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**ITALIAN ARMY POST CONFLICT OPERATIONS STUDY CENTRE**

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**16<sup>th</sup> STABILIZATION AND RECONSTRUCTION ORIENTATION COURSE****Turin (ITA), 3 - 14 June 2024****COURSE DESCRIPTION**

1. Aim of the Course	To provide the participants with a wide knowledge of the Stabilization and Reconstruction Operations (S&R), to improve their understanding of complex post conflict operational scenarios and the diversified instruments for intervention and management (kinetic and non-kinetic) in compliance with the concept of "Comprehensive Approach".
2. Course structure	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Conferences and workshops held by high profile military experts and university professors;</li> <li>- Exchange of experiences on Stabilization and Reconstruction with foreign Centres of Excellence operating in the same field;</li> <li>- Analysis of case studies.</li> </ul>
2. Duration	12 days (10 working days)
3. Course dates	03 – 14 June 2024
4. Admission fee	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- EUR 1.179,84 (MoD personnel from NATO Countries);</li> <li>- EUR 1.332,48 (personnel from non-NATO Countries upon specific agreement);</li> <li>- EUR 2.889,96 (personnel from non-NATO Countries and civilians).</li> </ul>
5. Eligible Participants	The course is open to Italian and foreign Officers (rank: Maj. and Lt. Col.) and to Italian and foreign Civilian Officials of the Ministries of Defence, personnel working in International Organizations, NGOs, Universities, private firms as well as professionals and graduate students interested in disciplines pertaining to Post Conflict activities.
6. Course Organization	<p>POCs:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- <b>Lt. Col. Pasquale MALTESE (for logistic issues)</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>· phone: (0039) 011 5603 4246</li> <li>· e-mail : <a href="mailto:uricstudot2@comform.esercito.difesa.it">uricstudot2@comform.esercito.difesa.it</a> <a href="mailto:infocspco@comform.esercito.difesa.it">infocspco@comform.esercito.difesa.it</a></li> </ul> </li> <li>- <b>Maj. Fabio MARAGONI (for educational aspects)</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>· phone: (0039) 011 5603 4332</li> <li>· e-mail: <a href="mailto:uricsezformadd@comform.esercito.difesa.it">uricsezformadd@comform.esercito.difesa.it</a> <a href="mailto:infocspco@comform.esercito.difesa.it">infocspco@comform.esercito.difesa.it</a></li> </ul> </li> </ul>
7. Course modules	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- <b>1<sup>st</sup> module: The current geo-strategic scenario</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>· Current International Strategic Scenario;</li> </ul> </li> <li>- <b>2<sup>nd</sup> module: The multifaceted S&amp;R environment</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>· General aspects;</li> <li>· Relevant stakeholders;</li> <li>· Multidimensional factors, functions and activities;</li> </ul> </li> <li>- <b>3<sup>rd</sup> module: Case studies analysis</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>· Case studies;</li> <li>· Open discussions.</li> </ul> </li> </ul>
8. Methodology	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Formal lectures.</li> <li>- Conferences from selected distinguished guest speakers.</li> <li>- Workshops and exercises.</li> </ul>
9. Learning Objectives	<p>Upon completion of the course, attendees should be able to:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- have a comprehensive view of all actors involved in S&amp;R Operations;</li> <li>- consolidate the analysis and planning capabilities;</li> <li>- understand the rationale behind military operations;</li> <li>- improve their knowledge of the main geographical, political and economic factors;</li> <li>- improve their understanding of inter-agency cooperation.</li> </ul>
10. Candidates	Requirements:

