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VASIL LEVSKI NATIONAL MILITARY UNIVERSITY



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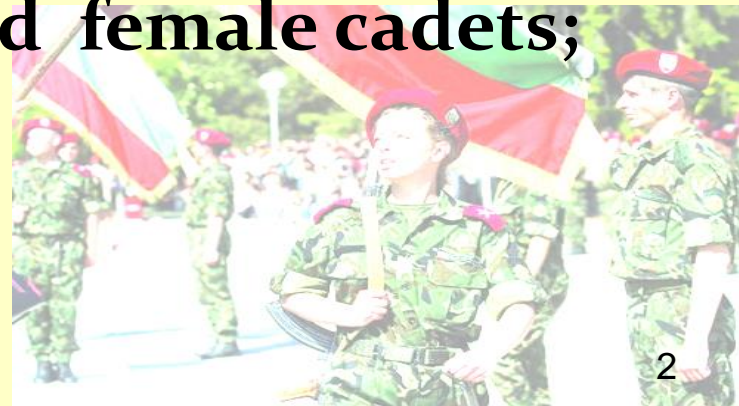


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History



The **National Military University** is the successor of the first military school in Bulgaria established in 1878 and the heir of the rich military traditions of 140 years of training of leaders for the Armed Forces and the nation.



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LOCATION OF VASIL LEVSKI NMU



