

ICI MENU OF PRACTICAL ACTIVITIES FOR 2007

Introduction

1. The Istanbul Cooperation Initiative was launched at the Istanbul Summit by Allies Heads of State and Government. This Initiative would essentially be achieved through practical cooperation in the agreed priority areas and illustrative menu of specific activities.

2. Following the successful round of consultations with interested countries of the region and the decision regarding the membership of Bahrain, Kuwait, Qatar and the UAE to the ICI, NATO has developed a Menu of Practical Activities for 2007 in the agreed priority areas which will serve as a basis to develop and execute agreed work plans with each interested ICI country. The present menu will gradually be expanded in line with the progressive nature of the Initiative and should be considered as a living document which can be subject to further changes or the addition of new activities.

3. This year's menu of practical activities is composed of three different sections: an introduction, a description of the 13 areas of cooperation and the list of activities in each area of cooperation. It comprises, inter alia, new activities in the fields of:

- a. Defence Reform under para. 7b of the Istanbul document ("Financial and Budgeting Dimensions of Defence Reforms");
- b. Fight against Terrorism under para. 7c of the Istanbul document ("Introduction to IT secure connectivity");
- c. Public Diplomacy under para. 9 of the Istanbul document ("Introduction to NATO Science for Peace and Security Programme");
- d. Border Security under para. 7e of the Istanbul document (Two Workshops on NATO policy on human trafficking);
- e. Small Arms and Light Weapons under para. 7e of the Istanbul document ("M5-61 course");
- f. Military-To-Military Contacts under para. 7b of the Istanbul document ("Maritime Expert Staff Visits" and Staff Level Visits to discuss possible port visits in the future);
- g. Military Education, Training and Doctrine under para. 7b of the Istanbul document (Several new courses and seminars offered by NSA and ACT, as well as the PfP Planning Symposium in Oberammergau);

and a seemingly "new" area of cooperation in the field of armaments. The activities listed there were however already agreed as out-of-cycle update No.1 to the Menu of Practical Activities 2006 [ICIG-N(2006)0001-REV1] and fall under para. 7b and 7c of the Istanbul document.

4. The present Menu of Practical Activities for 2007 has been sorted into different areas of cooperation in order to make practical information such as venues, attendance, points of contact, clearly identifiable.

5. ICI countries are reminded that the present menu of practical activities constitutes an invitation in itself. In this regard, these countries should not wait for official invitations to

be sent for each specific activity. ICI countries are therefore invited to select activities in the present menu and send a consolidated list to Mr. Rolf Schwarz (RAMD/PASP tel.: 0032 2 707 58 82 – fax: 0032 2 707 52 28 – email: schwarz.rolf@hq.nato.int). This list will form the basis of the individual work plans.

6. Participation in all NATO activities is completely on a self-funding basis.

7. NATO will develop the necessary liaison arrangements including the nomination of Contact Point Embassies to facilitate the participation of ICI countries in the activities listed in the present document. For most activities taking place in Europe or North America, a visa will be required for which NATO will not be responsible. Letters of invitation can nevertheless be sent by NATO relevant Point of Contacts to facilitate the deliverance of such visas.

8. An agreement on the protection of classified information, to be developed together with interested ICI countries, would be required for certain activities.

9. For each activity, more information can be obtained from the NATO Point of Contact (listed under each activity).

LIST OF AREAS OF CO-OPERATION BASED ON THE PRIORITY AREAS AGREED IN THE ISTANBUL DOCUMENT

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(Ref. para. 7b and 7c of the Istanbul document)

1. BORDER SECURITY

Meetings on Border Security Assistance Requirements

- **Identification Code:** TBD
- **Types and Aims:** Working meetings with representatives of local MD/ICI Embassies to identify assistance requirements in the area of border security.
- **NATO Action Authority:** Defence Policy and Planning Division, Defence Cooperation Section
- **Location:** NATO HQ
- **Number of Events per year:** upon request
- **Dates and Duration:** TBD
- **Language Requirements:** TBD
- **Participation:** expert level
- **NATO POC:** Mrs. Constantina Koliou, Defence Policy and Planning Division, NATO HQ, 1110 Brussels, tel.: 0032 2 707 47 26; fax 0032 2 707 52 30; e-mail: koliou.constantina@hq.nato.int
- **Remarks:** None

Seminar on Border Security

- **Identification Code:** TBD
- **Types and Aims:** Follow up to previous activity aiming to share the good practices of Allies with ICI countries in the area of border management.
- **NATO Action Authority:** Defence Policy and Planning Division, Defence Cooperation Section
- **Location:** TBD
- **Number of Events per year:** 1
- **Dates and Duration:** TBD
- **Language Requirements:** English, French
- **Participation:** Political and technical level
- **NATO POC:** Mrs. Constantina Koliou, Defence Policy and Planning Division, NATO HQ, 1110 Brussels, tel.: 0032 2 707 47 26; fax 0032 2 707 52 30; e-mail: koliou.constantina@hq.nato.int
- **Remarks:** None

Expert Visits on Border Security Issues

- **Identification Code:** TBD
- **Types and Aims:** Despatching teams of national experts to advise on issues relating to border security, threat assessments and reforms of border security forces.
- **NATO Action Authority:** Defence Policy and Planning Division, Defence Cooperation Section
- **Location:** an inviting country
- **Number of Events per year:** upon request
- **Dates and Duration:** TBD

- **Language Requirements:** TBD
- **Participation:** expert level
- **NATO POC:** Mrs. Constantina Koliou, Defence Policy and Planning Division, NATO HQ, 1110 Brussels, tel.: 0032 2 707 47 26; fax 0032 2 707 52 30; e-mail: koliou.constantina@hq.nato.int
- **Remarks:** None

EAPC/PfP Workshop on Human Trafficking

- **Identification Code:** TBD
- **Types and Aims:** The workshop focuses on relevant aspects of implementation of NATO policy on combating trafficking in human beings.
- **NATO Action Authority:** Defence Policy and Planning Division, Defence Cooperation Section
- **Location:** TBD
- **Number of Events per year:** 1-2
- **Dates and Duration:** 2007 (TBD)
- **Language Requirements:** Simultaneous translation in French and English will be available (TBC)
- **Participation:** expert level
- **NATO POC:** Mrs. Constantina Koliou, Defence Policy and Planning Division, NATO HQ, 1110 Brussels, tel.: 0032 2 707 47 26; fax 0032 2 707 52 30; e-mail: koliou.constantina@hq.nato.int
- **Remarks:** Limited financial assistance will be available if required.

Introduction to NATO Policy on Combating Trafficking in Human Beings

- **Identification Code:** IS-DPP
- **Type and Aims:** Information meeting at NATO HQ on combating trafficking in human beings. Information on NATO's policy on combating trafficking in Human Beings.
- **NATO Action Authority:** IS/DPP
- **Location:** NATO HQ
- **Number of events per year:** 1
- **Dates and Duration:** Feb 2007 (TBC), 1 day
- **Language requirements :** French and English
- **Participation:** Political officers and military attachés at ICI and MD Embassies
- **NATO POC:** Mrs. Constantina Koliou, Defence Policy and Planning Division, NATO HQ, 1110 Brussels, tel.: 0032 2 707 47 26; fax 0032 2 707 52 30; e-mail: koliou.constantina@hq.nato.int
- **Remarks:** None

2. FIGHT AGAINST TERRORISM

Airspace Management/ Expert Level Consultations

- **Identification Code:** NATMC

- **Type and Aims:** Expert level consultation on air traffic management issues to promote flight safety and information exchange on civil/military air traffic control procedures including procedures to foster air security in the new environment.
- **NATO Action Authority:** Defence Investment Division, Air Defence and Airspace Management Directorate, Airspace Management Section
- **Location:** NATO HQ, Brussels
- **Number of events per year:** 1-2
- **Dates and Duration:** one day, June and/or November 2007.
- **Language Requirements:** simultaneous translation in French and English
- **Participation:** 2-3 Air Traffic Management Civil and Military Experts in civil/military air traffic control procedures and civil/military co-operation.
- **NATO POC:** Mr. Michal Kalidova, Defence Investment Division, Airspace Management Section, NATO HQ, 1110 Brussels; tel.: 0032 2 707 42 55; fax: 0032 2 707 41 03; e-mail m.kalivoda@hq.nato.int

Meeting/Seminar/Workshop on the Economic and Financial Dimensions of the Defence Against Terrorism

- **Identification Code:** DSED(PASP)
- **Types and Aims:** Experts from ICI countries would be invited to participate with experts from EAPC countries in a meeting/seminar/workshop in EAPC format that facilitate the exchanging of experiences regarding the economic and financial aspects of the international fight against terrorism. The aim is to promote an in-depth dialogue with the countries concerned through utilising Allied practical experience in this area.
- **NATO Action Authority:** EAPC Economic Committee
- **Location:** TBD
- **Number of Events per year:** 1
- **Dates and Duration:** TBD
- **Language Requirements:** English or French (Simultaneous Translation)
- **Participation:** Senior Experts (O-6 and above) with a background in defence and security economics (Ministry of Defence, Ministry of Finance and other relevant departments or agencies)
- **NATO POC:** Mr. Adrian Kendry, DSED Senior Defence Economist, PASP Division, NATO HQ, 1110 Brussels; tel.: 0032 2 707 41 65; fax: 0032 2 707 52 28; email: kendry.adrian@hq.nato.int
- **Remarks:** None

EAPC Seminar on Terrorism

- **Identification Code:** TBD
- **Types and Aims:** As a follow-up to previous EAPC Seminars on Terrorism, this seminar is intended to take stock of the work achieved so far and to possibly serve as an appropriate platform to specifically discuss the implementation of the defence-related action items proposed in the Report on PAP-T endorsed in Istanbul.
- **NATO Action Authority:** Defence Policy and Planning Division, Defence Cooperation Section, in close coordination with PASP and IMS.

- **Location:** TBD
- **Number of Events per year:** 1
- **Dates and Duration:** 2007 (TBD)
- **Language Requirements:** Simultaneous translation in French and English will be available (TBC)
- **Participation:** TBD
- **NATO POC:** Mrs. Constantina Koliou, Defence Policy and Planning Division, NATO HQ, 1110 Brussels, tel.: 0032 2 707 47 26; fax: 0032 2 707 52 30; e-mail: koliou.constantina@hq.nato.int
- **Remarks:** Limited financial assistance will be available if required.

Follow-Up on Introduction to Exchange of Intelligence

- **Identification Code:** IS/NOS
- **Types and Aims:** The aim is to establish contact between the NOS and ICI country(ies)' security and intelligence services in order to network with them. An invitation for them to visit the HQ/TTIU/NOS sometime during 2007 will be issued. Day to day exchanges will be developed through the Intelligence Liaison Unit (ILU) mechanism.
- **NATO Action Authority:** NATO Office of Security, TTIU, ILU
- **Location:** NATO HQ and ICI countries
- **Number of Events per year:** one visit to NATO and/or in country(ies)
- **Dates and Duration:** at their convenience
- **Language Requirements:** Simultaneous translation in French and English will be available (TBC)
- **Participation:** minimum two persons + one embassy official to NATO and/or one member of the TTIU and one member of SIB/ILU and POB
- **NATO POC:** Ms. Geneviève Labelle, NOS/POB, tel.: 0032 2 707 36 36; Mr. Kevin Giblin, Terrorism Threat Intelligence Unit (TTIU), tel.: 0032 2 707 36 79; Ms. Bridget Austin, Head SIB and MD/ICI Task Force, tel.: 0032 2 707 44 75
- **Remarks:** There is no per diem for ICI countries

Follow-Up on Introduction to Security Agreement

- **Identification Code:** IS-NOS
- **Types And Aims:** Continue to sensitise ICI countries about the provisions and requirements of the NATO Security Agreement with a view to sign such an Agreement with the Alliance.
- **NATO Action Authority:** NATO Office of Security, Policy And Oversight Branch
- **Location:** Country(ies)' visits for Certification.
- **Number Of Events Per Year:** One visit to country(ies)' for the NOS Certification following signature.
- **Dates And Duration:** At the country(ies)' convenience
- **Participation:** Signing of the Agreement is normally conducted by the Ambassador on his Government's behalf. Visits to ICI will include at least one and maybe two members of the IS/NOS.

- **NATO POC:** Ms. Geneviève Labelle, NOS/POB, tel. : 0032 2 707 36 36; Mr. Baldwin De Vidts, Legal Adviser, tel.: 0032 2 707 4006; Ms. Bridget Austin, Head SIB and MD/ICI Task Force, tel.: 0032 2 707 44 75
- **Remarks:** If the intelligence exchange is to be developed with the ICI, the signing of a Security Agreement with NATO will be mandatory.

Introduction to IT secure connectivity

- **Identification Code:** NOS/POB and BICES AGENCY
- **Types And Aims:** If the cooperation between NATO and the ICI develops towards the meaningful exchange of intelligence, particularly on terrorism, they will require secure connectivity to the Alliance and TTIU. The BICES Agency, together with NOS, will explore this option with the ICI countries.
- **NATO Action Authority:** NATO Office of Security, NATO Bices Agency
- **Location:** NATO HQ/NOS, NATO Bices Agency
- **Number Of Events Per Year:** Ongoing issue with those interested country(ies)
- **Dates And Duration:** TBD
- **Participation:** One BICES Officer + one NOS Officer.
- **NATO POC:** Mr. Eric Mercer, BICES, tel.: 0032 2 707 86 87; Ms. Geneviève Labelle, NOS/POB, tel.: 0032 2 707 36 36
- **Remarks:** The proposal is subject to the consensus of the BICES Board

Meeting with Security Experts on Threats to Security

- **Identification Code:** IS-NOS
- **Types And Aims:** The NATO Special Committee (AC/46) of Security and Intelligence Services' Chiefs from NATO nations meets in plenary session twice a year at NATO HQ. They are the advisers to the NAC on matters relevant to threats to NATO's security. The AC/46 nations' contribution to NATO's security is conducted through its Secretariat which is staff by the NATO Office of Security.
- **NATO Action Authority:** NATO Office of Security/ SIB
- **Location:** NATO HQ
- **Number Of Events Per Year:** 1
- **Dates And Duration:** 2007, one day
- **Language Requirements:** French and English
- **Participation:** 2 + one Embassy official, per country + AC/46 MEMBERS
- **NATO POC:** Mr. Wiebe Van der Ree, NOS/SIB, tel.: 0032 2 707 45 97; Ms. Bridget Austin, Head SIB, tel.: 0032 2 707 44 75
- **Remarks:** No NATO per diem will be required for these nations

NATO Defence Against Terrorism Course

- **Identification Code:** M5-66.
- **Type and Aims:** To provide foundation knowledge of the global and regional threats of terrorism, including its various forms, resources, means and tools as well as global,

regional and national efforts in combating terrorism; and to explain the NATO Defence Terrorism Policy, Doctrine and Means.

- **NATO Action Authority:** NATO School
- **Location:** Oberammergau, Germany
- **Number of Events:** 2
- **Dates and Duration:** 14 May (M5-66-A) and 19 November (M5-66-B) 2007, 5 days
- **Language Requirements:** There is no translation available for this activity. Participants should have a working knowledge in the English language
- **Number of Participants:** One participant from each ICI Country
- **Target audience:** Military officers including reserve officers (Maj. to Col.) or civilian equivalents from NATO, PfP, Med Dialogue and ICI Countries.
- **NATO POC:** Student Admin, NATO School, Am Rainenbichl 54, D-82487 Oberammergau, Germany; tel.: 0049 8822 9481 1304, e-mail: star@natoschool.nato.int
- **Remarks:** Attendance must be notified directly to NATO School Student Admin no later than six weeks before the course starts.

ACO – Seminar On Asymmetric Threats / Force Protection

- **Identification Code:** ACO-ICI-07-046
- **Type and Aims:** Force protection procedures in the context of asymmetric threats and anti-terrorism.
- **NATO Action Authority:** CC-Land HQ Madrid.
- **Location:** Madrid, Spain
- **Dates and Duration:** 19 Mar 2007, 3 days.
- **Language Requirements:** Good working knowledge of English.
- **Participants:** Officers from land forces with operational responsibilities
- **NATO POC:** Maj. Carlos PRADA, CC-Land HQ Madrid Carretera De Boadilla, Km 3,4. 28223 Pozuelo De Alarcon Madrid, Spain; tel: 0034 915126333; fax: 0034 915126453; e-mail: milcoop@jcswnato.int

3. DEFENCE REFORM

Financial and Budgeting Dimensions of Defence Reform

- **Identification Code:** TBD
- **Type and Aims:** ICI countries are invited to participate in selected EAPC Economic events under the auspices of the Euro-Atlantic Partnership Work Plan, which touch upon defence budgeting and financial dimensions of defence reform. Such events may focus on techniques to improve resource management in defence spending, the assessment of the affordability and sustainability of defence expenditure, or the process of restructuring and modernising defence industry.
- **NATO Action Authority:** EAPC Economic Committee
- **Location:** TBD
- **Number of Events per year:** 1-2
- **Dates and Duration:** TBD
- **Language Requirements:** Conferences and seminars will provide simultaneous French and English translation

- **Participation:** Experts (with a rank of O-5 or above) from relevant ministries and agencies are encouraged to participate. Although the participants are most likely to come from the Budgetary and Financial Divisions of MoDs, qualified experts from other agencies/divisions, think tanks and universities would be welcome.
- **NATO POC/Action Officer:** Mr. Adrian Kendry, DSED Senior Defence Economist, PASP Division, NATO HQ, 1110 Brussels; tel.: 0032 2 707 41 65; fax: 0032 2 707 52 28; email: kendry.adrian@hq.nato.int
- **Remarks:** All seminars are agreed under the Euro-Atlantic Partnership Work Plan.

