PROVEN EXPERIENCE IN BUILDING PARTNER CAPACITY
ESTABLISHED IN 1994
LETTER FROM THE DIRECTOR

Thank you for your interest in the Center for Civil-Military Relations (CCMR). We are pleased to provide this brochure as an introduction to our programs.

CCMR’s successful record of meeting demands of civil-military education is well known throughout the security cooperation community. Whether you decide on an established program or we custom-build one for you, CCMR will provide high-level executive education products that benefit from our wealth of resident expertise, wide-ranging teaching and training experience, and our unique vision of graduate education.

We continually adapt our materials and methods to meet the evolving state of world affairs, while our well-established programs clearly demonstrate our core competencies nationally and abroad. Our seminars, workshops and courses bring active and applied learning to a variety of civil-military subjects through In-Residence courses, Mobile Education Teams (MET), and Distance Education programs.

At CCMR we take pride in:

■ Providing a high quality, graduate-level educational experience, custom-designed to meet the specific objectives and conditions of recipient countries.

■ Bringing both academic and practical backgrounds to each program, offering both theoretical and applied solutions to global civil-military challenges.

■ Using international best-practice approaches to achieve the educational objectives of each program.

■ Incorporating world-class civil-military faculty and subject-matter experts in all our work.

I invite you to contact CCMR, especially the CCMR Program Managers identified in this brochure, if you have any specific questions. On behalf of CCMR, we look forward to working with you in the future.

Sincerely,

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Based at the US Naval Postgraduate School (NPS) in Monterey CA, the Center for Civil-Military Relations (CCMR) was established in 1994 to assist newly emerging democracies in addressing the civil-military challenges of the post-Cold War world. In the two decades since its founding, CCMR has evolved to partner with a much broader range of regions and countries. Within the contemporary security environment, CCMR enables current US policies and strategies by offering a full spectrum of civil-military related programs.

Today, CCMR has the mission of building partner capacity and improving interagency and international coordination and cooperation by addressing civil-military challenges. These challenges include: enhancing civil-military relations, supporting defense reform and institution building, improving peacekeeping and peacebuilding operations, and combating terrorism.

CCMR is a Department of Defense (DoD) organization within the Naval Postgraduate School. The Center prepares practitioners from all over the world for new levels of leadership in their national security communities.
CCMR is a Department of the Navy reimbursable organization. Its mission is presently sponsored by such diverse US security/government organizations as:

- US Department of State
- US Department of Defense
- Defense Security Cooperation Agency
- US Combatant and Component Commands
- The Joint Staff
- US Navy
- US Army

With the support of sponsors, the Center also implements key components of the US National Security Strategy by supporting stakeholders in enhancing their ability to accomplish their missions.

For example, CCMR’s Defense Governance and Management Team (DGMT) implements several DoD Defense Institution Building (DIB) initiatives. DIB programs empower partner nation defense institutions to establish structures, policies, and procedures to make the defense sector more effective, affordable, accountable and responsive to civilian control. Done well, DIB programs enable partner nation defense governance, sustain security assistance and partner investments, increase sustainability of key functions and capabilities, and enable closer interoperability with the U.S. and/or its allies.
CCMR operates in more than 100 countries, serves over 20,000 participants, and delivers more than 400 events a year.
Addressing interagency and international coordination is at the heart of today’s civil-military challenges. The Center greatly enhances and supports the effectiveness of its programs through its wide range of capabilities.

**CCMR Core Competencies**

CCMR core competencies include, but are not limited to:

- Democratic Civil-Military Relations
- Defense Reform/Institution Building
- Defense & Security Decision-Making
- Educational Support to Operational Commands
- Peacekeeping & Peacebuilding Operations & Disaster Response
- Civil-Military Responses to Terrorism
- Publication & Research in Civil-Military Relations
Developing Customized Solutions

CCMR assists sponsors in addressing their education and training (E&T) challenges by developing and implementing customized E&T solutions. Our programs and activities are tailored to meet the mutual security interests of our sponsors and the countries and regions in which we work. As a result, CCMR’s competencies cover a wide variety of topics and activities.

