

# 2018 Annual Report

**A Year of Accomplishments**



**STANDING POLICE CAPACITY (SPC)**

Serve and protect

# 2018 ANNUAL REPORT

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The Standing Police Capacity (SPC) 2018 Annual Report recounts SPC's contributions during the year, including start-up capacities, and technical assistance in mission and non-mission settings. These contributions reflect the SPC's vision and approach including a focus on integrating and ensuring full compliance with the Strategic Guidance Framework for International Police Peacekeeping, enhancing capacities and capabilities, strengthening partnerships and streamlined work methods, and broadening the presence of UN police. Further, SPC's engagements are fully aligned with the Police Division's leading role on police and law enforcement matters in the UN system, as underscored in the Secretary-General Report on Policing (S/2018/1183), 31 December 2018.



## FOREWORD

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I am pleased to present you the SPC Annual Report for 2018, another year of challenges and another twelve months of building partnerships for sustainable peace and security. As the operational element of the United Nations Police Division, the SPC, with its team of only 36, has literally been flying out to all corners the globe providing police expertise in line with the standards of the UN.

Christoph Buik





2018

# MULTIPLE AREAS OF EXPERTISE



## AUTHORIZED: 36 STAFF MEMBERS

STAFF MEMBERS WHO SERVED IN THE SPC IN 2018 CAME FROM 21 COUNTRIES, OF WHICH 28% WERE FEMALE.

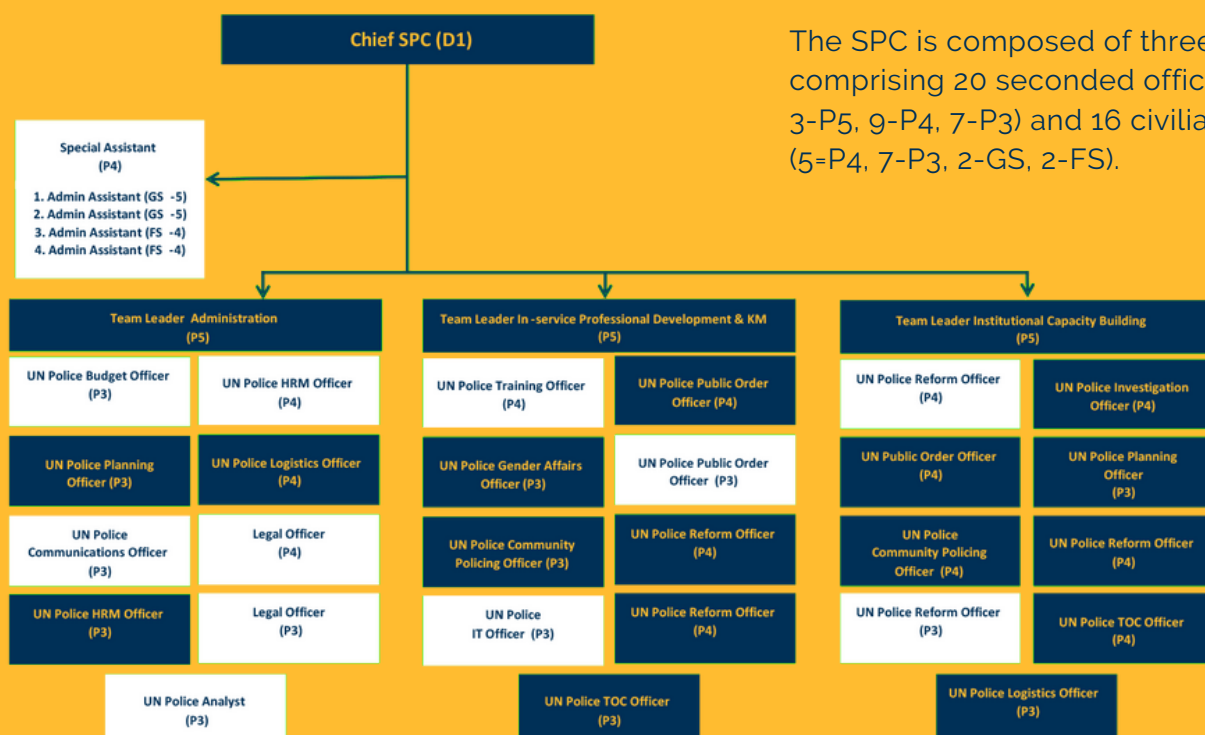


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# SPC STRUCTURE

Although SPC expertise covers 15 policing thematic areas, the SPC is able through applying a multi-hatted approach to fulfil needs in additional areas such as election security, programme management, etc.

