανθρώπινης ζωής

Η δράση αφορά στην παροχή υπηρεσιών επιτήρησης-περιπολίας των συνόρων & υπηρεσίες έρευνας και διάσωσης με διάθεση μέσων των τριών κλάδων των Ενόπλων Δυνάμεων (ΓΕΣ, ΓΕΝ, ΓΕΑ).

Η αυξημένη προσφυγική ροή στη χώρα κυρίως μέσω των θαλασσίων συνόρων της, ένεκα της κρίσης στην περιοχή της Μέσης Ανατολής και ειδικότερα στην Συρία, καθώς και τα προβλήματα σε χώρες της Βόρειας Αφρικής και της Ασίας, δημιούργησαν στην χώρα αυξημένες ανάγκες για επιτήρηση των θαλασσίων συνόρων της, έρευνα και διάσωση προσφύγων και μεταναστών που επέλεξαν την θαλάσσια οδό για την είσοδο στην χώρα και εν γένει την ΕΕ.

Τα οφέλη της δράσης αφορούν αφ' ενός στον εντοπισμό, διάσωση και προστασία των προσφύγων-μεταναστών οι οποίοι εισέρχονται στη χώρα, προκειμένου να μεταφερθούν σε ασφαλές περιβάλλον και αφ' ετέρου στην αποτελεσματική διαχείριση των Ευρωπαϊκών συνόρων με την δημιουργία κατάλληλων συνθηκών προστασίας της ανθρώπινης ζωής και παροχής ανθρωπιστικής βοήθειας.

Η δράση συμβάλλει στην ενίσχυση της ικανότητας επιτήρησης των Εθνικών και Ευρωπαϊκών συνόρων και αναγνώρισης οποιασδήποτε δραστηριότητας εξελίσσεται σε αυτά, για την ασφάλεια των συνόρων και την προστασία και διάσωση της ανθρώπινης ζωής.



ISF Borders project: Strengthening land, sea and air response capabilities for border-surveillance patrols and for protecting and saving human lives

The action concerns the provision of border surveillance and patrol services and research and rescue services with the means of the three branches of the armed forces. The increased refugee flow into the country, mainly through its maritime borders, due to the crisis in the Middle East, particularly in Syria, and the problems in North Africa and Asia have created an increased need in the country for surveillance of maritime borders, research and rescue of refugees and migrants who chose the sea route to enter the country and the EU in general. The benefits of the action concern, on the one hand, the identification, rescue and protection of immigrant refugees entering the country in order to transfer them to a safe environment, and, on the other hand, the efficient management of European borders by creating appropriate conditions for the protection of human life. The action contributes to

Project beneficiary: Hellenic Ministry of National Defence/General Directorate for Financial Planning and Support/Directorate of European Development Programmes.

Project duration: 1.1.2014-31.12.2016.

Total estimated cost of the project (EUR):
56 965 968.00:

- EU contribution: 42 174 280.45;
- national co-financing: 14 058 093.48.

For more information see the website:
<http://www.amifsf.gr>

strengthening national and European border surveillance capabilities and recognising any activity that evolves in them, for border security and protection and the saving of human lives.



ISF Borders Program: Nagyhódos közúti határátkelőhely tervezése és kivitelezése (HU/2017/PR/0002)

Közúti határátkelőhely létesítése Nagyhódoson, amely a helyi lakosok mindennapjait megkönnyíti, hiszen egyszerűbbé és gyorsabbá teszi a csengeri és a garbolci kistérség lakossága és a vele szemközti ukrán terület lakosságának kapcsolattartását. A projekt hatásaként az ukrán határszakaszon lévő határátkelőhelyek kihasználtsága arányosabbá válik, és a szomszédos határátkelőhelyek tehermentesítéséhez is hoz-

zájárul a létesítés, hiszen alternatív útvonalat biztosít az utazó közönség számára. Az új határátkelőhely létesítése az ukrán határszakaszon lévő Tiszabecs-Tiszaújlak közúti határátkelőhely személy és járműforgalmát is enyhíti. Az új határátkelőhely tehermentesítő szerepe nem csak a hatékonyabb és kulturáltabb határelnépzelést, de egyúttal az utasforgalom érdekeit is szolgálja.



ISF Borders project: Design and construction of the Nagyhódos border crossing point (HU/2017/PR/0002)

Establishing and opening the Nagyhódos road border crossing point may facilitate daily life for local residents; it will make communication easier and faster between the population of Csenger, Garabolc sub-region and the population of the nearby Ukrainian areas. The effect of the project is that the use of crossing points on the Ukrainian border will become more proportionate and the establishment will contribute to the relieving the related border crossing points because it ensures an alternative route for travellers. The establishment of the new border crossing point will reduce traffic (people, vehicles) at the road border crossing point at the Tiszabecs–Tiszaújlak border with Ukraine.

Project beneficiary: Szabolcs-Szatmár-Bereg County Police.

Other partners: National Tax and Customs Administration of Hungary.

Project duration: 1.1.2015–30.6.2018.

Total cost of the project (EUR): 2 309 617,62:

- EU contribution: 1 063 785,96;
- national co-financing: 354 595,32;
- other contributions: 891 236,34 (beneficiary).

The relief role of the new border crossing point serves not only more civilized and efficient border control, but also the interests of those passing through.

For more information see the websites: <http://belugyialapok.hu/alapok/belso-biztonsagi-alap>
http://belugyialapok.hu/alapok/nemzeti_program/17



ISF Border verkefni: Sjálfvirk Landamærahlíð

Automated Border Control Sjálfvirk landamæraeftirlit

18+ Restricted to passengers 18 and older with EU, EEA or C
Eingöngu fyrir farþega sem e
og eldri með ESB, EES, svissn
Íslenskt vegabréf.



Markmið verkefnisins er að bæta gæði landamæraeftirlitsins, auka skilvirkni og afgreiðsluhraða og mæta hinum sívaxandi fjölda farþega sem fer um Keflavíkurflugvöll.

Frá árinu 2009 til 2015 hefur fjöldi farþega sem fer um ytri landamærin aukist um 354%. Árið 2016 var rúmlega 40% fjölgun um farþega sem fóru um ytri landamærin.

Verkefnið gengur m.a. út á það að auka skilvirkni við landamæraeftirlit, stytta meðal biðtíma og auka ánægju farþega.

ISF Border project: Automatic border control gates

Project beneficiary: National Commissioner of the Icelandic Police.

Other partners: Sudurnes Police District.

Project duration: 5.2016-9.2017.

Total estimated cost of the project (EUR):
2 500 000:

- EU contribution: 1 875 000;
- national co-financing: 625 000.

The project is to install automatic border control gates in Keflavik Airport with the aim of improving the quality of border control, increasing efficiency and processing speeds and dealing with the ever-increasing number of passengers passing through Keflavik Airport.