CCMR develops and brings together a variety of approaches to address the myriad of civil-military challenges throughout the world. The Center applies these approaches using the following process:

1) Understand fully the sponsor’s education and training challenges;
2) Conduct a comprehensive national assessment (considering the historical and cultural context);
3) Develop a well-researched action plan;
4) Implement the agreed action plan in coordination with national actors;
5) Provide continuous reassessment review and refinement of the agreed plan.

CCMR provides a wide range of education and training products and services available from a single education and training partner.
Leveraging World-Class Faculty and Subject-Matter Experts

CCMR leverages NPS’s teaching and research capabilities by involving university faculty in the design and facilitation of its educational activities. Additionally, the Center employs a wide network of multinational subject-matter experts. Teams include academic experts, retired high-ranking military officers, and civilian experts from allied and partner governments or executive agencies.

Leading Civil-Military Relations Curriculum Development

CCMR’s faculty is continuously and actively contributing to the body of knowledge in civil-military relations by organizing and participating in international conferences with large audiences from both practitioner and scholarly fields; conducting research in various countries, publishing textbooks, as well as by actively publishing its findings.
Building Partner Capacity Through Education

CCMR’s core mission is to build partner capacity through a wide variety of educational formats including: 1) In-resident and mobile programs, 2) distance-learning, and 3) exercises.

1. **Mobile Education Teams & In-Resident Programs**: CCMR conducts Mobile Education Teams (MET) abroad for specific countries and/or regions, as well as in-residence courses, workshops, and seminars at NPS in Monterey, CA.

2. **Distance Learning**: CCMR complements its education experience with distance-learning courses. These courses can be taken online one to two months prior to attending a seminar.

3. **Exercises**: CCMR offers multinational and interagency exercise planning, design, control and evaluation in support of Combatant Command partnerships.

4. **Informative Exchange**: CCMR is constantly sharing Civil-Military Best Practices and Lessons Learned with U.S. Allies and Partners around the world.
“The critical thinking and problem solving learned at the Naval Postgraduate School are something that will be used every day of your careers. What I learned here as a student was very valuable to me and to my service.”

– Vice Admiral Ronald A. Route USN (Ret.), President of the Naval Postgraduate School
CCMR’s unique capacity-building programs utilize cutting-edge theoretical and applied expertise. Our programs promote democratic defense management norms throughout the world in order to improve legitimacy, effectiveness and efficiency of defense and security institutions. The degree of engagement varies for each region, country or partner.

Please visit www.ccmr.org for a complete list of regional and functional activities.
AFRICA PROGRAM

Focus
The CCMR Africa Program is focused on delivering civil-military relations education to a broad selection of civilian (governmental and non-governmental) and military participants in Africa. From 2000 to 2015 CCMR has conducted 100 seminars in 32 African countries, working with more than 5,339 Africans.

The Africa Program engages with African leaders at the strategic level to promote democratically elected civilian control of the armed forces, effective and efficient militaries, police, courts and governmental institutions to support vibrant, safe and secure societies in Africa.

Competencies
• Military, civil society & democratic governance
• Civil-military relations in transitional/post conflict societies
• Strategic direction/national security planning
• Roles & missions for security forces
• Relations with the Legislative Branch
• Media relations
• Military professionalism
• Civic education
• HIV & AIDS
• Electoral process

SAMPLE ACTIVITIES
• Course: Local Civil-Military Relations
• Course: National Security Planning
• Course: Security Forces and the Electoral Process
• Course: Civil-Military Relations for Junior Military Leaders

NOTE: ALL COURSES ARE CUSTOM-BUILT FOR SPECIFIC CIVIL-MILITARY AUDIENCES

Program Manager:
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Nicholas Tomb is the Program Manager for the Africa Program at CCMR. Prior to managing the Africa Program, Mr. Tomb served as the Assistant Program Manager for the Collaborative & Adaptive Security Initiative (CASI) and the Prevention, Relief & Recovery (PR&R) Program, and as a Program Coordinator for the Center for Stabilization & Reconstruction Studies, also at the Naval Postgraduate School (NPS). His focus is on executive education, conflict management, conflict resolution, post-conflict recovery, civil-military relations and civil society organizations.

