



# **SAFE UKRAINE 2030 ANNUAL REPORT 2025**

SECURITY · DEMOCRACY · TRUST · PARTNERSHIP



## CONTEXT

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- ❑ Full-scale war, resilience and recovery
- ❑ Growing role of democratic governance in security
- ❑ High demand for trust and partnership
- ❑ Institutional instability of state partners during wartime, reform and recovery
- ❑ Limited availability of reliable security data for analytical and monitoring & evaluation (M&E) work
- ❑ Significant reduction in USAID programme funding
- ❑ Security is not among the primary strategic priorities of many international donor organisations in Ukraine
- ❑ High competition among rule-of-law projects and initiatives
- ❑ Limited human and financial resources

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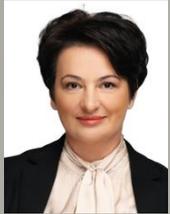


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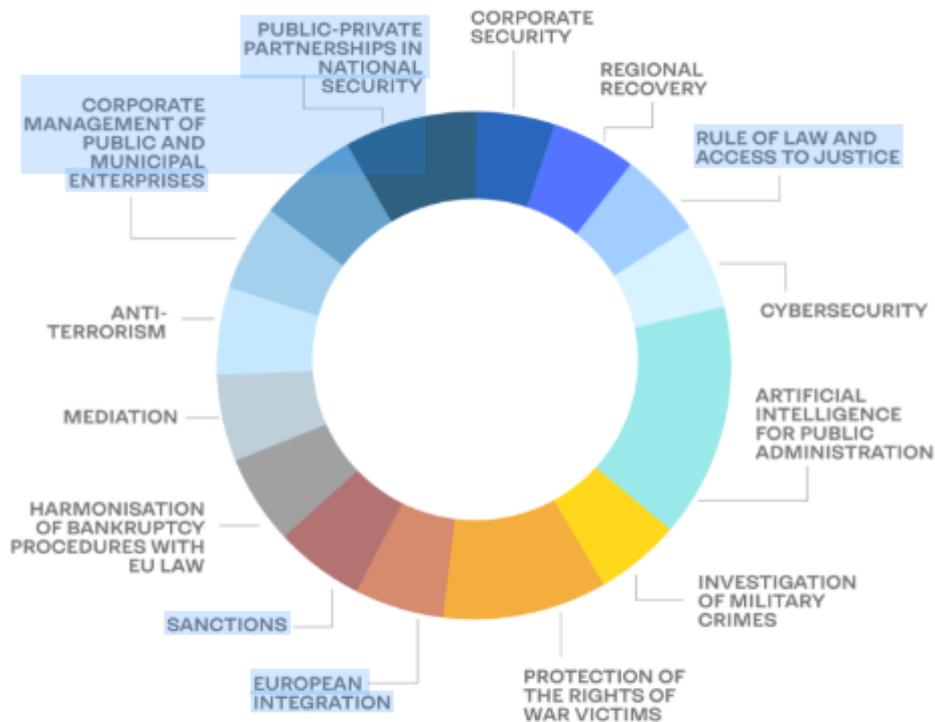
# SAFE UKRAINE

The SAFE Ukraine 2030  
Foundation Team:  
Building a Safer Future





## Areas of activity



*The Safe Ukraine 2030 Foundation is establishing the first specialised non-governmental platform dedicated to advancing Ukraine as a rule-of-law and secure state*

**50+** — **35** — **120+**

experts and specialists from Ukraine, Europe and around the world

sectors in the field of law and security

completed projects

## **MISSION**

We are building a secure Ukraine — with everyone and for everyone who respects its independence, democratic path, and works toward its prosperity

## **STRATEGIC GOAL**

To develop and promote standards of a democratic and resilient security architecture and rule of law, grounded in accountability, trust, and responsible cross-sector partnership

## **KEY ROLE**

To shape a new culture of security in Ukraine and globally through political dialogue, cross-sector partnerships, and trust-based governance models

## KEY STRENGTHS

- Extensive and high-quality expertise in security and law (Sayenko Kharenko (SK), SK Security, Association of Corporate Security Professionals of Ukraine (APCSU), 10Guards, ASIS)
- Deep knowledge of business and governmental environments
- Leadership in the security domain and proactive partnership-building
- Administrative support from SK
- The "New Culture of Security" programme as a flagship product
- Unique, practice-based expertise



