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### Item 11 – Capacity building

#### Cybercrime Programme Office of the Council of Europe (C-PROC)

- capacity building activities (November 2025 - June 2026)

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# C-PROC: priorities 2026+

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- Dynamic triad (BC framework, the T-CY and C-PROC)
- Global scope and relevance of C-PROC
- Coordination with UN -synergies between the BC and UN treaty (conditions and safeguards)
- Promotion of the 2AP – increase number of ratifications/entering into force
- Synergies between 2AP and EU framework on e-evidence
- Support countries interested to join the Budapest Convention
- Relevant topics for further capacity building (cyberviolence, AI, virtual assets, election interference, disinformation/misinformation)

# C-PROC: overview

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- Mission: support countries in building stronger criminal justice capacities on cybercrime and e-evidence in line with the Budapest Convention and with rule of law safeguards
- Projects: 7 ongoing projects with a cumulative budget of EUR 41 million
- Activities: 190 activities (November 2025 - May 2026)
- Topics: legislation and policies, training, operational support, inter-agency/private-public/international cooperation, resources
- Personnel: 48 staff

# C-PROC: current projects



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<b>OCTOPUS Project</b>	Jan 2021 – Dec 2027	EUR 10 million	Voluntary contributions (USA, UK, Japan, Canada, Hungary, France, Iceland, Italy, Malta, Netherlands) [funding not fully secured]
<b>GLACY-e project on Global Action on Cybercrime Enhanced</b>	Aug 2023 – Dec 2028	EUR 11 million	EU/CoE joint project (including Council of Europe 10% OB/JPP)
<b>CyberUA project on strengthening capacities on electronic evidence of war crimes and gross human rights violations in Ukraine</b>	Feb 2024 – Dec 2026	EUR 3.5 million	Voluntary contributions to the Ukraine Action Plan and Ordinary Budget [funding not fully secured]
<b>CyberEast+ on enhanced action on cybercrime for cyber resilience in Eastern Partnership States</b>	Mar 2024 – Feb 2027	EUR 3.89 million	EU/CoE joint project (including Council of Europe 10% OB/JPP)
<b>CyberSouth+ project on enhanced co-operation on cybercrime and electronic evidence in the Southern Neighbourhood Region</b>	Jan 2024 – Dec 2026	EUR 3.89 million	EU/CoE joint project (including Council of Europe 10% OB/JPP)
<b>CyberSEE project on enhanced action on cybercrime and electronic evidence in South-East Europe and Türkiye</b>	Jan 2024 – Jun 2027	EUR 5.55 million	EU/CoE joint project (including Council of Europe 10% OB/JPP)
<b>CyberSPEX project on enhanced co-operation on e-evidence by EU Member States through the Second Additional Protocol to the Convention on Cybercrime</b>	Mar 2024 – Dec 2026	EUR 2.23 million	EU/CoE joint project (including Council of Europe 10% OB/JPP)

## Capacity building projects

- CyberKOP Action: extended by Dec 2026
- GlacyFOA: under final review
- CyberSOUTH+: exploring the continuation (cost extension)
- CyberUA: a new AP is under development (AI in criminal justice, virtual assets, e-evidence, OSINT, election interference)

## Resources

- Guide/SOP –investigation online scams
- SOP-seizing cryptocurrencies
- Guide on investigating cryptocurrencies
- Judicial training on cryptocurrencies
- Guide on capacity building on AI and cybercrime
- Cyberviolence-toolkit

# C-PROC: relevant activities

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- Assistance on BC: Malaysia, Kazakhstan, Mozambique, Ghana, Cameroon, Guatemala, Uruguay, Timor Leste, Rwanda
- Assistance on 2AP: Hungary, Romania, Spain, Colombia, Chile, Fiji, Peru, Costa Rica, Benin, Montenegro, North Macedonia, Bosnia and Herzegovina, Slovenia, Slovak Republic, Poland, Portugal, Spain, Latvia, Italy, Belgium, France, Germany, Luxemburg, The Netherlands, Ukraine
- Contribution to Global Fraud Summit, Geneva Cyber Week
- Cyber Skills programme
- Cyber Games 2026
- 12 Anniversary of C-PROC
- CIBERRED
- UN-CoE event in Egypt
- Underground Economy 2026
- Octopus Conference 2026
- CoE-EUROJUST joint event (cyberviolence)



# Functioning of the 24/7 Network

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## Secretariat of the Network

- Art 35 of the Budapest Convention
- Ensured by the Council of Europe

## Directory

- 81 Parties to the BC
- Contact details (institution, communication tools, availability, language, instructions)
- Dedicated space on CYBOX
- 8 updated versions shared with the Network (Argentina, Cyprus, Colombia, Lithuania, Paraguay, Peru, Philippines and Italy)



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## Capacity building activities

- Regional exercise on the cooperation through the 24/7 Network for African countries (26 November 2025, Kenya)
  - Benin, Cabo Verde, Cameroon, Côte d'Ivoire, Ghana, Mauritius, Morocco, Nigeria, Rwanda, Sao Tome and Principe, Senegal, Sierra Leone, Tunisia, Kenya, Malawi, Mozambique and Seychelles
  - Topics: role and responsibilities, templates for request of data, capacities, resources, training and SOP
  - Supported by 24/7 POC of France
  
- Second workshop on procedures for international cooperation (24 April 2026, Ukraine)
  - Participation: relevant UA institutions
  - Topics: role, responsibilities and function of the Network
  
- Workshop on the co-operation under the Second Additional Protocol through the 24/7 Network in the EU Member States (26 May 2026, Romania)
  - Participants 24/7 POC and MLA—countries
  - Topics: cooperation under the 2AP (Article 9 and 10)



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## Further capacity building activities

- Workshop on the co-operation under the Second Additional Protocol through the 24/7 Network in the LATAM
  - Participants 24/7 POC and MLA authorities
  - Topics: cooperation under the 2AP (Article 9 and 10)
  
- Annual Meeting of the 24/7 Network (15 October 2026, Strasbourg)
  - Participants: all Parties and Observers
  - Topics: functioning of the Network
  
- Further support to countries interested to join the BC