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DĖL KVIETIMO TEIKTI KANDIDATŪRAS

Persiunčiame EIVT laišką kuriame pateikiama informacija Dėl iki 2026 m. gruodžio 1 d. užimamos pareigybės paraiškų teikimo termino pratęsimo iki 2026 m. spalio 31 d. (EUSRSL/2026/01).

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European External Action Service



The EU Special Representative for the Sahel

TO : PSC Ambassadors
Permanent Representatives of Member States to the E.U.
Brussels

CC: Patricia Llobart Cussac (EEAS Africa Managing Director);
Peter Wagner (EC - FPI Director)

Excellencies,

With reference to the call for applications published on 8 September 2026 (reference EUSRSL/2026/01), I would like to thank the Member States who have already submitted candidates. I have the honour to inform you that the deadline for submitting applications **for the position to be filled on December 1, 2026**, has been extended to **October 31, 2026, at 4:00 p.m.**, instead of October 1, 2026, as originally published. The deadline for **the other position, to be filled as soon as possible**, remains **the same** (October 1, 2026, at 4:00 p.m.). The candidates for this last position will be interviewed in the coming days.

As a reminder, the Political Advisors will be required to travel frequently within the region and beyond. They will be based in Brussels. Recruitment will be based primarily on experience and in-depth knowledge of the region, particularly the political and social realities of the Sahel-Saharan region.

Other criteria will be taken into account, in particular: detailed and up-to-date knowledge of the EU's commitment to the Sahel; the ability to manage and coordinate diplomatic relations with international and regional partners; the ability to work as part of a team, creativity and initiative, given the creative and innovative nature of the mission, experience in management and decision-making roles, communication skills, and fluency in French and English.

The EU's gender equality policy aims to ensure equal treatment and equal opportunities for women and men. Applications from women are therefore strongly encouraged.

Applicants will find further information in the attached job description.

Candidates are invited to submit their applications via their relevant ministry or government department, to Jérôme Damien Stoquart (Jerome-Damien.STOQUART@ext.eeas.europa.eu) by the dates and times mentioned above.

For any further information, please contact my Chief of Staff, M. David Korpela, (+32 460 84 06 40).

Thank you in advance for your support in circulating this call for applications.

Sincerely yours,

Brussels, 30 September 2026

Birgitte Nygaard Markussen

Service Européen pour l'Action Extérieure



La Représentante Spéciale de l'UE pour le Sahel

TO : Ambassadeurs PSC
Représentations permanentes des États membres
Bruxelles

CC: Patricia Llobart Cussac (EEAS Africa Managing Director);
Peter Wagner (EC - FPI Director)

Mesdames et Messieurs les Ambassadeurs,

En référence à l'appel à candidatures publié le 8 septembre 2026 (référence EUSRSL/2026/01), je souhaite remercier les Etats Membres qui ont déjà transmis leur candidature. J'ai l'honneur de porter à votre connaissance que la date limite de remise des candidatures **pour le poste à pourvoir le 1^{er} décembre 2026** est désormais fixée au **31 octobre 2026 à 16 heures**, en lieu et place du 1^{er} octobre 2026, comme publié initialement. L'autre poste à pourvoir **dès que possible** conserve **la même date limite** (1^{er} octobre 2026 à 16 heures). Les candidats pour ce dernier poste seront interviewés dans les prochains jours.

Pour rappel, les conseillers politiques seront appelés à se déplacer fréquemment dans la région et au-delà. Ils seront basés à Bruxelles. Dans cette perspective, le recrutement se fera avant tout sur la base d'une expérience et d'une connaissance approfondie de la région, en particulier des réalités politiques et sociales de l'espace sahélo-saharien.

D'autres critères seront pris en considération, en particulier : connaissance précise et ponctuelle de l'engagement de l'UE en faveur du Sahel; capacité à gérer et coordonner les relations diplomatiques avec les partenaires internationaux et régionaux; aptitude au travail en équipe, imagination et esprit d'initiative étant donné le caractère créatif et innovant de la mission, expérience dans des postes de direction et de prises de décisions, compétences en communication et usage courant du français et de l'anglais.

La politique de parité de l'UE vise à assurer l'égalité de traitement et des chances des femmes et des hommes. Aussi les candidatures féminines sont-elles vivement encouragées.

Les candidats trouveront plus d'information dans la description des tâches en pièce jointe.

Les candidats sont invités à soumettre leur candidature via leur ministère/administration compétent(e), à Jérôme Damien Stoquart (Jerome-Damien.STOQUART@ext.eeas.europa.eu) aux dates et heures mentionnées ci-dessus.

Pour tout renseignement complémentaire, mon Chef de Cabinet Monsieur David Korpela, (+32 460 84 06 40) se tient à votre disposition.

En vous remerciant par avance pour l'appui que vous voudrez bien apporter à la diffusion de cet appel à contributions, je vous prie de croire, Mesdames et Messieurs les Ambassadeurs, en l'expression de mes salutations distinguées.