From 2009 to 2015 the number of passengers crossing the external border increased by 354 %. Increased passenger flow through Keflavik demands increased processing speed, without compromising quality. In 2016 passenger flow through Keflavik increased by 40 %, therefore it is urgent to increase effectiveness and efficiency in border control.

The project focuses on increasing border control efficiency, shortening waiting times and increasing passenger satisfaction.

For more information see the website:

<http://www.dmr.is>



ISF Borders Progetto: Servizio di mediazione linguistica e culturale (IT/2017/PR/00010)



Il progetto prevede di agevolare e velocizzare l'identificazione dei migranti e di recepire la Dir. 2013/32 UE, e il Reg.UE 603/2013.

Ha l'obiettivo di migliorare la comunicazione tra operatori della Polizia di Stato e stranieri mediante attività da svolgersi nelle fasi di soccorso e/o sbarco dei migranti, di preidentificazione e di foto-segnalamento.

Il servizio è "permanente" e "a chiamata". Il primo assicura un supporto permanente nelle località ritenute critiche, il secondo per esigenze che si potrebbero manifestare.

L'impiego è di 82 mediatori in attività permanente pari a: 140384 ore nel 2017, 141696 ore nel 2018, 141696 ore nel 2019. Le attività di mediazione a chiamata si svolgeranno nell'arco di 8000 ore nel 2017, 7166 ore nel 2018 e 8000 ore nel 2019.

Tali attività sono di rilevanza strategica per la comprensione del linguaggio di comunicazione non verbale di culture diverse e per il supporto negli interventi di assistenza con attenzione alle c.d. categorie "vulnerabili".

ISF Borders project: Linguistic and cultural mediation services (IT/2017/PR/00010)

The project aims to facilitate and speed up the identification procedure for migrants and to transpose EU Directive 2013/32 and Regulation (EU) No 603/2013.

Its goal is to improve communication between the state police and foreign operators through activities to be carried out during the rescue and/or disembarkation of migrants, pre-identification and photo fingerprinting.

The service is 'permanent' and 'on call'. The former ensures permanent support at sites considered to be critical, the latter covers needs that may arise to address emergency situations.

The workforce consists of 82 mediators employed in permanent activities equal to 140 384 hours in 2017, 141 696 hours in 2018 and 141 696 hours in 2019. On-call mediation activities will cover 8 000 hours in 2017, 7 166 hours in 2018 and 8 000 hours in 2019.

Project beneficiary: Dipartimento della Pubblica Sicurezza — Direzione Centrale dell'Immigrazione e della Polizia delle Frontiere.

Project duration: July 2017-February 2020 (44 months).

Total estimated cost of the project (EUR): 15 074 732.96:

- EU contribution: 7 537 366.48;
- national co-financing: 7 537 366.48.

These activities are of strategic importance for the understanding of the non-verbal communication language of different cultures and for support in care interventions involving so-called vulnerable categories of people.

For more information see the website:
<https://fondosicurezzainterna.interno.gov.it/it>



ISF Borders Projekts: Robežuzraudzības un kontroles sistēmas infrastruktūras turpmāka pilnveidošana atbilstoši EUROSUR prasībām (3. un 4.posms) (LV/2016/PR/0006)



Projekta mērķis ir turpināt izstrādāt un attīstīt Valsts robežsardzes Robežuzraudzības un kontroles sistēmas infrastruktūru, kā arī paaugstināt klātbūtnes uztveršanas sistēmas izmantošanas efektivitāti.

Mērķis tiks sasniegts turpinot attīstīt Valsts robežsardzes Robežuzraudzības un kontroles, kā arī klātbūtnes uztveršanas sistēmu infrastruktūru

Projektā tiks sasniegti sekojoši rezultāti:

1. nodrošināta robežuzraudzības uzdevumos iesaistīto spēku un līdzekļu efektīvāka vadība, kā arī tiek veikta detalizētāks

nacionālais situācijas attēls pierobežā un robežšķērsošanas vietās;

2. uzlabota EUROSUR datu plūsma (t.sk. veikta tehniskā ekspertīze, izstrādāta VRS robežas uzraudzības un kontroles mehānisma tehniskās izbūves koncepcija);
3. tehniskās izbūves koncepcijā atspoguļoti nepieciešamie organizatoriskie un tehniskie risinājumi, lai nodrošinātu EUROSUR projekta 5., 6. un 7.posma sekmīgu realizāciju;
4. uzlabota situācijas pārzināšana lokālo struktūrvienību robežuzraudzības iecirkņos, kā arī klātbūtnes uztveršanas sistēmas komponentu izmantošana;
5. uzlabota videodatu un plūsmas kvalitāte.

ISF Borders project: Further development of the border surveillance and control system infrastructure in accordance with the requirements of Eurosur (third and fourth stages) (LV/2016/PR/0006)

The aim of the project is to continue designing and developing the Latvian State Border Guard's border surveillance and control system infrastructure and to increase the efficiency of the presence capture system. The aim of the project will be achieved by continuing to develop the State Border Guard's border surveillance and control system and the presence detection system infrastructure. Within the framework of the project the following results will be achieved.

1. More efficient management of forces and resources engaged in border surveillance tasks and development of a more detailed national situational picture (border and border crossing points).
2. Improved Eurosur data flow (also implementation of technical examinations and development of the technical construction concept of the State Border Guard's border monitoring system).
3. The technical construction concept reflects the necessary organisational and technical solutions to ensure successful implementation of the Eurosur project's fifth, sixth and seventh stages.
4. An improved situation management process in the local border surveillance units, along with improved use of the presence detection system components.
5. Improved video data flow and quality.

Project beneficiary: State Border Guard of Latvia.

Project duration: 1.12.2016-31.8.2019.

Total estimated cost of the project (EUR):
4 222 343;

- EU contribution: 3 166 757;
- national co-financing: 1 055 586.

For more information see the website:

[http://www.iem.gov.lv/files/text/C_2015_9377_1_ANNEX_EN_V1_P1_833934\(2\).pdf](http://www.iem.gov.lv/files/text/C_2015_9377_1_ANNEX_EN_V1_P1_833934(2).pdf)



ISF Borders Projektas: Sienos stebėjimo sistemų įdiegimas (LT/2016/PR/2121)

Pokyčių svarba. Sienos stebėjimo sistemos užtikrins nacionalinės sienos stebėjimo sistemos plėtrą ir išorės ES sienų stebėjimo veiklą, palengvins informacijos apsikeitimą tarp nacionalinių institucijų.

Tikslai – įdiegti stacionarias sienos stebėjimo sistemas pažeidžiamiausiose valstybės sienos su Baltarusijos Respublika ruožuose, siekiant stiprinti valstybės sienos saugumą, užtikrinti efektyvesnę išorės sienos stebėjimą.

