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## Civil-Military Responses to Terrorism (Global) In-Residence Course (MASL #P179018)

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The Center for Civil-Military Relations (CCMR) conducts a two-week 'Combating Terrorism Fellowship Program (CTFP) course entitled "Civil-Military Responses to Terrorism" in Monterey, CA for global audiences. This is a DSCA-designated 'invitational' course where tuition will be paid for a select number of participants (additional participants are encouraged to attend but will be charged the usual tuition rate).

The key objectives of the course are to:

1. Help participants develop a holistic understanding of terrorism as one of many 'transnational threats' all governments face.
2. Provide a platform for all countries represented to present their views in a formal briefing.
3. Complete a table top exercise featuring a fictional country facing two different kinds of terrorism.

The Civil-Military Responses to Terrorism course provides a thorough understanding of terrorism in all its forms, with considerable emphasis on strategy formulation and international cooperation. The program utilizes case studies and a table top exercise to stimulate thoughtful discussion, providing participants with the insight needed by decision-makers and their advisors to design successful strategies to defeat terrorist networks; protect citizens and property; and address the root causes of terrorism.

**Course Dates:** The 'Civil-Military Responses to Terrorism' course will be offered in residence at the Naval Postgraduate School, Monterey, three times per year. The course is scheduled back-to-back with the CCMR 'Maritime Terrorism' course (MASL #P179548) so ODCs can send candidates to both seminars with one plane ticket.

**Participants:** Participating countries are identified by Regional Combatant Commanders and issued invitations by the Office of the Secretary of Defense. Within each participating country, an even balance of military officers and civilian officials will be ideal. Seniority will vary with the size of a country's defense forces, but the course will resonate best with mid-to senior grade officials involved in combating terrorism.

**Accommodations:** In-residence participants are normally housed on campus at the Naval Postgraduate School.

**Language:** The course is taught in English. The ECL requirement is 80, although it can be waived upon request.