

# Portuguese Air Force Academy



## International Air Force Semester

### Administrative Paper





## 1. Introduction

### 1.1. Pre-conditions for Participation in the International Semester

- Only military **Officer Cadets** – with an appropriate military background – are foreseen to participate in the International Air Force Semester.
- The Officer Cadets' pre-condition for participation in the International Semester are:
  - English language according to point 1.2;
  - Physical fitness standards as per own Institution requirements;
  - Basic managerial and leadership competences;
  - Basic negotiation and problem solving skills;
  - Basic aeronautical knowledge;
  - Ability to plan, organise and accept responsibility.

### 1.2. Language

- The International Semester is offered in English language.
- The Common European Framework of Reference for Languages (CEFR) Level B1 or NATO STANAG Level 2 is a requirement for participation.

### 1.3. Contents/Duration

- The International Air Force Semester has 24 ECTS and last 12 weeks. This fulfils the requirements for ERASMUS+ support.
- The semester starts at September 26, 2022 and finishes at December 16, 2022.
- Officer Cadets are expected to arrive the weekend before the semester start (**September 24 and 25, 2022**) and to departure the weekend after the semester end (**December 17 and 18, 2022**).



#### 1.4. Applications

- Use the Application Form of Annex 1 and send it to [afa\\_internacional@academiafa.edu.pt](mailto:afa_internacional@academiafa.edu.pt) (in cc to [lffelix@academiafa.edu.pt](mailto:lffelix@academiafa.edu.pt))
- Registration deadline is August 19, 2022.
- All application form will be prioritized on a “first-come/first-served” basis.

#### 1.5. Accommodation & Meals

- According to EMILYO-LoD 5 (framework), accommodation, meals, and other expenses in relation to the education are free of charge for members of European Union Basic Officer Education Institutions (<http://www.emilyo.eu/node/982>).
- For Non-EU Members the rules follow bilateral regulations, agreements, and contracts.

#### 1.6. Transportation

- All participants should make their travel arrangements to Lisbon International Airport.
- The Portuguese Air Force Academy will organize the transport from Lisbon International Airport to Academy and otherwise. To the end, please send your participants’ flight information to the Portuguese Air Force Academy POC.

#### 1.7. Uniform/ Dress Code

- The following uniforms should be used by the Officer Cadets:
  - Arrival/departure and short leave: informal/casual;
  - Official ceremonies: ceremonial uniform;
  - Daily routine: service uniform (with tie) and field uniform;
  - Sports activities: own academy sports uniform (shorts, t-shirt and tracksuit).

#### 1.8. COVID-19

- The COVID-19 may changes on a daily basis.



- At the present time, there are no restrictions to travel to Portugal.
- Face mask is mandatory at public transports and health care facilities
- Please, be advised that COVID-19 measures may change till the start of the semester.  
Make sure to check travelling restrictions to Portugal and with airline company before the flight.

## 2. International Air Force Semester Content

### 2.1. Overview

- The international Air Force Semester has 24 ECTS and last 12 weeks.
- The Semester consists of ten (10) Modules that will be divided in two (2) groups of six (6) weeks.

<b>Module name</b>	<b>ECTS</b>
CM Common Security & Defence Policy	2
CM Cyber Warfare	2
CM Military Ethics	2
Space Applications for Security and Defence	2
Aviation Meteorology	2
Flight & Ground Safety	2
Aviation English	4
Aerial Navigation	2
Avionics Systems	4
Propulsion Systems	2
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>24</b>

### 3. Contacts

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# Application Form

for participation in **International Air Force Semester - IAFS**  
at the Portuguese Air Force Academy - PrAFA



### Remarks:

1. Please fill in the yellow & blue fields only.
2. Fill in 1 form for 1 person.
3. Click into squares to mark, click again to unmark.
4. When concluded, send this form to:  
[afa\\_internacional@academiafa.edu.pt](mailto:afa_internacional@academiafa.edu.pt)  
(in cc to lffelix@emfa.pt)

Application Form for International Air Force Semester  
at Portuguese Air Force Academy from September 26 to December 16 2022  
(the dates **do not** include travel days)

Male click to mark <input type="checkbox"/>	Female click to mark <input type="checkbox"/>	Rank, ac. degree(s)	FAMILY NAME	Forename(s) / First name(s)
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Date of birth DD MM YYYY Click for date	Nationality	Passport or ID number	Passport or ID validity until Click for date
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Branch of Service (if available)	Sending institution's name	I want to participate as .... (click to mark)	
		Student <input type="checkbox"/>	Instructor <input type="checkbox"/>

Phone number (if available) please include the country code	E-mail address(es)
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Arrival by <b>plane</b> (click to mark) <input type="checkbox"/>	Arrival by <b>train</b> (click to mark) <input type="checkbox"/>	Arrival by <b>bus</b> (click to mark) <input type="checkbox"/>	Arrival by <b>own car</b> (click to mark) <input type="checkbox"/>	Location of arrival (as precise as possible to assure transport)	Arrival date Click for date	Arrival time
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Departure by <b>plane</b> (click to mark) <input type="checkbox"/>	Departure by <b>train</b> (click to mark) <input type="checkbox"/>	Departure by <b>bus</b> (click to mark) <input type="checkbox"/>	Departure by <b>own car</b> (click to mark) <input type="checkbox"/>	Location of departure (as precise as possible to assure transport)	Departure date Click for date	Departure time
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Special dietary or food requirements due to medical or religious reasons (click to mark)	If yes, please specify food you cannot eat
No <input type="checkbox"/>	Yes <input type="checkbox"/>

Additional remarks (need for special equipment, special travel arrangements, etc.)	Insert below your picture (preferably a passport picture in jpg-format or attach the picture to the mail)
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If you are not the point of contact (POC) **or** if more than one person will participate from your institution please fill in POC's data below (if **YOU** are the POC please fill in your data again)

Male click to mark <input type="checkbox"/>	Female click to mark <input type="checkbox"/>	Rank, ac. degree(s)	FAMILY NAME	First name(s)
POC's phone number (include country code)		POC's e-mail address(es)		