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IEB Mid Term Meeting in Lapland

From 3–7 December, the IEB met in Äkäslompola, at the IPA House Ylläs in Finnish Lapland, to discuss priorities and revise the strategy for the second half of the term.

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IPA Joins UN Campaign to End Digital Violence Against Women and Girls

The International Police Association (IPA) actively participated in the UN's "16 Days of Activism" initiative, running from 25th November to 10th December, to raise awareness of digital violence against women and girls. To mark the campaign, the International Administration Centre in Nottingham was illuminated in orange, highlighting IPA's commitment to promoting safety, respect, and equality online.

Read more on page 17 about how IPA Greece got involved to raise awareness of this campaign.





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Introduction from Treasurer Finances

Kyriakos Perikleous



Kyriakos Perikleous
Treasurer Finances

Dear IPA Members , Dear Friends,

Writing the first edition of our IPA Newsletter of 2026 I would like to wish all members and your families a Happy New Year. I wish the New Year brings you health and joy in your lives. Hopefully by 2026 peace comes to the whole World and no more lives will be lost from the wars.

I have now been part of the IEB for a year as the treasurer Finances and I want to thank you once again for your support. I initially encountered many difficulties, but with the help of all the members of the IEB, and also with your understanding, during the World Congress in Krakow, Poland in September 2025 I managed to overcome them and continue my dedication to the duties you entrusted to me.

Together with my friend and colleague Jean-Pierre Allet, Treasurer Social Affairs and the support of the International President, Martin Hoffmann we set new goals and will move forward with modern methods in maintaining the accounts and records of the accounts. This reflects the concerns we heard from you during the WC 2025 Treasury meeting, which troubled us and were taken into very serious consideration. These will always remain our primary goal.



Our concern from now on will be to manage the funds of the Association as best as possible and to provide greater support to all Sections and global seminars organised in Gimborn or elsewhere. Already with your votes in the WC 2025 in Krakow, the contribution from the annual fund for seminars has increased from 150 euros per participating member to 250 euros.

The 7 Region meetings continue successfully and more and more Sections are taking part, due to the support they receive from the fund of 500 euros for each Section.

Introduction from Treasurer Finances Kyriakos Perikleous



With my election to the IEB, I was also assigned as the Liaison of Africa as part of the 7 Region Project. During the year, we had several meetings via Zoom as well as the live meeting at the WC 2025. They immediately welcomed me into their team and I can say that I am very proud of their daily progress. I am sure that many things will be achieved in the future as far as the African sections are concerned. We are already moving forward with the integration of the Seychelles into our family.

The majority of the budget will now be returned to the members and the National Sections with many grants but also by covering of the expenses of the delegates to the World Congresses. The money belongs to all the members and does not exist to be collected but to be given for the welfare of all.

All observations, suggestions and advice given to us by all of you will always be taken seriously into consideration and will always be used with due regard for the good management of money. I want you to be sure that what you told us at the WC 2025 has been taken seriously into consideration. We worked based on these and the difference will be seen at the next World Congress.

We are the largest World Association based on volunteerism but mainly on friendship and beautiful relationships that are not based on political or religious beliefs, nor on colour, language or nationality. We are one soul in 380,000 people.

I would like to thank you all for the cooperation we have had over the past year. I would like to warmly thank the President and all the members of the IEB especially JP my colleague at the treasurer who embraced me from the first day and shared with me everything they knew about the purpose of the IEB. The biggest thank you, however, goes to the staff of IAC, Hana and Lisa, whose help and support is much more than I could have imagined. Thank you.

In closing, I would like to wish you again a Happy New Year. I hope and wish 2026 bring only health and happiness to everyone and, above all, friendship and peace to the whole World. With boundless gratitude.

Kikis

Kikis Perikleous
Treasurer Finances



IEB Mid Term Meeting in Lapland – New Impulses for the IPA



From 4 to 7 December, the International Executive Board met at the IPA House in Äkäslompolo, Lapland, for its Mid Term Meeting. The gathering provided an opportunity to review the achievements of the first two years of the term and to set clear priorities for 2026 and 2027.

A major focus was the further development of the IPA Strategy 2023–2027. The Board identified several areas requiring refinement and began outlining a forward-looking framework to strengthen digitalisation, professional training, organisational development and international cooperation. As part of this work, a medium-term international planning process was carried out to define where the IPA should stand by 2031. The updated version of the Strategy will be published at the beginning of 2026.

As part of the strategy review, all IEB members, together with the IAC and the Legal Advisor, participated in a structured reflection session. This open exchange clarified the key priorities for the second half of the term and supported the planning of major projects for 2026 and 2027, including international seminars, commission initiatives and the continued development of international documents.

The Board also agreed to relaunch the project for a global IPA App, with the objective of delivering it by 2027. Earlier groundwork will be reassessed to ensure a practical and financially viable implementation. A solution for a digital membership card is being evaluated separately and, subject to affordability, could be introduced as early as 2026.

Enhanced financial reporting measures were also agreed as part of the strategic priorities for 2026 and 2027. These include a clearer and more transparent presentation of the IEB budget from 2026 onwards, enabling Sections to better understand expenditure areas and financial planning.

IEB Mid Term Meeting in Lapland – New Impulses for the IPA

Preparations for the Statutes Convention in Lisbon in March 2026 formed another substantial part of the meeting. The Board discussed potential amendments to the International Statutes and Rules, reviewed the Job Descriptions of IEB members and examined how cooperation with hosting Sections of future World Congresses can be improved.

In addition, the Board addressed urgent operational matters. Following the severe flooding in Sri Lanka, the IEB authorised immediate Emergency Aid and issued the corresponding international communication.

At the close of the meeting, the IEB expressed its sincere thanks to the Finnish Section. In particular, Eija and Topso who provided excellent on-site support and ensured that the Board could work in a highly professional and welcoming environment.

The outcomes of this Half Term Meeting set a clear and confident direction for the years ahead. I wish to thank all Sections for their excellent cooperation and ongoing support. Your commitment and dedication strengthen our international community and enable us to move forward with purpose. Together, we will continue developing the IPA and shaping its future with professionalism, unity and shared spirit.

Martin Hoffmann
International President



UN Women and Policing: Gender Equality in Policing and Peacekeeping

UN Women is advancing gender equality in global security by integrating gender-responsive policing into peacekeeping missions and police services. With its first Police Adviser now in place, the organisation is strengthening efforts to protect women and promote inclusive law enforcement worldwide.



UN Women, the United Nations entity for gender equality and women's empowerment, was established in 2010 and operates in more than 80 countries. Its mission is to advance women's rights globally, focusing on leadership, economic empowerment, ending violence against women, and the Women, Peace and Security (WPS) agenda.