PfP Conference on Defence Policy and Strategy

- **Identification Code:** IS/DPAO.947.3
- **Types and Aims:** The annual Conference on Defence Policy and Strategy focuses on issues relevant to policy, defence strategy, defence reform, security sector reform, and the Partnership for Peace programme. It brings together representatives of EAPC/PfP and MD/ICI nations.
- **NATO Action Authority:** Defence Policy and Planning Division, Defence Cooperation Section
- **Location:** TBD
- **Number of Events per year:** 1
- **Dates and Duration:** September-November 2007, 2 days
- **Language Requirements:** Simultaneous translation in French and English will be available (TBC)
- **Participation:** MOD Policy Director/Military Equivalent
- **NATO POC:** Mr. Frank Boland, Director, Force Planning Directorate, Defence Policy and Planning Division, NATO HQ, 1110 Brussels, tel: 0032 2 707 40 50; fax: 0032 2 707 52 30; e-mail: fpd@hq.nato.int, or Mrs. Constantina Koliou, Defence Policy and Planning Division, NATO HQ, 1110 Brussels, tel.: 0032 2 707 47 26; fax: 0032 2 707 52 30; e-mail: koliou.constantina@hq.nato.int
- **Remarks:** Limited financial assistance will be available if required.

Briefings on Defence and Military Aspects of Security Sector Reform

- **Identification Code:** TBD
- **Types and Aims:** Briefings for representatives of MD/ICI countries on issues relating to NATO policies and on approaches to defence and Military Aspects of security sector reforms.
- **NATO Action Authority:** Defence Policy and Planning Division, Defence Cooperation Section
- **Location:** NATO HQ or an inviting country.
- **Number of Events per year:** upon request
- **Dates and Duration:** TBD
- **Language Requirements:** TBD
- **Participation:** expert level
- **NATO POC:** Mrs. Constantina Koliou, Defence Policy and Planning Division, NATO HQ, 1110 Brussels, tel.: 0032 2 707 47 26; fax 0032 2 707 52 30; e-mail: koliou.constantina@hq.nato.int
- **Remarks:** None

4. PUBLIC DIPLOMACY ACTIVITIES

Ambassadorial Conference

- **Identification code:** TBD
- **Type and aims:** the NATO Public Diplomacy Division will organise in 2007 the fourth high level regional international conference taking place for the second time in one ICI country, in concert with the host nation. The aim of this event will be to provide a better understanding of the aim and content of ICI, by bringing together the Secretary General, PermReps, NATO IS and IMS officials, ICI Ambassadors and high level participants from the academic world, politics, government and the media from ICI countries. This special event will also be used as a brainstorming for the NAC and senior NATO and ICI officials, to discuss the future prospects of ICI, taking advantage of fresh perspectives coming from outside official government circles.
- **Location:** TBD
- **Number of events per year:** 1
- **Dates and duration:** TBD
- **Language Requirements:** English - French - Arabic
- **Participation:** NATO SecGen, NATO PermReps, IS and IMS officials, ICI countries opinion leaders, academics, policy makers, officials and the media.
- **NATO POC:** Mr. Nicola de Santis, Head MD & ICI Countries Section, Public Diplomacy Division, NATO HQ, 1110 Brussels; tel: 0032 2 707 5013; fax 0032 707 1250; e-mail:desantis.nicola@hq.nato.int

Two Day National Seminars

- **Identification Code:** TBD
- **Type and aims:** Two day national seminars will be organised in each ICI country, in order to exchange views with national opinion leaders from civil society organisations, think tanks, academia, the media, elected officials and policy makers, to foster a better understanding of the aim and content of ICI and its implementation. These events will also offer the occasion to use participating NATO speakers for ad hoc in country briefings to NGOs, universities, thinks tanks and media organisations, around the dates of each national seminar.
- **Location:** TBD
- **Number of events per year:** TBD
- **Dates and duration:** January - December 2007
- **Language Requirements:** English - French - Arabic
- **Participation:** NATO officials, ICI countries opinion leaders, academics, journalists and elected officials.
- **NATO POC:** Mr. Nicola de Santis, Head MD & ICI Countries Section, Public Diplomacy Division, NATO HQ, 1110 Brussels; tel: 0032 2 707 5013; fax 0032 707 1250; e-mail:desantis.nicola@hq.nato.int

Visits to the NATO Headquarters

- **Identification Code:** TBD
- **Type and aims:** The NATO Public Diplomacy Division will organise in 2007 at least one visit to the NATO Headquarters of select groups of opinion leaders and policy makers from each ICI country, involved in shaping public attitudes and having direct impact on national decision making processes.
- **Location:** NATO Headquarters
- **Number of events per year:** 1-2 per ICI country
- **Dates and duration:** January - December 2007
- **Language Requirements:** English - French
- **Participation:** Opinion leaders, academics, policy makers and media representatives from ICI countries.
- **NATO POC:** Mr. Nicola de Santis, Head MD & ICI Countries Section, Public Diplomacy Division, NATO HQ, 1110 Brussels; tel: 0032 2 707 5013; fax 0032 707 1250; e-mail:desantis.nicola@hq.nato.int
- **Remarks:** None

Media Relations

- **Identification Code:** TBD
- **Type and aims:** Press tours will be organised for media representatives from ICI countries to NATO Headquarters, to include Arab media in NATO member countries and at least one press tour during the 2007 December NATO Foreign Ministers Ministerial meeting. The Public Diplomacy Division will organise on these occasions on-the-record interviews with the Secretary General and/or with the Deputy Secretary General, as well as during NATO PDD events conducted in ICI countries. As on previous years, in 2007 the aim will be to promote at least one interview of the Secretary General with a media organisation of each of the ICI countries.
- **Location:** NATO Headquarters Brussels - ICI Countries.
- **Number of events per year:** 6
- **Dates and duration:** January - December 2007
- **Language Requirements:** English - French
- **Participation:** Media representatives from ICI countries.
- **NATO POC:** Mr. Nicola de Santis, Head MD & ICI Countries Section, Public Diplomacy Division, NATO HQ, 1110 Brussels; tel: 0032 2 707 5013; fax 0032 707 1250; e-mail:desantis.nicola@hq.nato.int
- **Remarks:** None

Website

- **Identification Code:** TBD
- **Type and aims:** The web module on ICI within the NATO Internet website, containing the officials documents on ICI, background information on its development, NATO officials documents releasable to the public, speech of the Secretary General, Deputy Secretary General and other NATO officials, list of PDD relevant events, studies and conference reports, will continue to be updated in 2007. Key elements of this web module will be translated into Arabic during 2007.
- **Location:** NATO Headquarters Brussels
- **Number of events per year:** TBD
- **Dates and duration:** January - December 2007
- **Language Requirements:** English - French
- **Participation:** Various
- **NATO POC:** Mr. Nicola de Santis, Head MD & ICI Countries Section, Public Diplomacy Division, NATO HQ, 1110 Brussels; tel: 0032 2 707 5013; fax 0032 707 1250; e-mail:desantis.nicola@hq.nato.int
- **Remarks:** None

Introduction to NATO Science for Peace and Security Programme

- **Identification Code:** TBD
- **Type and Aims:** Information Workshop / Seminar aimed at fostering NATO's image in the region.
- **NATO Action Authority:** PDD, Science for Peace and Security Programme
- **Location:** University in ICI country
- **Dates and Duration:** TBC
- **Number of events per year:** 2
- **Language Requirements:** English
- **Participation:** NATO Officials and academics from ICI
- **NATO POC/Action Officer:** Dr. Fausto Pedrazzini, Public Diplomacy Division, NATO HQ, 1110 Brussels; tel: 0032 2 707 42 29; Dr. Keith Gardner, DASG Public Diplomacy Division, tel.: 0032 2 707 42 07
- **Remarks:** None

5. PROLIFERATION OF WMD

Participation in Senior Political-Military Group on Proliferation (SGP) Seminar

- **Identification Code:** TBD
- **Type and Aims:** Participation in the SGP Seminar to be held in Vilnius – Lithuania on 18-19 April 2007.
- **NATO Action Authority:** PASP-DPP
- **Location:** Vilnius
- **Number of events per year:** 1
- **Dates and Duration:** 18-19 April 2007
- **Language Requirements:** French and English)

- **Participation:** (maximum allowed, specific qualifications required, provide general indication of rank or equivalent civilian post required, etc.)
- **NATO POC:** Mr. Vasselin Garvalov, WMDC, Defence Policy and Planning Division, NATO HQ, 1110 Brussels; tel.: 0032 2 707 19 06; e-mail: v.garvalov@hq.nato.int; Mr. Axel Angely, WMDC, Defence Policy and Planning Division, NATO HQ, 1110 Brussels; tel.: 0032 2 707 19 02; fax: 0032 2 707 19 12; e-mail: a.angely@hq.nato.int
- **Remarks:** none

Briefing on NATO's Efforts against Proliferation of WMD

- **Type and Aims:** Briefing interested countries on the activities and policies of the Weapons of Mass Destruction Centre.
- **NATO Action Authority:** WMD/DPP
- **Location:** TBD
- **Number of events per year:** TBD
- **Dates and duration:** TBD
- **Language requirements:** English
- **Participation:** TBD
- **NATO POC/Action Officer:** Mr. Axel Angely, WMDC, Defence Policy and Planning Division, NATO HQ, 1110 Brussels; tel.: 0032 2 707 19 02; fax: 0032 2 707 19 12; e-mail: a.angely@hq.nato.int
- **Remarks:** None

6. SMALL ARMS AND LIGHT WEAPONS

PfP Trust Fund Seminar

- **Identification code:** TBD
- **Aims:** To explain new PfP Trust Fund Policy, the role of nations and executing agents such as NAMSA and opportunities to support Trust Fund projects.
- **NATO Action Authority:** EIPD/PASP
- **Location:** Washington , USA
- **Number of events per year:** 1
- **Dates and duration:** 22-23 February 2006
- **Language requirements:** English
- **Participation:** EAPC, MD, and ICI countries
- **NATO POC/Action Officer:** Ms. Anne Suotula, EIPD, PASP Division, NATO HQ, 1110 Brussels; tel: 0032 2 707 48 95

Meeting of the EAPC Ad Hoc Working Group on Small Arms and Light Weapons and Mine Action on the Marking and Tracing of SALWs

- **Identification code:** TBD

- **Aims:** To review the results of BMS 2 especially on the marking and tracing of SALWs.
- **NATO Action Authority:** ACCS, IS
- **Location:** NATO HQ,
- **Number of events per year:** 4
- **Dates and duration:** 16 February 2007 (TBC), 13 April 2007 (TBC), 18 May 2007 (TBC), 6 July 2007 (TBC).
- **Language requirements:** English
- **Participation:** EAPC, MD, and ICI countries
- **NATO POC/Action Officer:** Mr. Michael Miggins, ACCS, PASP Division, NATO HQ, 1110 Brussels; tel.: 0032 2 707 58 06

Specific Meetings of the EAPC Ad Hoc Working Group on Small Arms and Light Weapons and Mine Action

- **Identification code:** TBD
- **Aims:** To exchange information on agenda items of interest to ICI Countries, including the implementation of the UN's Program of Action to "Prevent, Combat and Eradicate the Illicit Trade in SALW In All Its Aspects" and also Mine Action.
- **NATO Action Authority:** ACCS, IS
- **Location:** NATO HQ
- **Number of events per year:** 6
- **Dates and duration:** dates to be determined
- **Language requirements:** English
- **Participation:** EAPC, MD, and ICI countries
- **NATO POC/Action Officer:** Mr. Michael Miggins, ACCS, PASP Division, NATO HQ, 1110 Brussels; tel.: 0032 2 707 58 06
- **Remarks:** Attendance at specific meetings would depend on items of interest to the MD and ICI countries on the published Agendas and a request by NATO to attend by those MD and ICI countries wishing to do so.

M5-61; ARMS CONTROL NON-PROLIFERATION COURSE

- **Identification Code:** ACT.171.5, and 171.6
- **Type and Aims:** Topic: Aim: The purpose of the course is to present non-proliferation issues and challenges, and discuss potential coordination of national policies to improve cooperative non-proliferation efforts. The course will review treaties, agreements, and policies that limit proliferation of a broad spectrum of weapon classes, from pistols to WMD.
- **NATO Action Authority:** NATO School.
- **Location:** Oberammergau (GE)
- **Number of Events:** 2
- **Dates and Duration:** 26 February and 15 October 2007, 5 days
- **Language requirements:** There is no translation available for this activity. Participants should have a working knowledge in the English language.
- **Number of Participants:** The number of participants is adjusted according to the requested topics.

- **Target audience:** This course is applicable to all personnel assigned to MOD's of the Euro Atlantic Partnership Council (EAPC) member States and NATO-Mediterranean Dialogue countries, AC agencies or foreign affairs with AC! Counter-proliferation responsibilities.
- **NATO POC:** Student Admin, NATO School, Am Rainenbichl 54, D-82487 Oberammergau, Germany; tel.: 0049 8822 9481 1304; e-mail: star@natoschool.nato.int

7. CIVIL EMERGENCY PLANNING (CEP)

EADRCC Exercise

- **Identification Code:** (IS/OPS/CEP.2)
- **Type and Aims:** *Consequence management exercise*, The aim of the exercise is to practice (Euro-Atlantic Disaster Response Coordination Centre) EADRCC procedures and Euro-Atlantic Disaster Response Unit (EADRU) capabilities in order to improve consequence management capabilities for responding to a terrorist attack on Critical Civil Infrastructure in an EAPC country. The Programme to include training on how to effectively request International Assistance, based on the Checklist to Guide Nations in Requesting International Assistance
- **NATO Action Authority:** SCEPC.
- **Location:** Zadar (Croatia)
- **Number of events per year:** one
- **Dates and Duration:** Oct. 2007, 4 days
- **Language Requirements:** English or French
- **Participation:** two participants per country to observe the exercise
- **NATO POC:** Mr. Guenther Bretschneider, EADRCC, OPS Division, NATO HQ, 1110 Brussels; tel.: 0032 2 707 26 73; fax: 0032 2 707 26 77; e-mail: eadrcc@hq.nato.int
- **Remarks:** The exercise will be conducted as a field exercise (during three days), to be preceded by a one-day table-top exercise with the topic "procedures for requesting international assistance"

Civil Protection Committee

- **Identification Code:** (IS/OPS/CEP.21.8)
- **Type and Aims:** *Civil Protection Committee Seminar (subject to be determined)*. The Civil Protection Committee has a broad mandate to address the overall ability of NATO to protect the civilian populations in times of crisis. Within the framework of the general aims of Civil Emergency Planning, the CPC carries out international co-operation as appropriate with regard to protection of the population and disaster relief. As such it is the focal point for all NATO and Partner countries regarding pre-disaster planning and post-disaster analysis. The Committee serves to assist nations in all phases of the disaster cycle including preparedness, response, recovery and mitigation. Where possible, it identifies common concerns, policies and procedures that can be addressed on a NATO-wide basis
- **NATO Action Authority:** SCEPC.

- **Location:** tbd
- **Number of events per year:** one
- **Dates and Duration:** 3rd Quarter 2007, 2 days
- **Language Requirements:** English or French
- **Participation:** two participants per country
- **NATO POC:** Dr. Denisa Ioneta, CEP, OPS Division, NATO HQ, 1110 Brussels; tel.: 0032 2 707 47 71; fax: 0032 2 707 79 00; e-mail: cepd@hq.nato.int
- **Remarks:** None

Vital Resources Seminar

- **Identification Code:** (IS/OPS/CEP.27.6)
- **Type and Aims** Vital Resources Seminar, under the auspices of the Food and Agriculture Planning Committee. The Food and Agriculture Planning Committee is responsible for preparing and, if necessary, applying the Alliance procedures and structures to support food supply problems to the members nations in situation of crisis and war.
- **NATO Action Authority:** SCEPC.
- **Location:** Romania (TBC)
- **Number of events per year:** one
- **Dates and Duration:** 24 to 25 May 2007, 2 days
- **Language Requirements:** English or French
- **Participation:** two participants per country
- **NATO POC:** Mr. Stefano Santamato, CEP, OPS Division, NATO HQ, 1110 Brussels; tel.: 0032 2 707 39 24; fax: 0032 2 707 79 00; e-mail: cepd@hq.nato.int
- **Remarks:** none

Civil Military Cooperation Courses

- **Identification Code:** (IS/OPS/CEP.32)
- **Type and Aims:** Civil Military Cooperation Course. Civil support to military operations; information exchange and cooperation with other relevant international organisations.
- **NATO Action Authority:** SCEPC.
- **Location:** t.b.d.
- **Number of events per year:** two
- **Dates and Duration:** 1st and 3rd Quarter 2007, 5 days
- **Language Requirements:** English or French
- **Participation:** two participants per country
- **NATO POC:** Mr. David Fortna, CEP, OPS Division, NATO HQ, 1110 Brussels; tel.: 0032 2 707 79 96; fax.: 0032 2 707 79 00; e-mail: cepd@hq.nato.int
- **Remarks:** None

Nato Civil Emergency Planning (CEP) Course

- **Identification Code:** M9-56

- **Type and Aims:** To introduce participants to Civil Emergency Planning (CEP) in NATO, to emphasize the linkages between CEP and the military authorities within NATO, in particularly CIMIC during planning and execution of NATO operations and to explain the links to other international organizations.
- **NATO Action Authority:** NATO School.
- **Location:** Oberammergau (GE).
- **Number of Events:** 2
- **Dates and Duration:** 5-9 March 2007 (M9-56-A), 30-Oct 2 November 2007 (M9-56-B), 5 days.
- **Language Requirements:** There is no translation available for this activity. Participants should have a working knowledge in the English language.
- **Number of Participants:** One participant from each ICI Country.
- **NATO POC:** Student Admin, NATO School, Am Rainenbichl 54, D-82487 Oberammergau; tel: 0049 8822 9481 1304; e-mail: star@natoschool.nato.int
- **Remarks:** Attendance must be notified directly to NATO School Student Admin no later than six weeks before the course starts.

