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Oggetto: CEPOL – Agenzia dell'Unione Europea per la formazione delle Forze dell'Ordine.
Corso 22/20026 "Drug crime and Markets: strategical analysis".
14-17 aprile 2026, Lisbona (Portogallo)

CEPOL – Agenzia dell'Unione Europea per la formazione delle Forze dell'Ordine ha comunicato l'organizzazione del Corso indicato in oggetto, a carattere residenziale che si terrà dal 14 al 17 aprile 2026 (con arrivo il 13 aprile 2026 a Lisbona (Portogallo).

L'Iniziativa formativa è rivolta ai Funzionari ed Ufficiali delle Forze di Polizia con incarichi di comando, o in procinto di assumere tali funzioni, impegnati in attività antidroga connesse al contrasto della criminalità organizzata.

L'obiettivo dell'attività didattica è quello di rafforzare l'uso delle fonti di informazione e delle analisi strategiche dei mercati della droga, al fine di ridurre la

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produzione illecita di precursori e di sostanze stupefacenti, incrementando la lotta alla criminalità organizzata e salvaguardando, di conseguenza la salute dei cittadini del'EU.

Il nostro Paese potrà partecipare all'iniziativa con un solo rappresentante, in qualità di discente, appartenente alle Forze dell'Ordine ed avente un'adeguata conoscenza della lingua inglese (livello minimo B2).

In caso di vacanza dei posti disponibili, si potrà richiedere, in un secondo momento, la partecipazione con ulteriori frequentatori.

Possono avanzare la candidatura per l'attività formativa in argomento gli appartenenti alla Carriera dei Funzionari del Corpo ed il candidato che verrà eventualmente selezionato per la partecipazione al corso, al termine dello stesso, dovrà relazionare brevemente a questa Direzione Generale, circa le attività in esso svolte.

Fermo restando il divieto di presentare domanda di partecipazione da parte di chi ha frequentato, nei precedenti tre anni accademici, il corso di Alta Formazione o altro corso CEPOL, ovvero, nei precedenti due anni accademici, uno dei corsi di aggiornamento elencati all'art. 3, comma 1, del P.C.D. 6 settembre 2018, si fa presente che le richieste di partecipazione devono essere inoltrate a questa Direzione Generale (prot.dgf.dap@giustiziacert.it), **entro e non oltre il 02 marzo 2026.**

I candidati dovranno essere preventivamente registrati sulla piattaforma LEED di CEPOL. Dopo la ricezione della nota di segnalazione da parte dell'Amministrazione di appartenenza, l'Unità Nazionale CEPOL accrediterà il personale segnalato sulla pagina del corso. Il candidato dovrà poi compilare e caricare direttamente sulla piattaforma digitale il "*Participants Registration Travel Request*" e " *Participant Profile*", e rimanere in attesa dell'eventuale *confirmation* da parte del Couse Manager

Si allegano i seguenti documenti;

- *Activity Curriculum;*
- *Draft programme;*
- *Participant Registration Travel Request*
- *Participant Profile*

Per quanto riguarda le spese di missione, si informa che successivamente alla designazione da parte della Unità Nazionale CEPOL, il biglietto aereo verrà prenotato ed acquistato dall'Agenzia, che terrà in considerazione i voli che consentano l'arrivo prima dell'inizio e la partenza subito dopo la fine del corso. CEPOL sosterrà anche i costi

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dell'alloggio, mentre le restanti spese e la diaria giornaliera saranno a carico dell'Amministrazione di appartenenza del partecipante.

Fatte salve cause di forza maggiore, debitamente documentate, l'Agenzia si riserva il diritto di richiedere un risarcimento all'Amministrazione di appartenenza, nel caso di danno attribuibile ad inadempienze del partecipante al corso (ad esempio non prendere parte al corso dopo l'effettuazione delle prenotazioni).

Si precisa, infine, che le eventuali candidature dovranno obbligatoriamente essere corredate da apposita attestazione, rilasciata dagli enti abilitati, comprovante la conoscenza della lingua inglese con livello minimo B2.