Policing plays a vital role in peacekeeping and post-conflict recovery. Gender-responsive policing ensures protection for women and girls, addresses all forms of gender-based violence, including technology-facilitated GBV (TFGBV), and builds trust with communities. UN Women works with peacekeeping missions and national police services to integrate gender perspectives into law enforcement through training, policy guidance, and advocacy.

In February 2025, UN Women appointed its first-ever Police Adviser, Assistant Chief Constable Ines Zeitner, supported by Germany. This role strengthens UN Women's engagement with policing institutions worldwide, promoting inclusive security and accountability. The Police Adviser focuses on embedding gender-responsive policing in peace operations, supporting reforms that protect women and girls in fragile contexts and foster collaboration with UN entities such as UNODC and UNICRI, as well as Police Advisers from Member States.

Through these efforts, UN Women ensures that gender equality in policing moves beyond principle to practice—building safer, more inclusive societies and advancing sustainable peace.

Oliver Hoffmann
International Vice President
Chairperson International Relations Commission

IPA Japan's First International Seminar

"JAPAN SEMINAR 2025" Held in Yokohama 11–14 October 2025 | Kanagawa Prefectural Police Headquarters

The JAPAN SEMINAR 2025, announced at the IEB and Asia-Pacific Regional Meeting this past May, concluded with resounding success. Welcoming its first overseas participants, the event opened with splendid fireworks over Yokohama Harbour and closed with breathtaking night views from the Ferris wheel. We sincerely wish all participants every success in their future endeavours, enriched by this invaluable experience.



Pre-meeting communication via chat app

As October began, participants from overseas started arriving in Japan in succession. Three days prior to the seminar, all participants—both international and Japanese members—along with the Japan-based instructors, joined a group chat to begin interacting, including self-introductions. This fostered interest in each person's character and heightened anticipation to meet and converse in person. Consequently, when meeting for the first time, greetings felt like those between old acquaintances, allowing friendships to form rapidly.



On the eve of the seminar, 11 October, while the secretariat staff were preparing at the venue, the Kanagawa Prefectural Police Headquarters, the cohesion of the overseas members and the thoughtfulness of Mr. Osawa from the Kanagawa Region led to an impromptu visit to the headquarters. This was to confirm the route from the hotel to the police headquarters and to inspect the venue. Then, the moment the group arrived at the venue, fireworks erupted outside the window – a miraculous timing that moved everyone. We switched off the lights to enjoy the fleeting display. These fireworks, seemingly welcoming overseas members who had travelled all the way to Japan for learning, appeared to further strengthen the bonds among members sharing the same view.

Thanks to these preliminary exchanges and venue inspections, a friendly atmosphere had been cultivated. With the addition of Japanese participants, the venue instantly became an even more vibrant space. However, true to the nature of a gathering of police officers, the opening ceremony commenced punctually and proceeded smoothly into the lectures.

IPA Japan's First International Seminar

This punctuality among all participants was strictly observed throughout the entire seminar programme, greatly assisting the secretariat in ensuring the smooth running of the event. Moreover, beyond their punctuality, the courtesy displayed by the overseas participants was truly impressive.

Curriculum and Lecturer

The "Koban system" was an indispensable theme as a characteristic of Japan's police system. This year's seminar featured an additional lecture on "International Cooperation in Japanese Policing" by Ms. Kazumi Ogasawara, currently Director General for International Affairs at the National Police Agency (recently elected as the first Asian woman to serve on the INTERPOL Executive Committee). As in the previous year, a lecture was also given by the inaugural Director of the Cyber Bureau.

Additionally, an online lecture from Thailand was a first-time initiative. Furthermore, Mr. Robin Mann from Germany presented on "Crime Trends and Mobile Police Activities in Germany" as a participant representative. Lectures were also given on case studies of international cooperation activities by IPA Japan members and on Japan's traffic safety measures.



All content was highly engaging, and participants listened attentively throughout the lengthy lectures. While fully understanding the English presentations might have been challenging for Japanese-speaking attendees, visual aids via slides and subsequent information exchanges likely compensated for this.

Concludes

To provide cultural experiences and entertainment within the limited timeframe, we also offered opportunities such as tea breaks between lectures, a Ferris wheel ride, shopping on the final morning, and nature experiences. Over ten years ago, we lost contact and failed to meet overseas members at the rendezvous point, but this seminar made us deeply grateful for advances in digital technology. Communication tools and translation software are now readily available.

The contribution of Mr. Alex Zaganus from IPA Canada's British Columbia Branch, who is particularly proficient in Japanese, was truly outstanding. He led the international members with the dedication of a principal and the diligence of an administrator, scrambling to prepare the venue and frequently providing interpretation during lectures. The cooperative attitude of the other participants embodied the spirit of service inherent in police officers, truly reflecting the IPA motto: "Service through Friendship."

The IPA Japan Section's first international seminar can be considered a great success, thanks to the outstanding lecturers and enthusiastic participants. I sincerely hope this experience proves beneficial in some way to the careers of all the police officers who participated.

Kazuko Sato

Secretary General of IPA Kanagawa Region

The Japan Seminar 2025 in Yokohama

By Benedikt Arlt, IPA Germany

For me, it was clear that if I were to travel to Asia, it would be to Japan. To see Tokyo, the largest city in the world. To experience the coexistence of modernity and culture. And? Of course, to get to know the police in Japan. IPA makes it possible! Luckily, I happened to plan my trip for October 2025, so I also applied for the upcoming Japan Seminar from October 11th to October 14th. Before I knew it, I became one of six lucky participants who had the opportunity to attend various presentations on crime in Asia, the successful “Koban System,” and many other fascinating topics.



In a WhatsApp group created beforehand, I was already able to get to know the participants of the seminar. It turned out that, in addition to several attendees from different prefectures of Japan, colleagues from Canada, Pakistan, Kenya, Iceland, and another colleague from Germany had registered for the seminar. After a few eventful days with the IPA in Tokyo and Osaka, the first day of the seminar finally arrived. This day was meant for arriving, checking in, and getting to know each other. Punctually at 9:30 a.m. the next morning, the program began. After a short tour through the Kanagawa Police Headquarters, the President of IPA Japan, Mr. Masahito Kanetaka, welcomed us to the seminar. On the first day, we were able to attend several very interesting presentations covering topics such as the existing Koban System, road traffic safety, and cooperation between Japan and Indonesia.



As the Koban System particularly interested me, here is a brief explanation: The “Kobans” are essentially mini police stations distributed densely throughout the country. In these “police boxes,” you can report crimes, register lost items, or simply ask the police for advice. The primary goal of the Kobans is to make the police visible and approachable for citizens.