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11. Admittance procedures	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Applications forms (electronic copy available on PCOSC web page) to be sent not later than <b>18<sup>th</sup> of April 2024</b>, preferably via e-mail.</li> <li>- Military and civilian personnel belonging to MoDs (military/civilian personnel already included in the official admission list of the courses opened to foreign personnel - Academic Year 2023-2024), have to send applications through the Italian Military Attaché Office in his/her country or through his/her own national Military Attaché Office in Italy.</li> <li>- Other applicants can send applications through each organization they belong to or individually (for professionals or PHD students) to PCOSC.</li> </ul>
12. Financial matters	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- <u>For foreign personnel included in the official admission list of the courses opened to foreign personnel - Academic Year (A.Y.) 2023-2024:</u> upon confirmation of admittance to the Course, the tuition fee is to be paid at least two weeks before the beginning of the course by bank transfer to <b>Difesa Servizi (Bank: Intesa San Paolo; IBAN: IT87L0306905020100000064355; BIC: BCITITMM)</b> detailing in the description: <b>NAME_SURNAME</b> (of participant) <b>Attendance of the 16<sup>th</sup> S&amp;R Orientation Course SME06 at Comando per la Formazione e Scuola di Applicazione dell’Esercito, A.Y. 2023 – 2024.</b></li> <li>- <u>For civilians personnel NOT included in the official admission list of the courses opened to foreign personnel - Academic Year 2023-2024:</u> upon confirmation of admittance to the Course, upon evaluation of the requirement performed by an <i>ad hoc</i> commission led by PCOSC, the tuition fee is to be paid at least two weeks before the beginning of the course by bank transfer to <b>Tesoreria di TORINO (Bank: Banca d’Italia; IBAN: IT25S0100003245114010345800,</b> detailing in the description: <b>NAME_SURNAME</b> (of participant) <b>Attendance of the 16<sup>th</sup> S&amp;R Orientation Course SME06 at Comando per la Formazione e Scuola di Applicazione dell’Esercito, A.Y. 2023 – 2024.</b></li> <li>- <u>All the above mentioned selected personnel must forward a scanned copy of the bank transfer, by email before the course starts, to <a href="mailto:infocspco@comform.esercito.difesa.it">infocspco@comform.esercito.difesa.it</a> and <a href="mailto:scuola_applicazione@postacert.difesa.it">scuola_applicazione@postacert.difesa.it</a>.</u> It should be noted that attendees for whom payment has not been made will not be admitted and, after three days from the beginning of the course, they will be definitively invited to leave the course and return back to their country.</li> <li>- Accommodation and meals charges are on individual basis or according to the official admission list of the courses opened to foreign personnel - Academic Year 2023-2024).</li> </ul>
13. Course absences	Attendees who are absent more than one day of lesson will not get the Course Certificate. If the attendee does not conclude the course for any reason, the admission fee will not be returned to the Institution to which the attendee belongs or to the professional in case of personal admission.
14. Security Clearance	Not required.
15. Visa Requirements	Requirements to be checked with participant’s respective Ministry of Foreign Affairs.
16. Individual Medical Requirements	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- For EU Citizens and Citizens from Iceland, Norway, Liechtenstein and Switzerland: European Health Insurance Card (EHIC) or one of these models E106, E109, E120, E121 are required.</li> <li>- For non-EU Nationals: please see any current bilateral agreements between the participant’s National Health Service and the Italian Health Service. In other cases, any participant’s Health Insurance taking out is under his Nation’s responsibility.</li> </ul>
17. Transportation	Transportation from/to airport/railway stations upon coordination prior to arrival/departure. Military shuttle bus service is available from/to hotels suggested by PCOSC.
18. Accommodation	A list of suggested hotels will be provided together with the info package. Nonetheless, individuals may select accommodation of their choice.
19. Dress	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Military personnel: national duty uniform.</li> <li>- Civilians: jacket and tie.</li> <li>- During ice breaker dinner jacket and tie are required.</li> </ul>
20. Meal service	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Meal service available at the School Mess if requested.</li> <li>- Meals to be booked day by day. Cost per meal is presently approx EUR 8,00.</li> </ul>

	- Participation to the ice breaker is on voluntary basis. Cost presently amounts approximately to €30,00
21. Miscellaneous	At the end of the course attendees who have successfully completed the classes (in respect of what stated in “course absences”), will be presented with a Course Certificate.