Cordiali saluti.

Il Direttore Generale
Antonio Fullone

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Corso 22/2026 "Drug crime and markets: strategic analysis".
14 – 17 aprile 2026, Lisbona (Portogallo).

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CEPOL Portogallo, congiuntamente all'European Drugs Agency (EUDA), ha comunicato che, dal 14 al 17 aprile 2026 (con arrivo il 13 aprile), organizzerà, a Lisbona, il corso indicato in oggetto.

Il corso è indirizzato ai Funzionari ed Ufficiali delle Forze di Polizia con incarichi di comando, o in procinto di assumere tali posizioni, impegnati in attività antidroga connesse al contrasto della criminalità organizzata.

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L'Italia potrà partecipare con un rappresentante in qualità di discente avente un'adeguata conoscenza della lingua inglese (livello minimo B2). In caso di vacanza dei posti disponibili si potrà chiedere di partecipare con ulteriori frequentatori.

I candidati alla partecipazione del corso dovranno essere preventivamente registrati sulla piattaforma LEEd di CEPOL. Dopo la ricezione della nota di segnalazione da parte dell'Amministrazione di appartenenza, questa Unità Nazionale accrediterà il personale segnalato sulla pagina del corso. Il candidato dovrà poi compilare e caricare direttamente sulla piattaforma digitale il *Participant Profile form* ed il *Participant Registration Travel Request form* e rimanere in attesa dell'eventuale *confirmation* da parte del Course Manager.

Ciò premesso, si chiede di voler segnalare a questa Unità Nazionale, entro il **6 marzo 2026**, l'eventuale nominativo di un candidato ai fini dell'individuazione del partecipante nazionale, trasmettendone l'indirizzo di posta elettronica ed un recapito telefonico.

Per quanto riguarda le spese di missione, si informa che il viaggio, successivamente alla designazione da parte di questa Unità Nazionale, sarà prenotato ed a carico dell'Agenzia, che terrà in considerazione i voli che consentano l'arrivo prima dell'inizio e la partenza subito dopo la fine del corso. CEPOL sosterrà anche i costi dell'alloggio, mentre le restanti spese e la diaria giornaliera saranno a carico dell'Amministrazione di appartenenza del partecipante.

Alla luce di ciò si rende noto che, fatte salve cause di forza maggiore debitamente documentate, l'Agenzia si riserva il diritto di richiedere un risarcimento all'Amministrazione di appartenenza nel caso di danno attribuibile ad inadempienze del partecipante (es. non prendere parte al corso dopo l'effettuazione delle prenotazioni).

Si allegano i seguenti documenti inerenti il corso:
- Activity Curriculum;
- Draft Programme;
- Participant Registration Travel Request;
- Participant Profile.

Le Direzioni ed i Comandi in indirizzo sono cortesemente pregati di far pervenire le loro risposte all'indirizzo di posta elettronica in intestazione. La dipendente Unità Nazionale CEPOL resta a disposizione per ogni ulteriore precisazione ai recapiti telefonici 0646524.343, 380 e 476, nonché all'e-mail: italy.cepol@interno.it.

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T15	**Drug crime and markets: Strategic analysis**
PARTICIPANT - PROFILE	22/2026/ons Joint CEPOL-EUDA onsite course 14-17 April 2026 Ikonik Lisboa, Lisbon, Portugal

Thank you for your interest to participate in the upcoming joint CEPOL – EUDA training.

The course **targets** advanced practitioners of law enforcement (police and customs) managers in decision-making positions allocating resources and/or directing drug-related organised crime operations as well as prosecutors/judicial officials. The course is also suitable for law enforcement officers who are about to take up such positions.

To ensure a coherent group, you are kindly requested to provide more details about your professional profile. Please complete all fields below **as detailed as possible**, as this helps during the selection stage of all nominations.