Pagrindinės veiklos / iš kokių dalių susideda projektas: Sienos stebėjimo sistemų įdiegimas

Purvėnų, Druskininkų, Tribonių, Švenčionių, Pavoverės užkardose.

Siekiami rezultatai. Sienos stebėjimo sistemos padės nustatyti, identifikuoti ir sulaikyti asmenis, bandančius neteisėtai patekti į šalį, ir tokiu būdu sumažinti į ES patenkančių nelegalių migrantų skaičių.

Kuo šis projektas ypač patrauklus? Projektas prisidės prie siekio, kad visa ES išorės siena būtų saugoma naudojant modernias technologijas bei racionaliau būtų išnaudojami žmogiškieji ir kiti ištekliai.



ISF Borders project: Installation of border surveillance systems (LT/2016/PR/2121)



For more information see the websites:
<http://vrm.lrv.lt/lt/naudin-ga-informacija/es-parama-vidaus-reikalu-sriciai-2014-2020-m>
https://www.cpva.lt/lt/veikla/paramos-administravimas/vidaus-saugumo-fondas-re5d/dokumentai_471.html

Project beneficiary:

State Border Guard Service at the Ministry of the Interior of the Republic of Lithuania.

Project duration:

1.1.2016-31.12.2018.

Total estimated cost of the project (EUR):

14 532 045.40:

- EU contribution: 6 830 061.34;
- national co-financing: 7 701 984.06.

Key challenges to address. The border surveillance system will ensure further development of the national border surveillance systems and enhanced surveillance of the EU's external borders and will facilitate information exchange between national authorities.

Objectives. To install stationary border surveillance systems at the most vulnerable sections of the state border with Belarus with the aim of enhancing the security of the state border and ensuring more efficient and effective border surveillance.

Main activities/components of the project. Installation of border surveillance systems at

the border sections controlled by the Purvėnai, Druskininkai, Tribonys, Švenčionys and Paverės frontier stations.

Expected results. The border surveillance system will facilitate the detection, identification and detention of persons attempting to illegally cross the state border, thus reducing the number of illegal immigrants entering the EU.

What makes this project particularly interesting? The project will contribute to the pursuit of the objectives to protect the EU's external border through the use of modern technologies and to achieving more rational use of existing human and other resources.

ISF Borders Projekt: Des guichets automatisés pour la Police Grand-Ducale à l'aéroport international de Luxembourg (LU/2017/PR/0004)

Cette solution est basée sur les derniers systèmes eGate EasyPASS allemands résultant du projet européen FP7 FastPASS. **Key challenge project seeks to address:** Capacité à gérer le nombre croissant de passagers, Intégration de la solution eGate dans l'infrastructure existante, Être prêt pour les évolutions futures de l'aéroport, Intégration dans l'architecture de l'aéroport, Evolutivité de la solution. **Objectives:** Rendre le processus de contrôle aux frontières plus rapide et plus sûre, En finir avec les longues files inutiles et la frustration des voyageurs, Optimiser le passage à travers les guichets, Faciliter la mise en place de futurs projets tels que RTP (Registered Travel Passengers), EES (Entry Exit System),... **Main activities/components of the project:** Le processus intégré en 2 étapes des guichets automatisés sera utilisé. Les documents électroniques seront vérifiés avant que le passager entre dans le guichet automa-

tisé. Dans le guichet automatisé, le passager sera contrôlé en capturant l'image de son visage et en vérifiant ses données biométriques en direct avec l'image du visage stockée sur la puce du passeport. Les métadonnées du passager sont contrôlées à travers différentes bases de données, SISII, Interpol ainsi que la base de données nationale de la Police en ce qui concerne les personnes recherchées ainsi que les documents perdus ou volés. Les guichets automatisés sont prévus pour les passagers provenant de EU/EEA/CH, les passagers de plus de 18 ans et en possession d'un passeport biométrique. **Expected Results:** Atteindre les objectifs prédéfinis. **What makes this project particularly interesting?** Il s'agit d'un projet intéressant reprenant beaucoup de différents aspects (techniques, organisationnels, architecturaux) et impliquant plusieurs organisations et administrations.



ISF Borders project: An e-gate system solution for the Grand-Ducal Police at Luxembourg International Airport (LU/2017/PR/0004)



An e-gate system solution for the Grand-Ducal Police will be installed at Luxembourg International Airport, 'Findel'.

This solution is based on the latest experience with the German e-gate system EasyPASS, which is the latest result of the EU seventh framework programme project FastPASS.

Key challenge project seeks to address. Be able to manage the ever-increasing passenger numbers; integrate the e-gate solution into the existing infrastructure; be ready for future evolutions of the airport; integrate the e-gate into the architecture of the airport; ensure the adaptability of the solution.

Objectives. Enable border control processes to be carried out quickly and securely; do away with unnecessarily long queues and passenger frustra-

tion; optimise the throughput through the gates; enable implementation of the future projects like RTP (registered travel passengers), EES (entry exit system), etc.

Main activities/components of the project. The integrated two-step process of the e-gates will be used. The e-document will be verified before the passenger enters the e-gate. Inside the e-gate the passenger will be checked by capturing his/her face and matching biometrically the live image against the image stored on the passport's chip. The metadata of the passenger are checked against different databases (SIS II, Interpol, national police database for wanted persons and lost and stolen documents). The e-gates are envisaged for passengers from EU/EEA/Switzerland, over 18 years old and in possession of an e passport.

Expected results. To achieve the objectives.

What makes this project particularly interesting? This is an interesting project covering various aspects (technical, organisational, architectural) and involving various organisations and administrations.

Project beneficiary: Police Grand-Ducale and LuxAirport.

Other partners: Veridos GmbH.

Project duration: 8.2016-end 2018.

Total estimated cost of the project (EUR): 2 275 000:

- EU contribution: 1 458 275;
- national co-financing: 816 725.

For more information see the websites:
<http://www.police.public.lu/fr/support/recherche/index.php?q=ISF&go.x=0&go.y=0>
<http://www.fonds-europeens.public.lu/fr/fonds-europeens/isf/index.html>

ISF Borders Proġett: Tishieħ tal-kapaċitajiet ta' kontroll fuq il-fruntieri tal-Forzi Armati ta' Malta (FAM)- L-akkwist tat-tielet ħelikopter b'żewġ magni (MT/2016/ISF/2.02)

L-akkwist tat-tielet ħelikopter jiggarrantixxi li l-Forzi Armati ta' Malta tippovdi livell oġġla ta' sigurtà fil-fruntieri tan-nofsinar ta' l-Ewropa, li huwa l-oġġettiv ġenerali tal-Fond tas-Sigurtà Interna (ISF). L-operat kontinwu fuq il-fruntieri jgħin sabiex tiġi kkombattuta il-kriminalità organizzata speċjalment it-traffikar uman u jagħti spinta għal infurzar tal-liġi fuq l-ibħra. Il-Fond tas-Sigurtà Interna, b'dan il-mod ikun qed iżid

il-kapaċità ta' l-Istati tal-UE sabiex jikkontrollaw effettivament riskji għas-sigurtà u kriżi.

