



CINE SAHEL

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REGIONAL HUB:	Western Africa
CULTURAL SECTOR(S):	Audiovisual, film
BENEFICIARY (IES):	Association KILE
COUNTRIES COVERED BY THE ACTION:	Mali
PROJECT DURATION:	03/2023 – 12/2023 (10 months)
BUDGET:	EUR 68 851– EU FUNDING: EUR 25 000 (36.31%)
WEBSITE:	N/A

The **'Cine Sahel'** project aims to use cinema as a tool for awareness and expression, strengthening social cohesion, and contributing to crisis prevention in the Sahel region.

Within this framework, works from 20 Malian filmmakers and 5 other Sahelian countries have been selected, with a particular emphasis on films made by individuals under 40 and by women. Filmmakers chosen for the project participated in training sessions led by experienced instructors to enhance their artistic and technical skills, enabling them to continue producing quality works beyond the project's conclusion. Networks were established between trainers and filmmakers, fostering the emergence of future collaborations.

The selected films were screened in public spaces in Mali and on a digital platform, thus providing access to a wide audience across Sahelian countries.

Finally, after the screenings, discussions were held to raise awareness among the local population on various themes such as good governance and combating violent extremism, thereby promoting dialogue and mutual understanding through the art of cinema.