Bruxelles, le 30 septembre 2026

Birgitte Nygaard Markussen

EUSR SAHEL POLAD - SNE – JOB DESCRIPTION

Job Framework

Job Title: SNE – EUSR SAHEL POLAD

Job Location: BRUSSELS

Area of activity: International Relations, Diplomacy, CSDP and Development issues

Job Content

Overall purpose: In the framework of the EU's Renewed Approach to the Sahel, contribute to advance the mandate of the EUSR Sahel, following the conclusions of the meetings between the HR/VP and the Ministries of the Foreign Affairs/Defense and the Council Decision (CFSP) 2026/1876 of 23 July 2026 appointing a new European Union Special Representative for the Sahel and extending the mandate of the EUSR until 31 August 2027.

Functions and Duties: Under the guidance of the EUSR Sahel and in close cooperation with the EEAS and other relevant EU institutions, including the European Commission (INTPA, ECHO, DG HOME) and the European Council :

- To advise the EUSR, provide and update her with reports/memos/briefings on political matters related to the Sahel (specific portfolios to be agreed).
- To accompany and advise the EUSR during visits to the Sahel and surrounding region and other relevant venues.
- Under the direction of the EUSR and Head of Cabinet, to report on the outcome of these visits to EU interlocutors and Member States.
- To maintain regular contact in Brussels with the EEAS and the European Commission (INTPA, ECHO, DG HOME) and Member States to shape and contribute to the EU initiatives and projects in the Sahel.
- To advise and support the EUSR, including by preparing and participating in meetings with European and international stakeholders.
- To develop and maintain a wide network of contacts dealing with the Sahel, including international organisations such as the UN, AU, ECOWAS, civil society, the academic world and the private sector.
- To establish and maintain close contacts with CSDP missions deployed in the region, in link with SECDEFPOL.
- To closely liaise with other EU actors on the ground, including Member States representatives and EU Delegations.

Job Requirements

Education: Relevant University Degree (International Relations, Political or Social Sciences ...)

Knowledge and Experience:

- Experience in the field of International Relations.
- Knowledge of the EU's commitment to the Sahel (EU's Renewed Approach to the Sahel and modalities for its implementation, role of the various European institutions, CSDP, Development issues, etc.).
- Experience of EU/Governmental institutions at a high level, EU external action and related EU external policies (geographic and thematic)
- Experience in the above-mentioned areas at institutional level, including analysis and reporting, international experience (Governmental, Embassy, International organization, NGO, etc.)

Skills

Linguistic skills: Thorough knowledge of French and English is required (written and spoken).

Communication skills: Capacity to work and communicate under time constraints in an international diplomatic and multilingual environment.

Interpersonal skills: Team spirit, strong coordination, communication and negotiation skills.

Intellectual skills: Analytical and strategical thinking

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ANNEX 2

APPLICATION FORM

EU Special Representative for the Sahel

Instructions: Please fill the application electronically and answer each question clearly and completely.

1. NOMINATION DETAILS

Indicate positions and status regime applied for:

Submitted by the Nominating Authority (Seconded Status) Ministry/Institution:		Specify the vacancy reference: <u>EUSRSL/2026/01</u>
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2. PERSONAL DATA

Family Name		First Name		Passport/ID number	
Date of Birth (DD/MM/YYYY)	Place of Birth		Country of Birth		Gender
Present nationality	Do you have multiple nationalities? Yes ☐ No ☐			Other nationality	
Marital Status: Single ☐ Married ☐ Others ☐				Blood Type	

Do you have any dependants? Yes ☐ No ☐		
Name	Age	Relationship

Mailing Address (or where you may be reached)

Street		Zip/Postal Code
Town/City	County/State/Province	Country
Mobile	Email Address	

Do you possess a valid driving licence? If Yes ☐ , what category _____ No ☐
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Do you currently hold a security clearance? At what level?

3. EDUCATION AND PROFESSIONAL TRAINING

Did you attend a Civilian Crisis Management Course? Yes ☐ No ☐

If affirmative, please indicate:

Course	Location	Date (from/to)
Cepol Senior Management Course		
Cepol Strategic Planning Course		
European Training Group Course (EGT)		
HEAT		
Other:		

University Education or Equivalent

Give full details in chronological order starting from the most recent degree/diploma achieved.
Include courses and post-graduate studies if applicable.

Name Institution / University, place and country	Degrees/Qualifications Obtained (Title of qualification awarded)	Main Course/Field of Study	Attended (mm/yy)	
			From:	To:

Schools or other formal vocational training

Name Institution / University, place and country	Degrees/Qualifications Obtained (Title of qualification awarded)	Main Course/Field of Study	Attended (mm/yy)	
			From:	To:

4. PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

Fields of Expertise

(Please indicate number of years of professional experience for each field of expertise):

Fields of Expertise	Years of Expertise	Fields of Expertise	Years of Expertise
International Relations		Operations	
Political Affairs		Internal Control	
Military Affairs		Investigations	
Law and Human Rights		Intelligence and Information	
Press and Public Relations		Human Resources	
Management		Training	
Administration & Support		Supply, Logistics & Transportation	
Finance and Accounting		Communications	
Programme Development		Information Systems	
Research and Analysis		Immigration	
Procurement		Border Service	
Public Administration		Civil Protection	
Monitoring		Prison Services	
Humanitarian Affairs		Economic	
Other			
Additional information:			

5. EMPLOYMENT RECORDS

Starting with your current position, list in reverse chronological order relevant professional positions held. Use a separate block for each position. Add as many blocks as you need.