A typical shift consists of three officers and one retired colleague. Shifts are 24 hours long, followed by two days off for recovery. A Koban officer’s daily duties include not only foot patrols but also house visits to establish direct contact with the community.

This “community policing” system has already been adopted in 12 countries, including Singapore and Indonesia. Statistics there showed that crime rates decreased after the introduction of Kobans.

Hardly had we learned everything theoretically about the Koban System when we made our way to visit one. On-site, the officers on duty showed us not only their essential equipment but also the facilities of the small building. After we had the chance to bombard them with questions, the day’s presentations came to an end.

The Japan Seminar 2025 in Yokohama

By Benedikt Arlt, IPA Germany



And so the second day of presentations began. Just like in Europe, Asia is also facing massive issues with online fraud, so-called “scams.” We were given insights into the most common types of fraud, as well as the methods used to track down such organized groups. We continued with the international work of the Japanese police.

After enjoying another bowl of udon for lunch, a retired colleague from the Royal Thai Police joined via video call for the next presentation. He gave us insights into crime and police work in Thailand as well. The day was rounded off by the German colleague Mr. Robin Mang, who gave a very interesting presentation about his work.

As soon as the presentations ended, the ceremonial handing out of the certificates and the exchange of small gifts among colleagues took place. The final dinner at the World Beer Museum in Kanagawa was a must.

The next morning, it was time to say goodbye. After a brief morning shopping tour and a stroll through the Yokohama Sankeien Garden, the seminar finally came to an end. I would like to sincerely thank IPA Japan, especially Ms. Kazuko Sato, who organized everything and guided us through the seminar. I believe I can speak on behalf of all international participants when I say that the seminar was a complete success. As for me, I say goodbye! Sayonara!

Benedikt Arlt
IPA Germany
Bavaria, Kempten



Blue Light Ride Brings Light Into The Darkness – IPA Netherlands

On Wednesday 10 December 2025, it was time again for the fourth edition of the International Police Association Blue Light Ride. This event is organised under the banner of IPA Limburg-Noord (The Netherlands) and is dedicated to surprising sick children and residents of care institutions. During the Blue Light Ride, emergency responders from various emergency services work together to hopefully help sick children forget their illness for a while. Bringing all these first responders together and increasing cohesion between all these services is therefore the second objective of the Blue Light Ride.



That afternoon, a convoy of around 120 emergency vehicles drove from Toverland amusement park in Sevenum to VieCuri Medical Centre in Venlo. Along the way, thousands of people lined the route to wave to the emergency workers, and residents of various care institutions were greeted.

Upon arrival at VieCuri, five-year-old Loa was allowed to count down, setting off a deafening spectacle of sirens and flashing lights. Boats on the River Meuse and a circling police helicopter completed the picture. This gave many emergency responders goosebumps and brought tears to their eyes.

The emergency workers then handed out gifts in the children's and maternity wards. The faces of the children made a lasting impression. What followed were heart-warming encounters between sick children, their brothers and sisters, and the first responders.

In the meantime, members of IPA Limburg-Noord handed out soup to the emergency crews present in the car park. To prepare this, some members (and their partners) had spent the whole day in the kitchen. This year, national secretary Kees Jongh and national treasurer Pieter van der Wal were also present.



Blue Light Ride Brings Light Into The Darkness – IPA Netherlands

This year, IPA Limburg-Noord organised a three-day exchange program around the Blue Light Ride for the first time. IPA members from England, Belgium, Germany and Scotland enjoyed a nice programme that included participation in the Blue Light Ride, as well as a dinner and visits to a police station and training centre. Some of them even brought police vehicles, which was greatly appreciated by both the children and the public. One of the IPA members present even seized the opportunity to ride pillion with a member of the IPA Motorcycle Club in order to experience the event even more intensely. The foreign IPA members enjoyed a wonderful experience. Initial contacts have already been made and some great ideas for future activities and meetings have been shared.



Next year will see the fifth edition of the Blue Light Ride, which we hope will bring together even more IPA members from different countries.

For photos and spectacular videos of what is perhaps the most wonderful “feel good” event organised by the IPA in Europe, see www.bluelightride.nl.

Lars Hoebers
IPA Netherlands section

IPA Spain Motorcycle Rally in Valladolid Jan 2026

The IPA Castilla y León Territorial Community is delighted to invite IPA members and friends to join them at PINGÜINOS 2026, one of Europe's most iconic winter motorcycle rallies.

Taking place from 8–11 January 2026 in Valladolid, Spain, PINGÜINOS brings together thousands of bikers from across the world for a unique celebration of motorcycling, camaraderie, and adventure. IPA Castilla y León will be present throughout the event with a dedicated tent located in the camping area of the rally, offering a warm welcome to all visiting IPA members.

Whether you arrive on two wheels or simply want to soak up the atmosphere, you are warmly invited to stop by, say hello, and enjoy the hospitality of IPA Castilla y León.



4th Conference of the Network of Women in the Police of the Republic of Serbia

4th Conference of the Network of Women in the Police of the Republic of Serbia 'Strength and Influence of Women in the Security Sector'

Belgrade – Thursday 27th November 2025

On Thursday 27th November, I had the pleasure and honour of representing both the International Police Association – Section UK and the Professional Commission #SHEisIPA project at the 4th Conference of the Network of Women in the Police of the Republic of Serbia. This was a joint event with the European Network of Policewomen (ENP), supported and sponsored by United Nations Development Programme (UNDP) and with reps from DCAF – Geneva Centre (Security Sector Governance) for Security Sector Governance present. The conference theme: 'Strength and Influence of Women in the Security Sector'.



Held in the Palace of Serbia – Belgrade Hall, the event was opened by Serbian Prime Minister Prof Dr. Duro Macut and many of the Serbian cabinet were present. Their attendance underlined a commitment to the issues being discussed and will provide Katerina Tomasevic – President of the Network of Women in the Police of the Republic of Serbia and the European Network of Women in the Police a chance to hold them to account long after the event closed.



Many of those delegates present were IPA members (inc. President Section Serbia and President Section Montenegro). Twenty-five European countries were represented along with associated agencies supporting security projects the region. Each country's lead delegate provided a short presentation around the conference theme based on the National experience. This made for a very unique insight into the lived experiences of women in policing from around Europe.

4th Conference of the Network of Women in the Police of the Republic of Serbia



I was invited to represent the International Police Association (IPA) and notably the SHEisIPA project. This event offered a chance for me to lean into, and spotlight in my presentation the work being undertaken by the International Executive Board's (IEB's) International Relations Commission in relation to the UN Social Economic Council's Commission on the Status of Women, which takes place in March 26. This includes SHEisIPA, UNiTE and HeForShe. Section UK has been involved in some of this work, notably in the area of online abuse where Detective Inspector Emma Portfleet leads of this for Essex Police. This is a really exciting time for the IPA and the above-mentioned projects in terms of visibility and contribution in this arena.