Il-Forzi Armati ta' Malta għandha l-għan li żżid il-kontroll tal-attivitajiet fuq il-fruntieri billi taċċerta kmand operattiv tal-arja ta' responsabbiltà. Dan il-ħelikopter jiżgura wkoll li l-bdoti jkunu jistgħu jagħmlu taħriġ billi jiġi allokat ħin addizzjonali ta' siegħat ta' titjir.



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For more information refer to the RA or AFM website:

<https://eufunds.gov.mt>

<http://www.afm.gov.mt>

Project beneficiary: Armed Forces of Malta (AFM)

Project duration:

30 March 2015- 30 September 2018

Total estimated cost of the project (EUR):

8 927 144:

- EU contribution: 6 695 358;
- national co-financing: 2 231 786.

ISF Borders project: Strengthening the border control capabilities of the Armed Forces of Malta — procurement of a third twin-engine helicopter. (MT/2016/ISF/2.02)



The procurement of a third helicopter will enable the Armed Forces of Malta to ensure a higher level of security on the southernmost borders of Europe, which in turn is an ISF general objective. The continuous operations on the borders will aid in combating organised crime, especially human trafficking, and boost law enforcement at sea. Contributing to this effect, the ISF would enhance the Member States' capacity to effectively manage security-related risks and crises.

The Armed Forces of Malta aim to bolster the command and control of their border activities by having overall operational command of the areas for which they are responsible. These aircraft will also enable Malta to address the shortage of pilots and pilot training with additional flight time.

ISF Borders project: Informatie Ondersteund Beslissen KVV (NL/2015/PR/2015ISFG1/)

Met financiële steun van het ISF ontwikkelt het Ministerie van Buitenlandse Zaken (BZ) een nieuwe werkwijze, het *Informatie Ondersteund Beslissen*.

Het Informatie Ondersteund Beslissen werkt op basis van een vergelijking van gegevens van aanvrager en referent uit de visumaanvraag met informatie die is opgenomen in een speciaal ingerichte database, de Buitenlandse Zaken Analyse Omgeving (BAO). Hierin zit objectieve informatie van Nederlandse

overheidsorganisaties en ambassades. Mede op basis van deze vergelijking, de zogenaamde BAO-check, en het daaraan verbonden advies beslist de consulaire medewerker op een aanvraag. Met deze nieuwe werkwijze wil BZ het proces van besluitvorming rond het verstrekken van Schengenvisa verbeteren. De doelstelling hierbij is het optimaal faciliteren van bonafide reizigers door de wachttijden te verkorten, en het tegengaan van illegale migratie door malafide reizigers effectiever te weren.



ISF Borders project: Information-based decision-making for short-stay visas (NL/2015/PR/2015ISFG1)

With financial support from the EU's Internal Security Fund, the Ministry of Foreign Affairs is developing a new visa assessment method called **information-based decision-making**.

Information-based decision-making works by comparing information provided by visa applicants and sponsors with information held in a specially created database: the Foreign Affairs Application Assessment Database (BAO). This database holds objective information from Dutch government agencies and embassies. The comparison, known as the 'BAO check', and resulting advice helps consular officers to make a decision. This new method allows the Ministry of Foreign Affairs to improve the process of decision-making for Schengen visa applications. The goal is to optimally assist bona fide travellers by reducing processing time and to prevent the illegal migration of potentially malicious applicants in a more effective way.

Project beneficiary:

- Ministry of Foreign Affairs;
- Immigration and Naturalisation Service (IND);
- Other partners: Dutch government agencies.

Project duration: 1.5.2015-30.4.2020.

Total estimated cost of the project (EUR):

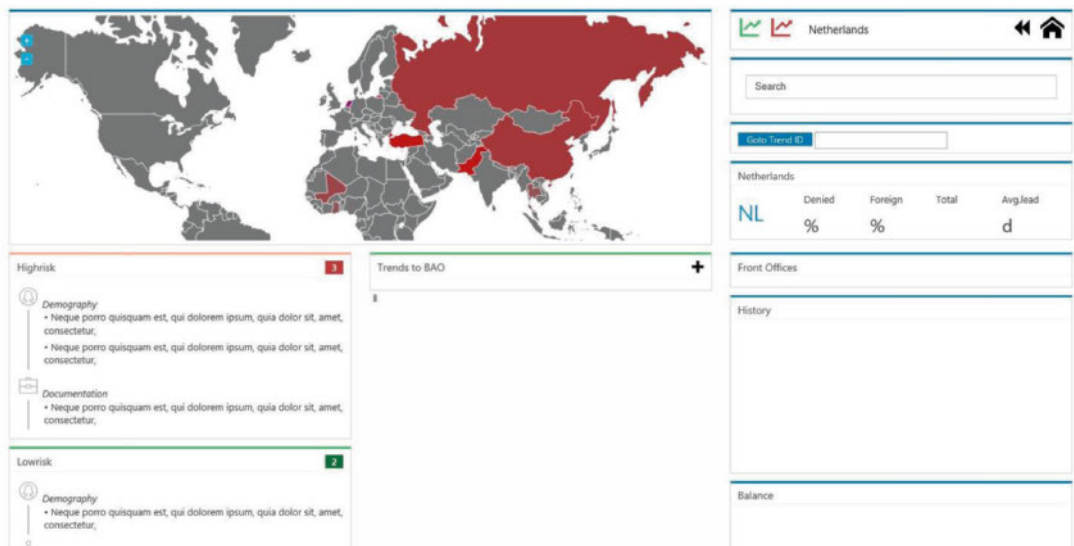
5 000 000:

- EU contribution: 3 750 000;
- national co-financing: 1 250 000.