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Asia-Pacific Program

Focus
The CCMR Asia-Pacific Program helps to develop security cooperation activities for developing countries within the Asia-Pacific region. These efforts benefit participating countries and strengthen the relationship between the US and Asia-Pacific countries for the advancement of democracy, rule of law and human rights. The Asia-Pacific Program leverages CCMR civil-military capabilities through the use of CCMR faculty and other subject-matter experts, and by teaming with associated programs such as the Defense Institution Building (DIB), Asia-Pacific Regional Initiatives (APRI) and the Combating Terrorism Fellowship Program (CTFP). The Asia-Pacific Program coordinates activities with US Embassy country teams, Pacific Command country specialists and Offices of Defense Cooperation to build defense capacity within developing Asia-Pacific partner countries.

Competencies
• Developing of security cooperation activities with the Asia-Pacific region through educational events, consulting and support services.

Sample Activities
• Response Exercise and Exchange in Bangladesh and Nepal
• International Defense Transformation Seminars in Indonesia
• Advanced Civil-Military Affairs Curriculum Development for Sri Lanka
• Subject Matter Expert Support to US Army Pacific Disaster Response

Program Manager:
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William J. (Bill) Martinez is the Deputy Director for Programs within the Center for Civil-Military Relations (CCMR). A highly decorated combat veteran and leadership expert, he oversees all programs within CCMR to include GPOI (Global Peace Operations Initiative), DIB (Defense Institution Building), LDESP (Leader Development & Education for Sustained Peace), PR&R (Prevention Relief & Recovery), CASI (Adaptive Security Initiative), CTFP (Combating Terrorism Fellowship Program), Exercises, IDT (International Defense Transformation), and IDARM (International Defense Acquisition & Resource Management). As an NPS Lecturer he also teaches courses in Civil-Military Relations and Security Cooperation.

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EUROPE PROGRAM

Focus

The CCMR Europe Program has been designed to meet US policy guidance and priorities for the unique European security environment. The Program assists in the consolidation of democracy in reforming Eastern and Central European countries in the form of building competencies in defense governance. Activities include seminars that address the elements of civil-military relations and the concept of civilian control of armed forces, and advice to rebuild national defense organizations.

Competencies

- Analytical support to policymakers to determine the state of development of defense institution in legacy defense organizations.
- Recommendations to U.S. policy-makers, based on the findings outlining advice and assistance options to address identified institutional challenges.
- Based on extensive experience operating in the region and informed by change management principles, advice to inform decision-making on how best to improve the operation of existing management practices of a national defense organization.
- Assist countries in reforming existing defense management systems through developing defense planning tools and methods.

SAMPLE ACTIVITIES

- Seminar: Translating Policy into Defense Plans and Controlling Financial Execution
- Seminar: Development of Defense Planning Tools and Methodology
- Seminar: Development of Defense Structures in a Communist Legacy Environment
- Support: Development of National-Level Logistics Policy

Program Manager:
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Dr. Thomas-Durell Young is the Program Manager for the European regional program. Prior to joining CCMR, Dr. Young was a Research Professor at the Strategic Studies Institute of the US Army War College. He holds a Ph.D. in international economics and policy from the Institut Universitaire de Hautes Études Internationales, Université de Genève and an M.A. with Great Distinction from the School of Advanced International Studies, the Johns Hopkins University (Bologna/Washington, DC). He has authored/co-authored 6 books and monographs and more than 100 book chapters, articles and book reviews.

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The CCMR Latin America Program brings together military officers and civilian practitioners to focus on real and pressing issues relating to democratic civilian control and military effectiveness. Since the first CCMR Latin America Program in Honduras in 1996, the Center has delivered, on average six seminars annually in Central and South America and the Caribbean. In addition to the seminars and workshops, CCMR faculty also supported the development of civil society organizations including non-governmental organizations (NGOs), think-tanks and university programs (both military and civilian) that focus on national security.