This very much ties in with the separate request for funding to hold a second SHEisIPA event next year in conjunction with the UNITE Project and the Education Project. That would present wonderful opportunity to invite some of those connected with this event, particularly those NGO's associated with security and policing in the region, to raise visibility for the IPA and work being done in this particular space.

Additionally, this was a superb opportunity for me to discuss with European colleagues the opportunities of exchanges and associated activities that feature the Section UK plan for 2026. The DECAF-funded Association of Women in Police are an example of a team keen to work with Section UK in pursuit of this. It also speaks to the work that will be undertaken in the new year to develop engagement within the network of younger members in Section UK.

All in all, this event was a superb opportunity for me across a number of levels, and I felt hugely privileged to have been invited.

Karen Duckworth – President Section UK
SHEisIPA Project Lead – Professional Commission

IPA Greece – UNiTE to End Digital Violence Against All Women and Girls

As part of the 16 Days of Activism, within the framework of the UN Campaign to End Violence against Women, several regions in Greece participated in various events to raise awareness.

IPA Region Larisa, Greece is pleased to share highlights from its involvement in the IPA Orange the World initiative, held during IPA Friendship Week in Larisa. Demonstrating strong support for the global effort to end violence against women, the Region incorporated the colour orange throughout the campaign—from accreditation cards to event bracelets—symbolising hope and a brighter future free from violence.

During the same event, a formal Twinning Ceremony took place between IPA Region Larisa (Greece), IPA Region Nicosia (Cyprus), and IPA Region Sofia City (Bulgaria). In a powerful display of unity, women from the three Regions raised a placard carrying a shared message: There is no excuse for violence against women.



IPA Region Lasithi Hosts Educational Workshops for School Community Empowerment

As part of its ongoing initiatives, to strengthen the school community, in the frame of Orange the World initiative, IPA Region Lasithi organized two educational workshops on Friday, December 12, 2025, at the Elounda Primary School in Lasithi. The sessions were led by Mr. Konstantinos Fragkakis, President of IPA Region Lasithi, with the goal of raising awareness and fostering a culture of safety, respect, and responsibility among students.

The workshops focused on the following themes:

Modern Online Risks

Domestic Violence: Awareness and Protection

During the sessions, students received age-appropriate guidance on issues related to safe internet use, recognizing dangerous behaviours, and the importance of prevention, timely reporting, and seeking help in cases of violence or abusive behaviour. Special emphasis was placed on enhancing self-protection, empathy, and trust in adults and supportive institutions.

Through these initiatives, the IPA Region Lasithi reaffirms its commitment to educating and empowering young people, equipping them with the knowledge and skills needed to navigate challenges safely and responsibly.

IPA Greece – UNiTE to End Digital Violence Against All Women and Girls

International Day for the Elimination of Violence Against Women: Coordinated Awareness Campaigns in Lasithi

In observance of the International Day for the Elimination of Violence Against Women, coordinated actions took place in the central squares of Agios Nikolaos, Ierapetra, and Sitia. The Greek Police, the International Police Association – IPA Region Lasithi, and the Lasithi Police Officers' Union, in collaboration with the respective municipalities, delivered a strong message of awareness and solidarity.

The campaign featured symbolic orange ribbons scented with lavender, messages from women, and the distribution of informational material, emphasizing that no woman should face violence alone.

The central message of the initiative was clear: #NOEXCUSE – No Excuse for Violence.

Through these actions, the organizers reaffirm their commitment to raising awareness, supporting survivors, and fostering a culture of respect and safety for all women in the community.

Christos Parginos
IPA Greece



IPA UK Member Attends 50th Anniversary of the IPA Charleroi, Belgium

In March 2025 I was checking the International events on the event section of our IPA website and noticed the 50th Anniversary of the IPA Charleroi, Belgium from 24.8.to 31.8.2025. The programme looked very interesting and excellent value for the week. I therefore made contact with the event organiser Michel and booked myself and my wife Caroline for the friendship week.

Michel met us in person at Charleroi Railway Station on Sunday 24th and took us to the hotel where all the participants were based for the event week. At the hotel in the evening, we met all the other participants attending the event. There were IPA members from Canada, USA, Holland, Switzerland, France, England and of course Belgium. Charleroi IPA members were there to make all the participants welcome.



The following morning, we all boarded a coach which took us to the Bastogne War Museum and Memorial. The museum was one of the best we have ever visited. It vividly brought all the stories from the military and civilians to life. It made us feel part of the battle of the Bulge. The memorial to those USA soldiers who lost their lives during the battle was very moving. I had not realised that more USA soldiers lost their lives in the Battle of the Bulge than on the D Day landings in June 1945. After a wonderful lunch at the museum, we were taken to a dedicated forest area where some of the original fox holes were kept in situ. If you are ever in the area of Bastogne, Belgium, I would highly recommend that you visit the museum and memorial.



The following morning, we all boarded a coach which took us to the Bastogne War Museum and Memorial. The museum was one of the best we have ever visited. It vividly brought all the stories from the military and civilians to life. It made us feel part of the battle of the Bulge.

IPA UK Member Attends 50th Anniversary of the IPA Charleroi, Belgium



Saturday, was our gala lunch which was very special and lots of fun. Exchange of gifts for all members who attended the friendship week.

Thank you, Michel, David, Marc, Andre and Alain, from IPA regional section, Charleroi Committee. We all appreciated the long hours and work you put into it to making it a wonderful and special friendship week in the true and wonderful spirit of our IPA.

David King
IPA UK
Surrey Branch

Tuesday after Breakfast, we boarded the coach to Brussels for a visit to the Royal Palace and afterwards a visit to the Sky Aviation museum. After lunch we had some time to walk around the central of Brussels.

Wednesday, we had an enjoyable day trip to Dinant and the surrounding areas. Charleroi IPA had chartered a boat to take us on a cruise down the river Meuse. We had a wonderful lunch on the boat and the scenery was spectacular. After the cruise we visited a nearby Brewery for some beer tasting!

Thursday, we visited the old town of Mechelen for a guided tour of the town. We then enjoyed a wonderful lunch at the Het Anker brewery. After lunch a guided tour of the brewery with more beer tasting and sampling.