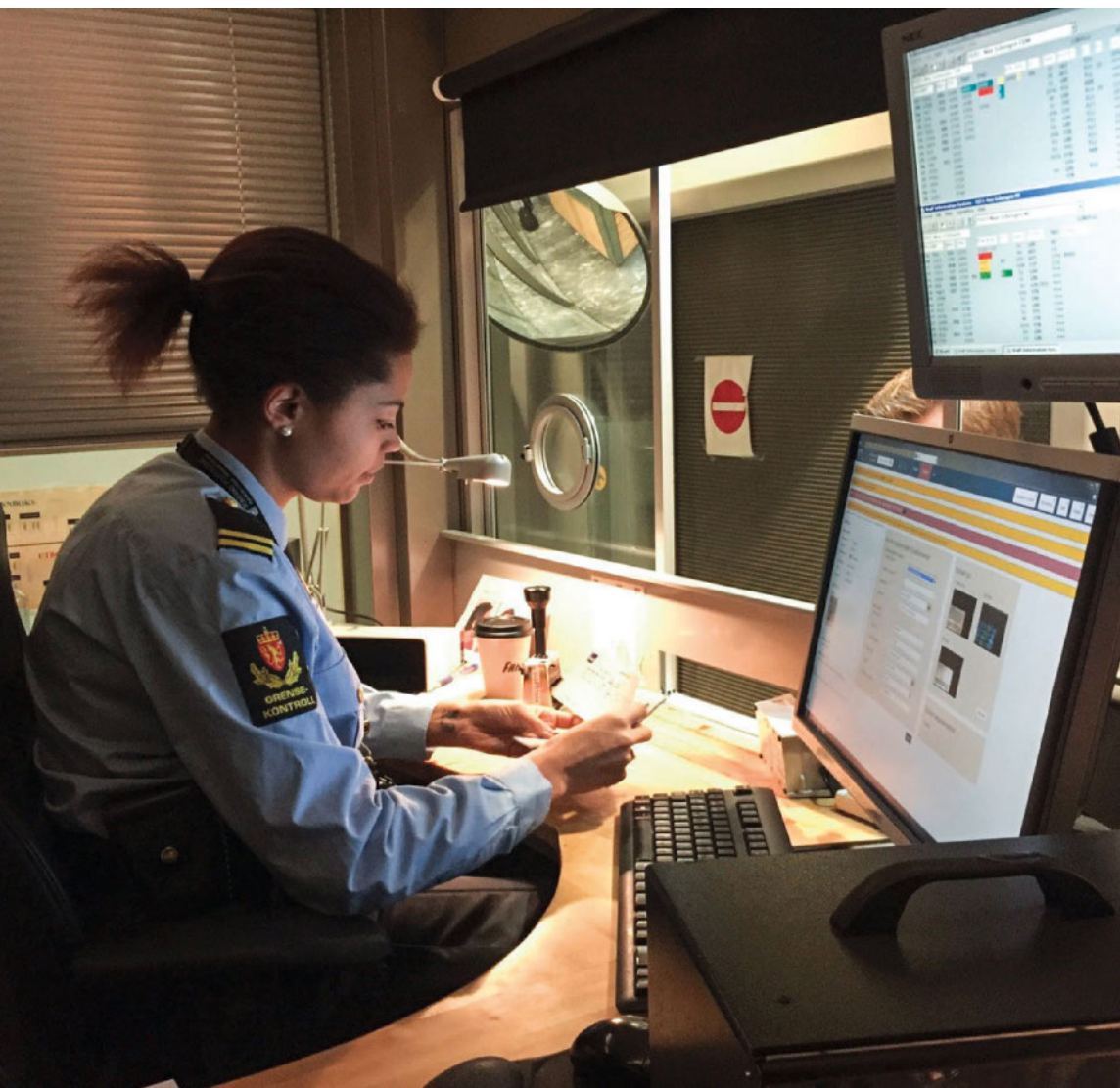
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<http://www.agentschapszw.nl/subsidies-en-regelingen/e/europese-migratie--en-veiligheidsfondsen-algemene-informatie>

Country Profiles



ISF Borders Prosjekt: G3kko – Nytt grense- og territorialkontrollsystem



Et grense- og territorialkontrollsystem (GTK) skal bidra til å sikre en funksjonalitet som gir rask og sikker tilgang på informasjon om identitet og status både ved inn- og utreisekontroll og ved kontroll av utlendinger på territoriet.

GTK er en forbedring av dagens grensekontrollsystem og vil gi støtte til en mer effektiv kontroll og flere brukergrupper. Kontrolltrykket ved grensene kan øke og politiet får systemstøtte for kontroll der de ikke har systemstøtte i dag. Funksjonaliteten skal kunne benyttes på mobile plattformer og brukergrensesnittet skal kunne tilpasses de enkelte brukernivåer.

ISF Borders project: G3kko — new border control system

A new border control system (GTK) will help to ensure functionality that provides fast and secure access to information on identity and status, during both entry and exit control, and the control of foreigners on Norwegian territory.

GTK is an enhancement of the current border control system and will provide support for more efficient control and to multiple user groups. Control pressure at the borders is likely to increase, and with this action the police will receive system support control where they have none today. The functionality can be used on mobile platforms and the user interface can be adapted to the individual user.

Project beneficiary: Norwegian Police.

Project duration: 2.2015-12.2017.

Total estimated cost of the project (EUR):
5 400 000:

- EU contribution: 3 500 000;
- national co-financing: 1 900 000.

For more information see the website:
<https://www.politiet.no/om/organisasjonen/andre/politidirektoratet/om-pod/eus-indre-sikkerhetsfond/>

ISF Borders project: multiengine-turbine airplanes



W ramach Celu szczegółowego 2: Granice - Konkretnie działanie (Wyposażenie Frontexu), Straż Graniczna zaplanowała zakup dwóch samolotów wielosilnikowych-turbinowych, które będą działały w ramach wspólnych operacji koordynowanych przez Agencję Frontex oraz w ochronie polskiej granicy wschodniej (zewnętrzna granica Unii Europejskiej).

Planuje się aby zakupione samoloty posiadały wyposażenie dodatkowe takie jak: system obserwacji lotniczej, system zarządzania

misją (MMS), system komunikacji zewnętrznej, radar poszukiwawczy oraz wyposażenie umożliwiające przetrwanie na morzu.

Zakup kolejnych samolotów wielosilnikowych-turbinowych (klasy M28 Skytruck lub podobne), pozwoli na częstsze uczestnictwo Straży Granicznej we wspólnych działaniach w rejonie Morza Śródziemnego przez co zwiększy możliwości operacyjne komponentu lotniczego w zakresie uczestnictwa w zadaniach koordynowanych przez Agencję.

ISF Borders project: Multiengine turbine aeroplanes

Project beneficiary: Polish border guard.

Project duration: 26 months (2017-2019).

Total estimated cost of the project (EUR): 26 839 830:

- EU contribution: 24 155 847;
- national co-financing: 2 683 983.

For more information see the website:
<http://www.fundusze.mswai.gov.pl>

In terms of specific objective No 2: Borders — specific action (Frontex equipment), it is planned that the Polish border guard will purchase two multiengine turbine (fixed wing) aeroplanes that will cooperate in joint operations coordinated by

Frontex and will be used for protection of the eastern Polish border (EU external borders).

It is planned that the purchased (fixed wing) aircraft will have additional equipment such as long-range EO/IR sensors, a mission management system, an external communication system, a maritime surveillance radar and marine survival equipment.

