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Graine d'Espoir #1

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| REGIONAL HUB: | Western Africa |
| CULTURAL SECTOR(S): | Audiovisual, film, radio |
| BENEFICIARY (IES): | Cinéma numérique ambulant |
| COUNTRIES COVERED BY THE ACTION: | Burkina Faso |
| PROJECT DURATION: | 09/2021 - 08/2022 (12 months) |
| BUDGET: | EUR 48 906 - EU FUNDING: EUR 24 929 (50.97%) |
| WEBSITE: | N/A |

The '**Graine d'Espoir**' project aims to educate unschooled children and young people aged 14 to 18 from impoverished families, displaced camps in Ouagadougou, and peripheral neighborhoods about filmmaking.

In this context, the collaboration between the Cinéma Numérique Ambulant and the Belgian organization Slama Cinéma has strengthened the skills of 15 trainers over a month. These trainers are now capable of leading introductory filmmaking workshops for a young audience.

Simultaneously, 45 disadvantaged children were introduced to stop motion animation filmmaking techniques during three training workshops, each lasting three weeks. These apprentice filmmakers produced two short films in each workshop on themes of their choice. Their creations were showcased on the big screen and helped raise public awareness. Thanks to this training, some youths may even consider a career in cinema.

Likewise, nearly 15,000 people of all ages, alongside the trained youths, discovered a selection of five classic films. They have become active cinephiles, frequenting cinemas and contributing to the enhancement and profitability of Burkina Faso's film production chain.

