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Country PT	Institution Portuguese Military Academy	Common Module Digital Leadership	3.0
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		Minimum Qualit	Minimum Qualification of Instructors		
Service	Officers:		Civilian Lecturers:		
ALL	0	Experience of collaboration with multinational military personnel.	0	Relevant academic publications and/or implementation of collaborative relationships working practices.	
Language	0	English: Common European Framework of Reference for Languages (CEFR) Level B2 or NATO STANAG Level 2+.			
English	0	Relevant expertise on collaborative leadership, change management and team management.			
SQF	Competence area - Leader and Decision-Maker				
MILOF	0	Learning area - Change management			
	o Organisation level - Common				

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) higher education.

Goals of the Module

- Explain the principles of change management and the effects on the military domain
- Plan the use of all indicators of change to interpret the impact on the operating environment
- Changing nature of leadership and a holistic view on the digital leader's role.
- Collaborative working environment in a context of a digital-related challenge.
- Collaborative leadership skills at a team management level as well as at an individual level.

outcomes	Know- ledge	 Formulate basic principles of leadership, team management and collaboration. Identify the trends, challenges and the new role of the digital leader. Describe and distinguish the tools to solve complex problems and to lead individuals and groups.
earning ou	Skills	 Deal with leadership approaches based on the management situations. Develop a mobilisation plan in a context of a digital-related project. Develop a collaborative working plan to establish strong relationships.
Lea	Responsibility and autonomy	 Make decisions in coherence with change management models. Take responsibility as a (collaborative) digital leader.

Verification of learning outcomes

Observation:

 Throughout the module quizzes and surveys are presented to the students and online pools are used to discuss the given topics in the plenary sessions.

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- Group activities requiring presentations of teamwork results.
- During some practical tasks students are evaluated to verify their performance, namely in case studies resolution.
- **Evaluation:** Group presentations of given topics related to a digital-related environment and collaborative leadership. Working groups will focus on priorities, and resources to be managed.
- Test: Written exam at the end of the module.



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Module Details			
Main Topic	Recom- mended WH	Details	
Leadership: Introduction and new Concepts	4	 Leadership: main concepts and definitions The changing nature of leadership Digital leadership vs. new operating model 	
Leadership Styles, Roles and Problem Solving	4	 Leadership theories, styles, and approaches Problem solving: complex vs. complicated situations Leading in a complex context Power, relationships and trust 	
Leadership and Change Management	4	 Organisations as Organisms The leader as an agent of change Organisational development (OD) model of change 	
Human-side of Change and Evolving aspects of Leadership	4	 Applying OD Neuroscience and leadership Digital-related projects and the new leadership role Cyber management impacts in leadership (introduction) 	
Team Management	2	 Decentralised team management Team performance, infrastructure, and people-related tasks Social norms and self-reflection 	
Collaborative Leadership	4	 Principles of collaboration Collaborative relationships framework Collaborative maturity rating Collaborative leader self-assessment 	
Collaborative Attitudes and Competences	4	 The psychology of collaboration Collaborative profiles Social context vs. collaboration and sharing 	
The Future of digital Leadership	4	 Social network analysis National cultures and leadership New working environments New digital tools The challenges of the cyber domain and the rising of Cyber Collaborative Leaders for tomorrow 	
Final Group Assignment Presentation & Wrap up	4	Group presentations Wrap up	
Final Test	2		
Total	36		
Additio	nal hour	s (WH) to increase the learning outcomes	
Self-Studies	26	Reflection of the topics issued.Preparation for the upcoming lessons and for exam(s).	
Group assignment preparation	13	Work group discussionsDevelopment of presentation/final report	
Total WH	75	The detailed amount of hours for the respective main topic is up to the course director according to national law or home institution's rules. During which topic(s) the syndicate elaborations and presentations will take place is up to the course director.	

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See within the Appendix the estimated hours and activities proposed for each main topic of the training plan.

APPENDIX					
Main Recommende		Syndicate Work			
Topic	WH	Activity	Estimated WH		
Leadership: Introduction and new Concepts	4	Online Pool Quiz I	30m 15m		
Leadership Styles, Roles and Problem Solving	4	Online Pool Quiz I	30m 15m		
Leadership and Change Management	4	Case study	60m		
Human-side of Change and Evolving aspects of Leadership	4	Case study	60m		
Team Management	2	Online Pool	30m		
Collaborative Leadership	4	Online Pool Survey	30m 30m		
Collaborative Attitudes and Competences	4	Case study	60m		
The Future of digital Leadership	4	Online Pool Case study	15m 60m		
Final Group Assignment Presentation & Wrap up	4	Online Pool (word cloud)	15m		
(Final Test)	2	N/A	N/A		
Total	36				

List of Abbreviations:

CEFR	Common European Framework of Reference for Languages
ECTS	European Credit Transfer and Accumulation System
NATO	North Atlantic Treaty Organisation
OD	Organisational development
STANAG	Standardization Agreement
WH	Working hour / working hours

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