INVITATION TO MARITIME SECURITY COMMON MODULE

(European initiative for the exchange of young military officers, inspired by Erasmus)

Dear Colleagues,

The Hellenic Naval Academy under the auspices of the European Security and Defence College, in the framework of the European initiative for the exchange of young military officers, inspired by Erasmus, has the honour to organise a “Maritime Security” Common Module.

The module consists of an e-Learning part, as well as a residential session, that would be held in the Hellenic Naval Academy, from 1 to 5 April 2019, both parts being compulsory.

The Module is based on the EMILYO Maritime Security Standard Curriculum. Its aim is to introduce the participants in the contemporary maritime security environment, and to familiarize them with Maritime Security Concepts. The Module will also provide a general knowledge of the European Union Maritime Security Strategy, its history and development, its main principles along with the challenges of its implementation.

We would be pleased if you would accept this invitation and nominate suitable candidates for this training activity.

For further details, regarding the course and administrative information, please refer to the attachments.

Looking forward to welcoming European Cadets, Young Military and Coastguard Officers, during the residential phase of the “Maritime Security” Common Module.

Attachments
- Administrative information
- Module presentation

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HELLENIC NAVAL ACADEMY
ATHENS – GREECE

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Hosted in Athens (GREECE) from 1st to 5th Apr 2019

Administrative Information

1. General
   Forty (40) participants will be admitted including:
   - Navy and Costguard National Cadets / Young Military Officers
   - Army and Air Force National / Cadets / Young Military Officers
   - Civilian University Students in Strategic Science
   - Foreign Cadets / Young Officers (Up to 13 participants)

   The module will be held in English language, thus an adequate level in the language is required (equivalent to NATO STANAG Level 2 for Military Personnel). A basic knowledge on the structure and history of the European Union is prerequisite. No course fees would be required.

2. Accommodation-Meals
   Accommodation:
   - For the participating cadets / young officers accommodation will be provided in the Academy’s campus free of charge.
   - For the escorts and civilians, reservation at own arrangements in any hotel downtown Piraeus is recommended.
   Meals: Three (3) meals per day will be provided by the Hellenic Naval Academy in the Academy’s campus free of charge.

3. Transportation
   Transportation from Athens International Airport (AIA) will be provided by the Hellenic Naval Academy on the 31st Mar 2019 at 17:00 LT. A representative holding “Hellenic Naval Academy” sign will meet you at the arrival terminal of the airport. Transportation to Athens airport will be provided by the Hellenic Naval Academy on the 5th Apr 2019 at 17:00 LT. METRO, buses and taxi are also available from / to AIA to / from Piraeus at convenient prices.
4. **Academy Location**  
Hellenic Naval Academy, Hatzikyriakou Street No.147 (Terma), Piraeus, Athens.

5. **Registration**  
Please send the attached application form to the POC not later than 1\textsuperscript{st} March 2019 (flight info may be sent when available after registration). Registration is open on a “first come-first served” basis. Please be aware that according to the regulations, the participation to the residential session is feasible only after the successful accomplishment of the e-Learning part. The flight data would be required after the validation of the registration.

6. **Dress Code:**  
- Arrival / Departure: casual  
- Opening / Closing Ceremony: official uniform  
- Educational session: service uniform  
- Ice Breaking Event, Sightseeing and Dinners: smart casual

7. **POC**  
For further information please contact  
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HELLENIC NAVAL ACADEMY
Maritime Security of the EU

Residential Phase: 1 – 5 April 2019
Maritime Security of the EU

Invitations will be send to the Academies in December 2018

Arrival day: 31 March 19 (no later than 20:00)

Departure day: no sooner than 5 April 18 (16:00)

Maximum availability: 40 cadets/students/officers

Tuition, accommodation and meals are free of charge
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Prerequisites for international participants

- English: Common European Framework of Reference for Languages (CEFR) Level B1 or NATO STANAG Level 2
- At least 2 years of national military education
- Basic knowledge of International Politics, EU, CFSP, CSDP, preferably via the ESDC IDL (AKU 1 and AKU 2).
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Goal of the Module

Introduction of the contemporary maritime security environment and familiarization of officer students with Maritime Security Concepts.
Learning outcomes

- Europeananization of officer training
- History
- Maritime Security concept
- Current threats and Challenges
- Contemporary International Law Framework
- EU/CSDP MS Operations lessons learned
- European Union Maritime Security Strategy
- Maritime Security Concept under State actors strategies
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Learning outcomes - Knowledge

- Regional Aspects and Initiatives
- EU Missions and Operations
- Roles and Mandate of Armed Forces
- Maritime Surveillance and Policing
- Technology Usage
- Maritime transport infrastructure Security Needs
- Cross-sectoral cooperation and interoperability
Learning outcomes - Skills

- Extended knowledge of the contemporary maritime security environment
- Identify, understand, and analyze maritime security issues
- Acquire the skills to conduct original research and analysis on contemporary maritime security issues
Learning outcomes - Competences

- Demonstrate relevant knowledge and understanding of the notion and different aspects of maritime security
- Apply methodological tools for analysis of maritime security policy, and produce written argumentation on security topics and policy recommendations Identify, understand, and analyze maritime security issues
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ATHENS WELCOMES YOU!