First name		Last name	
Title/Rank/Function		Country	
Organisation			
Office phone		Mobile Phone	
Email *(as used on LEEd)*			
Type of L.E.	☐ Police ☐ Customs ☐Border/Coast/Maritime ☐ Judiciary/Prosecutor ☐ Other		

Supervisor/Line Manager Data	
Name and Surname	
Office/Mobile Phone	
Email	

1. What is your current area of expertise?	

All personal data collected by the Agency are processed in accordance with the provisions of Regulation (EU) 2018/1725 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 23 October 2018 on the protection of natural persons with regard to the processing of personal data by the Union institutions, bodies, offices and agencies and on the free movement of such data.
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T19	**Drug crime and markets: Strategic analysis**
PARTICIPANT REGISTRATION & TRAVEL REQUEST	22/2026/ons Joint CEPOL-EUDA onsite course 14-17 April 2026 Ikonik Lisboa, Lisbon, Portugal

REGISTRATION			
First Name (as shown in passport/ID)		Last/Family Name (as shown in passport/ID)	
Ms/Mrs/Mr		Nationality	
Date of birth			
Passport/ID number[1]		Passport/ID valid until	
Organisation			
Title/Rank/Function			
Office phone	+	Mobile phone	+
Email *(as used on LEEd)*			
Alternative email (private) (*optional*) *			

** If you don't have regular access to your work email, it's important to provide an alternative email address. This helps make sure you can receive and respond to any travel-related messages on time.*

The following is only to be completed for onsite activities:

☐ I am entitled to CEPOL funding, and I am requesting travel, meals and accommodation booking.
☐ I am entitled to CEPOL funding for international travel only and I am requesting the booking.

Self/payers (choose one):

☐ I am a self-payer and I do not require any bookings from the Organiser.
☐ I am a self-payer, but I request the Organiser to book accommodation for me.
☐ I am a self-payer, but I request the Organiser to book lunch for me.

TRAVEL[2]			
Activity start date		Activity end date	
Activity start time		Activity end time	

[1] Passport details and date of birth are only relevant and obligatory for onsite activities when travel is involved.

[2] Bookings are made based on the offers of the travel agency, taking into consideration the best available transport option, the agenda of the activity and CEPOL's financial guidelines. Please note that CEPOL is NOT required to consult with participants on possible travel options, as long as the departure time of the main means of transport is after 08:00hrs and the arrival time is before 22:00hrs. CEPOL is authorised to book alternative flight/train/bus option in case the preferred option does not fulfil the above criteria. Tickets sent electronically or by surface mail by the travel agency are already purchased, and they are not refundable and not changeable. For all other matters the User Guide (T88) is applicable.

Please be aware of the following:
By filling and submitting this registration/travel form you are considered to have implicitly provided consent to process/transfer your personal data;

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PROGRAMME
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Drug crime and markets: Strategic analysis
22/2026/ons
Joint CEPOL-EUDA onsite course
14-17 April 2026
Hotel Ikonik, Lisbon; Portugal

Day 1, Tuesday 14 April 2026		
Opening 09:00 – 10:00	**Welcome, logistics, introductions and key concepts** *Round Table*	CEPOL, EUDA, Experts, Participants
Session 1 10:00 – 10:30	**EUDA routine and non-routine monitoring of drug data** *Presentation*	Tim Surmont, EUDA
10:30 – 11:00	Coffee break	
Session 2 11:00 – 12:30	**A social perspective on the drug phenomenon** *Presentation and group discussion*	Thomas Martinelli, Trimbos Institute Netherlands
12:30 – 13:30	Lunch	
Session 3 13:30 – 15:00	**Strategic and operational cooperation between law enforcement, customs and prosecution** *Presentation and discussion*	Martin van Nes, National Prosecutor Netherlands
15:00 – 15:30	Coffee break	
Session 4 15:30 – 17:00	**Workshop I** *Group work*	Robert Patrancus, EUDA; Participants

