



# Annual Cooperation Plan 2015 of eu-LISA and Frontex

AREA – R&D / ABC / Smart Borders		
Frontex / eu-LISA STRUCTURE	ACTIVITY	TIMEFRAME
CBD/RDU / General Coordination Unit (GCU) & Operations Department (OPS)	Open invitation to eu-LISA to participate in the Working Group on Automated Border Controls (ABC WG) meetings.	Q1-Q4
CBD/RDU / GCU & OPS	Invitation from Frontex to eu-LISA to the 11th ABC Workshop.	Q3 2015
CBD/RDU / GCU & OPS	Contribute to the organisation of the conferences of each Agency.	Q3 Q2
CBD/RDU / GCU & OPS	Guidelines for the processing of Third Country Nationals (TCNs) through ABC gates at EU border crossing points.	Q1
CBD/RDU / GCU & OPS	Proposal for Frontex to contribute to the Smart Border pilot project.	Q1-Q4
CBD/RDU / GCU & OPS	EU funded FP 7 projects pertinent to ABC – Fast Pass and ABC <sub>4</sub> EU – collaborate in advisory boards and evaluation and review committees where both parties are involved and involve the other party in discussions with these and other relevant projects.	Q1-Q4
CBD/RDU / GCU & OPS	Frontex will consult eu-LISA during the developing phase of the project on developing common procurement guidelines for ABC	Q1-Q2
CBD/RDU / GCU & OPS	Introduction to ABC Operational Research simulation and cost benefit analysis tools. Frontex has run simulations and analysis for several MS. To consider the use of the tools for Smart Border pilot project.	Q1-Q4
CBD/RDU / GCU	Subject to relevant agenda items, <i>ad hoc</i> participation of Frontex in eu-LISA's Advisory Groups (based on the need-to-know principle).	
AREA – R&D / VIS		
Frontex / eu-LISA STRUCTURE	ACTIVITY	TIMEFRAME
RDU / GCU & OPS	Open invitation to eu-LISA to participate in the VIS Working Group (WG) meetings/workshops.	Q1-Q4

AREA - Training		
Frontex / eu-LISA STRUCTURE	ACTIVITY	TIMEFRAME
CBD /TRU / GCU	<p>Exchange of best practices on Schengen evaluation training.</p> <p>Consider preparing a supplementary training / briefing session on the functionalities and statistics of the IT systems managed by eu-LISA (VIS/SIS II/Eurodac) to the Schengen Evaluation training delivered by Frontex.</p> <p>Attendance of eu-LISA participants at the Schengen Evaluators Course (trainer role/participant role).</p>	Q1-Q4
CBD /TRU / GCU	<p>Exchange of best practices and plans connected on the development of training IT platforms. Continued availability for mutual access to (staff members and trainers):</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- eu-LISA training platform LMS, and</li> <li>- Frontex training platform Virtual Aula.</li> </ul>	Q1-Q4
CBD /TRU / GCU	Exchange of trainers (possibility to establish a common list of trainers with relevant areas of expertise) between Frontex and eu-LISA.	Q1-Q4
CBD /TRU / GCU	eu-LISA to develop jointly with Frontex a supplementary training module, an information package/ or awareness training on VIS/SIS II/Eurodac focusing on relevant aspects for border guard officers (including eLearning modules and/or participation in the Frontex courses as a trainer).	Q2 - Q4
CBD /TRU / GCU	Representatives to be invited to Frontex National Training Coordinators meetings and eu-LISA Network of Contact Points for training.	Q1-Q4
CBD /TRU / GCU	Consider possible contribution by eu-LISA to the Frontex MA programme, i.e. to the module on modern border guarding technologies taught in the Estonian Academy of Security Sciences – the partner institution of the Frontex MA programme.	Q2 - Q4
CBD /TRU / GCU	Yearly meeting on eu-LISA – Frontex cooperation in the area of training.	Q1-Q4
AREA – Information Exchange / Media Monitoring		

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FSC – Frontex Situation Centre	<u>Administrative documents/invitations</u> prepared by eu-LISA shall be sent to Frontex general email ( <a href="mailto:frontex@frontex.europa.eu">frontex@frontex.europa.eu</a> ) and further handled by Registration officers.	Q1-Q4
FSC – Frontex Situation Centre/ GCU	Dissemination of the FSC Daily Newsletter to interested staff in eu-LISA;  Access to the Frontex Media Monitor web application to relevant staff of eu-LISA;  In case of special information and awareness campaigns of mutual interest, providing support in the implementation of media monitoring tools and impact assessments and sharing media monitoring results.	Q1-Q4
eu-LISA	Smart Border related topics may be addressed to the functional mailbox <a href="mailto:smart.borders@eulisa.europa.eu">smart.borders@eulisa.europa.eu</a> .	
AREA – Resources		
Frontex / eu-LISA STRUCTURE	ACTIVITY	TIMEFRAME
FPU/ GCU/ RAD	Finance: Exchange of lessons learned in electronic monitoring tools used by Frontex.	Q1-Q4
HRSU/ GCU/ RAD	Human resources: Cooperation on lessons learned in preparation of Multiannual Staff Policy Plans in the circumstances of mandatory staff cuts and processes pertaining to the adaptation of the new Implementing Rules, issued by the Commission the specific needs of the Agency and other policy documents in the Human Resources remit.	Q1-Q4
AREA – External relations		
Frontex/eu-LISA STRUCTURE	ACTIVITY	
RELEX-IO/GCU	Cooperation on policy matters and liaison with EU institutions	Q1-Q4
RELEX-IO/GCU	Cooperation in various policy areas based on the objectives and priorities of JHA Agencies network chaired by eu-LISA in 2015.	Q1-Q4