Competencies

- Military, civil society, and democratic governance
- Achieving democratic control of the armed forces
- Formulating national security strategies
- Defining roles and missions for security forces
- Relations with the Legislative Branch
- Intelligence reform in a democracy
- Joint structures and joint education
- Strategic communications
- Women in the military

Sample Activities

- Course: The Military and the Media
- Course: Democratic Control of Intelligence Agencies
- Course: The Legislature and the Armed Forces
- Course: Asserting Civilian Control over the Military
- Course: The Military and Civil Society
- Course: Net Assessment and Strategic Planning

Program Manager: Cristiana Matei

Florina Cristiana (Cris) Matei joined CCMR in 2003. Ms. Matei has researched, published and lectured on a wide range of issues concerning civil-military relations, democratization, Security Sector Reform (SSR), intelligence, countering/combating terrorism, organized crime, and street gangs, as well as strategic communications for CCMR’s resident and non-resident programs, NPS/NSA graduate courses, as well as international conferences. She is one of the co-editors of the Routledge Handbook of Civil-Military Relations, published in 2012.

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Middle East & Central Asia Program

Focus

The CCMR Middle East & Central Asia Program focuses on building partner capacity by addressing the most critical security challenges in these regions. These challenges include: combating violent extremist organizations; conducting counter-insurgency operations; ethnic and religious strife; maritime security; cyber security; and executing humanitarian and disaster relief operations.

Competencies

CCMR works with Middle East and Central Asia partners to address challenges by:

- Building and transforming defense institutions
- Developing strategy, policy, and doctrine
- Building capacity in acquisition and procurement
- Improving interagency coordination
- Developing processes for sound defense decision-making
- Creating accountability and transparency in defense institutions
- Contributing to security sector reform
- Strengthening civil-military relations

Program Manager:
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Mark works in Tampa, Florida, to provide optimum support to US Central Command’s security cooperation professionals. He joined CCMR after serving as Associate Dean of the School of International Graduate Studies at the Naval Postgraduate School (NPS) where he contributed to a wide range of security cooperation programs and led the development of Foreign Area Officer (FAO) education programs. He graduated with distinction from NPS in 1992, earning a master’s degree in National Security Affairs focused on the Middle East. He retired from the Navy in 2011.

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Sample Activities

- Coordinating Institutional Counter-Terrorism Efforts
- Fighting Terrorism with Improved Defense Decision-Making
- Planning for the Risk of Ethnic & Religious Violence
- Strengthening Civil-Military Relations: Media Relations
- Strategic Planning for Disaster Response
- Strengthening Maritime Border Security
- Expanding Defense Relationships and Mechanisms for Cooperation
LEADER DEVELOPMENT AND EDUCATION FOR SUSTAINED PEACE PROGRAM

Focus

The Leader Development and Education for Sustained Peace Program (LDESP) focuses primarily on:

1. **Regional Education**: Providing an understanding of the geopolitical and cultural terrain of countries/regions around the world, enabling military and civilian leaders to visualize, describe and continuously re-assess each unique environment, based on the mission & operational requirements of participants.

2. **Combating Violent Extremism (CVE)**: Conducting workshops addressing law enforcement challenges in regions of interest to include radicalization trends, de-radicalization strategies, community engagement practices, migration, and cooperative measures with regional law enforcement networks.

3. **Conducting Assessments**: Conducting needs analysis and assessing gaps in capabilities of law enforcement organizations of regional partners focused on combating extremism and implementing community engagement projects.

Competencies

- Regional expertise
- Combating violent extremism
- Security, political economic environment & US policies
- Building partnerships/key leader engagements
- Migration & integration

Sample Activities

- Bulgaria Ministry of Interior Seminar on Combating Violent Extremism: 12 Topics on Radicalization, Counter-Radicalization Trends, Migration & Integration Challenges, & Community Engagement.
- Levant & Iran Seminar: 12 Topics on Syria, Isil, Iran, Egypt, Central Asia, Jordan, & Shia-Sunni Dynamics
- Pacific Seminar: 12 Topics on Security Landscape in Asia, India, Korean Peninsula, China, Southeast Asia.
- Baltics Seminar: 12 topics on Culture, Security in Baltics, Poland, Romania, Bulgaria, NATO, Ukraine, etc.
- Africa Seminar: 12 Topics on Culture, Political & Security Environment, Regional Breakouts, Environmental Instability, Armed Rebel Groups, Humanitarian Aid, etc.

