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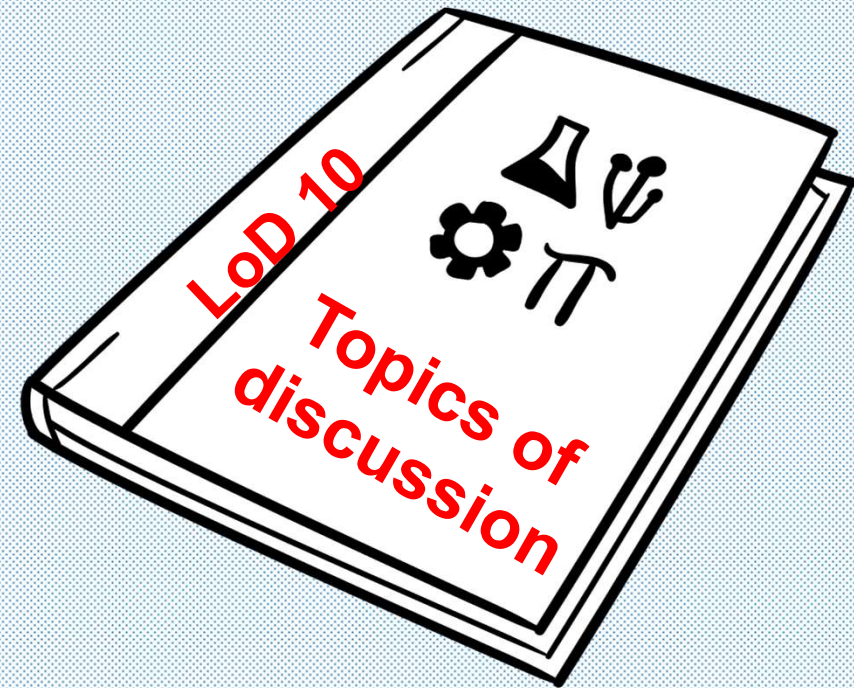
66th IG Meeting
03 June 2025, Constanta

LoD10 group – Gender mainstreaming



Colonel Assoc. Prof. Nevena Atanasova-Krasteva, PhD,
LoD10 Chairperson
Vasil Levski National Military University – B U L G A R I A

- Presenting the **results and outcomes** from the 4th CM “Gender Perspectives in Security and Defence”,
- Presenting **the outcomes** of the 6th Erasmus Gender Seminar;
- Discussing **ideas and future steps** of development of the LoD 10.





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4th edition of the Common Module “Gender Perspectives in Security and Defence”

WHERE: Brasov, Romania, **organized by** Henri Coanda Air Force Academy;

WHEN: 7 – 11 April 2025; CM in the International Air Defense semester;

PARTICIPANTS: 21 cadets - 11 female and 10 male from EU member states ;

LECTURERS: 3 International Gender Experts from Bulgaria, Portugal and Greece; 5 national lecturers.



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4th Edition of the Military Gender Studies Common Module



"Henri Coandă" Air Force Academy
7-11 April, 2025, Braşov, Romania



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GENDER PERSPECTIVE IN SECURITY AND DEFENCE COMMON MODULE AFA - BRASOV, April 2025

Experts from Romania and Europe have gathered to discuss the role of gender perspective in the field of security and defense.

The topics covered include:

- Gender equality in the military;
- Harassment and diversity;
- Sexual violence in conflicts ;
- Best practices in international missions
- UN, NATO and EU strategies on women, peace, and security Agenda;
- National Frameworks