8. CRISIS MANAGEMENT (CRM)

NATO Council Operations and Exercise Committee (COEC)

- **Identification Code:** COEC meetings with ICI countries (format 26+1)
- **Type and Aims:** COEC may schedule meetings to deal with the proposals submitted by ICI nations. Separate COEC meetings in a "26+1" configuration can be scheduled with interested ICI nations, following in each case a decision by the Allies
- **NATO Action Authority:** Council Operations and Exercise Committee (COEC)
- **Location:** NATO HQ for COEC meetings
- **Number of Events:** TBD by the Allies for COEC meetings
- **Dates and Duration:** TBD
- **Language Requirements:** French or English
- **Number of Participants:** TBD
- **NATO POC:** Mr. Johan Maenhoudt, Operations Division (OPS), NATO HQ, 1110 Brussels; tel.: 0032 2 707 46 27; fax: 0032 2 707 79 34; e-mail: maenhoudt.johan@hq.nato.int

NATO Council Operations and Exercise Committee (COEC) Crisis Management Expert visits

- **Identification Code:** Crisis Management Expert visits
- **Type and aims:** Crisis Management expert visits could be organized on request in the format and venues most convenient for each ICI country.
 1. Enhance co-operation in crisis management in accordance with the NATO Crisis Response System (NCRS).

2. Promote greater interoperability, where applicable, including through observation/participation in appropriate aspects of Crisis Management Exercises (CMX), seminars and workshops, when invited by Allies.
 3. Advise, if required, on the development of a national crisis management organization and a national Operations or Situation Centre.
 4. Advise, if required, on the development of crisis management procedures, measures, communications requirements and its ADP support
- **NATO Action Authority:** Council Operations and Exercise Committee (COEC)
 - **Location:** In interested ICI nations.
 - **Number of events per year:** One visit to each interested ICI nation.
 - **Dates and Duration:** Depending on the requirements from the interested nations, but in principal 4 days per CM expert visit (travel included).
 - **Language Requirements:** CM Expert visits can be organised in the language desired by the interested nation (French or English).
 - **Participation:** In principle four to five people (IS/IMS) maximum for each CM expert visit.
 - **NATO POC:** Mr. Johan Maenhoudt, Operations Division (OPS), NATO HQ, 1110 Brussels; tel.: 0032 2 707 46 27; fax: 0032 2 707 79 34; e-mail: maenhoudt.johan@hq.nato.int
 - **Remarks:** As is the case with PfP and Mediterranean Dialogue nations, such Crisis Management Expert missions were extremely well received by the visited nations. These could offer opportunities for ICI countries to address a broad range of officials dealing with crisis management, including and if required the Ministry of Defence, the General Staff, the Ministry of Foreign Affairs, the Ministry of the Interior, the Civil Protection etc.

Multinational Crisis Management Courses

- **Identification Code:** M3-52-A, M3-52-B, M3-52-C
- **Type and Aims:** To provide a forum for staff officers from NATO, PfP partners, Mediterranean Dialogue and ICI Countries in which to introduce and extend their understanding of NATO decision making and staffing process applicable to Crisis Management (CM). This course is designed to develop mutual understanding amongst representatives from different countries, open possible courses of action of CM, as well as generate interaction between personnel with very different backgrounds, experience and culture.
- **NATO Action Authority:** NATO School.
- **Location:** Oberammergau (GE).
- **Dates and Duration:** 29 Jan-2 Feb 2007 (M3-52-A), 7-11 May 2007 (M3-52-B), 26-30 Nov 2007 (M3-52-C), 5 days.
- **Language Requirements:** participants should have a working knowledge in English
- **Number of Participants:** one participant from each ICI Country per each course. Military officers or civilian equivalents that hold the rank of OF-5 (Colonel), and of OF-4 (Lieutenant Colonel) to OF-2 (Captain), and exceptionally those who hold the rank of General/Flag Officer from non-NATO countries.
- **NATO School POC:**
NS Student Allocations (STAR)

-Commercial Tel: ++49-(0)8822-9481-1304

-Commercial Fax: ++49-(0)8822-9481-1396.

E-mail: star@natoschool.nato.int

NS Student Administration

-Commercial Tel: ++49/(0)8822-9481-4477

-Commercial Fax: ++49/(0)8822-9481-1394 or ++49/(0)8822-9171-1399

Multinational Crisis Management Course

- **Identification Code:** M3-52
- **Type and Aims:** To introduce and describe NATO Crisis Management concept, organization, systems and procedures including Cooperation and Partnership initiatives in Crisis Management to NATO, PfP, MD and ICI officers and their civilian equivalents.
- **NATO Action Authority:** NATO School.
- **Location:** Oberammergau (GE).
- **Number of Events:** 3
- **Dates and Duration:** 29 Jan-2 Feb, 2007 (M3-52-A), 7-12 May 2007 (M3-52-B), 26-30 November 2007 (M3-52-C), 5 days.
- **Language Requirements:** There is no translation available for this activity. Participants should have a working knowledge in the English language.
- **Number of Participants:** One participant from each ICI Country.
- **Target audience:** Military officers (Captain to Colonel) or civilian equivalents, exceptionally those who hold the rank of General/Flag Officer from non-NATO countries.
- **NATO POC:** Student Admin, NATO School, Am Rainenbichl 54, D-82487 Oberammergau; tel.: 0049 8822 9481 1304; e-mail: star@natoschool.nato.int
- **Remarks:** Attendance must be notified directly to NATO School Student Admin no later than six weeks before the course starts.

CIVIL-MILITARY COOPERATION CONFERENCE

- **Identification Code:** ACO-ICI-07-042
- **Type and Aims:** Shared NATO/PfP/MD/ICI conference for discussion of CIMIC matters of common concern including the exchange of views, for enhancement of deployed (NATO-led) operations.
- **NATO Action Authority:** JFC HQ Brunssum.
- **Location:** PfP country.
- **Dates and Duration:** Oct 2007, 3 days
- **Language Requirements:** Good working knowledge of English.
- **Participants:** Staff officers up to the rank of OF-5.
- **NATO POC:** LTC Adriano Ruspolini, JFC HQ Brunssum, J9 Exercise and Liaison, Postbus 270, 6440 AG Brunssum, Netherlands; tel.: 0031 45 526 2810; fax: 0031 45 526 3880; e-mail ruspolinia@jfcbs.nato.int

CIMIC TRAINING

- **Identification Code:** ACO-ICI-07-043
- **Type and Aims:** This seminar will consist of briefings and information on civil military cooperation operations oriented on the tactical and operational level. Briefers are required to have actual experience in combat, peacekeeping or humanitarian operations. All presentations dealing with past operations will discuss lessons learned and how we can either do better or reinforce successful experiences
- **NATO Action Authority:** JFC HQ Naples
- **Location:** JFC HQ Naples
- **Dates and Duration:** 19-21 Mar 2007, 3 days
- **Participants:** Staff officers OF-2 to OF-5 or civilian equivalent
- **Language Requirements:** Good working knowledge of English
- **NATO POC:** Maj Tunc GUNAL JFCN J9, Viale della Liberazione s.n. 80124 Naples, Italy; tel.: 0039 0817215846; fax: 0039 0817215202.

CIMIC SEMINAR

- **Identification Code:** ACO-ICI-07-044
- **Type and Aims:** The seminar will consist of briefings on CIMIC activities oriented on the operational level and international, governmental and non-governmental organisation activities around the World
- **NATO Action Authority:** JC Lisbon
- **Location:** Portugal.
- **Dates and Duration:** Sep 2007, 2 days
- **Participants:** CIMIC Staff Officers (OF3 to OF5)
- **Language Requirements:** Good working knowledge of English
- **NATO POC:** LTC Joao Silveira, J9 CIMIC, JC Lisbon, Portugal; tel.: 00351 21 440 4382 ; fax: 00351 21 440 4123; e-mail: jsilveira@jhlb.nato.int

9. MILITARY-TO-MILITARY (MMC)

High-level Visits

- **Identification Code:** NC3B.1.2
- **Type and Aims:** NATO HQ C3 Staff participation in NATO team visits, when and where appropriate, to inform about the role and responsibilities of the NATO C3 Organisation and possibilities for information exchange.
- **NATO Action Authority:** Defence Investment Division, NATO HQ C3 Staff
- **Location:** ICI countries
- **Number of events per year:** TBD
- **Dates and Duration:** as coordinated with ICI country
- **Language Requirements:** Briefings will be conducted in English.
- **Participation/Addressees:** Senior C3 Officers within Ministries of Defence
- **NATO POC:** Col. Phillip Tissue, USMC, Executive Officer, NATO HQ C3 Staff; tel.: 0032 2 707 54 03; fax: 0032 2 707 58 34; e-mail: xo.c3s@hq.nato.int

Visit of Industrial Exhibitions of the NATO C3 Board

- **Identification Code:** NC3B.3.2
- **Type and Aims:** Industrial exhibition organised by the NATO HQ C3 Staff which displays vendor technology related to C3. Approximately 20 worldwide communications businesses and corporations provide displays of equipment and concepts relevant to NATO C3 missions.
- **NATO Action Authority:** Defence Investment Division, NATO HQ C3 Staff
- **Location:** NATO HQ, Brussels, Belgium
- **Number of events per year:** 2
- **Dates and Duration:** May and November, 2 days
- **Language Requirements:** English
- **Participation:** Political and C3 representatives from ICI nations
- **NATO POC:** Lt.Col Ivan Ilavsky, SKAF, Planning & Resources Office, NATO HQ C3 Staff; tel.: 0032 2 707 98 37; fax: 0032 2 707 58 34; e-mail: i.ilavsky@hq.nato.int
- **Remarks:** ICI nations can be advised as and when required by NATO POC.

High Level Visits to ICI countries

- **Identification Code:** IMS-ICI-07-001
- **Type and Aims:** subject to ICI Country invitation to receive a high level visit from NATO Military Authorities, the Chairman of the Military Committee (CMC) or the Deputy Chairman of the Military Committee (DCMC) could visit ICI countries in order to exchange views on the current and future military aspects of the ICI
- **NATO Action Authority:** International Military Staff
- **Location:** ICI countries
- **Dates and Duration:** dates to be co-ordinated with relevant ICI country. Each visit will last a maximum of 3 days
- **Language Requirements:** the NATO delegation will conduct the visit in English
- **Number of Participants:** CMC or DCMC plus 2-3 Staff Officers including the ICI Action Officer
- **NATO POC:** Col. Giuseppe Clemente, ITAR, IMS/C&RS Division, NATO HQ, 1110 Brussels; tel.: 0032 2 707 5384; fax: 0032 2 707 5708; e-mail: crs.coopac@hq.nato.int
- **Remarks:** the intention of receiving such a visit should be communicated to the NATO POC at least three months in advance.

High Level Visits from ICI countries

- **Identification Code:** IMS-ICI-07-002
- **Type and Aims:** on ICI country request ICI High Level Military Authorities may visit the NATO HQ and call on the Chairman of the Military Committee (CMC), the Deputy Chairman of the Military Committee (DCMC) and/or the Director of the International Military Staff (DIMS) in order to discuss and exchange views on current and future perspectives of the military co-operation programme. Briefings may be organised on the NATO military organisation, the military decision making process and on other military issues of common interest as appropriate.
- **NATO Action Authority:** International Military Staff
- **Location:** NATO HQ in Brussels and SHAPE
- **Dates and Duration:** dates to be co-ordinated with relevant ICI country. Each visit will last a maximum of 3 days
- **Language Requirements:** the visit will be conducted in English with French translation available on request
- **Number of Participants:** ICI High Level Military Official plus 2-3 Staff Officers
- **NATO POC:** Col. Giuseppe Clemente, ITAR, IMS/C&RS Division, NATO HQ, 1110 Brussels; tel.: 0032 2 707 5384; fax: 0032 2 707 5708; e-mail: crs.coopac@hq.nato.int
- **Remarks:** the intention to pay such a visit to NATO HQ should be communicated to the NATO POC at least three months in advance.

Staff Level Visits/Meetings to and from ICI countries

- **Identification Code:** IMS-ICI-07-003
- **Type and Aims:** on ICI country request NATO Military Authorities could conduct/receive visits to/from ICI Country Military Authorities at working level. The aim of such visits would be to brief ICI Military Authorities on the military aspects of NATO, discuss ways to further improve the ICI Military Co-operation Programme and other military issues of common interest.
- **NATO Action Authority:** International Military Staff
- **Location:** NATO HQ in Brussels and SHAPE/ICI countries
- **Dates and Duration:** dates to be co-ordinated with relevant ICI country. Each visit will last a maximum of 4 days of which 2 working days
- **Language Requirements:** the visit will be conducted in English
- **Number of Participants:** a maximum of six participants will compose the NATO or the ICI Country delegation
- **NATO POC:** Col. Giuseppe Clemente, ITAR, IMS/C&RS Division, NATO HQ, 1110 Brussels; tel.: 0032 2 707 5384; fax: 0032 2 707 5708; e-mail: crs.coopac@hq.nato.int
- **Remarks:** such visits can be organised at short notice and should be communicated to the NATO POC at least one month in advance.

High Level Visits to ICI countries

- **Identification Code:** ACO-ICI-07-001

- **Type and Aims:** Subject to ICI country invitation to receive a high level visit from ACO Military Authorities in order to exchange views on the current and future military aspects of the ICI.
- **NATO Action Authority:** SHAPE
- **Location:** ICI nation on request
- **Dates and Duration:** TBD, 3 days
- **Participants:** ACO military authority plus several staff officers
- **Language Requirements:** The ACO delegation would prefer to conduct the visit in English
- **NATO POC:** Lt Col Elchin Ilyasov; SHAPE, B-7010 Shape, Belgium; tel.: 0032 65 44 2810; fax: 0032 65 44 4505; e-mail: elchin.ilyasov@shape.nato.int
- **Remarks:** Upon request of ICI countries. In order to achieve maximum effect from proposed visits, precursor visits by specialist staff officers may be necessary.

High Level Visits to ICI Countries

- **Identification Code:** ACO-ICI-07-002
- **Type and Aims:** High-level visit to exchange views about the current and future military aspects of the ICI countries and ICI activities.
- **NATO Action Authority:** JFC HQ Naples
- **Location:** ICI nation on request
- **Dates and Duration:** April or TBD by host nation, 2 days
- **Participants:** ACO military authority plus several staff officers senior officers from the MoD or national component Commands.
- **Language Requirements:** The ACO delegation would prefer to conduct the visit in English
- **NATO POC:** Cdr Jose Ochoa, JFC HQ NAPLES J5 MIL COOP, Viale della Liberazione 80124 Naples, Italy; tel.: 0039 081 721 5204; fax: 0039 081 721 5202; e-mail: jochoa1@afsouth.nato.int
- **Remarks:** Upon request of ICI countries. Precursor visit from Staff Offices may be necessary.

Staff Talks to and from ICI Countries

- **Identification Code:** ACO-ICI-07-003
- **Type and Aims:** For ICI participants and ACO officers to pay a visit to HQ SHAPE, JFC HQ Naples, JFC HQ Brunssum, JC HQ Lisbon and ICI nations for staff talks on identified topics
- **NATO Action Authority:** SHAPE
- **Location:** TBD
- **Dates and Duration:** TBD, 4 days.
- **Participants:** ACO military authority plus several staff officers.
- **Language Requirements:** The ACO delegation would prefer to conduct the talks in English.
- **NATO POC:** Lt Col Elchin Ilyasov; SHAPE, B-7010 Shape, Belgium; tel.: 0032 65 44 2810; fax: 0032 65 44 4505; e-mail: elchin.ilyasov@shape.nato.int
- **Remarks:** ICI nations are invited and encouraged to identify and suggest opportunities for staff talks and propose visits for ACO and ICI officers to observe

progress in ICI, discuss activities to be included in future military co-operation Programmes or discuss any partner proposed subject.

