



EUPOL COPPS and Palestinian partners participate in EU Day

A joint delegation of EUPOL COPPS, the Palestinian Civil Police and the Palestinian High Judicial Council participated in the celebrations of Europe Day at the European External Action Service premises in Brussels.

The event, which has attracted thousands of guests, was an important occasion for the public to learn more about the EU and its work, including that of all the 16 EU Common Security and Defence Policy (CSDP) missions. EUPOL COPPS also participated in the EU celebrations which took place in Ramallah on the 7th of May.



EUPOL COPPS facilitates workshop on Anti-Money Laundering

On 7 May, EUPOL COPPS facilitated a workshop on Anti-Money Laundering at the Palestinian Judicial Institute. Beneficiaries of the workshop are specialized judges of the Corruption Crimes Court and prosecutors of the Palestinian-Anti-Corruption Commission. The presentations of the workshop were being conducted by the Palestinian Financial Follow-up Unit.



Press Conference on EUPOL COPPS in Brussels

The Head of Mission, Rodolphe Mauget, along with representatives of the Palestinian Civil Police and the High Judicial Council, held a press conference in Brussels on 8 May. M. Mauget talked about the Mission's achievements since it was established in 2006 and the service it provided to key Palestinian interlocutors. He also touched upon the challenges ahead and the need to overcome such challenges to better assist the Palestinian counterparts.



Traffic Safety Week

The Arab Traffic Safety Week was launched on the fourth of May. This awareness campaign is the most important event in the West Bank with regard to Traffic Awareness including Community Policing. Every year around 1.24 million people die because of a road traffic crash and between 20 to 50 million more people suffer non-fatal injuries, with many incurring a disability as a result of their injury.



Photographic equipment delivery to PCP

EUPOL COPPS delivered photographic equipment to the Palestinian Civil Police (PCP) to enhance their capabilities in fighting crime. EUPOL COPPS has supported the development of surveillance units within the PCP investigation branches to better serve the Palestinian public. The delivery of more specialized equipment will complete the available means of the surveillance unit.