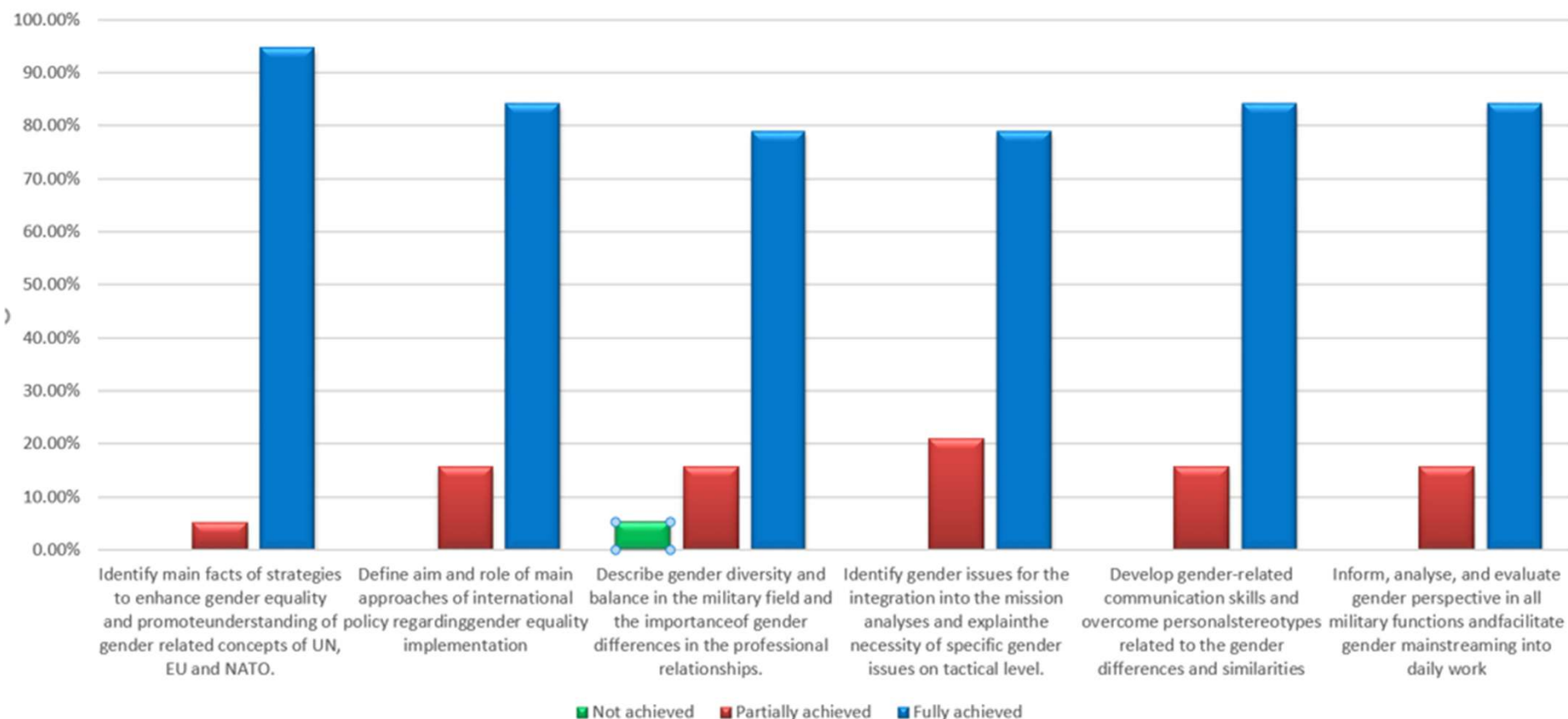
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GENDER PERSPECTIVE IN SECURITY AND DEFENCE COMMON MODULE'S EVALUATION

Were all course learning objectives achieved: Yes : ☒ No : ☐





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GENDER PERSPECTIVE IN SECURITY AND DEFENCE COMMON MODULE'S EVALUATION

- This course gave me useful tools to better understand gender dynamics in military fields. I feel more confident in promoting equality, using inclusive communication, and applying a gender perspective in daily tasks.
- Also, I will add that it was a really good experience that will help us in becoming the future leaders society expects.
- Very helpful for my perspective.
- This module exceeded my expectations. I did not really know what it was about before, and I used to think these issues were not that serious. But now I understand their importance. This module helps shape us into better leaders, and I believe it would be very useful if more people took part in it in the future.
- Everything is good and this all education have so much potential

Greatful





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The event brought together military leaders, academics, and professionals across Europe to explore gender issues in the military, share best practices, and highlight role models shaping the future of gender equality in defense and security.





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6th Edition of the Military Gender Studies Seminar



"Henri Coandă" Air Force Academy,
3-4 April, 2025, Braşov, Romania



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<https://www.emilyo.eu/lod-10-gender-mainstreaming>

1. **Speakers** – Good role models from Land Forces, AF and Navy (female and male).
2. **Interesting workshops:**
 - The national campaign “She for Romania,” aimed at empowering female cadets and encouraging their active participation in the military.
 - Focusing on the Common module “Gender Perspectives in Security and Defense,” promoting discussions on the impact of gender dynamics on military training and operations.
3. **Highlighting** the best practices and role models in gender training for future officers, exploring strategies for successful implementation.



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Future steps in the LoD 10 – 2025/2026



**Next editions of
the CM “Gender
perspective in security
and defence”**

HAFA, Greece - 2025
MA, LT - 2026

**7 th Gender
Erasmus
Seminar**
HNA - Greece

BIP
CM GPSD
IAS – Italy
2025



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NEW PROJECT - LoD10



36 month Project
2025 - 2028

Military Gender Awareness (MGA) Project

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