The motto of Vasil Levski NMU

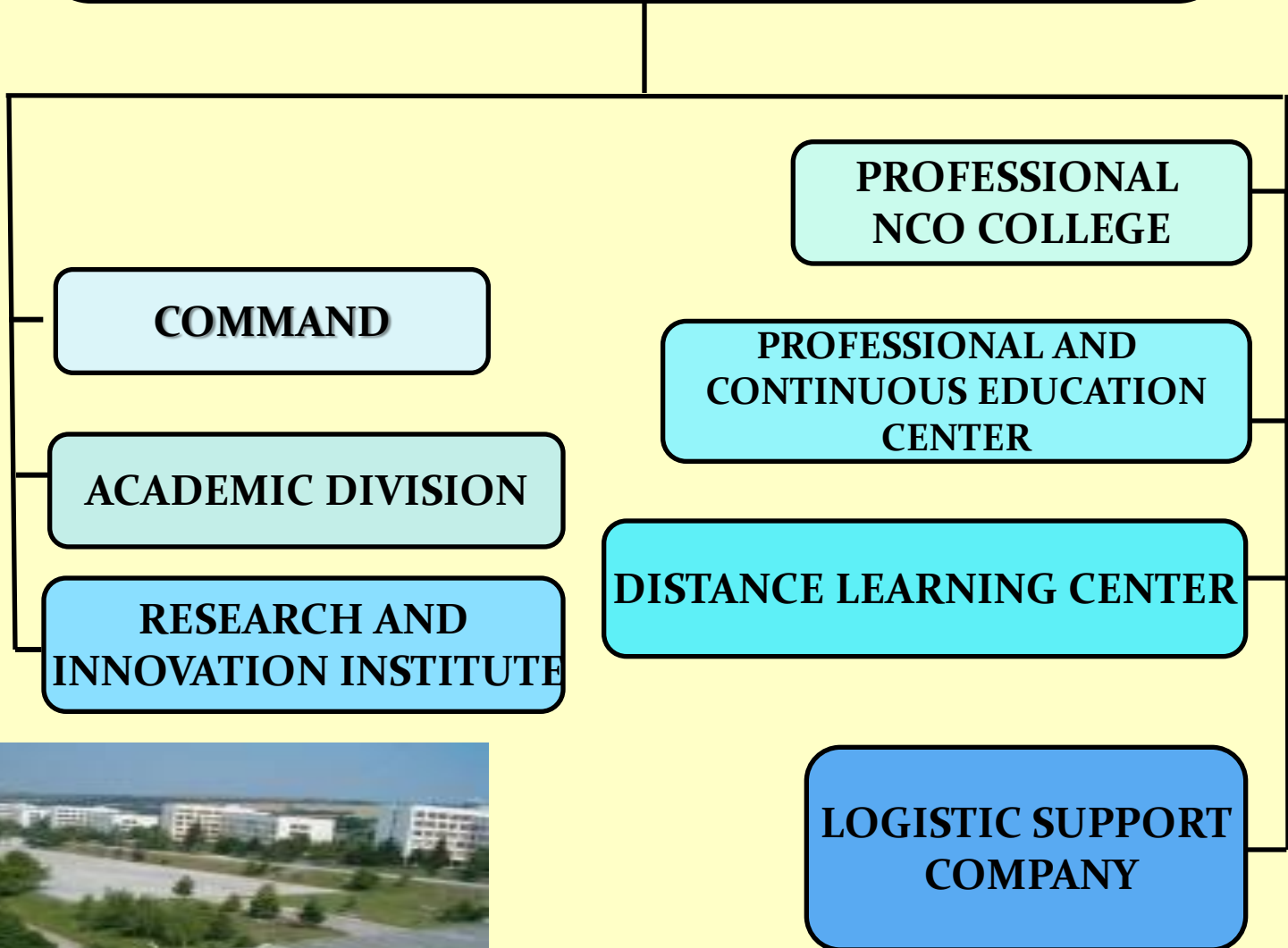


„We are within Time
and Time is within us!”





STRUCTURE of VASIL LEVSKI NMU





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ACADEMIC DIVISION STRUCTURE

LAND FORCES FACULTY
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**ARTILLERY, AIR DEFENSE,
COMMUNICATION AND
INFORMATION
SYSTEMS FACULTY**
Shoumen

**FOREIGN LANGUAGES
and PHYSICAL TRAINING
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The main *purpose of training* is to form leaders possessing the essential leadership qualities, knowledge and management skills, and organizational capabilities.



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CADETS

CIVILIAN STUDENTS
Bachelors and Masters

PhD STUDENTS

POSTGRADUATE STUDENTS

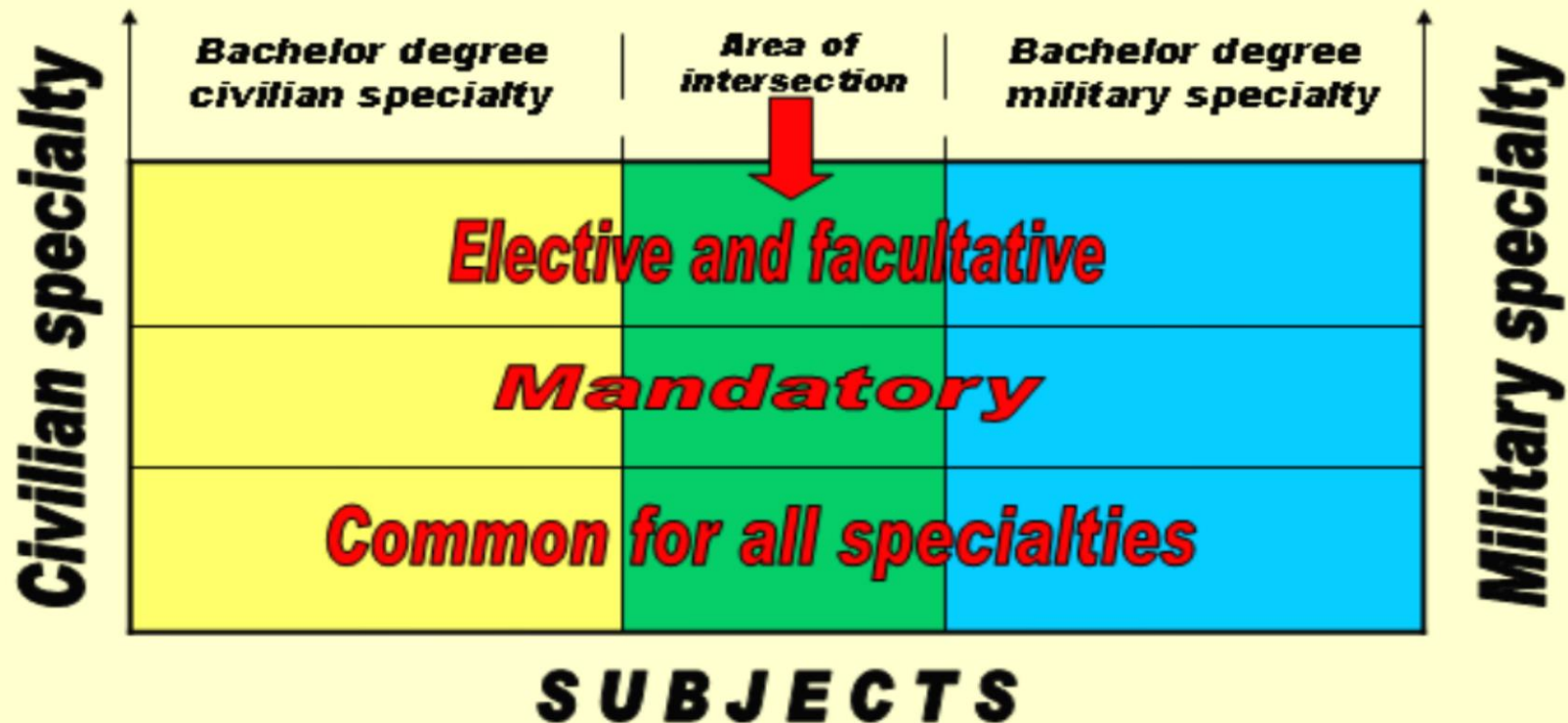
NCOs



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Sample curriculum for cadet training



