

# Combating Cyber-Enabled Crimes in Jamaica | CyberJAM



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## ABOUT THE PROJECT

This project strengthens Jamaica's ability to respond to cyber threats by enhancing the investigative capacities of the Jamaica Constabulary Force's (JCF) Communications Forensics and Cybercrimes Division and the Major Organized Crime and Anti-Corruption Agency (MOCA).

Through embedded technical advisors, strategic mentorship, and hands-on training by subject matter experts, the initiative supports the development of a centralized cyber investigations hub within MOCA.

By streamlining investigative processes and expanding access to specialized expertise, the project enables national institutions to more effectively detect, disrupt, and dismantle cyber and organized crime networks—helping protect citizens and safeguard critical infrastructure.

## STRATEGIC GOALS

- **Identify Legal and Procedural Gaps:** Review relevant legislation, interagency protocols, and government regulations to pinpoint barriers that hinder MOCA and the JCF's ability to effectively investigate, handle evidence, and prepare cybercrime cases for prosecution.
- **Strengthen Technical Capacity:** Assess the technical capabilities of MOCA and the JCF's Communications Forensics and Cybercrimes Division (CFCD) in handling cyber and cyber-enabled crimes. Use findings to prioritize and implement targeted interventions that enhance investigative effectiveness and case preparation.
- **Improve Case Processing Efficiency:** Reduce the time required by MOCA and CFCD to investigate and prepare cyber and cyber-enabled cases for prosecution, improving overall responsiveness to digital threats.

## OUR VISION FOR IMPACT



Conducted operational assessments to identify gaps and training needs in cyber investigations within MOCA and the CFCD.



Delivered targeted training seminars for MOCA on undercover operations, social media investigations, the cyber economy, encryption, and digital smuggling.



Implemented improved investigative processes and technology systems to enhance intelligence sharing and strengthen case development.

## KEY FACTS

### Donor

U.S. Department of State:  
Bureau of International  
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### Partners | Beneficiary Stakeholders

Jamaican Major Organized Crime & Anti-Corruption Agency (MOCA), Jamaica Constabulary Force (JCF) Communication Forensics and Cybercrime Division (CFCD), Ministry of National Security.



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