Day 2, Wednesday 15 April 2026

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Session 5 & 6 09:00 – 10:30	**The EU approach to drug policy, partner activities and civil society** *Presentation*	Danilo Ballotta, EUDA
	An introduction to Europol: Strategic work from SOCTA to EMPACT *Presentation*	Marianne Milligan, Europol
10:30 – 11:00	Coffee break	
Session 7 & 8 11:00 – 12:30	**Drug-related violence: Young men as contract killers** *Presentation*	Linda Staaf, Polisen Sweden
	Recruitment of young people for participation in European drug markets *Presentation*	Alexander Söderholm, EUDA
12:30 – 13:30	Lunch	
Session 9 & 10 13:30 – 15:00	**Drug Consumption Rooms in Europe: Models, Provision and Data** *Presentation*	Kateřina Škařupová, EUDA
	An introduction to Drug Checking Services – Kosmicare Portugal *Presentation*	Daniel Martins, Kosmicare, Portugal
15:00 – 15:30	Coffee break	
Session 11 15:30 – 17:00	**Workshop II** *Group work*	Robert Patrancus, EUDA, Klaidas Kuchalskis, EUDA, Ivy van der Werf, EUDA, Participants

Day 3, Thursday 16 April 2026

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Session 12 09:00 – 10:30	**Understanding the evolving drug situation in Afghanistan** *Presentation and group discussion*	David Mansfield, United Kingdom
10:30 – 11:00	Coffee break	
Session 13 & 14 11:00 – 12:30	**Response against drug trafficking via postal services** *Presentation*	Marc Vancoillie, Federal Police Belgium
	New Psychoactive Substances: Further insights *Presentation*	Ana Matias, EUDA
12:30 – 13:30	Lunch	
Session 15 & 16 13:30 – 15:00	**Drug production and precursors within the new EUDA mandate** *Presentation*	Katarzyna Berkowicz, EUDA
	Precursors and non-scheduled chemicals: diversion and control *Presentation*	Hans Hendriks, FIOD Netherlands
15:00 – 15:30	Coffee break	
Session 17 15:30 – 17:00	**Workshop III** *Group work*	Robert Patrancus, EUDA, Klaidas Kuchalskis, EUDA, Ivy van der Werf, EUDA, Participants
19:30	**Farewell dinner**	

Day 4, Friday 17 April 2026		
Session 18 09:00 – 10:30	**Feedback from the workshops: Strategic analysis reporting** *Presentations and discussion*	Participants

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10:30 – 11:00	Coffee break	
Session 19 11:00 – 12:00	**Drawing everything together: Course review** *Discussion*	CEPOL, EUDA, Experts, Participants
	Evaluation *On LEEd*	CEPOL, EUDA, Experts, Participants
12:00 – 13:00	Lunch	
13:00	**Departures**	

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ACTIVITY CURRICULUM T05 v1, 5 Feb 2026	**Drug crime and markets: Strategic analysis** 22/2026/ons Joint CEPOL-EUDA onsite course 14-17 April 2026 Hotel Ikonik, Lisbon, Portugal

Organisers	**CEPOL** – EU agency for law enforcement training; Üllői út 114-116, 1101 Budapest, Hungary; www.cepol.europa.eu jointly with **EUDA** – European drugs agency; Praca Europa 1, Cais do Sodre 1249-289 Lisbon, Portugal; www.euda.europa.eu
Course location and hotel	The course will be held at hotel Ikonik Lisboa, Av. Mediterrâneo 1 12.04, 1990-221 Lisboa, Portugal (website). Participants and experts will be accommodated in the same hotel.
Online learning support[1]	The course makes extensive use of CEPOL's online learning platform LEEd through: 1. Dedicated course-related pages which are only accessible to participants, trainers, experts and the managers of the course (link will be shared in the participants' confirmation letter in March); 2. Various training resources such as eLessons, modules and recorded webinars (links will be included in the dedicated course-related pages); 3. CEPOL training hub: Drug trafficking. The course managers will monitor the progress of the participants aimed at optimising their achievements and facilitating the learning process on individual and group level.
Course managers	Course design and implementation: Julian.terHuurne@cepol.europa.eu, senior training officer and portfolio holder training drug trafficking, m: +36 30 526 5495 Course content: Tim.Surmont@euda.europa.eu, scientific analyst, m: +351 93 836 8532
Assistant	Judit.Siposne-Pitunyak.ext@cepol.europa.eu, administrative assistant CEPOL Joris.Sarles@euda.europa.eu EUDA assistant
Number of participants	35
Number of experts/trainers	15
Profile and requirements of experts and trainers	1. Extensive knowledge in the area of scientific analysis of drug markets. 2. Experience in CEPOL-EUDA training courses on drugs. 3. Expertise in international law enforcement cooperation.
Overall aim	To strengthen the use of information sources and strategic analysis of drug markets for decision making relevant to the reduction of illicit drug production, precursors and supply and tackling of other drug-