Program Manager:

Robert Tomasovic

Colonel (Ret.) Bob Tomasovic is the Director of the Leader Development and Education for Sustained Peace (LDESP) Program. He developed the LDESP program in early 2000. Since then, LDESP has conducted over 700 programs for Brigades, Divisions, and Corps deploying for Combat and Security Theatre Cooperation for over 95,000 Leaders. Prior to joining the faculty at the Naval Postgraduate School he served as a Colonel for the US Army for over 31 years.

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Civil-Military Relations (CMR)
Collaborative and Adaptive Security Initiative (CASI)
Combating Terrorism Fellowship Program (CTFP)
Global Peace Operations Initiative (GPOI)
Intelligence and Democracy
International Defense Acquisition Resource Management (IDARM)
International Defense Transformation (IDT)
Maritime Security
Multinational Exercises
Prevention, Relief & Recovery (PR&R)
Focus

The Civil-Military Relations education program addresses all aspects of the relationship between elected civilians and security institutions (armed forces, police forces, and intelligence agencies) in a democratic context. The program offers courses, seminars, and workshops that address a variety of potential challenges and avenues for success in institutionalizing effective and functioning civil-military relations.

Competencies

- Defense institution building
- Security sector reform
- Defense and security decision making
- National security and defense politics
- Democratic civilian control & oversight of the armed forces
- Military professionalism
- Building linkages between the military and the legislature
- Intelligence and democracy

Sample Activities

- MET: Building Linkages Between the Legislature and the Military
- MET: Military Support to Civilian Authorities
- MET: Enhancing Civil-Military Relations through Security Sector Reform (SSR)
- MET: The Media and the Military
- MET: Global Commons Security
- In Residence: Executive Program in Defense Decision-Making

CCMR Director: Richard J. Hoffman

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THE COLLABORATIVE AND ADAPTIVE SECURITY INITIATIVE

Focus
The Collaborative & Adaptive Security Initiative is an education and outreach program designed to bring together the diverse communities that become involved in field operations around the world. Our events always include select members of the U.S. Armed Forces and Defense officials alongside their peers from other entities.

The overall vision and specific programs of the Initiative are determined in close consultation with the sponsor, Mr. Frank DiGiovanni, Director of Training Readiness and Strategy, at the Office of the Undersecretary of Defense for Personnel and Readiness. Please contact the Program Manager to suggest engagement ideas. We believe that by experiencing shared learning programs and creating connections between the individuals and organizations that regularly work alongside each other in complex environments, the collective work of the distinct entities can benefit.

Competencies
• Emergency preparedness & disaster response
• Conflict prevention
• Post-conflict transitional policing
• Religious & organizational cross-cultural competencies
• Experimenting with social media and virtual communities

SAMPLE ACTIVITIES
• Workshop: Collaborative Disaster Preparedness: Vietnam, U.S., and Regional Experiences
• Workshop: People to People: Virtual Tribes
• Workshop: Working in the Same Space
• Workshop: Perspectives on Conflict Prevention
• Workshop: Religion and Security in World Affairs
• Workshop: Managing Instability after the Arab Spring

Program Manager:
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Matthew Vaccaro is Program Manager of CASI and PR&R within CCMR. His experience and interests are in conflict management and peace operations, the US interagency process, political-military planning, and post-conflict recovery. Previously Mr. Vaccaro served on the National Security Council staff at the White House and as Director of the Office for Peace Operations in the Office of the Secretary of Defense. He has also served in positions at a research think tank and as an officer in the US Army with service in Somalia.

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CCMR conducts seminars and workshops in support of the Office of the Secretary of Defense’s Combating Terrorism Fellowship Program. The program takes a holistic approach to investigating the most effective government responses to terrorism. CTFP works to address practical questions, such as:

• What can governments do to contain or defeat terrorism without sacrificing the values that bind societies together?
• Can terrorist attacks be prevented and how should governments respond to attacks that cannot be prevented?
• How can countries think through the challenges of terrorism at the strategic level?
• How can governments limit terrorists’ use of cyberspace as a virtual sanctuary?

The Program provides both in-residence programs in Monterey, CA and mobile education teams to countries and regions within all Combatant Commands.