## KEY ACHIEVEMENTS

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- ❑ **Institutional positioning** of the Foundation
- ❑ Launch of the flagship **programme "New Culture of Security"**
- ❑ **Integration of security issues** into the agenda of global governance, good governance, and recovery
- ❑ Expansion of **international partnerships**
- ❑ **Strengthening Ukraine's** role in international dialogue
- ❑ Common European Data Spaces and Robust AI for Transparent Public Governance (**CEDAR**)
- ❑ Development of **Foreign Direct Investment (FDI)** screening legislation for Ukraine
- ❑ Support for the **High Council of Justice** of Ukraine by representing the rights and interests of the **Ethics Council**
- ❑ **First OSINT Hackathon in Ukraine**
- ❑ **Assessment of the security** level of doing business in Ukraine
- ❑ **Experts work in programs/projects:** EU, UNICEF, EBRD, UNOPS, World Bank, USAID, KfW, EU Delegation in Ukraine, IRF

**And also: transition from project logic to a program-ecosystem approach**



*Supporting Ukraine and holding Russia accountable are central to Finland's OSCE Chairmanship. Ukrainian civil society has shown remarkable resilience in the face of adverse circumstances, and Finland remains firmly committed to supporting it. I extend my best wishes to the New Culture of Security initiative developed by the OGP Coordination Council in Ukraine and the SAFE Ukraine 2030 Foundation. We fully support the crucial role of civil society in defending democratic values and implementing new standards and partnerships.*

**Ambassador Jouani Laaksonen, Head of the Working Group on Finland's OSCE Chairmanship**



*The Vitoria-Gasteiz Declaration is the central outcome of the OGP Summit: a commitment to openness, accountability, participation, and sustainability at a time when they are most under threat. I urge all partners to endorse it and use it as a basis for action and accountability. Let us ensure that the "New Culture of Security" becomes a living example of OGP principles, showing how democracy and security reinforce each other. This moment requires extraordinary courage, cooperation, and leadership. Open government gives us a foundation for building trust, resilience, and a more secure democratic future. We must not retreat—we must move forward.*

**Paul Maassen, Head of Global Programs, Open Government Partnership (OGP)**



*The proposed New Culture of Security programme is considered highly relevant, ambitious, and has significant potential impact in the long term. Its multisectoral approach not only covers numerous areas that are central to UNDP's mandate but also links some of our key priorities to a broader concept of security firmly rooted in democratic values.*

**Olena Ursu, Team Leader, Coordinator of the UNDP Democratic Governance Project Group in Ukraine**

## 1. ENSURING FINANCIAL STABILITY AND DEVELOPMENT OF PROJECT ACTIVITIES

## 2. DEVELOPMENT OF EXPERTISE AND PROJECT MANAGEMENT

- **Amendments to the Charter**, including the management structure
- **Transformation** and strengthening of the team
- Submission and approval of an application for a **strategic session**: development of a (updated) Strategy and operational plan for 2026-2028
- Start of implementation of a **knowledge management system**

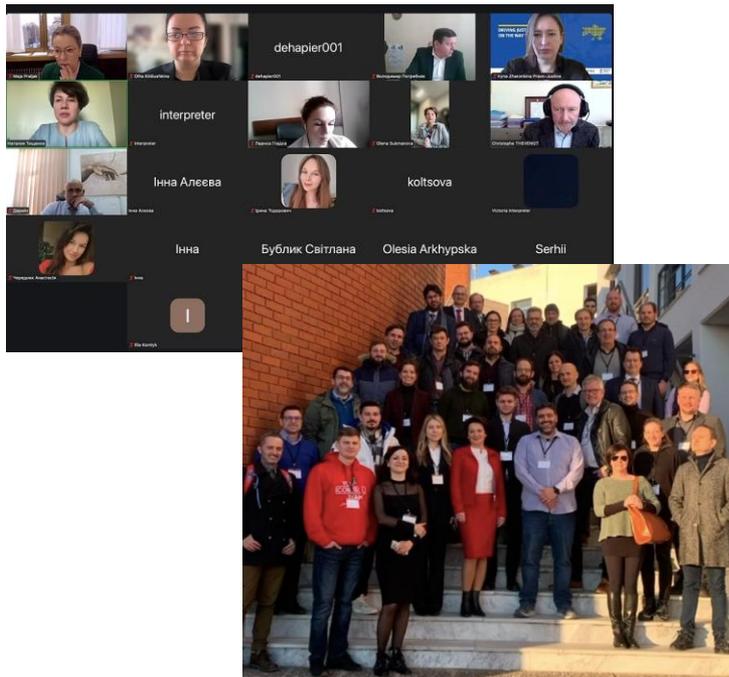
## 3. PARTICIPATION IN EUROPEAN INTEGRATION PROCESSES