Maritime Expert Team Visit (ETV)

- **Identification Code:** ACO-ICI-07-004
- **Type and Aims:** ICI nations can request a team of maritime experts to come to their country and brief on a maritime topic of their choosing
- **NATO Action Authority:** CC-MAR HQ Northwood
- **Location:** ICI nation on request.
- **Dates and Duration:** TBD, 3 days
- **Participants:** Maximum 20; minimum 10. Numbers to be negotiated with the POC.
- **Language Requirements:** No language requirements if host nation can provide translation facilities, but sufficient level of English is desirable. Audience should be selected to ensure that the selected maritime subject is relevant to them. Preferably, audience should comprise trainers who can pass on their new knowledge to others.
- **NATO POC:** Cdr Olav Joli; CC-MAR HQ Northwood; Northwood, Middlesex, HA6 3HP, UK; tel.: 0044 1923843698; fax: 0044 1923843523; e-mail: o.joli@manw.nato.int
- **Remarks:** ICI nations can identify any maritime subject that they would like CC-Mar Northwood to brief them on. Given NATO's new policy, expert team visits by ACO HQs (including CC-Mar Northwood) should ideally be linked to ICI nation's future involvement in a NATO exercise or operation. Most maritime issues/topics can be accommodated, personnel permitting. Six months' notice is normally required to ensure a satisfactory standard of product will be provided. Less notice might be accommodated subject to negotiation.

Staff and SNMG2 Co-ordination Visits (Multiple)

- **Identification Code:** ACO-ICI-07-005
- **Type and Aims:** Staff and Co-ordination Visits, (Multiple)
- **NATO Action Authority:** CC-MAR HQ Naples
- **Location:** ICI nation on request
- **Dates and Duration:** As agreed with the Host Nation, NATO CPE and IRF's commander embassy
- **Participants:** Minimum two/three staff officers. Numbers to be negotiated with the POC.
- **Language Requirements:** No language requirements if host nation can provide translation facilities, but sufficient level of English is desirable. Audience should be selected to ensure the maritime subject matter selected by the host nation is relevant to them. Preferably, audience should comprise trainers who can pass on their new knowledge to others.
- **NATO POC:** Cdr Giuseppe Bassetta; N5/9 MILCOOP CC MAR Naples, Via Nuova Nisida, 1 80124 Napoli, Italy; tel.: 0039 08107216800; fax: 0039 08107216233; e-mail: gbassetta@jfcnaples.nato.int
- **Remarks:** Short duration staff officer visits for discussions on items of mutual interest as well as co-ordinating possible SNMG2 port visits in the future. Visits will be co-ordinated via the designated and respective NATO CPEs and are designed to

familiarise each other's organisations with processes, procedures, and planned ICI activities. Visits to discuss the possibility of an SNMG2 port visit will be conducted in each ICI country, generally one to two months before a port visit would be conducted. If an ICI nation requests to host a port visit based on these discussions and upon a decision by ACO that the benefit of such visit is commensurate with the SNMG2 mission and the resources required, ACO will propose the event via an Out-of-Cycle request to include details of any impact visit may have on other SNMG2 activities.

ACO Military Cooperation Coordination Conference

- **Identification Code:** ACO-ICI-07-008
- **Type and Aims:** Conference. Review of current ACO Menu of Practical Activities for the ICI nation. Military cooperation lessons learned. Policy guidelines for development of next Menu of Practical Activities. Establishment of a coordinated approach to the development of a meaningful and operationally focused Menu of Practical Activities that will meet ICI nations' priority needs and requirements.
- **NATO Action Authority:** SHAPE
- **Location:** TBD
- **Dates and Duration:** TBD
- **Participants:** Two/three participants per nation.
- **Language Requirements:** Conference will be conducted in English. No interpretation services will be provided.
- **NATO POC:** Lt Col Elchin Ilyasov; SHAPE, B-7010 Shape, Belgium; tel.: 0032 65 44 2810; fax: 0032 65 44 4505; e-mail: elchin.ilyasov@shape.nato.int

ACO - Land Commander's Conference

- **Identification Code:** ACO-ICI-07-009
- **Type and Aims:** Conference. The land commander's conference is an annual high-level meeting for chief of army staff of NATO, partner nations and NATO commands. The conference aims are to address current issues on policy, security matters, current operations, information exchange, exercises and partner land cooperation initiatives.
- **Action Authority:** CC-Land HQ Madrid.
- **Location:** NATO country
- **Dates and Duration:** TBD, one day
- **Participants:** Partner chiefs of army staffs. Two slots per nation.
- **Language Requirements:** Conference will be conducted in English. No interpretation services will be provided.
- **NATO POC:** Major/OF-3 Carlos Prada; Carretera De Boadilla, Km 3,4. 28223 Pozuelo De Alarcon Madrid, Spain; tel.: 0034 915126333; fax: +34 915126453; e-mail: milcoop@jcswnato.int
- **Remarks:** The land commander's conference will be chaired by Land COM Madrid and is attended by NATO nations, NATO commands and agencies. This is the dedicated partner day of the NATO chiefs of army staff conference. Partner nations'

chiefs of army staffs or their representatives will be invited to give a short presentation on their own national perspectives and future plans

Maritime Commander's Conference

- **Identification Code:** ACO-ICI-07-010
- **Action Authority:** CC-Mar HQ Naples.
- **Type and Aims:** The maritime commander's conference is an annual high-level meeting for CNOs or CINCFLEET's of NATO, PfP, MD and ICI nations and NATO commands. The conference aims are to address current issues on policy, security matters, current operations (Operation Active Endeavour), information exchange, exercises and PfP/MD/ICI access, integration and cooperation Initiatives.
- **Location:** NATO country
- **Dates and Duration:** TBD, one day
- **Participants:** Partner chiefs of navy staffs. Two slots per nation
- **Requirements:** The conference will be conducted in English language. Interpreters are available (usually only Russian) and assistance may be provided by host nation on request
- **NATO POC:** LTC, NLN Wilems Bergsma; N5/9 PCI CC MAR Naples, Via Nuova Nisida,1 80124 Napoli, Italy; tel.: 0039 08107216242; fax: 0039 08107216233
- **Remarks:** The maritime commander's conference will be chaired by COM CC Mar Naples and is attended by NATO nations, NATO commands and agencies. The conference will be split into a two-day unclassified session with Partners, MD and ICI delegates, followed by one working day for NATO representatives.

Air Commander's Conference

- **Identification Code:** ACO-ICI-07-047
- **Action Authority:** CC-Air HQ Ramstein
- **Type and Aims:** The air commander's conference is an annual high-level meeting for Air Chiefs of Staff or their representatives of NATO, PfP, MD and ICI nations and NATO commands. The conference aims are to address current issues on policy, security matters, current operations, information exchange, exercises and PfP/MD/ICI access, integration and cooperation initiatives.
- **Location:** Ramstein, Germany
- **Dates and Duration:** NOV 2007, 3 days.
- **Participants:** Chiefs of Air Staffs or their representatives. Two slots per nation
- **Language Requirements:** The conference will be conducted in English
- **NATO POC:** Maj Bjorn Kristiansen, A5/9 PAX, CC-AIR HQ Ramstein, CC-AIR HQ RAMSTEIN PAX D-66877 Ramstein-Miesenbach, Germany; tel.: 0049 6371 40 2580; fax: 0049 6371 40 1590
- **Remarks:** Participating Nations' Air Commanders or their representatives will be invited to give a short presentation on their own National perspectives of future plans.

Staff Talks

- **Identification Code:** ACT.126
- **Type and Aims:** This activity is provided as an opportunity for PFP, MD, and ICI nations to discuss defence related topics of interest with ACT officers either at HQ SACT or in the requesting nation at the working level (Captain to Colonel). This activity can be tailored to meet the needs of the requesting nation. Requesting nations should identify the specific topic to be discussed.
- **NATO Action Authority:** SACT
- **Location:** Q SACT or in requesting ICI country
- **Number of Events:** 1-2
- **Dates and Duration:** TBD, 2 days.
- **Language requirements:** There is no translation available for this activity. Participants should have a working knowledge in the English language
- **Number of Participants:** The number of participants is adjusted according to the requested topics
- **NATO POC:** Ltcol Pedro Munoz-Fernandez, Cooperation, Dialogue and Partner Training; Allied Command Transformation (ACT), NATO; tel.: 001 757 747 3181; fax: 001 757 747 3873; e-mail: munoz-fernandez@act.nato.int
- **Remarks:** ICI Countries are invited and encouraged to identify and suggest opportunities and topics for staff talks. Number and level of participants is dependant on ICI nation requirements.

PfP/MD/ICI Transformation Conference

- **Identification Code:** ACT.131
- **Type and Aims:** A venue for PfP/MD/ICI nations to discuss pol-mil transformational issues at the strategic level.
- **NATO Action Authority:** SACT
- **Location:** TBD
- **Number of Events:** 1
- **Dates and Duration:** TBD. Usually held third quarter of the calendar year, 2 days
- **Language requirements:** There is no translation available for this activity. Participants should have a working knowledge in the English language
- **Number of Participants:** The number of participants is adjusted according to the requested topics.
- **NATO POC:** Ms. Kathleen Kelly, HQ SACT, Tel: 001 757 747 3741; e-mail: Kelly@act.nato.int
- **Remarks:** Will be found on www.act.nato.int once details are determined

Nato Training Group / Joint Services Sub-Group / Nuclear Biological Chemical Defence Working Group Meeting

- **Identification Code:** ACT.208
- **Type and Aims:** The NATO Training Group Joint Services Sub Group (NTG JSSG) acts as a multinational group of joint education and training experts with the aim of enhancing interoperability among Alliance forces, and additionally between the forces of Partner, MD and ICI countries, through improved co-ordination and

standardization of joint education and training. It recommends guidance to improve cost effectiveness and efficiency in the use of joint and combined training courses with the use of common training doctrines, procedures and tools, and to identify opportunities for rationalization of training arrangements/facilities/areas in order to achieve financial and manpower savings. The Nuclear Biological Chemical Defence Working Group (NBCDef WG) is concerned with Nuclear Biological Chemical hazards, contamination containment, and contamination control.

- **Location:** TBD
- **Number of Events:** 2
- **Dates and Duration:** TBD, 5 days
- **Language Requirements:** There is no translation available for this activity. Participants should have a working knowledge in the English language
- **Number of Participants:** One participant from each ICI Country
- **NATO POC** Col Nemecek, Design and Development, SACT, 7857 Blandy Road, Suite 100, Norfolk, VA, 23551-2490, USA; fax: 001 757 747 3863; e-mail: nemecek@act.nato.int
- **Remarks:** Semi-annual meetings in spring and autumn

10. CONCEPTUAL, PLANNING AND OPERATIONAL ASPECTS OF PEACE SUPPORT OPERATIONS (PSO)

NATO Peace Support Operations Course

- **Identification Code:** M3-50.
- **Type and Aims:** The aim of the course is to provide an orientation on the planning, preparation and conduct of Peace Support Operations (PSO) and related activities conducted by NATO at the operational level. The course provides an insight into how NATO conducts PSO with considerable emphasis on the multi-dimensionality of operations and the perspectives of the diverse actors involved. Current operations are reviewed. The course is principally aimed at the operational level, but draws on draws on both the strategic and tactical level experience where appropriate. Students are encouraged to broaden their cultural and professional understanding of working in a multinational environment through informal discussion and debate. Typically, the course will see representation from more than 30 nations.
- **NATO Action Authority:** NATO School
- **Location:** Oberammergau, Germany
- **Number of Events:** 3
- **Dates and Duration:** 5 February (M3-50-A), 2 July (M3-50-B) and 1 October 2007(M3-50-C), 5 days
- **Language Requirements:** There is no translation available for this activity. Participants should have a working knowledge in the English language
- **Number of Participants:** One participant from each ICI Country
- **Target audience:** The course is applicable to personnel from NATO, PfP, MD or ICI nations and Non-Governmental Organizations who are involved in planning or conducting NATO-led PSO. Personnel from MOD (officers or equivalent Civilian grade of Major through Colonel), Foreign Affairs Department, or subordinate military HQ or agency of any NATO, PfP, Mediterranean Dialogue or ICI Country.

- **NATO POC:** Student Admin, NATO School, Am Rainenbichl 54, D-82487 Oberammergau; tel.: 0049 8822 9481 1304; e-mail: star@natoschool.nato.int
- **Remarks:** Attendance must be notified directly to NATO School Student Admin no later than six weeks before the course starts.

JFC Naples Peace Support Operations In Balkans

- **Identification Code:** ACO-ICI-07-045
- **Type and Aims:** Seminar aimed at directly exposing military and civilian leaders with NATO's peace support operations in the Balkans
- **NATO Action Authority:** JFC HQ Naples
- **Location:** JFC HQ Naples & HQ KFOR
- **Dates and Duration:** Last week of October 2007, 4-6 days.
- **Participants:** Operational level military leadership and military and civilian advisors to head of state, in the rank of OF-4 and above
- **Language Requirements:** Good working knowledge of English
- **NATO POC:** Cdr Jose Ochoa, JFC HQ NAPLES J5 MIL COOP, Viale della Liberazione s.n. 80124 Naples, Italy; tel.: 0039 0817215204; fax: 0039 0817215202; e-mail: jochoa1@afsouth.nato.int
- **Remarks:** Seminar will include organisational and mission briefings and open discussions at JFC HQ Naples. This will be followed by two-three days of operations briefings, discussions and tours at HQ KFOR with representation from NATO HQ Sarajevo, to include meetings/discussions with representatives from the United Nations' Mission in Kosovo (UNMIK), the UN' s Office of the High Representative (OHR), OSCE, and the European Union Monitoring Mission (EUMM). Upon return from the Balkans a brief wrap-up session at JFC NAPLES HQ will be scheduled.

11. MILITARY EXERCISE AND RELATED TRAINING ACTIVITIES (TEX)

Exercise Cooperative Longbow 07

- **Identification Code:** ACO-ICI-07-011
- **Type and Aims:** CPX/CAX/LAND. To deliver MNB Land staff training with air integration training based on a crisis response operation (CRO) CPX.
- **NATO Action Authority:** ALCC HQ Heidelberg
- **Location:** ALCC HQ Heidelberg, Germany
- **Dates and Duration:** OCT/NOV 2007, 14 days.
COOPERATIVE LONGBOW 07 Pre-IPC
Location: TBD.
Number of events per year: 1.
Date and Duration: 24-26 Oct 06, 3 days.
COOPERATIVE LONGBOW 07 IPC
Location: TBD.
Number of events per year: 1.
Date and Duration: 05-07 Dec 06, 3 days.
COOPERATIVE LONGBOW 07 MPC

Location: TBD.

Number of events per year: 1.

Date and Duration: Mar 2007, 3 days.

COOPERATIVE LONGBOW 07 FINAL PLANNING CONFERENCE

Location: TBD.

Number of events per year: 1.

Date and Duration: July 2007, 3 days.

- **Participants:** 26 nations, open to participating PfP/MD nations and ICI as observers.
- **Language Requirements:** Detailed skill requirements will be specified in job description of positions allocated
- **NATO POC:** LTC Steve Schenk; ALCC HD G7 Exercise Branch, ALCC HQ Heidelberg PO Box 102620 Campbell Barracks 69016 Heidelberg, Germany; tel.: 0049 6221 398479; fax: 0049 6221 398458; e-mail: schenk@lahd.nato.int

Exercise Cooperative Lancer 07

- **Identification Code:** ACO-ICI-07-012
- **Type and Aims:** LIVEX/LAND. Cooperative exercise to train and exercise the interoperability of PfP nations and other partners.
- **NATO Action Authority:** ALCC HQ Heidelberg
- **Location:** ALCC HQ Heidelberg, Germany.
- **Dates and Duration:** OCT/NOV 2007, 14 days.
COOPERATIVE LANCER 07 Pre-IPC
Location: TBD.
Number of events per year: 1
Date and Duration: 24-26 Oct 06, 3 days.
COOPERATIVE LANCER 07 IPC
Location: TBD.
Number of events per year: 1.
Date and Duration: 05-07 Dec 06, 3 days.
COOPERATIVE LANCER 07 MPC
Location: TBD.
Number of events per year: 1.
Date and Duration: Mar 2007, 3 days.
COOPERATIVE LANCER 07 FINAL PLANNING CONFERENCE
Location: TBD.
Number of events per year: 1
Date and Duration: July 2007, 3 days.
- **Participants:** 26 nations, open to participating PfP/MD nations and ICI as observers.
- **Language Requirements:** Detailed skill requirements will be specified in job description of positions allocated.
- **NATO POC:** LTC Nicolae Stefan Ciocoiu; ALCC HD G7 Exercise Branch, ALCC HQ Heidelberg PO Box 102620 Campbell Barracks 69016 Heidelberg, Germany; tel.: 0049 6221 398656; fax: 0049 6221 398458.

