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Civil-Military Responses to Terrorism: Maritime Security (MASL #P309044)

The Center for Civil-Military Relations (CCMR) offers a custom-designed Combating Terrorism Fellowship Program (CTFP) and Expanded International Military Education and Training (IMET) program entitled "Civil- Military Responses to Terrorism: Maritime Terrorism" exportable on demand to all IMET and CTFP recipient countries. The intended audience is mid-to senior level civilian officials (typically from Ministries of Defense, Interior, Justice, or Foreign Affairs) and military officers (O-5/O-6). This program is not about how the United States fights terrorism; rather it is designed to assist participating officials make better decisions about how their own governments fight terrorism.

The key objectives of the course are to provide instruction, discussion, case studies, and classroom exercises (if desired) to:

1. Evaluate and prioritize all maritime transnational threats to participating nations.
2. Distinguish maritime terrorism from piracy and examine ways to deal with both phenomena.
3. Define 'Maritime Domain Awareness' and the capacity of participating nations to deliver 'Maritime Governance.'
4. Discuss the impact of 'Illegal Maritime Trafficking' on Maritime Governance and Security.
5. Examine the issues relevant to port security.
6. Introduce a methodology for developing strategies to counter maritime terrorism and piracy.
7. Examine the mutually supportive roles of civil authority, military responses, and law enforcement agencies, emphasizing the need for interagency coordination.
8. Discuss the dynamics of international cooperation in the fight against maritime threats.
9. Learn the most effective ways governments can prepare for and manage the consequences of terrorist attacks in the maritime domain.

This course can be taught to either single country or regional audiences of between 30 to 45 participants. CCMR tailors each of its programs to the specific conditions, constraints, and requirements of the selected audience. This program is five days long and is focused on the strategic level. Included in the seminar, which relies heavily on discussion, is a tabletop exercise on strategy development, several case studies that extract the lessons learned and best practices of selected governments, and individual country presentations from the participants.

Faculty Teams: CCMR task-organizes each team to meet the specific requirements of individual courses. As a general rule, faculty teams consist of three world-class subject matter experts drawn, from civilian, academic, or military backgrounds.

Translation: This course is taught in English. When necessary, and with prior coordination, this course can be delivered with simultaneous interpretation.