- **Implementation of projects** related to European integration
- Participation in the **Working Group of the Ministry of Justice of Ukraine** on the preparation of Ukraine's negotiating positions during negotiations with the EU on judicial power and fundamental rights

## 4. INCREASING VISIBILITY AND STRENGTHENING THE IMAGE OF THE FOUNDATION

- **Innovative Security Dialogues** were introduced for international organizations and diplomatic missions in Ukraine
- Initiator of the innovative programme **"New Culture of Security"** jointly with the United Kingdom, Germany, and Moldova
- Organized and held a **high-level round table "Leadership and Partnership in Security: the Leading Role of Civil Society"** at the global summit of the Open Government Partnership Initiative
- Advocated for **security in the international Vitoria-Gasteiz Declaration**
- Included in the **EU Transparency Register**
- Discussed potential cooperation and signed **strategic memoranda** with Coginta (Switzerland), EuroHub, and a statement on the implementation of a new culture of security (United Kingdom, Germany, Moldova)



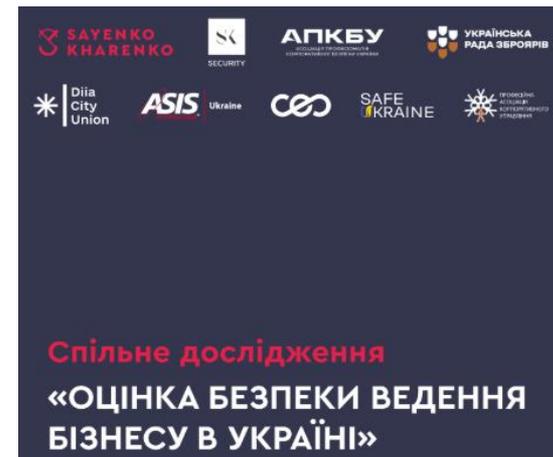


## 5. DEVELOPMENT OF RESEARCH AND ANALYTICAL SKILLS

- Participation in the preparation of the study "**Assessment of Business Security**"
- "**Legal Roadmap for Recovery**": New Legal Solutions for Transparent Community Reconstruction
- Recommendations for the Implementation of the **EU Directive on Preventive Restructuring**

## 6. DEVELOPMENT OF INNOVATIVE ACTIVITIES AND IMPLEMENTATION OF INNOVATIVE TECHNOLOGIES

- participation in the preparation of **5 EU Horizon Project** consortium applications at the invitation of international partners





## THE SECURITY SERVICE OF UKRAINE



## THE STATE SCIENTIFIC INSTITUTION "INSTITUTE OF INFORMATION, SECURITY AND LAW OF THE NATIONAL ACADEMY OF LEGAL SCIENCES OF UKRAINE"

October 6, 2025

IX Global Summit of the Open Government Partnership

### STATEMENT

following the High-Level Roundtable

**"LEADERSHIP AND PARTNERSHIP IN SECURITY:  
THE LEADING ROLE OF CIVIL SOCIETY"**



**МЕМОРАНДУМ ПРО СПІВРОБІТНИЦТВО  
між Громадською спілкою «Європейський Хаб»**



## UNIQUE ADDED VALUE

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- ❑ **Integrating security and democratic governance** (accountability, transparency, trust) by combining security solutions with democratic principles
- ❑ **Institutionalization of trust** as a practical condition for stability and crisis prevention
- ❑ **Platform for co-creation of policies:** combining political dialogue, coordinated approaches to accountability, analytics, piloting practical solutions in partnership with government, civil society, and business sectors
- ❑ The Foundation seeks to **systematize Ukraine's unique experience** of functioning as a democratic state in wartime and broadcasts it to international platforms, positioning Ukraine as a donor of knowledge

*The Safe Ukraine 2030 Foundation creates unique added value by combining security, democracy, and trust into a single managed ecosystem capable of producing legitimate, effective, and sustainable security solutions in conditions of war, recovery, and global geopolitical crisis*

*Security is an essential component of recovery*

## STRATEGIC GOAL

developing and promoting **standards for democratic**, sustainable security architecture and the rule of law based on accountability, trust, and cross-sectoral responsible partnership

## GOAL FOR 2026

The Foundation is an internationally recognized multi-stakeholder platform that **combines security, democracy, and trust into a single managed ecosystem** for developing legitimate, effective, and sustainable security solutions in conditions of war, recovery, and global geopolitical instability

**THANK YOU FOR YOUR ATTENTION AND SUPPORT!**

**LET'S MOVE FORWARD TOGETHER TOWARDS  
NEW AMBITIOUS ACHIEVEMENTS!**