The purchase of further multiengine turbine aeroplanes (M28 Skytruck class or similar) will allow more participation by the Polish border guard in joint Mediterranean operations, thus increasing the operational capabilities of the air component for participation in tasks coordinated by Frontex.



ISF Borders project: Programa de reforço do EUROSUR (PT/2016/PR/0087)

Problema: Para Portugal, país mais Ocidental da Europa, a vigilância e controlo da fronteira marítima externa europeia assumem papel de relevo, já que provêm do mar muitas ameaças à segurança da União Europeia, nomeadamente a imigração irregular e a criminalidade transfronteiriça.

Objetivos: O projeto está centrado na prossecução da implementação do SIVICC, na aquisição de equipamentos e meios cinotécnicos para missões de controlo de fronteira e cooperação e num programa de modernização dos equipamentos operacionais.

Atividades: Prossecução da implementação do SIVICC; aquisição de equipamentos para missões de controlo de fronteira e cooperação; programa de modernização dos equipamentos operacionais; auditoria.

Resultados: A concretização do SIVICC proporcionou a Portugal e à UE, o reforço da vigilância, do controlo, do patrulhamento e da interceção na sua fronteira externa marítima, e tem permitido estreitar e potenciar as ligações e intercâmbio entre os NCC/EUROSUR e países terceiros.



ISF Borders project: Eurosur reinforcement programme (PT/2016/PR/0087)

Challenge. For Portugal, the westernmost European country, the surveillance and control of Europe's external maritime border plays a significant role, as many threats to the security of the European Union come from the sea, such as irregular immigration and cross-border crime.

Objectives. The project is focused on the continued implementation of Sivicc; the acquisition of equipment and means for dog-patrol units for border control and cooperation missions; and a programme to modernise operational equipment.

Activities. Continued implementation of Sivicc; acquisition of equipment for border control missions and cooperation; programme for the modernisation of operational equipment; auditing.

Project beneficiary: Guarda Nacional Republicana.

Project (estimated) duration: 1.6.2016-1.5.2019.

Total estimated cost of the project (EUR):
2 616 443.42:

- EU contribution: 1 962 332.57;
- national co-financing: 1 255 036.54.

For more information see the website:
www.sg.mai.gov.pt

Results. The implementation of Sivicc has enhanced surveillance, control, patrolling and interception at the external maritime border of Portugal and the EU, and has made it possible to strengthen links and exchanges between NCC/Eurosur and non-EU countries.



ISF Borders proiect: Construire sediu nou Sector Poliție de Frontieră Isaccea, județul Tulcea (RO/2016/PR/0019)

Obiectiv general- Asigurarea și menținerea unui nivel ridicat al controlului și supravegherii frontierei României cu Ucraina.

Obiectivul specific- Construirea unui sediu nou pentru Poliția de Frontieră din Isaccea, județul Tulcea, în vederea optimizării structurii la standard european, în special pentru îmbunătățirea condițiilor și practicilor de lucru în supravegherea și controlul frontierei României cu Ucraina, dar și pentru a răspunde riscurilor generate de infracționalitatea transfrontalieră, a crește capacitatea de realizare a analizelor de risc operaționale și, nu în ultimul rând, pentru crearea condițiilor necesare creșterii capacității de intervenție (cu componenta auto, cu componenta navală, cu componenta canină) a personalului propriu.

Activități principale ale proiectului:

- Derulare procedură de achiziție și semnare contract
- Implementare contract și execuție lucrări

Rezultate așteptate: Implementarea proiectului va duce la modernizarea tehnicii, a spa-



țiilor de lucru, garare și depozitare, respectiv la îmbunătățirea condițiilor de muncă pentru grupul țintă.

Particularități ale proiectului: sunt legate de protejarea și integrarea descoperirilor arheologice în contextul construirii noului sediu.



ISF Borders project: Building new premises for Isaccea border police sector, Tulcea County (RO/2016/PR/0019)



Project beneficiary: Romanian border police.

Project (estimated) duration:
26.2.2016-26.3.2019.

Total estimated cost of the project (EUR):
2 438 637,70:

- EU contribution: 1 828 978,28;
- national co-financing: 609 659,42.

For more information see the website:
<http://www.politiadefrontiera.ro>

General objective. Ensure and maintain a high level of control and surveillance of Romania's border with Ukraine.

Specific objective. Build new headquarters for the border police in Isaccea, Tulcea County, in order to optimise the structure to European standards, especially to improve working conditions and practices for the surveillance and control activities at Romania's border with Ukraine. Also to respond to

risks of cross-border crime, to increase the capacity to carry out operational risk analyses and, last but not least, to create the necessary conditions for increasing the capacity for intervention (with the car component, the naval component and the canine component) of its own personnel.

Main activities of the project. Procurement procedure and signing of the contract; implementation of the contract and execution of the works.

Expected results. The implementation of the project will lead to the modernisation of the technical equipment, the work areas, the garage and storage areas and to the improvement of working conditions for the target group.

Particularities of the project. These are related to the protection and integration of archaeological discoveries in the context of building the new premises.

ISF Borders Projekt: Rozvoj kapacít hraničnej kontroly nákupom vrtuľníka (SK/2016/PR/0001)

Projekt je zameraný na obstaranie vrtuľníka, ktorý prispeje k zabezpečeniu vysokej úrovne bezpečnosti v Únii prostredníctvom kontroly na vonkajšej hranici. Realizáciou projektu budú vytvorené lepšie technické podmienky k zabezpečeniu zvýšenia účinnosti v oblasti kontroly a dozoru na vonkajších hraniciach schengenského priestoru, vrátane kontroly nelegálnej migrácie a inej cezhraničnej trestnej činnosti štátnej hranice SR s UA. Získa sa dôležitá moderná kapacita, ktorá výrazne zefektívni

a skvalitní monitoring a zásahy na vonkajšej schengenskej hranici. Stálou dislokáciou vrtuľníka sa významne znížia prevádzkové náklady na monitoring. Zároveň sa skráti doba medzi požiadavkou na zásah a vykonaním samotného zásahu. Hlavným cieľom projektu je prispievať k zabezpečeniu vysokej úrovne bezpečnosti v Únii prostredníctvom jednotnej kontroly na vonkajších hraniciach na vysokej úrovni, zabezpečením dostatočnej vzdušnej podpory a okamžitej schopnosti reakcie.



ISF Borders project: Development of border control through the purchase of a helicopter (SK/2016/PR/0001)



The aim of the project is to enlarge existing capacity at national level in the field of external border protection by acquiring a new helicopter. Implementation of the project will create better technical conditions to ensure increased efficiency in the control and surveillance of the external borders of the Schengen area, including the control of illegal migration and other cross-border crime at the state border with Ukraine. Slovakia will obtain important, modern capacity that will significantly improve the effectiveness and quality of monitoring and intervention at the external Schengen border. The continual relocation of the helicopter will significantly reduce operating costs relating to monitoring. The main objective of the project is to contribute to ensuring a high level of security

in the EU through a uniform and high level of control and protection of the external borders by providing sufficient air support and immediate reaction capability.