Exercise Cooperative Archer

- **Identification Code:** ACO-ICI-07-013

- **Type and Aims:** The study period and LIVEX will provide basic familiarization with NATO's organization, command and control structure and provide a clear understanding of NATO's voice procedures and operational language and doctrine focusing specifically on airlift, including logistical support, medical evacuation and search and rescue operations.
- **NATO Action Authority:** CC-Air HQ Ramstein
- **Location:** PfP country
- **Dates and Duration:** Within the last 2 weeks of June 2007, 14 days
COOPERATIVE ARCHER 07 MPC
Location: TBD
Number of events per year: 1
Date and Duration: Jan 2007, 3 days
COOPERATIVE ARCHER 07 FINAL PLANNING CONFERENCE
Location: TBD
Number of events per year: 1
Date and Duration: May 2007, 3 days.
- **Participants:** 26 nations, open to participating PfP/MD nations and ICI as observers. Exercise planning staff officers with operational / planning background.
- **NATO POC:** MAJ. Michael Bohnstedt-Petersen, CC-Air HQ Ramstein, Flugplatz Ramstein Germany; tel.: 0049 6371 402556; fax: 0049 6371 401592; e-mail: Mike.rdaf@gmail.com

Exercise Cooperative Marlin 2007

- **Identification Code:** ACO-ICI-07-014
- **NATO Action Authority:** CC-MAR HQ Northwood
- **Type and Aims:** Computer assisted exercise (CAX)/Command post exercise (CPX). Aim of the exercise is to enhance mutual interoperability and adopt common procedures with regard to non-combatant operations (NEO), embargo operations, counter-terrorism, consequence management, anti-submarine warfare (ASW) safety, and mine warfare in a CPX. The CPX will provide familiarization with NATO's organization, command and control structure and a clear understanding of NATO's maritime doctrine. This exercise is complementary to the live exercise COOPERATIVE MAKO.
- **Location:** TBD
- **Dates and Duration:** Sep 2007, 14 days.
COOPERATIVE MARLIN 07 MPC
Location: Northwood, UK.
Number of events per year: 1.
Date and Duration: March 2007, 3 days.
COOPERATIVE MARLIN 07 FINAL PLANNING CONFERENCE
Location: Northwood, UK.
Number of events per year: 1.
Date and Duration: May 2007, 3 days.
- **Participants:** NATO and Partner participants appropriate to a CAX/CPX.
- **NATO POC:** Lt Cdr, Stefan Stefanov; CC-MAR HQ Northwood, Northwood, Middlesex, HA6 3HP, UK; tel.: 0044 1923843697; fax: +44 1923843586; e-mail: s.stefanov@manw.nato.int

- **Remarks:** This exercise would, preferably, be conducted in a Partner nation. Volunteer Partner nations will be sought to host the exercise. Partner feedback will assist CC-Mar HQ Northwood to identify the content for the exercise. The exercise admin internet e-mail address is: marlin@manw.nato.int. Open to MD. Open to ICI as observers.

Exercise Cooperative Marlin 2008: Initial Planning Conference

- **Identification Code:** ACO-ICI-07-015
- **Types and Aims:** Initial planning conference for exercise. Aim of the exercise is to enhance mutual interoperability and adopt common procedures with regard to non-combatant operations (NEO), embargo operations, counter-terrorism, consequence management, anti-submarine warfare (ASW) safety, and mine warfare in a command CPX. The CPX will provide familiarization with NATO's organization, command and control structure and a clear understanding of NATO's maritime doctrine. This exercise is complementary to the live exercise COOPERATIVE MAKO.
- **NATO Action Authority:** CC-MAR HQ Northwood
- **Location:** TBD.
- **Dates and Duration:** Oct 2007, 2 days.
- **Participants:** Partner Exercise planning officers OF-2 - OF-4 to represent the needs of their nations and their intended participation.
- **NATO POC:** Lt Cdr. Stefan Stefanov; CC-MAR HQ Northwood, Northwood, Middlesex, HA6 3HP, UK; tel.: 0044 1923843697; fax: 0044 1923843586; e-mail: s.stefanov@manw.nato.int
- **Remarks:** This exercise would, preferably, be conducted in a Partner nation. Volunteer Partner nations will be sought to host the exercise. Partner feedback will assist CC-Mar HQ Northwood to identify the content for the exercise. The exercise admin internet e-mail address is: marlin@manw.nato.int. Open to MD. Open to ICI as observers.

Exercise Cooperative Mako

- **Identification Code:** ACO-ICI-07-016
- **Type and Aims:** LIVEX/MAREX / To develop a new series of PfP exercises built on rapid reaction, strategic and operational deployment, re-stabilization, military action relevant to the entire spectrum of new NATO missions and tasks. The exercise will practice maritime skills related to crisis response operations and those tactical and interoperability tasks necessary for NATO/PfP forces to conduct NATO led combined maritime operations such as non-combatant evacuation operations (NEO), maritime interdiction operations (MIO), counter-terrorism (CT) to include weapons of mass destruction interdiction, humanitarian assistance (HA), disaster relief (DR), embargo enforcement and strategic site security.
- **NATO Action Authority:** CC-MAR HQ Naples
- **Location:** TBD
- **Dates and Duration:**
COOPERATIVE MAKO 07 MAIN PLANNING CONFERENCE
Location: TBD.
Number of events per year: 1.
Date and Duration: 1st Qtr 2007, 3 days.

COOPERATIVE MAKO 07 FINAL PLANNING CONFERENCE

Location: TBD.

Number of events per year: 1.

Date and Duration: 2nd Qtr 2007, 3 days.

COOPERATIVE MAKO 07 WORKSHOP

Location: TBD.

Number of events per year: 1.

Date and Duration: June 2007, 3 days.

COOPERATIVE MAKO 07

Location: TBD.

- **Participants:** 1 to 2 officers per country ranking from OF-1 to OF-4 as observers.
- **NATO POC:** CC-Mar HQ Naples N7 BR Head Exercises; tel: 00390817216260
- **Remarks:** It is highly recommended that the same selected officer(s) attend the whole sequence of the exercise planning process. Open to ICI as observers.

12. MILITARY EDUCATION, TRAINING AND DOCTRINE (TRD)

PfP Planning Symposium

- **Identification Code:** IS/PASP/EIPD.1
- **Type and Aims:** Annual high-level symposium on PfP development
- **NATO Action Authority:** PMSC/PASP
- **Location:** Oberammergau, Germany
- **Number of events per year:** 1
- **Dates and Duration:** 17-19 January 2007; 3 days
- **Language Requirements:** good understanding of English, French or Russian: interpretation provided in all 3 languages
- **Participation:** 1 participant per ICI country
- **NATO POC:** Mrs. Laurie Muir, EIPD, PASP Division, NATO HQ, 1110 Brussels, tel.: 0032 2 707 46 65
- **Remarks:** None

SACT Euro-Atlantic Partnership Action Plan (EAPWP) Workshop

- **Identification Code:** ACT.135
- **Type and Aims:** Workshop for Partner Nation military and civilian participants involved in the Euro Atlantic Partnership Work Plan (EAPWP) and Individual Partnership Programme (IPP) planning and development process. The Workshop is designed to review the internal planning guidance SACT will use to prepare the ACT portion of the next EAPWP. Partner nation participants' inputs (recommendations, suggestions, critiques, etc.) will be solicited and discussed. Briefings on current NATO/PfP issues will be given. The overall aim of the event is to produce a consolidated draft of the 2008 ACT EAPWP. Partners will have the opportunity to present principal views on the development of the EAPWP.
- **NATO Action Authority:** SACT
- **Location:** Partner Country to be determined.

- **Number of Events:** 1
- **Dates and Duration:** March 2007, 4 days.
- **Language requirements:** There is no translation available for this activity. Participants should have a working knowledge in the English language.
- **Number of Participants:** MD & ICI Countries are welcomed to send 1 observer per country.
- **Target audience:** Partner Nations are expected to send officers from Major to Colonel level authorised to contribute to the aim of the workshop. The representatives have to be able to present consolidate inputs from the respective nation
- **NATO POC:** Lt Col Anders Nikanorsson (SWE Army) Staff Officer PfP Staff Element (PSE), Cooperation, Dialogue and Partner Training; Allied Command Transformation (ACT), NATO; tel.: 001 757 747 3869; fax: 001 757 7473873
- **Remarks:** This activity will be run in parallel with activity ACT 234

NATO CIS Officers' Orientation Course For Partners

- **Identification Code:** ACT.150
- **Type and Aims:** To provide military and civilian personnel from Partner and ICI nations with an overview of organization and management of International Military Large Network and Long Haul Communications as exemplified by NATO CIS. On completion of the course, students have a basic knowledge of: Organization of NATO and NATO CIS; Control, management and procurement of CIS systems; Interoperability between NATO and standard systems
- **NATO Action Authority:** SACT
- **Location:** NCISS, Latina, Italy
- **Number of Events:** 1
- **Dates and Duration:** April 2007, 10 days.
- **Language requirements:** There is no translation available for this activity. Participants should have a working knowledge in the English language.
- **Number of Participants:** One participant per nation.
- **Target audience:** Computer literate Staff Officers
- **NATO POC:** Zdravko Dachev, HQ SACT; tel: 001 757 747 4086; e-mail: dachev@act.nato.int

NATO Training Group / Joint Services Sub-Group / Nuclear Biological Chemical Defence Working Group Toxic Trip Exercise

- **Identification Code** ACT.209
- **Type and Aims:** The NATO Training Group Joint Services Sub Group (NTG JSSG) acts as a multinational group of joint education and training experts with the aim of enhancing interoperability among Alliance forces, and additionally between the forces of Partner, MD and ICI countries, through improved co-ordination and standardization of joint education and training. It recommends guidance to improve cost effectiveness and efficiency in the use of joint and combined training courses with the use of common training doctrines, procedures and tools, and to identify opportunities for rationalization of training arrangements/facilities/areas in order to

achieve financial and manpower savings. The Nuclear Biological Chemical Defence Working Group Contamination Control Area (NBCDefWG CCA) is concerned with Nuclear Biological Chemical hazards, contamination containment, and contamination control exercises.

- **NATO Action Authority:** NTG/JSSG-NBCDef WG
- **Location:** TBD
- **Number of events per year:** max. 2 per year
- **Dates and Duration:** 5 days
- **Language Requirements:** There is no translation available for this activity. Participants should have a working knowledge in the English language
- **Number of Participants:** One delegate per nation.
- **NATO POC:** Col. Nemecek, Design and Development, SACT, 7857 Blandy Road, Suite 100, Norfolk, VA, 23551-2490, USA; fax: 001 757 747 3863; e-mail: nemecek@act.nato.int

NATO Training Group / Army Sub-Group / Fighting In Built Up Areas / Military Operations In Urban Terrain Working Group Meeting

- **Identification Code:** ACT.214
- **Type and Aims:** The NATO Training Group (NTG) Army Sub-Group (ASG) Fighting in Built Up Areas/Military Operations in Urban Terrain Working Group (FIBUA/MOUT WG) acts as the focus for FIBUA/MOUT training issues. It receives from nations represented at the WG offers of training assistance, papers and other items related to FIBUA/MOUT training. It reviews emerging training aids, equipment and techniques in order to provide a common and integrated approach to all aspects of FIBUA/MOUT training. It ensures that FIBUA/MOUT training remains current and relevant in line with current missions and developing threats and it organizes and conducts a FIBUA/MOUT training Symposium as required.
- **NATO Action Authority:** NTG ASG, Fighting in Built Up Areas/Military Operations in Urban Terrain Working Group (FIBUA/MOUT WG)
- **Location:** Norway, USA
- **Number of events per year:** 2
- **Dates and Duration:** Spring and Autumn, 5 days
- **Language Requirements:** There is no translation available for this activity. Participants should have a working knowledge in the English language
- **Number of Participants:** One delegate per nation
- **Target Audience:** Delegates should be Army experts for FIBUA/MOUT issues. Ranks from lieutenant and above
- **NATO POC:** LtCol Mark Shelford, HQ SACT, NTG SECTION HQ, SACT, 7857 Blandy Road, Suite 100, Norfolk, VA, 23551-2490, USA; tel.: 001 757 747 4251; fax: 001 757 747 3863; e-mail: shelford@act.nato.int
- **Remarks:** Semi-annual meetings in spring and autumn

Staff Officer Military Terminology Course

- **Identification Code:** ACT.223

- **Type and Aims:** The main purpose of the Staff Officer Military Terminology Course is to enhance military language skills of NATO, PfP, MD and ICI nations Staff Officers, and to build a common understanding. The course is the base for Service-related Military Terminology education and training inside NATO and starts after the national basic language training. The scope of the Course is NATO Military English Terminology focused on current NATO/PfP issues. It comprises daily briefings on various NATO areas, syndicate work related to briefings and linguistic sessions given by professional English teachers
- **NATO Action Authority:** SACT.
- **Location:** Budapest, Hungary
- **Number of Events:** 4
- **Dates and Duration:** February, May, September, November 2 weeks / 10 working days.
- **Language requirements:** There is no translation available for this activity. Participants should have a working knowledge in the English language.
- **Number of Participants:** One delegate per nation.
- **Target Audience:** The students should primarily be military officers from all services at the Lieutenant to Lieutenant Colonel level, secondarily NCOs and/or civilian equivalents to Lieutenant to Lieutenant Colonel. Officers above Lieutenant Colonel will only be accepted under exceptional circumstances.
- **NATO POC:** Mario Fell, CDR GE N Euro-Atlantic Partnership Work Plan, Planning and Programming, SACT, 7857 Blandy Road, Suite 100, Norfolk, VA, 23551-2490, USA; tel: 001 757 747 3798; e-mail: fell@act.nato.int
- **Remarks:** Tuition fee 360 Euros (including admin fees)

Air Operational Terminology Course

- **Identification Code:** ACT.224.3,4
- **Type and Aims:** The aim of this course is to instruct NATO, Partner and MD aircrew, controllers, and operators in standard NATO air terminology used in NATO led Peace Support Operations. Students will be instructed in air to air and air to ground communications and terminology, including instruction in aircraft and airfield terminology, meteorology, air navigation, air traffic control terminology, emergency procedures and mission briefings.
- **NATO Action Authority:** SACT
- **Location:** TU PTC, Izmir, Turkey
- **Number of Events:** 2
- **Dates and Duration:** January, June, 2 weeks / 10 working days.
- **Language requirements:** There is no translation available for this activity. Participants should have a working knowledge in the English language.
- **Number of Participants:** One delegate per nation.
- **Target Audience:** NATO, Partner and Mediterranean Dialogue Lieutenant to Lieutenant Colonel level aircrew, controllers, and operators who are participating in air operations as part of NATO led Peace Support Operations or personnel who are likely to be engaged in multinational air operations as aircrew, controllers or operators.

- **NATO POC:** Mario Fell, CDR GE N Euro-Atlantic Partnership Work Plan, Planning and Programming, SACT, 7857 Blandy Road, Suite 100, Norfolk, VA, 23551-2490, USA; tel: 001 757 747 3798; e-mail: fell@act.nato.int
- **Remarks:** Tuition fee 800 USD

Land Operational Terminology Course

- **Identification Code:** ACT.226
- **Type and Aims:** The aim of this course is to teach NATO standard land terminology used in NATO led Peace Support Operations and to familiarize students with basic military terminology, expressions and abbreviations used in Peace Support Operations. The course also instructs students in NATO standard correspondence and voice communications procedures. The course includes student preparation of briefings and Operational Order.
- **NATO Action Authority:** SACT
- **Location:** TU PTC, Ankara, Turkey
- **Number of Events:** 2
- **Dates and Duration:** February, June, 2 weeks / 10 working days.
- **Language requirements:** There is no translation available for this activity. Participants should have a working knowledge in the English language.
- **Number of Participants:** One delegate per nation.
- **Target Audience:** NATO, PfP, MD and ICI Lieutenant to Lieutenant Colonel level personnel who are participating in NATO led Peace Support Operations in the Land Component or who are likely to be engaged in multinational land operations.
- **NATO POC:** Mario Fell, CDR GE N Euro-Atlantic Partnership Work Plan, Planning and Programming, SACT, 7857 Blandy Road, Suite 100, Norfolk, VA, 23551-2490, USA; tel: 001 757 747 3798; e-mail: fell@act.nato.int
- **Remarks:** Tuition fee 800 USD

Military Terminology Teacher Training

- **Identification Code:** ACT.227
- **Type and Aims:** The aim of the Military Terminology Teacher Training is to instruct military English teachers from NATO, PfP, MD and ICI Nations in terminology, procedures and the use of operational expressions in order to reach a larger military English audience. It comprises briefings, syndicate work and discussions.
- **NATO Action Authority:** SACT
- **Location:** MLTC, Budapest, Hungary
- **Number of Events:** 2
- **Dates and Duration:** February, May, 2 weeks / 10 working days.
- **Language requirements:** There is no translation available for this activity. Participants should have a working knowledge in the English language.
- **Number of Participants:** One participant per nation.
- **Target Audience:** Military English teachers teaching in military language institutions.