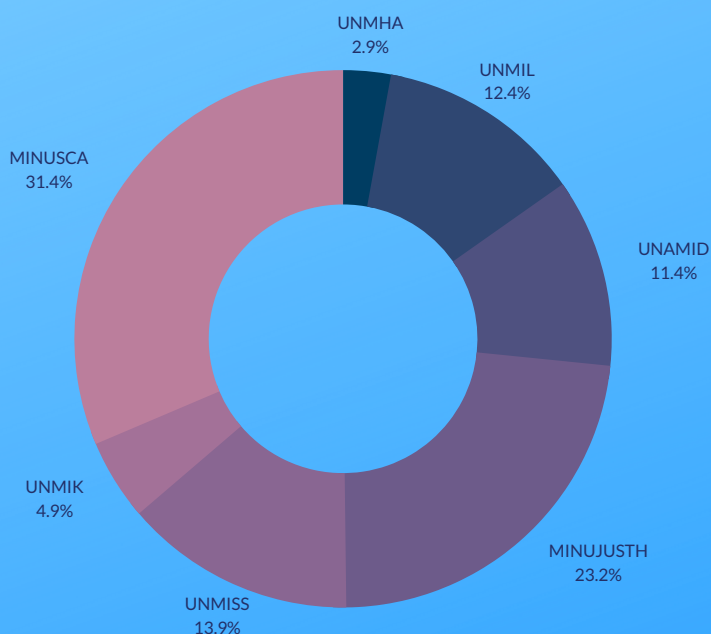
The SPC is composed of three teams, comprising 20 seconded officers (1-D1, 3-P5, 9-P4, 7-P3) and 16 civilian posts (5-P4, 7-P3, 2-GS, 2-FS).





# SPC DEPLOYMENTS TO PEACE OPERATIONS

The SPC provides start-up capability for the police components of new UN peace operations, as well as providing advice, expertise and assistance in the field of institutional law enforcement capacity building.



## 1310 WORKING DAYS IN 7 UN MISSIONS

15 SPC experts supported 6 UN missions with strategic, operational and technical advice, expertise and assistance: MINUJUSTH, Haiti; MINUSCA, Central African Republic; UNAMID, Darfur; UNMIL, Liberia; UNMIK, Kosovo and UNMISS, South Sudan.

In December 2018, four SPC advisers were rapidly dispatched to Hodeidah, Yemen, to join the Redeployment Coordination Committee (RCC), under the United Nations Mission to support the Hodeidah Agreement (UNMHA).





# Peace Operations

## MINUSCA

### DEVELOPMENT OF HOST STATE POLICE

Provided leadership for the MINUSCA police component; built the capacity of the Internal Security Forces of CAR through reform and training coordination and provided remote assistance and support.

## UNMHA

### START-UP MISSION

Participated in the start-up team for the United Nations Mission to support the Hodeidah Agreement (UNMHA), and supported the work of the Redeployment Coordination Committee (RCC).

## UNAMID

### STRATEGIC ADVICE

Supported the development and institutionalization of Standard Operating Procedures for the Sudan Police Force.

## UNMIK

### INTERPOL OFFICE SUPPORT

Provided expertise and assistance to the UNMIK Interpol Liaison Unit (ILU), in close coordination with the Interpol National Central Bureau (NCB) and the Kosovo Police.





# Peace Operations

## UNMISS

### CONFLICT PREVENTION

Provided technical assistance to the police component in establishing crime analysis and operational planning capabilities; including a focus on related aspects of intelligence led policing and a community policing orientation, particularly as it relates to the protection of civilians.

## MINUJUSTH

### STRATEGIC PLANNING

Enhanced the capabilities of IPOs and Government Provided Personnel for mentoring, monitoring and advising the Haitian National Police (HNP); improved UNPOL monitoring, evaluation and developmental planning and implementation capacity; and reinforced the HNP capacity in command, control, management and administration.