$$\text{Total number of hours} = \text{Hours of civilian specialty Subjects} + \text{Hours of military specialty subjects} - \text{Hours of intersection subjects}$$

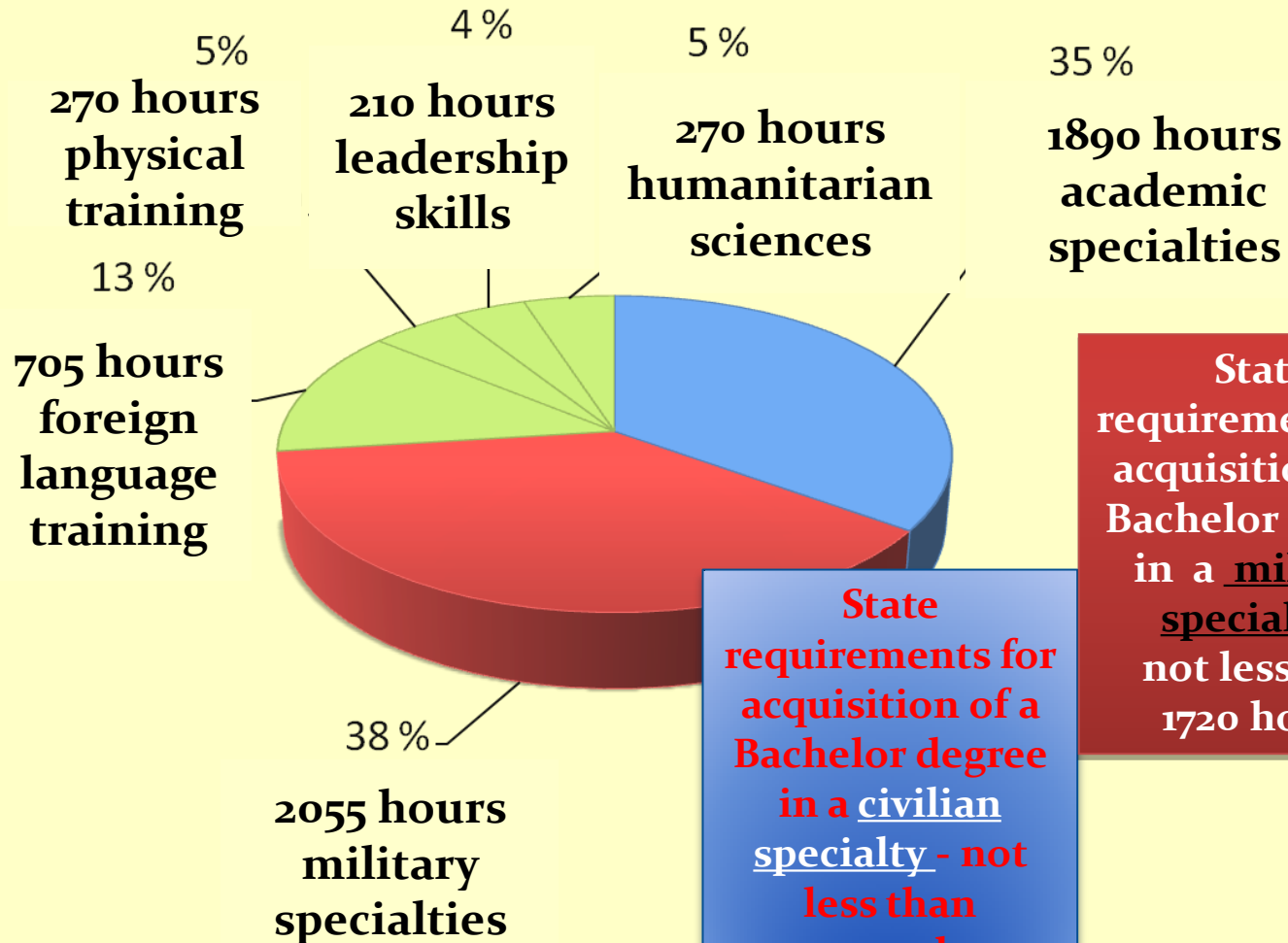


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Distribution of classes in the unified curriculum for cadet training towards a Bachelor degree in their civilian and military specialty

