

Country	Institution	Common Module CSDP Olympiad	ECTS 2.0
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Service All	Minimum Qualification for Lecturers <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Officers: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> English: Common European Framework of Reference for Languages (CEFR) Level B2 or NATO STANAG Level 3, Relevant expertise on CSDP, International experience. Civilians: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> English: Common European Framework of Reference for Languages (CEFR) Level B2 or NATO STANAG Level 3, Expertise on relevant topics, Relevant academic publications. 		
Language English			
SQF MILOF	Competence area - Military service member Learning area - National and international security policy and strategy Organisation level - Common		
Prerequisites for international participants <ul style="list-style-type: none"> English: Common European Framework of Reference for Languages (CEFR) Level B1 or NATO STANAG Level 2, ESDC IDL AKU 1-4. 		Goal of the Module <p>To explain the relationship between the policy and strategy and between national interests, political objectives and military objectives and the link with the requirements of the armed forces</p> <p>To explain the relationship between national and regional organizations' security strategies and their associated military strategies</p> <p>(To write a paper on CSDP, which is going to be published and circulated within the relevant EU Institutions and stakeholders, and to compete with cadets competition in a CSDP knowledge).</p>	

Learning outcomes	Knowledge <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Define aim and role of the European security and defence co-operation and the development of CSDP, the context in which the European Security Strategy was elaborated. Explain the role played in the field of CFSP/ CSDP by the relevant EU Institutions (European Council, the Council of the European Union, the European Commission and European Parliament) and the inter-institutional mechanisms involved. Explain how the Common Security and Defence Policy is implemented - in the larger context of the Common Foreign and Security Policy - through concrete operational engagements, with emphasis on the policy decision-making for operations/ missions.
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	Skills	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Engage in discussions and cooperate concerning a Pan European environment. Develop creative solutions within a specialised CSDP-field linked to the armed forces requirements.
	R&A	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Act and cooperate with confidence in a CSDP working environment.

Verification of learning outcomes

- Paper Competition
- Knowledge Competition

Students' assessments have been made by a Commission of experts/faculty from colleges and relevant Institutions.

Course details

Topic	Working Hours	Details
CSDP IDL consisting of 4 Autonomous Knowledge Units (AKUs)	15	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> AKU1 "History and Context of ESDP" AKU2 "European Security Strategy" AKU3 "Role of EU Institutions in the field of CFSP/ CSDP" AKU4 "Overview of CSDP Operational Engagements"
Paper	15 (30)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Paper consisting of 3500 words with a relevant CSDP title
Residential	8	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Paper presentation Knowledge Competition, based on a multiple-choice questionnaire
Total	38	

Workload Calculation

- Total amount: **38 (53) WH**
- Estimated average of self-studies = **10WH**
- 38 (53) WH + 10WH = 48 (63) WH**
- Course is in English (not native language) → 48 **(63)** WH x1.25= **60 (79) WH**
- Workload for the CSDP Olympiad Module is 60 (79) Working Hours(WH)**

These **60 (79)** Working hours equal **2 (3) ECTS** for academic programmes.