Friday, we visited the Strepy-Thieu Funicular elevator. Located on the canal du centre. It is the 2nd largest boat lift in the world, 100 metres above ground. We then boarded a special canal boat solely for our IPA group on a cruise using the lift and ascent to Ronquieres with lunch on board



Visit our new international website to discover the upcoming events for 2026. New events are added each month.

A wide range of activities are available, including professional seminars, sports events, conferences, and friendship events.

View Our Events

Pakistan Delegation at the 42nd IPA World Congress – Paphos, Cyprus

The delegation of the International Police Association (IPA) Pakistan Section – Sindh Region 5) proudly participated in the prestigious 42nd IPA World Congress held in Paphos, Cyprus, representing Pakistan with honour, dignity, and professionalism.

IPA PAKISTAN DELEGATION (Sindh Region-5 & Punjab Section)

The Pakistan delegation consisted of the following officials:

Mr. Tariq Khan Jadoon
Sindh Police
Secretary, IPA Sindh Region-5 (Pakistan Section)

Mr. Ameen Ahmed Sindh Police
Member, IPA Pakistan – Sindh Region 5

Mr. Syed Mehfooz Ali Sindh Police
Member, IPA Sindh Region-5

Mr. Azam (Punjab Police)
IPA Pakistan



These officers represented Pakistan Police and IPA Pakistan Section with great pride during all Congress sessions and international interactions.



MEETINGS WITH INTERNATIONAL IPA LEADERSHIP

During the Congress, the Pakistan delegation had the honour of meeting the following esteemed IPA dignitaries:

Mr. Kikis Perikleous
IEB Treasurer Finances
Secretary General, IPA Cyprus

Mr. Demetris Demetriou
President, IPA Cyprus

Mr. Christos Parcharidis
IEB Chairperson, Socio-Cultural Commission, IPA

Mr. Martin Hoffmann
International President, IPA World

Pakistan Delegation at the 42nd IPA World Congress – Paphos, Cyprus

These meetings were conducted in a warm, friendly and highly professional environment, strengthening Pakistan's international policing ties.

CULTURAL GESTURE BY IPA PAKISTAN DELEGATION

As a symbol of friendship and goodwill, the IPA Pakistan delegation presented traditional Pakistani caps to the international IPA leaders.

This cultural gift was highly appreciated and acknowledged by all dignitaries, beautifully reflecting Pakistan's hospitality and the spirit of Servo per Amikeco – Service Through Friendship.

CLOSING NOTE

The Pakistan delegation reiterated its commitment to enhancing global cooperation, mutual learning, and strengthening IPA bonds across all member countries.

Tariq Khan Jadoon
Secretary, IPA Sindh Region 5
Pakistan Section



IPA Portugal & Spain Brotherhood/twinning: Southern Delegation

On November 8, 2025, in the city of Huelva, Spain, as part of the event - IPA Members' Day of the IPA Delegation of Andalusia, the Act of Brotherhood/Twinning took place between the IPA Delegation of Andalusia, Spain, and the Southern IPA Delegation of Portugal. The Act of Brotherhood was formalized between the leaders of the two Delegations: IPA Andalusia, President - Pablo Barbecho, and Southern IPA, President - Fernando Palma.



The Act of Brotherhood was honoured with immense honour and deep friendship, witnessed and officially recognised by the presence of the Honourable Mr. Fernando Pinto - President of the Portuguese IPA Section and the representative of the Huelva City Council - Department of Culture, Mr. Nacho.



President Fernando Pinto, who took the floor at this event and emphasized some words that I cannot fail to mention: ...this twinning act is more than a ceremonial gesture or an institutional formality. It is the reaffirmation that the IPA is, above all, a space for meeting and sharing, where borders disappear, flags unite, and friendship becomes a strong bridge between cultures, languages, and different realities.

This act of Brotherhood came to cement and strengthen the complicity and sense of friendship that has long existed between the two IPA Delegations and, consequently, within the entire IPA family.

It was through the testimony of several IPA members that his act of friendship, commitment, loyalty, and solidarity between these two IPA Delegations was sealed.

Between the IPA Delegation of Andalusia - Spain and the IPA South Delegation of Portugal, a bond of unity was formalized, aligning with the vision of our IPA founder, Mr. Arthur Troop, through his motto:

Servo per Amikeco.



IPA Portugal & Spain Brotherhood/twinning: Southern Delegation

A bond of unity that eliminates distances and allows for a closer sharing of traditions and cultures within our universe of IPA members, their families, and friends, producing an enriching effect on the knowledge and experiences lived and shared between both (Portuguese/Spanish).

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Fernando Palma
President of the Southern Delegation of the Portuguese Section



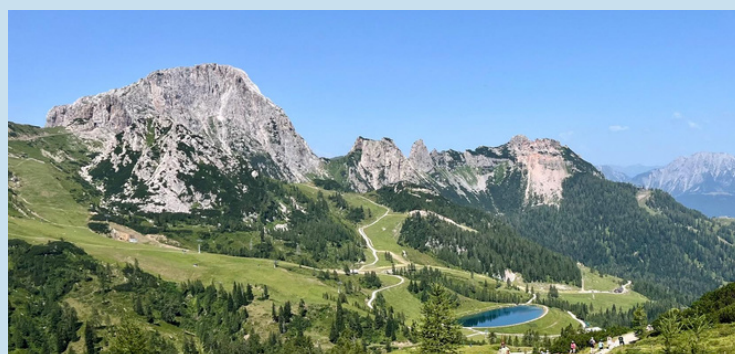
IPA Austria Hiking Week at Nassfeld 2026

14 – 21 June 2026

The Hotel Gartnerkofel – Family Waldner and IPA Region Upper Carinthia invite IPA members to a hiking holiday in the beautiful Nassfeld region.

This one-week hiking and leisure programme in the Nassfeld region offers a varied mix of guided mountain hikes, nature experiences, and social activities, including tours around Lake Nassfeld and Gerlitzen, a picnic at the Winkelalm, a cultural excursion to Friuli with a butterfly museum visit and San Daniele ham tasting, a day at the Rattendorfer Alm, and relaxed evenings with live music, local cuisine, and even a casino visit. The package includes 7 days of full board, all guided hikes, use of cable cars with the Nassfeld+Card, all-inclusive non-alcoholic drinks, and access to the adults-only Crystal SPA and wellness facilities, providing the perfect balance of activity, culture, relaxation, and friendship.

Visit our international website for details on prices and registration:



[Visit Website](https://www.ipa-international.org)

IPA Romania Hosts Botswana Delegation to Strengthen International Cooperation



IPA Romania had the honour of welcoming an official delegation from Botswana as part of IPA's international exchange program, which aims to foster global cooperation, professional development, and mutual understanding among law enforcement officers.