## UNMIL

### TRANSITION SUPPORT

Contributed to the orderly closure of the UNMIL police component, and the seamless transitional coordination with other UNMIL components, national authorities, UNCT and key stakeholders in the final months of drawdown.







# SPC DEPLOYMENTS TO NON-MISSION SETTINGS

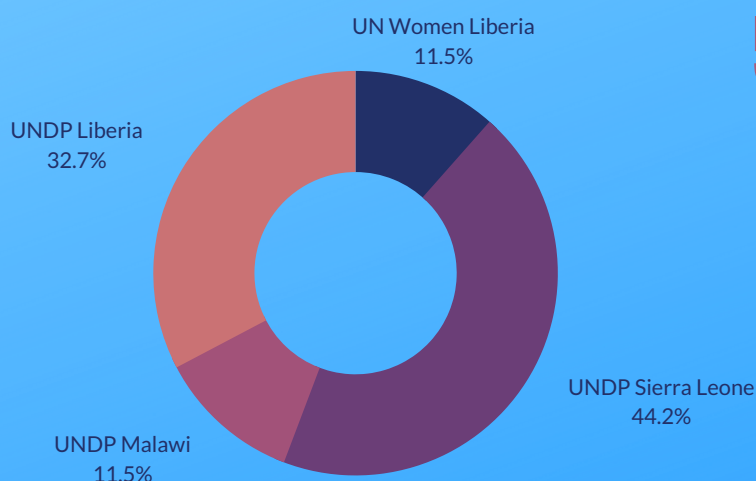
Effective and efficient policing can be the answer to most contemporary threats to peace and security. Thus, even before a conflict erupts, supporting the strengthening of rule of law institutions, such as police and law enforcement agencies, are part of the conflict prevention toolbox that can help governments to protect human rights and address breakdowns in law and order, and help avoid the need for larger-scale interventions down the road.

To that end, throughout 2018, the SPC deployed experts, through the Global Focal Point for Police, Justice and Corrections (GFP) arrangement, to provide UN partners in non-mission settings with technical assistance to further their rule of law programs, thus contributing to strengthening policing and rule of law across the entire peace spectrum, including conflict prevention and peace sustainment. The SPC also maintained frequent contacts with UNCT members with a view to providing continuous support to peacebuilding processes.

## 538 WORKING DAYS WITH UNDP, UN WOMEN

4 SPC Advisers worked with UNDP in Sierra Leone, Liberia and Malawi, supporting the capacity development of the host countries' police and other security service institutions.

1 SPC Expert provided technical assistance to UN WOMEN in Liberia to assess gender mainstreaming in the police.



# One UN Approach

## UNDP

### SIERRA LEONE

Supported election security activities under the "Conflict Prevention and Mitigation" project, providing training, coaching and mentoring, and setting up a National Election Situation Room.

## UNDP

### LIBERIA

Worked in close collaboration with UNDP Liberia's Senior Advisor on SSR and Transitions and with the Joint Rule of Law Programme Manager, towards further enhancing the institutional capacity of the Liberian National Police and the Liberian Immigration Service.

## UN WOMEN

### LIBERIA

Provided technical assistance for revising the Liberian National Police Gender Policy and developed a 5-year implementation plan. Conducted and facilitated participatory gender audit.

## UNDP

### MALAWI

Conducted an initial assessment of the preparedness of the Malawi Police Service to provide security to the 2019 elections, identifying capacity gaps in technical and strategic skills, and logistics to be addressed in immediate, mid and long-term support.







# TRAINING DELIVERY



# KNOWLEDGE SHARING



## 2 UN POLICE COMMANDERS' COURSES

5 SPC Experts designed and delivered the Pilot Course in Entebbe, Uganda, in February and the first course in Langfang, China, in September with 15 participants in each session.



## UN FORMED POLICE UNIT COMMANDERS COURSE

Development and delivery of the FPU Commanders' Course in Vicenza, Italy, by 2 SPC experts for 15 days with 24 FPU commanders participating.

## 3 FEMALE SENIOR POLICE COMMANDERS' COURSES

Kuala Lumpur, Malaysia: 14 days, 1 SPC Expert, 44 participants;  
Dakar, Senegal: 8 days, 2 SPC Experts, 50 participants;  
Amman, Jordan: 14 days, 2 SPC Experts, 50 participants.