Competencies

• Multi-dimensional solutions to the problems of terrorism
• Analysis and teaching of non-traditional aspects of terrorism
• Coordinated civilian and military responses to terrorism
• Capacity evaluation and measurement in combating terrorism

Sample Activities

• Course: Measuring a Government’s Capacity for Fighting Terrorism
• Course: Defusing Extremist Ideology
• Course: Combating Terrorism Strategy Development
• Course: Managing the Consequences of Terrorism
• Course: Intelligence and Combating Terrorism
• Course: Media Dynamics and Public Affairs in Fighting Terrorism

Program Manager:
Matthew King

Matthew King joined the staff and faculty of CCMR in 2001. He has served in various capacities including lecturer and operations officer. Areas of expertise include combating terrorism, measures of effectiveness, and ethics. Before joining CCMR Mr. King taught philosophy, managed logistics and materiel at a high tech firm in the Pacific Northwest, and served on the Board of Directors of several nonprofit agencies. He holds both undergraduate and graduate degrees in religion and philosophy. Mr. King retired from the U.S. Army Reserve after 20 years of service.

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The GPOI program helps build sustainable and indigenous peacekeeping training capacities in US partner countries to increase the number and quality of United Nations member troop contributions to international peacekeeping operations. GPOI-funded activities address strategic, operational and tactical challenges of modern peacekeeping training and education with a concentration on the establishment and enhancement of partner countries’ military troops and formed police units. In addition, the GPOI program helps to facilitate coordination and collaboration between various US and other contributor countries’ diplomatic and assistance efforts to include providing technical assistance, pre-deployment training and specialized equipment to deploying units.

Competencies
- Stability operations and peacekeeping training doctrine
- Leader training
- Senior leader peacekeeping training
- Contingent commander training
- Small unit leader development
- UN mission staff training
- Protection of citizens (POC)/child protection (CP) training
- UN civil military coordination training
- UN logistics development
- Military observer training development
- Peacekeeping center cadre training

Program Manager:
Timothy M. Byrne
Lieutenant Colonel (Ret.) Timothy Byrne is the Program Manager for GPOI and provides faculty oversight in the area of simulation and gaming for peace support operations. Byrne oversees the training of peacekeeping instructor cadres, Staff Officers, Military Observers and UN Civil-Military Coordination (UN-CIMIC) Officers in more than 30 countries, as well as organizing and conducting national contingent pre-deployment training for selected UN Member States. He has assisted in arranging US government support associated with the development of more than 20 national and regional peacekeeping training centers.

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Sample Activities
- Course: UN Military Observers
- Course: UN Civil-Military Coordination Officers
- Training: Pre-Deployment
- Course: Train-the-Trainer
- Course: UN Peacekeeping Operations Instructors
- Course: UN Contingent Commanders
- Course: UN Senior Mission Leaders
Focus

The Intelligence and Democracy Education Program at CCMR assists countries in consolidating their democracies from the perspective of institutionalizing democratic intelligence systems that are not only transparent and accountable, but also effective (i.e., able to fulfill the roles and missions assigned by civilian leaders). Having intelligence agencies that are equally transparent and effective is a challenge in every democracy—a Gordian Knot that incessantly tests policy makers. From this standpoint, CCMR’s Intelligence and Democracy courses are designed to explore and provide possible avenues to the successful reform of intelligence agencies in a democracy.

Competencies

• Mobile education and resident programs on intelligence and democracy, and intelligence policy
• Curriculum development and publications on democratic reform of intelligence, democratic civil-military relations and intelligence, and civilian control and intelligence effectiveness in new democracies
• Intelligence fusion centers

Program Manager:
Cristiana Matei

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Sample Activities

• Course: Intelligence and Democracy
• Seminar: Policy Makers and their Potential Contribution to Intelligence Reform in a Democracy
• Seminar: International Intelligence Fusion Centers
• Publications: Intelligence Reform in New Democracies: Factors Supporting or Arresting Progress, Matei and Bruneau
Focus

IDARM activities are designed to strengthen defense acquisition processes and decision-making and help nations understand and adopt modern business practices. IDARM offers a wide range of defense acquisition, logistics and life cycle management, procurement and contracting, project management, and negotiations program offerings.