[1] For online activities or blended learning.

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	related crime to enhance the impact of law enforcement and judicial response on organised crime and subsequently the health and security of EU citizens.	
Target group	Law enforcement (police and customs) managers in decision-making positions allocating resources and/or directing drug-related organised crime operations as well as prosecutors/judicial officials. The course is also suitable for law enforcement officers who are about to take up such positions. Level: advanced practitioner	
Learning outcomes	**After the course completion, the participant will be able to:**	**Training session**
	1. Describe the main EU drug markets and explain how daily operations relate to their wider impacts and consequences.	Sessions 1, 2, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 18 and selected preparatory online assignments
	2. Recognise the value of a strategic approach in operations against drug-related crimes and the usefulness of robust data to identify new opportunities and challenges.	Sessions 1, 3, 4, 5, 8, 10, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18 and selected preparatory online assignments
	3. Determine new sources of strategic data and critically evaluate opportunities for improvement of operational practices.	Sessions 1, 3, 4, 5, 8, 10, 13, 14, 16, 17, 18 and selected preparatory online assignments
	4. Apply the strategic analysis knowledge and competencies to critically assess domestic operational practices related to drug-related crime and markets on a national and relevant international context.	Sessions 4, 10, 16, 17, 18 and selected preparatory online assignments
	5. Describe roles of relevant EU agencies, other international organisations and scientific entities, specifically related to the monitoring of drugs, risk and threat assessments, strategic analyses, policy support, training and professionalisation.	Sessions 1, 5, 7, 8, 9, 13, 14, 18 and selected preparatory online assignments
	6. Discuss appropriate tools for gathering and exchanging information and intelligence with partners inside and outside the EU.	Sessions 1, 4, 8, 10, 13, 14, 16, 17, 18 and selected preparatory online assignments
	7. Describe the dynamics of organised criminal networks, including criminal finances on a strategic level.	Sessions 3, 6, 7, 8, 11, 12, 15, 18 and selected preparatory online assignments
Content (main topics/ sub-topics)	1. Impacts and drivers of drug markets. - Drug-related crime. - Criminal networks. - Social perspective.	