Organisation, place and country	Position Held	Category/Rank	Date (mm/yy)	
			From	To
Description of your duties and responsibilities:				
Name of employer:		Type of Business:		

Address of Employer:	Name of Supervisor:
Tel/E-mail:	Reason for leaving:

Previous relevant positions

Organisation, place and country	Position Held	Category/Rank	Date (mm/yy)	
			From	To
Description of your duties and responsibilities:				
Name of employer:	Type of Business:			
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Description of your duties and responsibilities:				

Name of employer:	Type of Business:
Address of Employer:	Name of Supervisor:
Tel/E-mail:	Reason for leaving:

Other previous employment

Organisation, place and country	Position Held	Category/Rank	Date (mm/yy)	
			From	To

Previous international field experience

(Please provide exact details in reverse chronological order.)

Organisation	Place and country	Position Held	Date (mm/yy)	
			From	To

6. OTHER SKILLS

Native Language	
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Other languages	Level of proficiency			
	Speak	Write	Read	Understand

A = Professional Fluency; **B** = Working Knowledge; **C** = Limited Knowledge

7. OTHER ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

Explain briefly why you wish to join the EUSR office:

	YES	NO
Do you have any objections to our making enquiries of your present/past employer?		
Are you in excellent physical condition with no chronic health problems that limit your physical activity?		

By submitting this application form, I certify that the statements made by me in answer to the foregoing questions are true, complete and correct to the best of my knowledge and belief. I understand that any misrepresentation or material omission made on the Application Form will result in the application being void and will result in termination or dismissal:		
Signature	Place	Date

DETALŪS METADUOMENYS

Dokumento sudarytojas (-ai)	LIETUVOS NUOLATINĖ ATSTOVYBĖ EUROPOS SAJUNGOJE 188613242/58
Dokumento pavadinimas (antraštė)	DĖL IKI 2026 M. GRUODŽIO 1 D. UŽIMAMOS PAREIGYBĖS PARAIŠKŲ TEIKIMO TERMINO PRATĖSIMO IKI 2026 M. SPALIO 31 D. (EUSRSL/2026/01)
Dokumento registracijos data ir numeris	2026-10-06 Nr. (76.2.5)S76-1005
Dokumento gavimo data ir dokumento gavimo registracijos numeris	2026-10-06 Nr. G-2499
Dokumento specifikacijos identifikavimo žymuo	ADOC-V1.0
Parašo paskirtis	Pasirašymas
Parašą sukūrusio asmens vardas, pavardė ir pareigos	Mindaugas Silkauskas, Įgaliotasis ministras
Sertifikatas išduotas	MINDAUGAS SILKAUSKAS, Lietuvos Respublikos užsienio reikalų ministerija LT
Parašo sukūrimo data ir laikas	2026-10-05 18:17:21 (GMT+03:00)
Parašo formatas	XAdES-X-L
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Informacija apie sertifikavimo paslaugų teikėją	ADIC CA ECC, Asmens dokumentu israsymo centras prie LR VRM LT
Sertifikato galiojimo laikas	2025-02-18 08:24:38 – 2029-02-17 08:24:38
Informacija apie būdus, naudotus metaduomenų vientisumui užtikrinti	"Registravimas" paskirties metaduomenų vientisumas užtikrintas naudojant "RCSC IssuingCA-2, VI Registru Centras - i.k. 124110246 LT" išduotą sertifikatą "Dokumentų valdymo sistema Avilys, Lietuvos Respublikos užsienio reikalų ministerija, i.k. 188613242 LT", sertifikatas galioja nuo 2024-12-18 10:59:02 iki 2027-12-18 10:59:02 "Gauto dokumento registravimas" paskirties metaduomenų vientisumas užtikrintas naudojant "RCSC IssuingCA-2, VI Registru Centras - i.k. 124110246 LT" išduotą sertifikatą "DBSIS, Informatikos ir ryšių departamentas prie Lietuvos Respublikos vidaus reikalų ministerijos, i.k.188774822 LT", sertifikatas galioja nuo 2025-05-16 11:31:08 iki 2028-05-15 11:31:08
Pagrindinio dokumento priedų skaičius	4
Pagrindinio dokumento pridedamų dokumentų skaičius	–
Priedamo dokumento sudarytojas (-ai)	–
Priedamo dokumento pavadinimas (antraštė)	–
Priedamo dokumento registracijos data ir numeris	–
Programinės įrangos, kuria naudojantis sudarytas elektroninis dokumentas, pavadinimas	Dokumentų valdymo sistema Avilys, versija 3.5.90.2
Informacija apie elektroninio dokumento ir elektroninio (-ių) parašo (-ų) tikrinimą (tikrinimo data)	Metaduomens „Sudarytojo adresas“ reikšmė turi būti nurodyta Visi dokumente esantys elektroniniai parašai galioja (2026-10-07 15:17:07)
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