IDARM program offerings are developed by NPS faculty and are custom tailored to meet customer requirements specific to government organizational structures and defense acquisition objectives of each individual partner nation. Program offerings can cover a combination of interrelated subjects or provide a more in-depth examination on a specific area of interest with the goal of offering defense leaders the opportunity to explore strategic issues which must be addressed in order to improve their nation’s defense acquisition processes and business practices.

Competencies

- Mobile Education Teams (METs)
- In-Resident courses
- Workshops
- Information exchanges

Sample Activities

- Principles of Defense Acquisition Management
- Principles of Defense Procurement and Contracting
- International Defense Acquisition Negotiations
- Project Management – Managing Complex Defense Projects
- Contracting for Pre-deployment & Deployment Operations
- Logistics and Life Cycle Management
- Building and Sustaining Accountability in Defense Acquisition Decision Making
Focus

The CCMR International Defense Transformation program is designed to help nations develop integrated capabilities to respond more effectively to national-level security concerns and defend their national interests, while contributing to collective security arrangements that assure access to, and protection of, a free and fair global system of commerce, information exchange and democratic governance.

Competencies

- Mobile education teams in defense transformation, cyber security and capability development
- Research and publications designed to enhance national, allied, and partner defense and security policy and strategy development
- Provision of subject-matter expertise in threat analysis, cyber security and capabilities development for partner agency activities and events

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Sample Activities

- In-Residence: Cyber Security Policy and Practice: Monterey, CA
- Seminar: Cyber Security: Indonesia, Albania, Azerbaijan
- Seminar: Defense Transformation: Chile, Montenegro, Serbia
- Seminar: Analyzing Strategic Challenges and Setting Defense Objectives: Indonesia
- Seminar: Comprehensive Approach to Modern Missions: Romania
- Partnerships and Deterrence in a Globalized World: Italy
- Workshop: Defense Capabilities Development: Republic of Tajikistan, Kyrgyz Republic
MARITIME SECURITY

Focus

The Maritime Security Program conducts seminars and workshops globally to enhance interagency and multinational responses to maritime threats. The program provides subject matter expert presentations, strategic and operational level exercises, and numerous case studies on best practices by various maritime nations and organizations worldwide.

- How can governments prioritize transnational maritime threats to their territorial waters and Exclusive Economic Zones?
- How can governments improve their maritime domain awareness?
- How can governments best protect their maritime domain from a variety of transnational threats?
- How can governments best leverage the resources and capabilities of their various agencies with maritime security responsibilities?
- What external resources are available to governments and organizations trying to enhance their maritime security?

The program provides both two-week in-residence course in Monterey, and one-week Mobile Education Teams to countries and regions in all Combatant Commands.

Competencies

- Vast experience from current and former Navy, Coast Guard, commercial and academic experts
- Development and implementation of maritime security strategies and policies
- Coordinated civilian and military responses to maritime threats

Sample Activities

- Course: Civil-Military Approaches to Maritime Security
- Course: Responses to Maritime Terrorism
- Workshops: Maritime Governance and How to Conduct a Maritime Risk Assessment

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MULTINATIONAL EXERCISES

Focus

The Multinational Exercises Program supports combatant and service command partnerships through multinational and interagency exercise planning, design, control and evaluation. The primary training audiences are combined and multinational brigades and battalions. Exercises are designed to develop command and staff proficiencies in integrated mission command, deliberate decision-making processes, civil-military cooperation, and shared situational awareness.

Competencies

Exercise planning, design and control

UN Peacekeeping, US Stability Operations and HADR subject-matter expertise

Scenario design and development, including:

- Detailed local, national, and regional information
- Key leader engagements, media interactions, and role-playing
- Extensive utilization of UN, US and partner policy, doctrine and best practices

Joint Training Management, including:

- Standards-based evaluation
- Use of joint event life cycle management information technology/collaborative tools
- Interagency training

Sample Activities

- Exercise: Keris Strike US/Malaysia
- Exercise: Garuda Shield US/Indonesia
- Exercise: Angkor Sentinel US/Cambodia
- Support: Subject-Matter Expertise to US Army, Pacific Exercises
- Support: Academic Lecture Series on UN PKO and US Stability Operations

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