



The Mouso Institute

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REGIONAL HUB:	Western Africa
CULTURAL SECTOR(S):	Audiovisual fields, film, radio, photography
BENEFICIARY (IES):	Karoninka
COUNTRIES COVERED BY THE ACTION:	Senegal
PROJECT DURATION:	08/2022- 07/2023 (12 months)
BUDGET:	EUR 53 000 – EU FUNDING: EUR 25 000 (47.17 %)
WEBSITE:	www.karoninka.com

'The Mouso Institute', which means “woman” in Bambara, is a project aimed at promoting education for all, developing female leadership in rural areas, and enabling women to explore sectors beyond agriculture.

Distinguished trainers and educators from schools in Senegal and the Haute École Libre de Bruxelles conducted an initial 3-month training programme in photography techniques and audiovisual production for six young women.

Following this, compulsory 4-month refresher courses were offered to consolidate the acquired knowledge and expose the students to the realities of the film industry. The emphasis was also placed on educating the trainees in their artistic vision and enhancing their cinematographic culture.

Furthermore, a 3-month mentoring programme facilitated the professional integration of trainees. A showcase event for participants and partners provided an opportunity to share the works produced as part of the project with the public.

In conclusion, there are plans to establish an audiovisual training school for girls from Senegal and neighboring countries in the future.