Project beneficiary: Aviation Office of the Ministry of Interior of the Slovak Republic.

Project duration: 22 months
(1.3.2016-31.12.2017).

Total estimated cost of the project (EUR):
5 200 000.00:

- EU contribution: 3 900 000.00;
- national co-financing: 1 300 000.00.

For more information see the website:
www.minv.sk

ISF Borders Projekt: Nabava policijskih patroljnih čolnov za nadzor meje



Namen projekta je vsestransko izboljšanje nadzora zunanje morske meje ter zamenjava starih, iztrošenih plovil, namenjenih nadzoru državne meje.

Novi pridobitvi bosta služili:

- izpolnjevanju nalog varovanja državne meje na morju,
- preprečevanju različnih oblik tihotapstva na morju in nedovoljenih migracij,
- nadzoru nad varnostjo plovbe,
- ekologiji ter
- reševanju ljudi in premoženja na morju.

V letu 2015 so bile pripravljene tehnične specifikacije in objavljen javni razpis, čolna sta bila prevzeta in dana v uporabo v oktobru 2016.

Z zamenjavo plovil se je število članov posadke zmanjšalo. Dosežena je tudi boljša funkcionalnost, saj sta novi plovili okretnejši, hitrejši in lahko plujeta v kakršnihkoli vremenskih pogojih.

Nova čolna sta potrebna dopolnitev naše flote ter bosta policistom na morju precej olajšala delo, saj sta dobro opremljena, funkcionalna, narejena za delo v težkih razmerah in omogočata varno in hitro plovbo tudi ob nemirnem morju.

ISF Borders project: Procurement of police patrol boats for border control



The purpose of the project is to improve comprehensive control of external sea borders and to replace old, worn-out vessels.

Project beneficiary: MOI — Police.

Project duration: 1.1.2016-31.1.2016.

Total estimated cost of the project (EUR):
1 189 439.00:

- EU contribution: 892 079.25 (75 %);
- national co-financing: 297 359.75 (25 %).

New acquisitions by the police are equipped with the latest technical equipment for work at sea and will be used:

- to fulfil tasks to protect the state border at sea;
- to prevent various forms of smuggling at sea and illegal migrations;
- to control the safety of navigation;
- for ecological protection;
- to rescue people and property at sea.

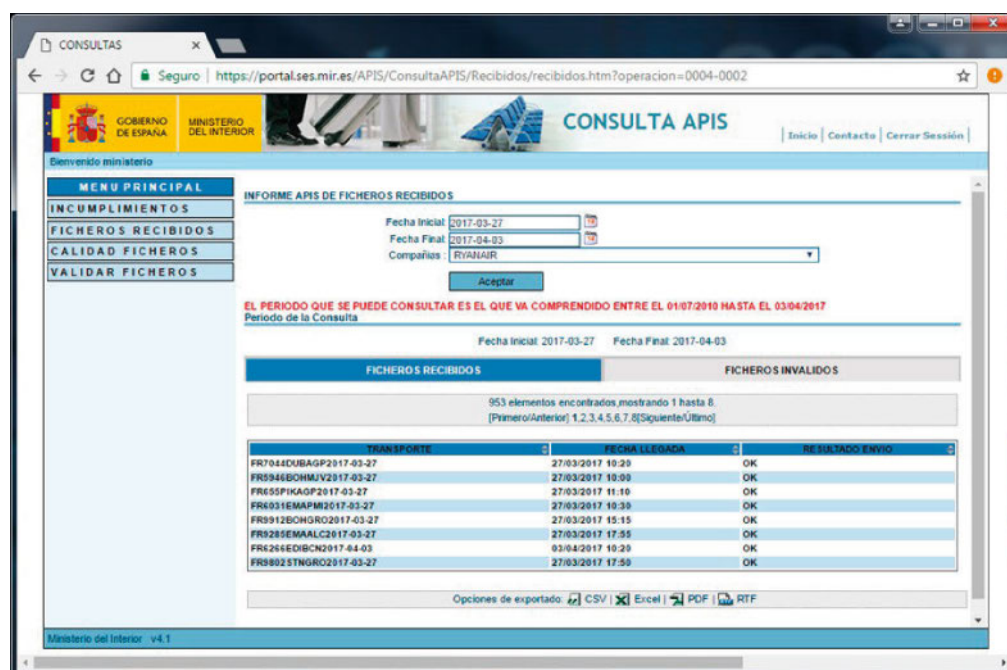
In 2015 specifications for vessels and a public tender were prepared. Boats were acquired and put into use in October 2016.

Replacement of the vessels has decreased number of the crew members required. At the same time improved functionality has been achieved, since new vessels are more agile, faster and can sail in any weather conditions. New boats will greatly facilitate work at sea. They are well equipped, functional, designed to work in harsh conditions and enable safe and fast navigation.

For more information see the website:
<http://www.mnz.gov.si>



ISF Borders Project: Sistema Avanzado de Información de Pasajeros (APIS) (ES/2014/PR/40)



El sistema APIS permite realizar un control exhaustivo de los pasajeros extranjeros procedentes de terceros países, aplicado a los trayectos de pasajeros procedentes de territorio no Schengen, identificando candidatos a controlar por tener alguna alerta en BSSN (Base de Datos de Señalamientos Nacionales) o SIS (Sistemas de Información Schengen).

Para el correcto funcionamiento del sistema APIS se hace necesario contar con la herramienta IIR (Informatic Identity Resolution) que sirve para la búsqueda optimizada y eficiente de identidades, permitiendo mejorar el ratio de positivos reales.

Objetivos: Proporcionar información relativa a la identificación de todos los pasajeros que lleguen a España procedentes de terceros países ajenos al espacio Schengen garantizándose una lucha eficaz contra la inmigración ilegal, la delincuencia internacional organizada automatizando progresivamente todos los controles fronterizos.

Actividades: Soporte y mantenimiento para licencias del software IIR ("Informatic Identity Resolution") que sirve para la búsqueda optimizada y eficiente de identidades que permite buscar y comparar datos de identidad de más de 60 países

Resultados: Habilitación de funcionalidades para normalización de datos procedentes de las aerolíneas, mejora de la seguridad y detección de delincuentes a la entrada de pasajeros en España, reducción de la necesidad de recursos para el análisis de datos procedentes de las aerolíneas, reducción en el número de falsos positivos y adaptación de la herramienta IIR, de acuerdo a lo establecido en la Directiva Europea 2010/65/EU, para la implementación de la Ventanilla Única Nacional Portuaria Española.

