



EU High Representative for Foreign Affairs and Security Policy visits EUPOL COPPS Mission

The recently appointed High Representative and Vice President Federica Mogherini visited EUPOL COPPS Mission in Ramallah. In her first visit as European Union Head of Foreign Policy, she spent two days meeting with high level representatives in Israel, West Bank and Gaza. During that period she visited EUOPL COPPS in Ramallah to reiterate her support to the Mission.



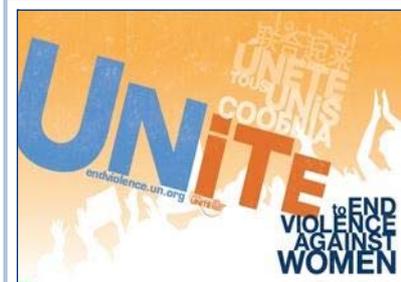
EUPOL COPPS organises a training on Tactical Communication

EUPOL COPPS organised a four-day training on Tactical Communication. The purpose of this training was to provide professional and interactive communication skills with the public to promote efficient policing when dealing with demonstrations. The ultimate goal is to reduce violations of the law and to minimize the need for the police to use coercive measures. The tool of 'Operational Tactical Communication Anti Conflict Teams' was introduced. 30 Palestinian Special Police Officers from all SPF Units participated in that training.



PCP and EUPOL COPPS conclude a course on Strategic Communications

Palestinian Civil Police (PCP) and EUPOL COPPS Mission, in cooperation with the Palestinian Government Media Centre, have completed a specialised training course on Strategic Communications with media for a number of PCP Public Relations and Media officers. Nour Odeh, a veteran Palestinian journalist and John Williams, a British media expert, have conducted theoretical and practical lectures over a two-day period for 16 PCP Public Relations and Media officers at the PCP Headquarters in Ramallah.



EUPOL COPPS supports efforts to end discrimination and violence against women

On the occasion of the International Day for the Elimination of Violence against Women, EUPOL COPPS reiterated its commitment to condemn and end discrimination and violence against women and girls, a fundamental pillar and priority for the European Union and the Palestinian Authority. To further improve the situation in the field of domestic violence, EUPOL COPPS has been supporting the Palestinian Civil Police Family Protection Unit in close coordination with UN Women, providing technical advice and facilitating capacity building activities.



The Attorney-General meets the Acting Head of EUPOL COPPS

The Attorney-General Abdel Ghani Al-Owiwy met with the Acting Head of EUPOL COPPS Mr. Rodolphe Mauget in the presence of the Head of the Planning and Policies Department at the Public Prosecution, Mr. Yasser Hammad. The meeting focused on the draft proposals that the Public Prosecution is discussing with the PCP and pertaining to the agreement on issues that would be attached to the original MoU signed with the PCP.



Palestinian Bar Association and EUPOL COPPS participate in World Congress of the International Association of Lawyers

A delegation led by the President of the Palestinian Bar Association (PBA) accompanied by members of EUPOL COPPS's Rule of Law Section participated in the 58th World Congress of the International Association of Lawyers (UIA), held in Florence, Italy. Participation was organized and financed by EUPOL COPPS, which has been facilitating relations between the PBA and UIA.