The visit took place from 27–31 October 2025, strengthening bilateral relations, exploring opportunities for joint projects, and developing structured cooperation. The Botswana delegation, representing the Botswana National Police, was led by Commissioner of Police Dinah Marathe and included Principal Assistant Odikilwe Majama, Deputy Commissioner Malebogo Ceciliah Mabutho, and Assistant Superintendent Pelonomi Juliah Marumo.

The delegation participated in professional exchange activities focused on operational practices, organizational structures, and current challenges in modern policing, laying a strong foundation for future collaboration, including the potential for annual experience-exchange programs between the two countries.

Beyond professional objectives, the visit also offered opportunities to experience Romania's cultural heritage and traditions, strengthening interpersonal bonds and fostering the IPA spirit of friendship – Servo Per Amikeco (Service Through Friendship).

IPA Romania extends sincere gratitude to the Romanian Ministry of Internal Affairs for their support and warm hospitality, which contributed to a productive environment for dialogue, knowledge exchange, and long-term cooperation.

This exchange underscores the shared dedication of IPA members worldwide to cooperation, cultural understanding, and mutual support, highlighting Romania's active commitment to building strong international partnerships and a safer, more connected global law enforcement community.

Mihai Liviu Tărtăreanu
President of IPA ROMANIA



IPA Russia International Film Festival

The International Film Festival of Police Films "Work, brothers!" was held in Moscow from December 11 to 13. The festival was organized by the Russian Section of the IPA. On the opening day, IPA President Martin Hoffmann gave a welcoming speech and congratulated our team, emphasizing the importance of this event for the entire police community. Joe Johnson, President of the USA Section of the IPA, noted that "The International Police Film Festival is a unique platform where creativity, professional experience, and cultural understanding come together.



Through movies, you highlight the challenges, dedication, and humanity inherent in law enforcement officers around the world. Such initiatives strengthen mutual respect and promote international cooperation, which are the values that underpin the International Police Association." The festival has become a large-scale platform for dialogue between society and law enforcement agencies through feature documentaries and videos on patriotic and police topics. Colleagues from Serbia, Kyrgyzstan, Belarus, Mexico, and Israel presented their works - 164 in total. Mexican director Carlos Cuarón won the award for best foreign film for his work "Mariana's Sandwich."



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This creative dialogue of cultures has shown that the themes of service to society and the fight against crime have no boundaries. As part of the film festival program, round tables were held on countering cybercrime and the role of cinema in strengthening the image of a police officer in modern society. "A festival of this format has been highly appreciated not only in Russia, but also by the global police community, and I am confident that it has a future," said Ivan Sardak, chairman of the organizing committee.

We sincerely thank everyone for their support and participation. See you!

The organising Committee of the IPA RUSSIA festival.



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Arthur Troop Scholarship Next Gen Policing Terrorism: Response and Investigation

AT IBZ SCHLOSS GIMBORN FROM 14.09.2025 TO 19.09.2025**

The International Police Association (IPA), a platform of networking and friendship, creates various opportunities for its members to foster exchange of professional knowledge and skills through seminars and conferences convened in different countries. It awards the Arthur Troop Scholarship (ATS) every year to IPA members for capacity building in the law enforcement field. In this connection, IPA has established IBZ Schloss Gimborn (Germany), which conducts professional seminars for law enforcement officers including IPA members.

In pursuit of my keen desire to improve my professional knowledge and skills, I applied for the Arthur Troop Scholarship and was fortunate to be selected for 2025. Out of 41 offered seminars, I chose the seminar titled "NextGen Policing – Terrorism: Response and Investigation" to gain insight into current international practices to combat terrorism. I participated in the seminar from 14th to 19th September 2025.



On Day 1, Ms. Ulrike Hoffman welcomed 14 participants from different countries and gave an overview of the seminar. Mr. Philipp Kurz, President of IPA Germany, gave a presentation on the IPA structure and functions of its commissions, enriching participants' understanding of IPA and its global role.



Day 2 focused on understanding terrorism. Mr. Martijn Bijlsma delivered lectures on the psychology and planning cycle of terrorism, types of terrorism, radicalisation phases, and the use of the internet and dark web. Mr. Bryan explained the terrorists' planning cycle and introduced OSINT. Group activities and discussions actively engaged participants and enhanced learning.

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Day 3 introduced the interactive “Gimborn Murderer” scenario exercise led by a team of seven trainers. Participants were divided into teams and worked on interconnected scenarios using digital tools and practical exercises, including arrest simulations and physical training. These activities stimulated both mental and physical engagement and fostered teamwork.

On Day 4, participants undertook surveillance and counter-surveillance exercises during a field trip to Cologne. Teams conducted on-foot surveillance in public spaces, applying professional techniques in real-life conditions, followed by group reflection and discussion.

Day 5 focused on VIP protection and extraction scenarios. Teams alternated between attacker and law enforcement roles, followed by structured debriefings highlighting strengths and areas for improvement. Course evaluation and assessments were completed, and participants were awarded certificates.

On the final day, trainers and trainees reviewed the seminar and bid farewell, having formed strong professional and personal bonds.



Key Takeaways

The quality of training and the commitment of the trainers were exceptional. The blend of theory and practice made the seminar highly effective and engaging. The management of IBZ Schloss Gimborn ensured a conducive learning environment, comfortable accommodation, and excellent hospitality. The seminar also provided a valuable opportunity to build friendships, exchange souvenirs, and strengthen international cooperation among law enforcement professionals.

I express my sincere gratitude to the International Police Association for awarding me the Arthur Troop Scholarship 2025, and to Ms. Ulrike Hoffman for her assistance. The seminar was both professionally enriching and personally memorable.

Farrukh Hafeez

Chairperson, IPA Punjab Region, Pakistan

Awardee of ATS 2025

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#SHEisIPA

Empowering Female Leaders in Law Enforcement Seminar

Under the heading 'Empowering Female Leaders in Law Enforcement', the third face-to-face #SHEisIPA seminar took place at IBZ Gimborn from 23rd to 27th October 2025.

On Thursday, the 28 participants of 17 nations arrived. Participants and speakers came from almost every continent, including Botswana, South Africa, Japan and the USA. After an initial round of introductions, the networking part began.

Friday was all about police and started with a trip to the training centre in Brühl. We were welcomed by the head of the Service Dog Unit. After a brief presentation of the organisational facts, we moved on to the practical demonstrations of working with police dogs. This was an exciting insight for all participants and there was a lively exchange with the German colleagues about similarities and differences between the respective police forces.



Afterwards followed a presentation from the riot police. In addition to a theoretical presentation of the areas of operation, there was a practical demonstration of assembly situations. It was nice to see that there were female managers in both the service dog handler squad and the riot police teams, and this opportunity was seized upon to expand the SHEisIPA network. Afterwards, the cultural part of the trip took us to Cologne before returning to Gimborn for a typical local meal.

