

COA trains counterparts in Egypt

Two experts from the Dutch Central Agency for the Reception of Asylum Seekers (in short: COA) travelled to Egypt to train 25 Egyptian professionals who work on asylum issues from different angles. The topic of the training was identification, assessment and referral of persons with special needs who apply for international protection. This training was organized by the European Union Agency for Asylum (in short: EUAA) in the framework of its Roadmap for Cooperation with Egypt. The workshop took place on September 11th 2023 in Ain Sokhna, on the shores of the Red Sea. One of the two COA experts was Maartje Holdorp, Policy Advisor on Vulnerability. The other one was Marcel van der Heijden, Project Manager of the International Knowledge Platform. EUAA covered the costs of this trip and expressed its thanks and appreciation for the contribution from COA.



From left to right: Balázs-Sandor Cseh (EUAA), Marcel van der Heijden and Maartje Holdorp (both COA) during the training.

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