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	- Environmental impact. 2. Data collection, monitoring, analysis and reporting. - Monitoring drug supply. - EUDA's European Drug and European Drug Markets Reports. - Changes in the EU drug market. 3. Actions and responses to drug markets. - EU approach to drug policy. - EMPACT and SOCTA. - Precursors and non-scheduled substances. - Harm reduction - Drug markets entry mechanisms. - Drug-related violence. - Cooperation between prosecution, police and customs - Drug trafficking via mail and postal parcel services.
Horizontal topics	1. Document fraud; 2. Criminal finances; 3. Fundamental rights.
Learning strategy	1. The learning process highlights a learner-centred approach. It will accommodate interactive, participatory, practical and experiential orientated principles. The activity involves: • Self-regulative pre-course preparation by the participants through differentiated assignments to be taken based on professional training needs of the learners; • Interactive presentations by subject matter experts; • Reflections and discussions by participants enhancing the understanding of the theories and applying them in practice; • Case-based exercises to apply and assimilate knowledge in the learner's professional work-contexts. 2. The activity is divided in three learning phases: • Online preparatory course activation of learners through assignments to provide a knowledge base for the individuals and to create a common understanding of the course's subject matter: **16 hours**. The preparation will take place through CEPOL's course pages on LEEd; • Contact phase of the onsite activity with workshops, lectures, discussions and practical exercises to emphasise the essential elements of the course's subject matter necessary to achieve the learning outcomes: **28 hours**. The main goal of this phase is to integrate the participants' prior knowledge and experiences (including the knowledge base constructed in the online course preparation phase), into their existing professional mental schematics for problem solving strategies through workshops and practical exercises; • Follow-up learning phase that focuses on the further exploration of new knowledge and its inclusion into the participants' personal and organisational set of competencies: suggested up to **10 hours** in the year following the event. Through the course pages on LEEd and the CEPOL training hub: Drug trafficking, learning and training opportunities are offered to participants. In doing so, the learners are offered the opportunity to take responsibility of their own continuous learning. They are encouraged to engage in sharing this with colleagues on their national and

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	international levels.	
Training resources and learning methods	☒ Presentations ☒ Practical exercises ☒ Assignments	☒Case studies ☒Group work ☒ Live discussions
Assessment strategy	The assessment strategy focuses on both the grades achieved at the online preparatory course activation phase and the overall learning process during the contact phase that includes their engagement and completion of assignments, participation in discussions, reflections and presentations. It is a combination of: 1. Participants' self-assessment; 2. Monitoring of learners' progress; 3. Trainers' feedback. Certificates and badges will be issued to participants who successfully complete assignments set in the online preparatory course phase.	
Use of CEPOL LEEd (LMS) during the residential stage is mandatory for participants evaluation		
Preparatory assignments on LEEd	☒ eLessons ☒ Recorded webinars & knowledge quizzes ☒ Online Modules ☒ Assignments	
Follow-up learning opportunities	Details are provided in the 'Learning strategy section above'.	
Duration	Days: 4	Training hours (onsite): 28 Total (including pre- and post-activity): 54
Learning environment	The learning environment is split into two: ***1. Online learning environment on LEEd*** In the preparatory and contact phases of the course, the course will have pages dedicated to the event which are only accessible to the participants and trainers of the course. These pages include information on logistics, the course curriculum, programme, announcement forum, assignments and resources. LEEd will furthermore offer separate training resources such as eLessons, modules and recorded webinars with knowledge quizzes. These are accessible to all LEEd users. Links to these pages on LEEd will be shared with participants in the confirmation letter in March. In the follow-up learning phase, the CEPOL training hub: Drug trafficking will be used for the continuous learning opportunities offered. ***2. Contact phase training room*** The training room at the contact phase has a capacity of 45 people, setup in 'islands'. Wi-Fi is available. The facility will be fully equipped and prepared to deliver training session and include: 1. Screens; 2. Whiteboards and flipcharts; 3. Paper and pens; 4. Lectern; 5. Audio-visual equipment.	

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	Water, refreshments and meals will be provided throughout the course. Security instructions and signs as well as fire extinguishers will be visible.
Technical requirements	Participants must: 1. Register on the CEPOL LEEd (mandatory). 2. Bring a personal laptop/tablet (mandatory).
Additional information	This course is the 10th edition of the activity, first established in 2017. It is based on the joint strategic analysis conducted by EUDA and Europol. CEPOL and EUDA are responsible for the overall delivery and quality of the training. The training is part of of both EMPACT priorities on drug trafficking Synthetic Drugs/NPS and Cannabis/Cocaine/Heroin . The course managers are responsible for the implementation of the curriculum and will be present and active during all of the course stages. The CEPOL administrative assistant will support them. A certificate will be issued to participants who successfully completed and evaluated the course. Badges and certificates will be issued to learners who successfully completed their pre-course assignments.

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