INITIATING



DESIGNING



IMPLEMENTING



## CORE PRE-DEPLOYMENT TRAINING

All Female Pre-SAAT, Ouagadougou, Burkina Faso: 15 days, 3 SPC Experts, 94 participants;  
Boeblingen, Germany: 1 day, 1 SPC Expert, 25 participants;  
Civilian Pre-deployment, Brindisi, Italy: 1 day, 1 SPC Expert, 15 participants.

## TRAINING IN ENTEBBE

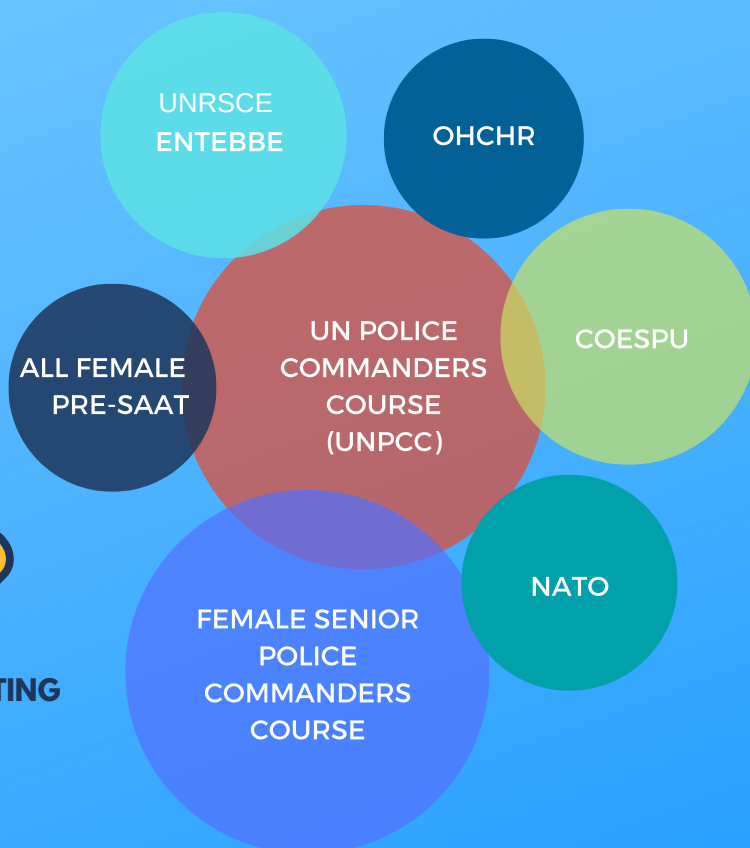
UN Police Gender Course: 7 days, 1 SPC Expert, 32 participants  
ToT on Child Protection: 2 SPC Experts, 5 days

## TRAINING AT COESPU

UN Pre-deployment Courses: 6 days, 4 SPC Experts, 57 participants  
Gender Protection Course: 2 SPC Experts, 2 days, 15 participants