Valor añadido: Selección de candidatos para el control fronterizo en función de las alertas, que permite evitar el control sistemático de todos los pasajeros que entran en territorio nacional especialmente de los nacionales de la UE.

ISF Borders Project: Advanced Passenger Information System (APIS) (ES/2014/PR/40)

Key challenge project seeks to address. The APIS system allows a comprehensive control of foreign passengers coming from third countries, applied to passenger trips from non-Schengen territory. It identifies candidates to be checked for having an alert in BSSN (National Signals Database) or SIS (Schengen Information Systems). For the proper functioning of the APIS system it is necessary to have the IIR (Informatic Identity Resolution) tool that facilitates the optimized and efficient search of identities, thus allowing an improvement in the ratio of real positives.

Objectives. To provide information on the identification of all passengers arriving in Spain from third countries outside the Schengen area, ensuring an effective fight against illegal immigration, organized international crime by progressively automating all border controls.

Main activities/components of the project. Support and maintenance for IIR ("Informatic Identity Resolution") software licenses for optimized and efficient identity search that allows searching and comparing identity data from more than 60 countries.

Expected results. Enabling functionalities for normalizing data from airlines, improved safety and

detection of criminals at the entrance of passengers in Spain, reduction of the need for resources for the analysis of data from airlines, reduction in the number of false positives and adaptation of the IIR tool, in accordance with the European Directive 2010/65 / EU, for the implementation of the Spanish National Single Port Window.

What makes this project particularly interesting? Selection of candidates for border control based on alerts, which allows to avoid the systematic control of all passengers entering the national territory, especially EU nationals.

Project beneficiary: SGSICS (Subdirección General de Sistemas de Información y Comunicación para la Seguridad).

Other partners: Cuerpo Nacional de Policía y Dirección General de la Guardia Civil.

Project duration: 1.2014-1.2018.

Total estimated cost of the project (EUR): 1 673 712.88:

- EU contribution: 1 423 166.02 ;
- national co-financing: 250 546.86.

For more information see the website:
<http://www.interior.gob.es/es/web/servicios-al-ciudadano/fondos-de-la-union-europea>



ISF Borders Projekt: Införandet av nya generationens biometristationer (SE/2016/PR/0101)



Det pågår ett omfattande arbete med att utveckla nya arbetssätt och system för biometrisk sökning och matchning såväl i Sverige som i övriga Europa. Genom projektet vill Migrationsverket fortsätta utveckla Sveriges tekniska förmåga att kvalitetssäkra den information som inhämtas och lagras i det centrala VIS-systemet.

Projektet syftar till inköp och installation av 160 exemplar av den nya generationens biometriutrustning och skapar ökade förutsättningar för Sverige och övriga länder inom Schengenområdet

det att erhålla data som håller högsta kvalitet. Projektet bidrar därmed på ett tydligt sätt till att stärka Schengensamarbetet, EU:s inre säkerhet och uppfyller på så sätt målen i det nationella programmet.

De första testerna visar att den nya utrustningen inte bara genererar en högre kvalitet på den information som inhämtas och lagras i VIS utan väsentligen snabbare på hantering av data. Preliminärt involveras 79 utlandsmyndigheter samt ett antal enheter i Sverige i projektet.

ISF Borders project: Roll-out of new-generation biometric equipment (SE/2016/PR/0101)

Great efforts are being made in Sweden and throughout Europe to develop new methods and systems for biometric search and matching. Through the project the Migration Agency is developing Sweden's technical ability to ensure the quality of the information collected and stored in the central visa information system.

Project beneficiary: Migration Agency (Migrationsverket).

Project duration: 1.9.2016-31.8.2018.

Total estimated cost of the project (EUR):
2 793 318:

- EU contribution: 2 094 989;
- national co-financing: 698 329.

The aim of the project is to purchase and install 160 copies of new generation biometric devices and to create better conditions for Sweden and other countries in the Schengen area to obtain data with the highest quality. The project contributes in a clear way to strengthening the Schengen area and the EU's internal security, and thus meets the objectives of the national programme.

The first pilot projects have shown that the new equipment not only generates high-quality data but also substantially speeds up its processing. Seventy-nine Swedish consulates and a number of service centres in Sweden will be involved in the upgrading process.

For more information see the website:
<https://polisen.se/Om-polisen/Internationell-verksamhet/Verksamhet-inom-EU/EU-fond>



ISF Borders project: ABC-Gates für den Flughafen Zürich

Gegenstand des Projektes ist die Einführung von automatisierten Grenzkontrollschleusen (ABC-Gates) für die Ein- und Ausreise an den Schengen-Grenzübergängen am Flughafen Zürich.

Ziel ist es, die steigenden Passagierströme zukünftig effizienter und einfacher abwickeln zu können und dabei die Sicherheit auf höchster Stufe zu erhalten. 2016 verzeichnete der Flughafen Zürich 27,7 Mio. Passagiere davon 11,4 Mio. (41 %) Schengen-Grenzübertritte. Die Prognose ist steigend. Daher sollen die bestehenden Grenzkontrollen durch die Einführung

neuer Technologien unterstützt werden, um zu einem höheren Schutz der Schengen-Aussengrenzen beizutragen und die illegale Migration zu bekämpfen.

Sofern sich dieses Pilotprojekt am Flughafen Zürich als erfolgreich erweist, ist der Einsatz von ABC-Gates auch an weiteren Flughäfen in der Schweiz - z.B. am Flughafen Genf - geplant.

Die Teilnahme der Schweiz am ISF-Grenze und somit die Kofinanzierung dieses Projektes bedarf noch der Zustimmung des Schweizer Parlamentes.



ISF Borders project: ABC-Gates for the Zurich Airport

The aim of the project is to install Automated Border Control Gates (ABC-Gates) at the entry and exit Schengen border crossings at Zurich airport. With the rising number of passengers, the goal is to improve the efficiency and convenience of passport controls while ensuring that security remains at the highest level. In 2016 Zurich Airport registered 27.7 million passengers, 11.4 million (41 %) of that were Schengen border crossings. A further increase is to be expected.

Thus, the current border controls shall be supported by introducing new technologies to enhance the protection of the Schengen external borders and help to lower the number of illegal entries.

For more information see the website:
www.sem.admin.ch

Project beneficiary: Cantonal Police of Zurich.

Other partners: Swiss Border Guard (SBG), Flughafen Zürich AG.

Project duration: October 2016 - June 2018.

Total estimated cost of the project (EUR):
 2 250 668:

- EU contribution (75%): 1 688 001;
- national co-financing (25%): 562'667.

If the implementation of this pilot project at Zurich airport will be successful, the implementation at other airports in Switzerland - as for example at Geneva airport - is planned.

The participation of Switzerland in the ISF-Borders, hence the co-funding of this project, is still subject to the approval of the Swiss Parliament.



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