- **NATO POC:** Mario Fell, CDR GE N Euro-Atlantic Partnership Work Plan, Planning and Programming, SACT, 7857 Blandy Road, Suite 100, Norfolk, VA, 23551-2490, USA; tel: 001 757 747 3798; e-mail: fell@act.nato.int
- **Remarks:** 360 Euros (including admin fees)

NATO European Security Cooperation Course

- **Identification Code:** M5-41
- **Type and Aims:** To increase understanding of the contemporary European security environment and build confidence and mutual trust among officers and defence civilians of NATO, PfP, Mediterranean Dialogue, ICI Countries and other OSCE nations. Lectures cover the role, policy and strategy agenda of the Alliance and the views of various nations and organizations on security aspects in Europe. Course members discuss problem areas and security issues.
- **NATO Action Authority:** NATO School
- **Location:** Oberammergau, Germany
- **Number of Events:** 2
- **Dates and Duration:** 19 February (M5-41-A) and 24 September 2007 (M5-41-B), 12 days
- **Language Requirements:** There is no translation available for this activity. Participants should have a working knowledge in the English language.
- **Number of Participants:** One participant from each ICI Country.
- **NATO POC:** Student Admin, NATO School, Am Rainenbichl 54, D-82487 Oberammergau; tel: 0049 8822 9481 1304; e-mail: star@natoschool.nato.int
- **Remarks:** Attendance must be notified directly to NATO School Student Admin no later than six weeks before the course starts.

Flight Safety Seminar

- **Identification Code:** ACO-ICI-07-017
- **Type and Aims:** Flight safety NATO/ICAO concept and policy. Flight safety structure. Flight safety reporting and exchange information system. Risk awareness and assessment. Flight safety study and analysis. Flight safety remedial actions. Flight safety education and publicity.
- **NATO Action Authority:** CC-Air HQ Ramstein
- **Location:** CC-Air HQ Ramstein
- **Dates and Duration:** Sep - Oct 2007
- **Participants:** Pilots and air traffic control personnel
- **Language Requirements:** Good working knowledge of English.
- **NATO POC:** Sqn Ldr, Brook Peter; A3 OUA CC-Air HQ Ramstein, Germany; tel: 0049 6371 401314; fax: 0049 6371 401592

Tactical Air Operations Seminar

- **Identification Code:** ACO-ICI-07-018

- **Type and Aims:** Briefings on NATO air operational concepts, capabilities, and procedures, with a primary focus on tactical air operations.
- **NATO Action Authority:** CC-Air HQ Ramstein.
- **Location:** Florennes, Belgium
- **Dates and Duration:** Nov-Dec 2007, 5 days
- **Participants:** Experienced aircrew members in the rank of OF-2 or OF-3, preferably flying unit instructors at wing-level or below. A “fast jet” background is preferable, though by no means essential
- **Requirements:** Good working knowledge of English.
- **NATO POC:** Captain Jakub Stefanek; Flugplatz Ramstein, D-66877 Ramstein-Miesenbach, Germany; tel.: 0049 637 140 2366; fax: 0049 637 140 1390; e-mail: stefanekj@airn.nato.int
- **Remarks:** Participating officers will have the opportunity to hear up-to-date briefings by CC-Air HQ Ramstein and Tactical Leadership Programme experts, converse with NATO and other Partner nation officers and brief NATO on their own air operations, capabilities and experience

Standing NRF Maritime Group 1 Sea Riders

- **Identification Code:** ACO-ICI-07-019
- **Type and Aims:** Embarkation of partner officers and SNCOs on NATO warships as they depart port for exercises in or near Northern European waters. Such embarkations provide an opportunity for underway orientation, training and operational demonstrations of the roles and duties of NCOs and junior officers in NATO maritime forces.
- **NATO Action Authority:** CC-Mar HQ Northwood.
- **Location:** Subject to schedule – At sea on board NATO warship
- **Dates and Duration:** TBD, 8 days
- **Participants:** SNCOs and naval officers up to OF-4
- **Language Requirements:** Good working knowledge of English
- **NATO POC:** Cdr. Kaspars Zelcs, CC-MAR HQ Northwood, Northwood, Middlesex, HA6 3HP, UK; tel.: 0044 1923843560; fax: 0044 1923843523; e-mail: k.zelcs@manw.nato.int
- **Remarks:** Embarkations are normally for the entire period between port visits. Therefore, embarkations can vary in length and departure during a period at sea is unlikely to be feasible. The normal working language is English. Use of the native language of the host nations' ship is sometimes acceptable. Translation cannot be expected. For safety reasons, candidates may be withdrawn if their language skills are considered inadequate. The number of places allocated to each nation is flexible dependant upon the number of berths available and the number of applications for those berths. Nations should bid for as many places as they wish, prioritising their personnel. Nominations will then be allocated by MCC Northwood.

Standing NRF Mine Counter-Measures Group 1 Sea Riders

- **Identification Code:** ACO-ICI-07-020

- **Type and Aims:** Embarkation of partner officers and senior non-commissioned officers (SNCO) on SNMCMG 1 vessels as they depart Port. Embarkation provides opportunities for underway orientation, training and operational demonstration of the roles and duties of SNCOs and naval officers in NATO MCM forces.
- **NATO Action Authority:** CC-Mar HQ Northwood
- **Location:** Subject to schedule – At sea on board NATO warship
- **Dates and Duration:** TBD, 8 days
- **Participants:** SNCOs and naval officers up to OF-4
- **Language Requirements:** Good working knowledge of English
- **NATO POC:** Cdr. Kaspars Zelcs, CC-MAR HQ Northwood, Northwood, Middlesex, HA6 3HP, UK; tel.: 0044 1923843560; fax: 0044 1923843523; e-mail: k.zelcs@manw.nato.int
- **Remarks:** Embarkation period is normally for the entire length of time between SNMCMG 1 Port Visits. Therefore, embarkation period will vary in length depending on the amount of time SNMCMG 1 spends at sea between port visits. No facilities exist for joining or departing vessels whilst they are underway. Partner countries are not limited in the number of places they can request, but there will be a limit on the total numbers that may embark due to the number of berths available. Number of berths available to each partner nation is subject to negotiation with the POC.

Staff Officer Competencies Workshop

- **Identification Code:** ACO-ICI-07-021
- **Type and Aims:** The objective of this workshop is to enhance the military staff skills of ICI staff officers, thereby enabling them to better understand present and future developments within JFC Naples and NATO, while familiarising themselves with NATO staff procedures and terminology. The didactic units are based on the texts of briefings and authentic material, with emphasis on the context (military/NATO). Attention will be given to each of the language skill areas: listening, speaking, reading and writing. At the conclusion of the workshop, participants will have constructed their own handbook for future reference and have acquired or polished the tools needed to do the following:
 - Listen to, analyse and build a briefing;
 - Extract significant data or concepts from written formats – such as directives, standard operating procedures (SOPs), and NATO correspondence – and spoken formats – such as briefings, presentations, speeches, and meetings;
 - Present significant data or concepts in written formats – such as a point paper or a command group summary sheet – and spoken formats – such as a briefing, presentation, speech or meeting.
- **NATO Action Authority:** JFC HQ Naples
- **Location:** JFC HQ Naples
- **Dates and Duration:** Nov 2007 if held at JFC HQ Naples – TBD if hosted by a MD Nation, 5 days
- **Participants:** OF-2 and above
- **Language Requirements:** Sufficient working knowledge of English

- **NATO POC:** Mrs. Maureen Berardeska, JFC HQ Naples – J1 Division, Box 131 - Viale della Liberazione 1 - 80124 Bagnoli, Italy; tel.: 0039 0817212930; Fax: 0039 0817212461; e-mail: mberardesca@jfcnaples.nato.int
- **Remarks:** Consultation and co-operation are key words operative at every level and in every NATO undertaking. Without effective communication, consultation and co-operation cannot reasonably take place. The Workshop objective is to provide participants with the tools to achieve more effective communication and make, consequently, a more effective contribution to the Alliance when participating in exercises and training, crisis management or peace support operations.

Public Information (PI) Mtt (Outbound) to ICI Country

- **Identification Code:** ACO-ICI-07-022
- **Type and Aims:** Workshop. NATO public Information, doctrine, concepts, policy and procedures.
- **NATO Action Authority:** JFC HQ Naples
- **Location:** TBD
- **Dates and Duration:** 19 Nov 2007 (notional date, actual date to be coordinated with hosting nation), 5 days
- **Participants:** Officers from ICI countries: OF2/3/4 (or civilian equivalent).
- **Language Requirements:** Sufficient working knowledge of English.
- **NATO POC:** Lt Eric Grey, JFC HQ Naples CG PIO Plans, Box 131 - Viale della Liberazione 1 - 80124 Bagnoli, Italy; tel.: 0039 0817215007; fax: 0039 0817212791; e-mail: egrey@jfcnaples.nato.int

Public Information (PI) Seminar

- **Identification Code:** ACO-ICI-07-023.
- **NATO Action Authority:** JFC HQ Naples
- **Type and Aims:** Seminar will cover current NATO Public Information, doctrine, concepts, policy and procedures.
- **Location:** TBD
- **Dates and Duration:** 23 July 2007, 5 days
- **Participants:** Officers from ICI countries: OF2/3/4 (or civilian equivalent).
- **Language Requirements:** Sufficient working knowledge of English
- **NATO POC:** Lt Eric Grey, JFC HQ Naples CG PIO Plans, Box 131 - Viale della Liberazione 1 - 80124 Bagnoli, Italy; tel.: 0039 0817215007; fax: 0039 0817212791; e-mail: egrey@jfcnaples.nato.int
- **Remarks:** Wide range of subjects covering military – media relations. Basic PI training, PI workshops, table-top exercises and practical vignettes will be included.

ACO – Land Staff Attachment

- **Identification Code:** ACO-ICI-07-024
- **Type and Aims:** The attendees will work in all Land functional areas (G1 to G9) performing daily routine tasks. The objectives are to achieve:

- **NATO Action Authority:** CC-Land HQ Madrid
 - Familiarization with a land component command,
 - Familiarization with NATO staff procedures,
 - Coordination of functional aspects of land forces integration into NATO
- **Location:** Madrid, Spain
- **Dates and Duration:** 10 Sep 2007, 4 days
- **Participants:** Officers from land forces staff / units.
- **Language Requirements:** Good working knowledge of English.
- **NATO POC:** Maj. Carlos Prada, CC-Land HQ Madrid Carretera De Boadilla, Km 3,4. 28223 Pozuelo De Alarcon Madrid, Spain; tel.: 0034 915126333; fax: 0034 915126453; e-mail: milcoop@jcswnato.int

ACO – Land Operational Planning Process (OPP) / Exercise Planning Process (EPP) Seminar

- **Identification Code:** ACO-ICI-07-025
- **Type and Aims:** Land operational planning process. Land exercise planning process.
- **NATO Action Authority:** CC-Land HQ Madrid
- **Location:** Madrid, Spain.
- **Dates and Duration:** 22 Oct 2007, 3 days
- **Participants:** Operational and Exercise planners at Defence Staff and Headquarters
- **Language Requirements:** Good working knowledge of English.
- **NATO POC:** Maj. Carlos Prada, CC-Land HQ Madrid Carretera De Boadilla, Km 3,4. 28223 Pozuelo De Alarcon Madrid, Spain; tel.: 0034 915126333; fax: 0034 915126453; e-mail: milcoop@jcswnato.int

Air Operation Seminar

- **Identification Code:** ACO-ICI-07-026
- **Type and Aims:** The seminar provides participants with a useful insight and introduction to NATO. A variety of topics on air-related issues will be presented such as: NATO Command structure, air campaign, close support operations, FAC procedures, RECCE operations, helicopter operations, combat SAR operations, air transport (medevac/para drop/cargo delivery), operate under NATO rules of engagements (ROEs), introduction to integrated command and control system, air surveillance and defence against air attacks.
- **NATO Action Authority:** CC-Air HQ Izmir
- **Location:** TBD
- **Dates and Duration:** March 2007, 3 days
- **Participants:** OR5 to OF5
- **Language Requirements:** Good working knowledge of English
- **NATO POC:** Wg Cdr Nick Tolman, CC-Air HQ Izmir, PK 527 PASAPORT 35220 ALSANCAK Izmir, Turkey; tel.: 0090 232 4111297; fax: 0090 232 4111297; e-mail: TOLMAN.Nicholas@aiiz.nato.int
- **Remarks:** Event open to PfP, MD and ICI

Maritime Workshop

- **Identification Code:** ACO-ICI-07-027
- **Type and Aim:** Workshop with the aim to train staff officers in the area of NATO maritime operational planning process and related issues.
- **NATO Action Authority:** CC-Mar HQ Naples
- **Location:** Naples, Italy
- **Dates and Duration:** Last week June or 1st week July, 3 days
- **Participants:** OF-1 to OF-4
- **Language Requirements:** Good working knowledge of English
- **NATO POC:** Cdr Giuseppe Basseta, Milcoop CC MAR Naples, Via Nuovo Nisida 1, 80124 Napoli, Italy; tel.: 0039 081 721 6008 / 6802; fax: 0039 081 721 6233; e-mail: gbassetta@jfcnaples.nato.int
- **Remarks:** In addition to discussions on items of mutual interest, the workshop will focus on a review of SNMG2/MCMG2 ICI port visits, plans for upcoming ICI port visits, and CC-Mar Naples's planned ICI activities for future years. Navy co-operation at sea as well as search and rescue, maritime counter terrorism (CT) and working alongside NATO units in support of maritime CT.

Maritime Workshop (Mobile Training Team)

- **Identification Code:** ACO-ICI-07-028
- **Type and Aims:** Workshop with the aim to train Staff Officers in the area of NATO maritime operational planning process and related issues.
- **NATO Action Authority:** CC-Mar HQ Naples.
- **Location:** At requested ICI partner country
- **Dates and Duration:** November/December, 3 days
- **Participants:** OF-1 to OF-4.
- **Language Requirements:** Good working knowledge of English.
- **NATO POC:** Cdr Giuseppe Basseta, Milcoop CC MAR Naples, Via Nuovo Nisida 1, 80124 Napoli, Italy; tel.: 0039 081 721 6008 / 6802; fax: 0039 081 721 6233; e-mail: gbassetta@jfcnaples.nato.int
- **Remarks:** A team of 3-4 NATO officers to travel to the host country to conduct briefings and discussions. A pre-event co-ordination visit will be held in the country requesting the training. Issues such as search and rescue, maritime counter terrorism (CT) and working alongside NATO units in support of maritime CT

PASSEX

- **Identification Code:** ACO-ICI-07-029
- **NATO Action Authority:** CC-Mar HQ Naples
- **Type and Aims:** PASSEX to exercise maritime cooperation, information exchange and Search and Rescue procedures.
- **Location:** TBC - but normally departing a port visit.
- **Dates and Duration:** Dates in accordance with standing NATO forces port visit programme. Opportunity based PASSEXs to be determined and agreed with the ICI country concerned, 1-2 days

- **Participants:** OF-1 to OF-4 and SNCO OR-5/OR-7 may be embarked for the duration of the PASSEX
- **Language Requirements:** Good working knowledge of English
- **NATO POC:** Cdr Giuseppe Basseta, Milcoop CC MAR Naples, Via Nuovo Nisida 1, 80124 Napoli, Italy; tel.: 0039 081 721 6008 / 6802; fax: 0039 081 721 6233; e-mail: gbassetta@jfcnaples.nato.int
- **Remarks:** Opportunity based PASSEXs may be conducted when SNMG2 ships are operating nearby the country concerned. Activities will be conducted in international waters. A planning conference may be required prior the execution of the event based on the complexity of the exercise. ICI countries are encouraged to nominate naval officers as POC for this activity.

Embarkation Of Junior Officers/ NCOS Standing Naval Maritime Group 2

- **Identification Code:** ACO-ICI-07-030
- **Type and Aims:** Embarkation of ICI Officers and NCOs on SNMG2 vessels as the vessels depart port. Such embarkations provide an opportunity for underway orientation, training and operational demonstration of the rules and duties of NCOs and junior officers in NATO maritime forces.
- **NATO Action Authority:** CC-Mar HQ Naples
- **Location:** TBC – but normally in Mediterranean waters. Embarkation and disembarkation harbour will be agreed with the ICI nation concerned.
- **Dates and Duration:** TBC when SNMG2 schedule is finalized. Duration of the embarkation can vary from a few days up to three weeks.
- **Participants:** Lt to Cdr and SNCO OR-5/OR-7 may be embarked for the duration of the PASSEX
- **Language Requirements:** Good working knowledge of English.
- **NATO POC:** Cdr Giuseppe Basseta, Milcoop CC MAR Naples, Via Nuovo Nisida 1, 80124 Napoli, Italy; tel.: 0039 081 721 6008 / 6802; fax: 0039 081 721 6233; e-mail: gbassetta@jfcnaples.nato.int
- **Remarks:** Embarkation period is normally for the entire length of time between SNMG2 port visits. Therefore, embarkation periods will vary in length depending on the amount of time SNMG2 spends at sea between port visits. Normal working language for embarkation period is English. In some cases, use of native language of the Embarkation vessel's national crew is also acceptable. Translation capabilities for languages other than English or the vessel's national crew native language cannot be expected. For safety reasons, unacceptable language capabilities could result in last-minute disqualification of an individual proposed for embarkation.