State requirements for the unified Curriculum not less than **3800** hours



State requirements for acquisition of a Bachelor degree in a civilian specialty - not less than **2200-3000** hours

State requirements for acquisition of a Bachelor degree in a military specialty - not less than **1720** hours

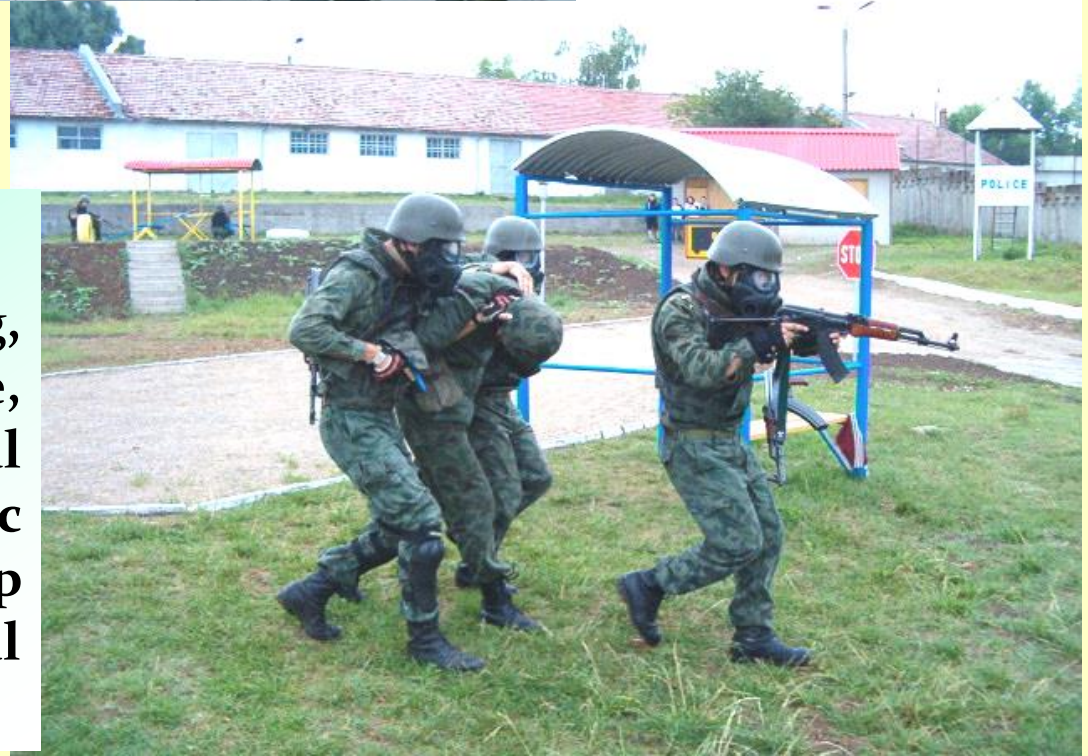


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MILITARY TRAINING

includes basic military training, field camps, shooting practice, tactical exercises, survival course, combined with academic training, leadership development, drills, physical training and sports.





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The cadets – male and female are the main category of trainees. They are military personnel preparing to take up a career path to the benefit of society.



At NMU 20% of the cadets are women.



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FACTS.....

- **The first female officers graduated in 1992 and 1993 in Vasil Levski NMU;**
- **Since 1995 women have been regularly accepted as cadets;**
- **Gradually, all military specializations have become open to female cadets and today women can choose from all military specializations.**





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**EDUCATION IN GENDER ISSUES AT THE
NATIONAL MILITARY UNIVERSITY**

Gender education has been part of the
LEADERSHIP training programme since 2015.

The main topics are:

- “ The Essence of Gender Equality Policies. International framework and documents. ”- lecture; workshop and exercise;
- "National framework and policies of the implementation of gender equality in the Bulgarian Army" – lecture and workshop;
- "Integration of Gender Equality Policies in the planning, implementation and evaluation of military operations and missions." – lecture and exercise.





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Vasil Levski NMU is the first military university in Europe that became part of the program - 1999.



BG cadets in MULF, Wroclaw, PL



BG cadets in LFA, Sibiu, RO



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