

Common Module
Military Police in Multinational Operations
Module Description

Country RO	Institution “Nicolae Bălcescu” Land Forces Academy, Sibiu	Common Module Military Police in Multinational Operations	ECTS 4,0
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Service(s) ALL	Minimum Qualification of Instructors <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Experience in multinational operations, preferably with military police (MP) background;
Language English	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Training or teaching experience in the field of MP in multinational operations; At least one mission/operation abroad, preferably on Company or higher level; English: Common European Framework of Reference for Languages (CEFR) Level B2 or NATO STANAG Level 3.
SQF MILOF	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Competence area – Military service member. Learning areas – Employment of forces - Full Spectrum Operations; Military Decision-Making Process (MDMP). Organisational level – Single Arm/ Branch.

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. Minimum of two years national (military) higher education. Basic knowledge of military operations. 	Contents of the Module <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Multinational operations within an integrated approach to conflict and crisis. Roles, tasks, and core functions of MP in multinational operations. National MP structures and doctrinal approaches within EU Member States. Legal frameworks that define MP jurisdiction and use of force. Operational caveats and limitations faced by national MP elements within multinational operations. Coordination, liaison, and planning in a multinational MP environment.
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Learning outcomes	Know- ledge	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Explain the role of military instrument (conducting multinational operations) as part of a broader integrated approach to conflict and crisis. Explain the principles, tactics, techniques and procedures of employing military police subunits at the tactical level in accordance with national and multinational doctrine, across the full spectrum of operations.
	Skills	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Analyse the role, principles of employment and tasks of MP in multinational operations by MP functions. Apply the military decision-making process (MDMP) specific to military police for full spectrum of operations at the low tactical level.
	Respon- sibility & Autonomy	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Take the initiative to execute military tasks under their responsibility and those deriving from the higher echelon's intent, under conditions of freedom and speed of action, and limitations imposed by discipline, law of armed conflict and rules of engagement in high intensity and peace support operations.



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Verification of learning outcomes:

- **Observation:** Throughout the module students are evaluated based on their contribution to discussions in syndicates and participation in the field exercise.
- **Evaluation** of group presentations of given topics.
- **Test:** Written exam (multiple choice) at the end of the module.

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Module details		
Main Topic	Recom- mended WH	Details
Multinational operations (e-learning)	10	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Classification of multinational operations (themes, operations, activities). Fundamentals of military actions in a multinational context. Peace Support (typology, principles). Case studies. Multinational Operations.
Introduction to MP in multinational operations (e-learning)	10	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> MP purpose in multinational operations, jurisdictions, functions, and skills. MP role and organisation within multinational operations. MP relevant terms and definitions applicable in multinational operations.
The military instrument as part of an integrated approach to conflict and crisis	2	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Contemporary threats to EU security. The EU's integrated approach to conflicts and crises. Military contribution to the EU integrated approach to conflict and crises.
Military police activities within multinational operations	2	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Functions of the military police in a multinational context. Military police missions. Principles of Military Police in Multinational Operations. Jurisdiction and authority of the military police in a multinational context.
Military police functions in multinational operations	10	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Mobility support operations. Security operations. Detention operations. Police operations. Stability policing.
Planning military police activities	4	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Command and control. Mission command. Principles of military police in multinational operations. MDMP/ Troop Leading Procedures (TLP) in multinational operations.
Legal aspects and the use of force	4	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Legal mandates and documents (UNSCR, MoU, SOFA, OPLAN, OPORD). International Humanitarian Law (IHL) and International Human Rights Law (IHRL) applicable to MP activities in multinational operations. Rules of Engagement (ROE). Directives on the Use of Force (DUF).
Total lecture WH	42	
Additional hours (WH) to increase the learning outcomes		
Syndicate work	12	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> To increase the understanding of selected topics.
Group presentation	10	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Elaborate a group presentation focused on assigned topic and defend it.
Exercise – Military Police in stabilisation operations	8	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> MP Platoon in Company level exercise. Mission: Support the evacuation of civilians from a specified area and contribute to crowd riot control in order to maintain the public order in the area of responsibility.
Self-Studies	28	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Preparation for the upcoming lessons, exercise and exam. Reflection of the topics issued.
Total WH	100	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.



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List of Abbreviations:

B1, B2	CEFR Levels
CEFR	Common European Framework of Reference for Languages
DUF	Directives on the Use of Force
ECTS	European Credit Transfer and Accumulation System
ESDC	European Security and Defence College
EU	European Union
IG	Implementation Group
IHL	International Humanitarian Law
IHRL	International Human Rights Law
MDMP	Military Decision-Making Process
MoU	Memorandum of Understanding
MP	Military Police
NATO	North Atlantic Treaty Organization
OPLAN	Operation Plan
OPORD	Operation Order
ROE	Rules of Engagement
SOFA	Status of Forces Agreement
SQF-MILOF	Sectoral Qualifications Framework for Military Officer Profession
STANAG	Standardization Agreement
TLP	Troop Leading Procedures
UNSCR	United Nations Security Council Resolution
WH	Working Hour