Mobile Training Team Visit

- **Identification Code:** ACO-ICI-07-031
- **Type and Aims:** To run training with following subjects: military geography, meteorological and oceanographic support for NATO/ Partner Forces.
- **NATO Action Authority:** JC Lisbon
- **Location:** TBD
- **Dates and Duration:** 2007, 3 days

- **Participants:** Partners' staff officers (OF 3 - 4), NCOs (OR 7 - 8) geographers and meteorologists
- **Language Requirements:** Good working knowledge of English
- **NATO POC:** Maj Jerzy Filipowski, J5 Joint Policy, JC Lisbon, Portugal; tel.: 00351 21 440 4397; fax: 00351 21 440 4123; email: jfilipowski@jhlb.nato.int

ACO Weather Exchange (ACOWEX)

- **Identification Code:** ACO-ICI-07-032
- **Type and Aim:** The ACOWEX is the primary strategic and operational level meeting with the nations to ensure METOC data is provided for NATO led operations. This group reports to the ACO METOC Committee.
- **NATO Action Authority:** SHAPE
- **Location:** TBD
- **Dates and Duration:** Sep 2006/Apr 2007, 2 days
- **Participants:** OF 3/4 level military or civilian staff responsible for provision of METOC support and communications for military operations
- **Language Requirements:** Good working knowledge of English
- **NATO POC:** Mr. Uwe Bieling, SHAPE J3, J3 JOS OOX Supreme Allied Commander, Europe B-7010 Shape, Belgium; tel.: 0032 65 44 4251; fax: 0032 65 44 5213; e-mail: Uwe.bieling@shape.nato.int
- **Remarks:** This group has taken on much of the communications work of the former MCMG operations, plans and communications (OPC) sub-committee (now discontinued).

ACO METOC Conference (AMC)

- **Identification Code:** ACO-ICI-07-033
- **Type and Aims:** The AMC is the primary operational level event responsible for developing METOC support for NATO operations. It is complementary to the Military Committee Meteorology Group (MCMG) and the NATO Military Oceanography (MILOC) Group.
- **NATO Action Authority:** SHAPE.
- **Location:** TBD.
- **Dates and Duration:** June 2007, 3 days
- **Participants:** OF 4/5 level military or civilian staff responsible for provision of METOC support for military operations
- **Language Requirements:** Good working knowledge of English.
- **NATO POC:** Mr. Uwe Bieling, SHAPE J3, J3 JOS OOX Supreme Allied Commander, Europe B-7010 Shape, Belgium; tel.: 0032 65 44 4251; fax: 0032 65 44 5213; e-mail: Uwe.bieling@shape.nato.int
- **Remarks:** This group has taken on much of the work of the former MCMG operations, plans and communications sub-committee (now discontinued).

AERO medical evacuation (AE) workshop

- **Identification Code:** ACO-ICI-07-034
- **Type and Aims:** NATO AE concepts, principles, standards, planning and management, operational lessons learned. Practical demonstrations of AE equipment. Operating in NATO Air HQ structure and understanding NATO Air C2 procedures/terminology. NATO Air Logistics procedures and reporting. NATO standards for medical support and treatment, capability standards and casualty evacuation systems.
- **NATO Action Authority:** CC-Air HQ Ramstein
- **Location:** PfP Host Nation or CC-Air HQ Ramstein
- **Dates and Duration:** August or September 2007, 4 days
- **Participants:** Medical staff officers, ranging from OF-3 to OF-5, who are assigned to hospitals, headquarters, ministries of defence, defence staffs, general staffs, medical planners and nurses appointed to the AE operations and planning
- **Language Requirements:** Good working knowledge of English
- **NATO POC:** Ltc Filiep Callewaert, Maj Frederic Bertolozzi, A4/LPM, Ramstein, Germany; tel.: 0049 637140 2441/ 2442; fax: 0049 6371401490; e-mail: filiep.callewaert@airnorth.nato.int or Frederic.bertolozzi@airnorth.nato.int

Air Movements Seminar

- **Identification Code:** ACO-ICI-07-035
- **Type and Aims:** NATO air transport and loading concepts, principles, standards, planning and management. Practical demonstration of air loading equipment. Operating in NATO air HQ structure (CJFACC) and understanding of NATO Air C2 and air Transport procedures and terminology. NATO air logistics procedures and reporting. NATO standards for air transport and air movements. Air transport aircraft characteristics and handling standards. Airlift, aircraft ground support and maintenance, operations.
- **NATO Action Authority:** CC-Air HQ Ramstein
- **Location:** PfP Host Nation or CC-Air HQ Ramstein
- **Dates and Duration:** TBD, 3 days
- **Participants:** The target audience for the AT seminar is partners and NATO army and air force staff officers, ranging in rank from OF2 to OF4, who are assigned to headquarters, ministries of defence, defence staffs, or general staffs
- **Language Requirements:** Good working knowledge of English
- **NATO POC:** Ltc Van Duyn Dick, A4 LOM, tel.: 0049 6371402481; fax: 0049 6371401592.

ACO Operational Commands Medical Conference

- **Identification Code:** ACO-ICI-07-036
- **Type and Aims:** To provide an update on NATO medical planning, doctrine and concepts, and on current operations with respect to the medical requirements. Current medical issues will be presented with open discussions. Syndicates may be formed to address specific issues. Attendees may be requested to brief on their

national medical capabilities and medical resources that may be available to NATO; this does not indicate a commitment but rather to identify a pool of medical assets.

- **NATO Action Authority:** JFC HQ Naples
- **Location:** TBD
- **Dates and Duration:** TBD, 4 days
- **Participants:** Senior officer (OF-3 to OF-5). Medical, medical planners and specialists
- **Language Requirements:** Good working knowledge of English
- **NATO POC:** Maj. Andrea Valentiner, JFC HQ Naples J-4 Medical, Viale della Liberazione s.n. 80124 Naples, Italy; tel.: 0039 0817215391; fax: 0039 0817215202.
- **Remarks:** Two participants per nation with case-by-case exceptions. Presentations given at this conference must be in English and MS PowerPoint/MS Word format, NATO/PfP unclassified. Target audience is a mixture of both NATO and PfP/MD/ICI medical staff representatives. Exposure to current Ops from a NATO HQ perspective, first-hand experience on expeditionary medicine and planning of mission/operations medical support. Platform to establish common ground/knowledge for medical capabilities inside national military system.

Movement And Transportation (M+T) Conference

- **Identification Code:** ACO-ICI-07-037
- **Type and Aims:** Current issues of interest to the M&T community. Update and discuss Movement & Transportation issues, doctrine and operations
- **NATO Action Authority:** JFC HQ Naples
- **Location:** TBD
- **Dates and Duration:** Sep 2007, 2 days
- **Participants:** Senior M&T Officer (OF-3 to OF-5)
- **Language Requirements:** Good working knowledge of English
- **NATO POC:** LTC Juan Martines-Ramos, JFCN J4 M&T PLANS SO1, Viale della Liberazione s.n. 80124 Naples, Italy; tel.: 0039 0817215257; fax: 0039 0817212195; e-mail: martinez@afsouth.nato.int

ACO – Logistics Conference

- **Identification Code:** ACO-ICI-07-038
- **Type and Aims:** Land expertise on sustainable logistics in a multinational environment.
- **NATO Action Authority:** CC-Land HQ Madrid
- **Location:** Madrid, SPAIN.
- **Dates and Duration:** 18 June 2007, 4 days
- **Participants:** Logistical, Operational and Exercise planners
- **Language Requirements:** Good working knowledge of English
- **NATO POC:** Maj Carlos Prada, CC-Land HQ Madrid Carretera De Boadilla, Km 3,4. 28223 Pozuelo De Alarcon Madrid, Spain; tel.: 0034 915126333; fax: 0034 915126453; e-mail: milcoop@jcswnato.int

Expeditionary Logistics Conference

- **Identification Code:** ACO-ICI-07-039
- **Type and Aims:** Review of the NATO doctrine and procedures
- **NATO Action Authority:** JC Lisbon
- **Location:** Portugal
- **Dates and Duration:** 4th Quarter 2007, 5 days
- **Participants:** Staff Officers (OF3 to OF5)
- **Language Requirements:** Good working knowledge of English
- **NATO POC:** Maj Javier Alfaro, J5 Joint Policy, JC Lisbon, Portugal; tel.: 00351 21 440 5628; fax: 00351 21 440 4955; email: falfaro@jhlb.nato.int

Ground Based Air Defence (GBAD) Seminar

- **Identification Code:** ACO-ICI-07-040
- **Type and Aims:** GBAD mission planning to include employment principles, joint doctrine, C2 interoperability, point defence, area defence, and the cluster concept. The commander's air defence priorities. Terrain analysis and identification of air avenues of approach. Seminar provides the opportunity to hear briefings on current NATO topics and actively participate in syndicate discussions and small group exercises.
- **NATO Action Authority:** CC-Air HQ Ramstein
- **Location:** PfP Host Nation or CC-Air HQ Ramstein
- **Dates and Duration:** Oct-Nov 2007, 2 weeks
- **Participants:** Air force, army and naval staff officers up to the rank of OF-5
- **Language Requirements:** Good working knowledge of English
- **NATO POC:** Ltc Ralf Zwingmann, CC-Air HQ Ramstein A3/OAD, Germany; tel.: 0049 6371401320; fax: 0049 6371401390; e-mail: zwingmannr@airn.nato.int
- **Remarks:** The seminar will be a useful tool for a mixed audience of GBAD experts and fighter pilots.

NATO/PFP/MD/ICI Mapping, Charting And Geodesy (MC&G) Workshop

- **Identification Code:** ACO-ICI-07-041
- **Type and Aims:** MC&G workshop and information exchange.
- **Action Authority:** SHAPE
- **Location:** TBD
- **Dates and Duration:** Sep 2007, 5 days.
- **Participants:** Military and civilian staff responsible for the provision of geospatial support for military operations.
- **Language Requirements:** Experience in the area of geospatial information. Good working knowledge of English.
- **NATO POC:** WO1 John Rigby, Geospatial Branch, B-7010 Shape, Belgium; tel.: 0032 65 44 3205; fax: 0032 65 44 2012; e-mail: geo@shape.nato.int
- **Remarks:** The MC&G workshop is convened to allow national representatives to liaise together and discuss new geospatial initiatives to the benefit of all participants.

Submarine Escape And Rescue Working Group

- **Identification Code:** NSA.85
- **Type and Aims:** The Submarine Escape and Rescue Working Group develops and staffs proposals for military standardization in all aspects of Submarine Escape and Rescue. It also promotes active participation in the SORBET ROYAL/PHOENIX exercises. A large number of SMER delegates also participate in PG/38 (A NATO Submarine Rescue System). The SMERWG has a number of subgroups (panels), including the Medical Panel consisting of Doctors specialising in the submarine and diving related medicine, which is unique to a SMER operation. Open to PfP and other non-NATO submarine operating nations who wish to develop a SMER capability.
- **NATO Action Authority:** NATO Standardization Agency
- **Location:** TBD
- **Number of events per year:** 1
- **Dates and Duration:** TBD
- **Language Requirements:** English SLP 3332 TBD
- **Number of Participants:** Most (smaller) nations tend to send a delegation consisting of 1 operator and 1 surgeon/doctor at Lt Cdr/Cdr level, although representation from some nations is at Capt level – especially if they intend to send just one delegate.
- **NATO POC:** Lt Ruta Ceple, tel.: 0032 2 707 5987; fax: 0032 2 707 5718; e-mail: nsa.naval@hq.nato.int
- **Remarks:** Civilian clothing will be worn throughout the meeting

Environmental Protection Working Group

- **Identification Code:** NSA.2730.9
- **Type and Aims:** The Environmental Protection Working Group convened in 1998 to address Alliance Standardization Requirement SR 11 JO1 dealing with Environmental Protection.
- **NATO Action Authority:** NATO Standardization Agency
- **Location:** NATO HQ Brussels
- **Number of events per year:** 1
- **Dates and Duration:** 5 Dec 2007, 3 days
- **Language Requirements:** English SLP 2222, simultaneous translation TBD
- **Number of Participants:** Max. 1 the participant should be an expert on Environmental Protection issues at the level of Maj to Col.
- **NATO POC:** LtCol Rudolf Trusa, tel.: 0032 2 707 5562; fax: 0032 2 707 5718; e-mail: nsa.joint@hq.nato.int
- **Remarks:** none

Air Operations Working Group

- **Identification Code:** NSA.864

- **Type and Aims:** The Air Operations Working Group develops standards to improve interoperability to engage in tactical air operations and thereby achieve total force capability using common doctrine and procedures. The WG includes command and control, counter air operations, air interdiction, reconnaissance and surveillance, tactical air transport, air maritime operations and airspace control.
- **NATO Action Authority:** NATO Standardization Agency
- **Location:** TBD
- **Number of events per year:** 1
- **Dates and Duration:** TBD
- **Language Requirements:** English/French SLP 3232, simultaneous translation TBD
- **Number of Participants:** Max. 1, the participant should be an expert in Air Operations at the level Maj to Col.
- **NATO POC:** LtCol Kerry Evans, tel.: 0032 2 707 5591; fax: 0032 2 707 5718, Email: nsa.air@hq.nato.int
- **Remarks:** none

Air Operations Support Working Group Aeromedical Panel

- **Identification Code:** NSA.129.11
- **Type and Aims:** Air Operations Support Working Group (AOSpWG) Aeromedical Panel (AMDP) develops standards on Aviation Medicine. It includes such areas as aircrew flying time and rest periods, medical training for search and rescue/casevac personnel, medical equipment in aircraft, physiological effects of high-G environment, flash blindness protection, effects of NBC/chemical/biological agents and physiological protection for high altitude parachute operations.
- **NATO Action Authority:** NATO Standardization Agency
- **Location:** Izmir, Turkey
- **Number of events per year:** 1
- **Dates and Duration:** 06 Jun 2007, 3 days
- **Language Requirements:** English SLP 3332
- **Number of Participants:** Max. 1, the participant should be an expert in the subject.
- **NATO POC:** LtCol Werner Janke; tel.: 0032 2 707 5587; fax: 0032 2 707 5718; e-mail: nsa.air@hq.nato.int
- **Remarks:** none

Air Operations Support Working Group Flight Safety Panel

- **Identification Code:** NSA.91.13
- **Type and Aims:** Air Operations Support Working Group (AOSpWG) Flight Safety Panel (FSP) develops aviation safety standards. The scope of the panel includes aircraft flight safety, aviation related ground safety, air weapons/range safety, aircraft accident/incident investigation and prevention; and safety requirements for flying and static displays.
- **NATO Action Authority:** NATO Standardization Agency
- **Location:** Strausberg, Germany
- **Number of events per year:** 1
- **Dates and Duration:** 11 Apr 2007, 3 days

- **Language Requirements:** English SLP 3332
- **Number of Participants:** Max. 1, the participant should be an expert in the subject
- **NATO POC:** LtCol Werner Janke; tel.: 0032 2 707 5587; fax: 0032 2 707 5718; e-mail: nsa.air@hq.nato.int
- **Remarks:** none

Information Exchange Requirements Harmonization Working Group (IERHWG)

- **Identification Code:** NSA.2746
- **Type and Aims:** The IERHWG is established by the JSB to be the senior IER authority across other JSB Working Group Panels, where joint issues or simple service conflicts are involved with responsible for deconflicting/harmonizing IERs pertaining to Allied Publications (APs), STANAGs and other documents.
- **NATO Action Authority:** NATO Standardization Agency
- **Location:** TBD
- **Number of events per year:** 2
- **Dates and Duration:** TBD
- **Language Requirements:** English SLP 3332 TBD
- **Number of Participants:** Max. 1, the participant should be an expert in the subject
- **NATO POC:** LtCol Andrija Ljulj; tel.: 0032 2 707 9843; fax: 0032 2 707 5718, e-mail: nsa.joint@hq.nato.int
- **Remarks:** Civilian Clothing will be worn throughout the meeting.

Air Operations Support Working Group

- **Identification Code:** NSA.2752.6
- **Type and Aims:** Air Operations Support Working Group (AOSpWG) As a parent WG, the AOP WG is charged with improving the effectiveness of NATO forces by developing standardization and addressing interoperability with respect to Flight Safety, Aeromedical Services, Air Transport, Air Reconnaissance and Search and Rescue and Air-to-Air Refuelling.
- **NATO Action Authority:** NATO Standardization Agency
- **Location:** NATO HQ Brussels
- **Number of events per year:** 1
- **Dates and Duration:** 18 Sep 2007, 4 days
- **Language Requirements:** English/French SLP 3332
- **Number of Participants:** Max. 1, the participant should be an expert in the subject
- **NATO POC:** LtCol Werner Janke; tel.: 0032 2 707 5587; fax: 0032 2 707 5718; e-mail: nsa.air@hq.nato.int
- **Remarks:** Civilian Clothing will be worn throughout the meeting.

