



EUPOL COPPS and the Jericho Police Training School

- EUPOL COPPS is at the forefront of international efforts to promote security and justice to the Palestinians - in the context of the Road Map - and build the foundations of a future Palestinian State.
- The ongoing development of the training curriculum is as important as the new infrastructure currently under construction.
- Training a professional police force to the best international standards is a priority for the PA, the security of the future State and the region.

EUPOL COPPS' ROLE

- In 2009 EUPOL COPPS' completed an assessment on the overall Palestinian Civil Police Training Program, including: organizational structure, processes, equipment and infrastructure.
- The basic police training curriculum is currently being jointly developed by EUPOL COPPS and the PCP to meet accepted international standards. This curriculum will be ready when the construction of the facility is complete.
- Rehabilitation or "in service" training is being conducted and training curricula are being developed for existing police officers. Courses delivered thus far include advanced crime scene analysis, anti-narcotics training, management training, and motorcycle techniques.
- Coordinated the development of a course in Instructional Techniques through Birzeit University, to be given to all instructors of the JPTS. Topics include teaching methods, learning styles, student evaluation and principles of training. This training will assist all instructors of the JPTS to better deliver the new curriculum.
- To ensure the quality and sustainability of the training program, the train the trainers concept will be utilized for all specialized subjects such as self defense, driving and fitness. Experts in these areas will be brought in to train the instructors at the school.
- Coordinating the construction of the new police training school, through UNOPS, with donated funding from Member states.