Saturday began with the IPA Fundamentals, which were impressively presented by Magda Raducu (Section Romania). Many interesting questions showed that not all the benefits of IPA membership are yet known, and it is therefore all the more gratifying that the content will remain available on policing.tv after the event.



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With her presentation on Understanding the Mindset of Gen Z, Ruth Frett (Devon and Cornwall Police) laid the foundation for a better understanding of Generation Z. This provided important insights for recruiting new members, as well as approaches to the interests of the next generation.

The presentation by Commissioner Dinah Marathe (Botswana Police Service), the first woman in Botswana to hold the position of police commissioner, was very well received. She gave an impressive account of her career path and motivated those present to support each other and take responsibility. Pel Marumo then reported on her IPA work on SHEisIPA in the African chapter.

The afternoon was devoted to authentic leadership by Meike Ahlers. Many values, such as openness and communication, also play an important role in the IPA and are crucial for a well-functioning organisation. The important points were explored in more depth in working groups. Mental health is becoming an increasingly important aspect for police, managers and executives in the IPA.

Kimberly Geber gave a keynote speech supported by practical examples and theories on how to improve mental health in leadership and the workplace, with input on how to reduce stress. After a busy day of seminars, the cultural exchange continued with the traditional culture night, where participants bring food and drinks typical of their country to share.

Two presentations were scheduled for the last day of the seminar. Jose Rooijers took the participants on a journey into inclusive leadership under the motto “inclusivity is not about fitting in – it’s all about being valued for standing out”, demonstrating how differences can help you get ahead. Yogananda Pittman presented on Leading in a Crisis, sharing her experience as a senior executive during the attack on Capitol Hill, USA on 6 January 2021, and what she learned from the experience.

There was positive feedback about the seminar all round, although it was noted that more days were needed. Participants were able to take away something for themselves personally from all the presentations and apply what they learned in their roles at the IPA.



**Completed by Kimberley Geber – Seminar Chair
SHEisIPA Project (Section Germany)**

IPA Greece 2nd Football Tournament of the Services of the Trikala Police Directorate



With an impressive participation exceeding 300 attendees and a strong spirit of camaraderie, the 2nd Football Tournament of the Services of the Trikala Police Directorate was successfully held at the facilities of Sports Club Trikala.

The tournament was organized on the initiative of IPA Region Trikala, with the primary objectives of strengthening bonds among colleagues, promoting the principles of fair play, and fostering cooperation and teamwork within the Police Services.



The team of the Police Department of Pyli emerged victorious, prevailing in the final match against the Police Department of Farkadona with a score of 1-0.

The winning trophy was presented by the Director of the Trikala Police Directorate, Brigadier General Dimitrios Mitraina, honouring the athletes for their performance and sportsmanship.

The event concluded in a festive atmosphere, as a generous hospitality offering was provided to all participants, colleagues, and their families. The gathering included a variety of food and beverages, such as grilled meats, water, juices, tea, and refreshing beers, further enhancing the sense of unity and celebration.



Guided by the international motto "Servo per Amikeco" (Service through Friendship), IPA Region Trikala extends its warmest thanks to everyone who participated, supported, and honoured this successful initiative, contributing to its outstanding outcome.

Christos Parginos
IPA Greece

IPA Colombia Section

A Path of Integration, Institutional Recognition, and International Projection

The International Police Association (IPA) is the largest police organisation in the world, with a presence in more than 80 countries. Its mission is based on strengthening friendship, cooperation, and professional exchange among members of police forces, under the motto *Servo per Amikeco* (Service through Friendship).

In Colombia, these principles have been materialised through a progressive, serious, and committed process, which today positions the IPA Colombia Section as a growing organisation with institutional recognition and international projection.

The development of the IPA in Colombia has been the result of the constant work of officers deeply committed to the values of the Association and to the need to integrate the country into international police cooperation scenarios. A decisive milestone in this process was the formal opening for the voluntary affiliation of uniformed personnel in active service, an achievement that marked a turning point in the history of the Section by significantly strengthening its legitimacy, representativeness, and institutional support.

This process received its first regulatory support through Instruction No. 007 DIPON–OFPLA dated September 20, 2024, signed by General William Salamanca, Director General of the Colombian National Police. This instruction established the guidelines for the voluntary affiliation of active-duty personnel to the International Police Association – IPA

Colombia Section, ensuring that such participation was conducted in accordance with existing institutional regulations and the principles governing the IPA worldwide.

Subsequently, this progress was formally consolidated through Transitional Directive DAT 045 DIPON–OFPLA dated November 18, 2025, signed by Brigadier General William Oswaldo Rincón Zambrano, Director General of the Colombian National Police. This directive constituted a fundamental milestone by establishing the institutional framework that enabled the active and legitimate participation of uniformed personnel in active service within the IPA, reaffirming the official support of the institution for this process of international integration.



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As a result of these historic advances, another unprecedented achievement was reached in the present year: the participation of Colonel Hernando Vallejo, who became the first active-duty officer of the Colombian National Police to attend an International IPA Congress, officially representing the institution. This participation took place alongside the President of the IPA Colombia Section, Colonel (Ret.) José Antonio González Fariñas, consolidating Colombia's presence on the international stage of the Association and generating a positive impact reflected in an increase of more than 300% in the number of uniformed personnel affiliated with the IPA Colombia Section.

This achievement symbolises not only the institutional recognition attained, but also the sustained effort that has enabled the IPA Colombia Section to move forward firmly in its process of structuring and strengthening. Currently, the Section is in a stage of provisional status, understood as a phase of solid development, internal organisation, and alignment with the international standards of the IPA, with a view toward greater consolidation and future projection.

The path travelled to date reflects the commitment, discipline, and strategic vision of those who have led this project. The International Police Association – Colombia Section continues to move forward with determination, reaffirming its commitment to international cooperation, professional exchange, and the strengthening of bonds of friendship among police forces worldwide.

Jose Antonio Gonzalez Farinas
President IPA Colombia

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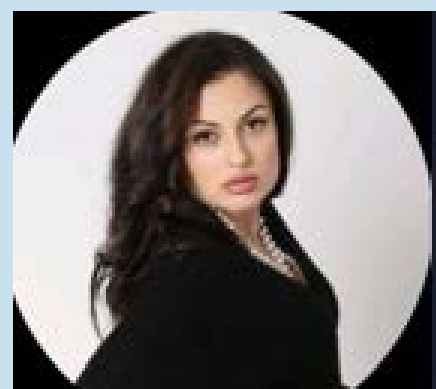
Global Policing and International Cooperation

with Alex Archer

Building a stronger partnership across borders

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#SHEisIPA Alex Archer has over eleven years' experience in UK Policing, including three years with the National Crime Agency's Extradition Unit and earlier work in Westminster London targeting sex-trafficking networks. Experienced in international operations and with working knowledge of nine languages, Alex focuses on practical ways to strengthen intelligence sharing and law-enforcement partnerships across borders.