## TRAINING WITH OHCHR

Human Rights Course, Papua New Guinea: 5 days, 1 SPC Expert, 35 participants







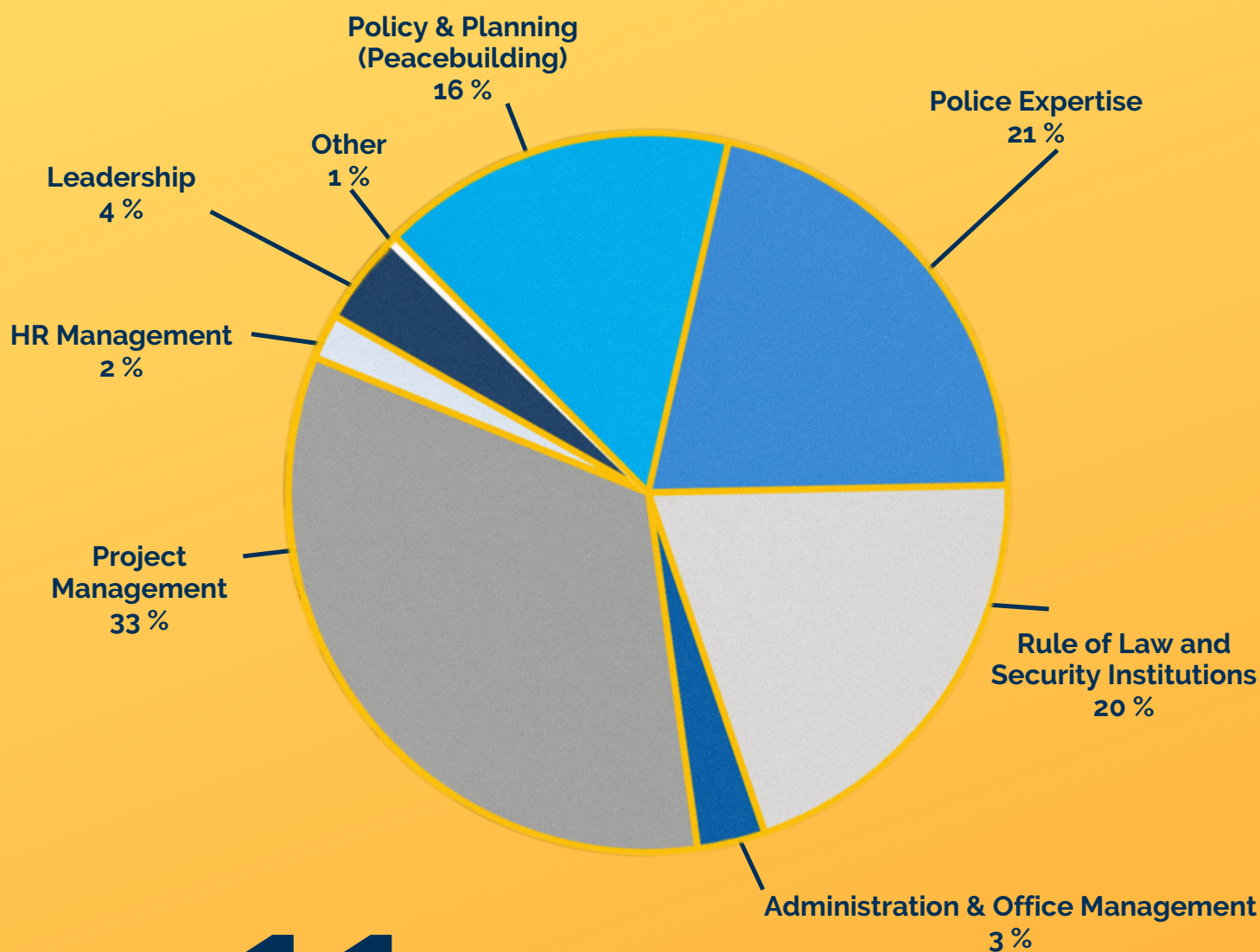


# SPC SKILLS DEVELOPMENT





# SPC STAFF CAPACITY BUILDING



**11**

**days in training**

for each SPC staff member on average



# WORKSHOPS AND CONFERENCES







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## CONFERENCES AND WORKSHOPS



Auswärtiges Amt



FOLKE  
BERNADOTTE  
ACADEMY

SWEDISH AGENCY FOR PEACE, SECURITY AND DEVELOPMENT

# PARTNERSHIPS

## INNOVATION AND DEVELOPMENT



**zif** Zentrum für  
Internationale  
Friedenseinsätze



AUSTRIAN STUDY CENTRE FOR PEACE  
AND CONFLICT RESOLUTION – ASPR



21<sup>st</sup> European Police Congress

In start-up missions most of the structures of the component may not be available and the new Commissioner may struggle to put things firmly on the ground. SPC has the capacity to deal with the DMS and relevant sections to get what the component needs to hit the ground running.

# FEEDBACK

From key partners and leaders

As we are about to embark upon a number of critical interventions,,, we deeply appreciate our partnership with DPKO, and the SPC in particular, and look forward to continuing to work very closely with you.

Thank you so much for your contribution to our course in November, it was a huge improvement to have the Police element finally represented properly and ensure the comprehensive approach as per the EU and UN policies!

SPC contribution is excellent and the staff members deployed on a temporary basis in the mission have brought a real added value to the implementation of the mandate.







# ALL STAFF MEMBERS WHO SERVED IN 2018





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