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IPA Italy Special Session at Riccione Police and Security Conference



RICCIONE – It was held on Friday 19 September 2025, at Palazzo dei Congressi, Via Virgilio 17, curated by the Italian Section of the I.P.A. – International Police Association, pursuing its own objectives aimed, among other things, at encouraging the professional training of its Members, continues its long-lasting and fruitful collaboration with Maggioli Editore with the creation of the usual Special Session as part of the 44th national review "Local Police and Urban Security Days", the special session dedicated to the Judicial Police and its activities.

The meeting was introduced by Alfredo Iasuozi, Deputy National Vice President of the I.P.A. Italian Section, while the national president Nicolangelo Pezone proceeded with institutional greetings.

Moderating everything was Michele Palumbo, Commander PL Bari, associated with I.P.A.

Speakers of excellence: Saverio Petroni, Executive Commander PL Monopoli, I.P.A. associate who dealt with the topic "The drafting of acts of arrest in delicto" and Antonio Maria La Scala, criminal lawyer specialized in military criminal law, crimes against the Public Administration. and corporate criminal law, associated with I.P.A, with the theme "Initiative activity three years after the Cartabia reform".

Participation was free for IPA members.

At the end of each session, the IPTS-Maggioli certificate of participation valid for professional and curricular purposes was issued.

Compliments for the organizers can never be missed. With particular reference to the National Vice President Iasuozi who for years has dedicated himself to training moments like these. What can we say about the National President of the Board of Arbitrators Antonio Maria La Scala who, in addition to being an excellent communicator, is also one of the best lawyers in Italy.

Truly heartfelt congratulations.

**IPA Italy Magazine Editorial Director
Mauro Nardella**



Upcoming Events



IPA Spain Motorcycle Rally in
Valladolid Jan 2026

8-11 January 2026



IPA UK – Scotland – Ceilidh
Weekend

30 Jan – 2nd Feb 2026



IPA Germany Bremen Kohltour
2026

6-8 February 2026



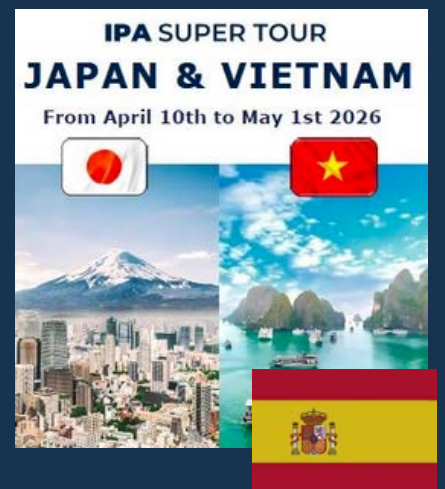
IPA Italy National Congress
2026

4-8 March 2026



IPA Latvia International ice
Hockey Tournament 2026

19-22 March 2026



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19-22 March 2026

Here are some of the events taking place throughout the IPA over the next couple of months.

Visit our international website for a full list of our upcoming events:

ipa-international.org/Events

Gimborn Seminars

IBZ Castle Gimborn also referred to as the flagship of our association offers professional seminars, conferences and meetings and plays a vital role in fostering professional exchange among law enforcement officers. These seminars help to build personal networks that are the cornerstone of successful international crime-fighting.

IBZ Gimborn Seminar Guide 2026 – Now Available!

The IBZ Gimborn Seminar Programme for 2026 has now been released. Take a look at the full range of upcoming seminars and make your plans early to avoid missing out.

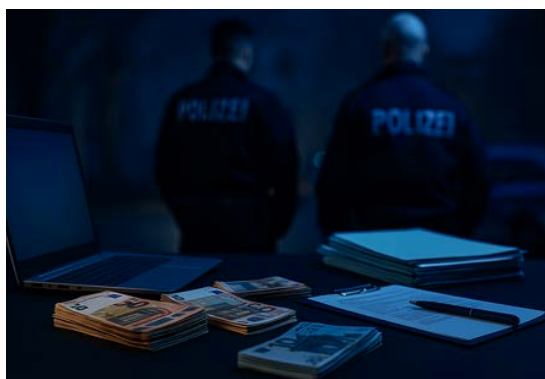
These seminars provide an excellent opportunity to develop professionally, exchange knowledge with international colleagues, and strengthen friendships across the global policing community.

Explore the 2026 programme and choose the seminar that best supports your learning and networking goals at IBZ Gimborn.



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UPCOMING SEMINARS



No. 26|02

Clan Crime and OC – Financial Investigations, Asset Recovery and Interdisciplinary Cooperation

This seminar explores modern strategies to combat clan and organised crime, with a focus on financial investigations and asset recovery to disrupt criminal networks. Participants will examine best practices and case studies highlighting effective interdisciplinary and cross-border cooperation between police, financial authorities, and the judiciary.

Period

Mon, Mar 2, 10:45 am – Fri, Mar 6, 2026, 3:00 pm

Prices

- 5 Days Standard €499.00
- 5 days Standard IPA €369.00

[Register Here](#)



Marketing



Following the IEB Strategy Review held in Lapland to redefine priorities for the next two years of the elected term, the Marketing Project Team convened to streamline its processes and align its work accordingly.

A physical marketing meeting is planned for February, where the team will come together to develop projects and set objectives through a series of creative workshops.

The main priorities discussed were:

- Development of IPA promotional videos;
- Promotion of IPA Houses and the Online Hosting Book, including related opportunities;
- Supporting Sections with marketing tools and collaboration, including the organisation of webinars to assist Sections with internal marketing and to strengthen cooperation across the Association.

The team is also inviting each Section to nominate a Marketing Representative. Someone with marketing experience, skills, or enthusiasm, to work with us.

NEW IPA INTERNATIONAL WEBSITE LAUNCHED

The IPA has launched its brand-new International Website.

The new platform is designed to be more modern, user-friendly and informative, making it easier for members and Sections to stay connected with everything happening across the IPA.

The website features the latest news, upcoming international events, projects, webinars, and useful resources for Sections and members.

If you have not already done so, we encourage you to visit the website regularly, as new content and events will be added each month.

Visit the website and stay up to date with the latest IPA news and activities worldwide.

New IPA Website

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