Air Operations Support Working Group (Aospwg) Air-To-Air Refuelling Panel (AARP)

- **Identification Code:** NSA.2780.6

- **Type and Aims:** Air Operations Support Working Group (AOSpWG) Air-To-Air Refuelling Panel (AARP) identifies, proposes and develops standards that enhance effective Air-to-Air Refuelling employment and interoperability.
- **NATO Action Authority:** NATO Standardization Agency
- **Location:** Las Vegas, USA
- **Number of events per year:** 1
- **Dates and Duration:** 02 Apr 2007
- **Language Requirements:** English SLP 3332
- **Number of Participants:** Max. 1, the participant should be an expert in the subject.
- **NATO POC:** LtCol Werner Janke; tel.: 0032 2 707 5587; fax: 0032 2 707 5718; e-mail: nsa.air@hq.nato.int
- **Remarks:** Civilian Clothing will be worn throughout the meeting.

Helicopter Operations From Ships Other Than Aircraft Carriers Working Group (HOSTACWG)

- **Identification Code:** NSA.82.11
- **Type and Aims:** Helicopter Operations from Ships Other Than Aircraft Carriers Working Group (HOSTACWG) develops and staffs proposals in all safety and procedural aspects of helicopter operations from ships other than aircraft carriers in order to obtain interchangeability and standardization of related procedures and interface equipment between Alliance helicopters and ships. This Working Group is the primary NATO body dealing with maritime aviation safety and procedures
- **NATO Action Authority:** NATO Standardization Agency
- **Location:** Stockholm, Sweden
- **Number of events per year:** 1
- **Dates and Duration:** 16 Apr 2007, 4 days
- **Language Requirements:** English SLP 3332
- **Number of Participants:** Max. 1, the participant should be an expert in the subject
- **NATO POC:** LtCdr Mark Austen; tel.: 0032 2 707 5600; fax: 0032 2 707 5718; e-mail: nsa.naval@hq.nato.int
- **Remarks:** Civilian Clothing will be worn throughout the meeting.

NATO Shipping Working Group (NSWG)

- **Identification Code:** NSA.93.11
- **Type and Aims:** Staffs proposals for military standardization in all aspects of naval co-operation and guidance for shipping (NCAGS) chartering of merchant vessels. The NSWG studies the aspects of NCAGS which will provide for the effective operation and safety of NATO Merchant Shipping in crisis or war. The group also reviews agreed policy and procedures for use in cooperation with Merchant Shipping and advises appropriate authorities on matters relating to self protection and self defence of Merchant Ships. The NSWG has three Committees: Publications, Procedures & Exercises, and Communications.
- **NATO Action Authority:** NATO Standardization Agency
- **Location:** NATO HQ Brussels
- **Number of events per year:** 1

- **Dates and Duration:** 21 May 2007, 5 days
- **Language Requirements:** English SLP 3332 TBD
- **Number of Participants:** Max. 1, the participant has to have subject background.
- **NATO POC:** Cdr Heidi Krøke, tel.: 0032 2 707 5801; fax: 0032 2 707 5718; e-mail: nsa.naval@hq.nato.int
- **Remarks:** Civilian Clothing will be worn throughout the meeting

NATO Standardization Agency Orientation Course

- **Identification Code:** NSA/Partners/07
- **Type and Aims:** The aim of this workshop is to familiarize potential WG delegates with the subject of standardization and the workings of the NSA. The main focus of the course will be standardization policy and organisation, the process of producing STANAGs and AJP, responsibilities of the chairman, secretary and custodian, terminology procedures, administrative support and current issues and future challenges.
- **NATO Action Authority:** NATO Standardization Agency
- **Location:** NATO HQ, Brussels, BEL, Nr. of the Conference Room as shown on the screens.
- **Number of events per year:** 1
- **Dates and Duration:** TBD, 1 day
- **Language Requirements:** English (French translation service TBC)
- **Number of Participants:** Of direct benefit to NSA Working Group delegates, will also be of interest to those national Staff Officers who are involved in the NATO standardization process. No restriction – dependant on number of WGs ICI nations wish to attend.
- **NATO POC:** NSA Naval Branch Staff Officer Lt Cdr Mark Austen; tel.: 0032 2 707 56 00; fax: 0032 2 707 57 18; e-mail: nsa.naval@hq.nato.int
- **Remarks:** Civilian Clothing will be worn throughout the meeting

Nuclear, Biological And Chemical Defence Operations Medical Working Group

- **Identification Code:** NSA.77.11
- **Type and Aims:** Staffs doctrine and procedures for defence against radiation (ionizing and non-ionizing), biological, chemical and laser directed energy weapons and/or hazards that result directly or indirectly from military operations. Preventive and occupational medicine doctrine and procedures against these hazards are excluded.
- **NATO Action Authority:** NATO Standardization Agency
- **Location:** NATO HQ Brussels
- **Number of events per year:** 1
- **Dates and Duration:** Jan 2007 TBD, 4 days
- **Language Requirements:** English/French SLP 3333
- **Number of Participants:** Max. 1, the participant has to have subject background.
- **NATO POC:** Cdr Jean-Luc Escande; tel.: 0032 2 707 5597; fax: 0032 2 707 5718; e-mail: nsa.joint@hq.nato.int
- **Remarks:** Civilian Clothing will be worn throughout the meeting

General Medical Working Group

- **Identification Code:** NSA.89
- **Type and Aims:** Staffs medical doctrine, procedures, techniques, organization, training, reports, forms and to enhance the interoperability of existing equipment for NATO forces by means of improved procedures.
- **NATO Action Authority:** NATO Standardization Agency
- **Location:** NATO HQ Brussels
- **Number of events per year:** 1
- **Dates and Duration:** TBD 2007, 3 days
- **Language Requirements:** English/French SLP 3332
- **Number of Participants:** Max. 1, the participant has to be a specialist in the have subject.
- **NATO POC:** Cdr Jean-Luc Escande; tel.: 0032 2 707 5597; fax: 0032 2 707 5718; e-mail: nsa.joint@hq.nato.int
- **Remarks:** Civilian Clothing will be worn throughout the meeting

Air Operations Support Working Group Aeromedical Panel

- **Identification Code:** NSA.129.11
- **Type and Aims:** Air Operations Support Working Group (AOSpWG) Aeromedical Panel (AMDP) develops standards on Aviation Medicine. It includes such areas as aircrew flying time and rest periods, medical training for search and rescue/casevac personnel, medical equipment in aircraft, physiological effects of high-G environment, flash blindness protection, effects of NBC/chemical/biological agents and physiological protection for high altitude parachute operations.
- **NATO Action Authority:** NATO Standardization Agency
- **Location:** Turkey
- **Number of events per year:** 1
- **Dates and Duration:** 06 Jun 2007, 3 days
- **Language Requirements:** English SLP 3332
- **Number of Participants:** Max. 1, the participant have to be subject expert.
- **NATO POC:** LtCol Werner Janke; tel.: 0032 2 707 5587; fax: 0032 2 707 5718; e-mail: nsa.air@hq.nato.int
- **Remarks:** Civilian Clothing will be worn throughout the meeting

Nuclear, Biological And Chemical Defence Operations Working Group

- **Identification Code:** NSA.80.11
- **Type and Aims:** Staffs doctrine and procedures such as NBC Warning and Reporting, NBC Emergency Alarms, NBC Warning Signs, Contamination Control and Decontamination. The standardization of the required techniques, NBC Defence organization, standards of Proficiency for NBC Defence and the related training,

reports and forms, and to enhance the interoperability of existing equipment for NATO forces by means of improved procedures.

- **NATO Action Authority:** NATO Standardization Agency
- **Location:** NATO HQ Brussels
- **Number of events per year:** 1
- **Dates and Duration:** Feb 2007 TBD, 4 days
- **Language Requirements:** English/French SLP 3332
- **Number of Participants:** Max. 1, the participant has to be a specialist in NBC domains at the level Capt to Col.
- **NATO POC:** Cdr Jean-Luc Escande; tel.: 0032 2 707 5597; fax: 0032 2 707 5718; e-mail: nsa.joint@hq.nato.int
- **Remarks:** Civilian Clothing will be worn throughout the meeting

Air Operations Support Working Group Air Transport Panel

- **Identification Code:** NSA.84
- **Type and Aims:** Air Operations Support Working Group (AOSpWG) Air Transport Panel (ATP) develops standards of air transport operations, air delivery and air movements. Broad areas of concern include air drop operations, air landing operations, passenger/cargo handling, and air transport terms and definitions.
- **NATO Action Authority:** NATO Standardization Agency
- **Location:** NATO HQ Brussels
- **Number of events per year:** 1
- **Dates and Duration:** TBD
- **Language Requirements:** TBD
- **Number of Participants:** Max. 1, the participant has to have subject background.
- **NATO POC:** LtCol Christian Ardeleanu; tel.: 0032 2 707 5588; fax: 0032 2 707 5718; e-mail: nsa.air@hq.nato.int
- **Remarks:** Civilian Clothing will be worn throughout the meeting

Joint Intelligence Working Group

- **Identification Code:** NSA.87
- **Type and Aims:** Joint Intelligence Interservice Working Group (JINTWG) Staffs intelligence, counter intelligence and security issues in all services. Its main tasks concern intelligence and security doctrine and procedures and the development of an intelligence information exchange concept. The Working Group develops common intelligence message formats and participates in the harmonization of a number of intelligence database models. Three days out of five will be open to PfP. Two days are only to NATO and ICs.
- **NATO Action Authority:** NATO Standardization Agency
- **Location:** NATO HQ Brussels
- **Number of events per year:** 2
- **Dates and Duration:** 21 May 2007, 22 Oct 2007, 5 days
- **Language Requirements:** English/French SLP 3332
- **Number of Participants:** Max. 1, the participant should be expert in the field of intelligence at the level of Cpt to Col.

- **NATO POC:** LtCol Rudolf Trusa, tel.: 0032 2 707 5562; fax: 0032 2 707 5718; e-mail: nsa.joint@hq.nato.int
- **Remarks:** Civilian Clothing will be worn throughout the meeting

Air Operations Support Working Group Flight Safety Panel

- **Identification Code:** NSA.91
- **Type and Aims:** Air Operations Support Working Group (AOSpWG) Flight Safety Panel (FSP) develops aviation safety standards. The scope of the panel includes aircraft flight safety, aviation related ground safety, air weapons/range safety, aircraft accident/incident investigation and prevention; and safety requirements for flying and static displays
- **NATO Action Authority:** NATO Standardization Agency
- **Location:** Strausberg, Germany
- **Number of events per year:** 1
- **Dates and Duration:** 11 Apr 2007, 3 days
- **Language Requirements:** English SLP 3332
- **Number of Participants:** Max. 1, the participant should be subject expert.
- **NATO POC:** LtCol Werner Janke; tel.: 0032 2 707 5587; fax: 0032 2 707 5718; e-mail: nsa.air@hq.nato.int
- **Remarks:** Civilian Clothing will be worn throughout the meeting

Air Operations Support Working Group Search And Rescue Panel

- **Identification Code:** NSA.92
- **Type and Aims:** Air Operations Support Working Group (AOSpWG) Search and Rescue Panel (SARP) develops standards of SAR/CSAR tactics, techniques and procedures. This includes and essential operational characteristics of survival and life support equipment. It promotes effective employment of search, rescue and location equipment, as well as common operational and communication procedures.
- **NATO Action Authority:** NATO Standardization Agency
- **Location:** TBD
- **Number of events per year:** TBD
- **Dates and Duration:** TBD
- **Language Requirements:** TBD
- **Number of Participants:** Max. 1, the participant has to have subject background.
- **NATO POC:** LtCol Christian Ardeleanu; tel.: 0032 2 707 5588; fax: 0032 2 707 5718; e-mail: nsa.air@hq.nato.int
- **Remarks:** Civilian Clothing will be worn throughout the meeting

Radio And Radar Radiation Hazards Working Group

- **Identification Code:** NSA.95.11
- **Type and Aims:** Staffs proposals for military standardization in all aspects of radio and radar radiation hazards. The RADHAZWG focuses on electromagnetic emissions and procedures in the maritime environment to ensure that these emissions do not harm or affect men, machinery or weapons.
- **NATO Action Authority:** NATO Standardization Agency

- **Location:** NATO HQ Brussels
- **Number of events per year:** 1
- **Dates and Duration:** 25 Sep 2007, 2 days
- **Language Requirements:** English/French SLP 3332
- **Number of Participants:** Max. 1, the participant has to have subject background.
- **NATO POC:** LtCdr Mark Austen; tel.: 0032 2 707 5600; fax: 0032 2 707 5718; e-mail: nsa.naval@hq.nato.int
- **Remarks:** Civilian Clothing will be worn throughout the meeting

Combat Service Support Working Group Movements And Transport Panel

- **Identification Code:** NSA.97
- **Type and Aims:** Combat Service Support Working Group (CSSWG) Movements and Transport Panel (M&TP) staffs doctrine and procedures related to surface movements and transport such as Border Crossings procedures, general M&T procedures for convoys and M&T Information Exchange Requirements. When appropriate standardization of existing equipment involved in the coordination of surface movements and transport.
- **NATO Action Authority:** NATO Standardization Agency
- **Location:** TBD
- **Number of events per year:** 1
- **Dates and Duration:** TBD
- **Language Requirements:** English SLP 3332
- **Number of Participants:** Max. 1, the participant has to have subject background.
- **NATO POC:** LtCol Jaroslav Bieleny, tel.: 0032 2 707 5539; fax: 0032 2 707 5718; e-mail: nsa.army@hq.nato.int
- **Remarks:** Civilian Clothing will be worn throughout the meeting

Air Operations Technical Working Group Aircraft/Aircrew Integration Panel

- **Identification Code:** NSA.145
- **Type and Aims:** Air Operations Technical Working Group (AOTWG) Aircraft/Aircrew Integration Panel (AIP) develops standards on aircraft displays and aircrew station design. It includes human engineering considerations such as visual, aural and/or tactile displays/indicators as well as design criteria for aircraft, controls, selectors and switches.
- **NATO Action Authority:** NATO Standardization Agency
- **Location:** TBD
- **Number of events per year:** TBD
- **Dates and Duration:** TBD
- **Language Requirements:** TBD
- **Number of Participants:** Max. 1, the participant has to have subject background.
- **NATO POC:** LtCol Christian Ardeleanu; tel.: 0032 2 707 5588; fax: 0032 2 707 5718; e-mail: nsa.air@hq.nato.int
- **Remarks:** Civilian Clothing will be worn throughout the meeting

Air Operations Working Group

- **Identification Code:** NSA.864
- **Type and Aims:** Develops standards to improve interoperability to engage in tactical air operations and thereby achieve total force capability using common doctrine and procedures. The WG includes command and control, counter air operations, air interdiction, reconnaissance and surveillance, tactical air transport, air maritime operations and airspace control.
- **NATO Action Authority:** NATO Standardization Agency
- **Location:** TBD
- **Number of events per year:** TBD
- **Dates and Duration:** TBD
- **Language Requirements:** TBD
- **Number of Participants:** Max. 1, the participant has to have subject background.
- **NATO POC:** LtCol Kerry Evans; tel.: 0032 2 707 5591; fax: 0032 2 707 5718; e-mail: nsa.air@hq.nato.int
- **Remarks:** Civilian Clothing will be worn throughout the meeting

Air Operations Technical Working Group Air Armament Panel

- **Identification Code:** NSA.2688
- **Type and Aims:** Staffs doctrine and procedures for defence against radiation (ionizing and non-ionizing), biological, chemical and laser directed energy weapons and/or hazards that result directly or indirectly from military operations. Preventive and occupational medicine doctrine and procedures against these hazards are excluded.
- **NATO Action Authority:** NATO Standardization Agency
- **Location:** TBD
- **Number of events per year:** TBD
- **Dates and Duration:** TBD
- **Language Requirements:** TBD
- **Number of Participants:** TBD
- **NATO POC:** LtCol Christian Ardeleanu; tel.: 0032 2 707 5588; fax: 0032 2 707 5718; e-mail: nsa.air@hq.nato.int
- **Remarks:** Civilian Clothing will be worn throughout the meeting

Nuclear, Biological And Chemical Defence Operations Medical Working Group

- **Identification Code:** NSA.2689
- **Type and Aims:** Air Operations Technical Working Group (AOTWG) Air Armament Panel (AAP) develops standards in the area of air armaments. It includes aircraft conventional stores and associated equipment such as guns, ammunition, bombs, rockets, missiles, cartridges, pyrotechnics, fuses and arming systems. The focus of the group is on interface standards.
- **NATO Action Authority:** NATO Standardization Agency
- **Location:** TBD
- **Number of events per year:** TBD

- **Dates and Duration:** TBD
- **Language Requirements:** TBD
- **Number of Participants:** TBD
- **NATO POC:** LtCol Christian Ardeleanu; tel.: 0032 2 707 5588; fax: 0032 2 707 5718; e-mail: nsa.air@hq.nato.int
- **Remarks:** Civilian Clothing will be worn throughout the meeting

Air Operations Technical Working Group Aircraft Servicing And Standard Equipment Panel

- **Identification Code:** NSA.2699
- **Type and Aims:** Air Operations Technical Working Group (AOTWG) Aircraft Servicing and Standard Equipment Panel (ASSEP) develops standards of aircraft servicing and standard equipment to enhance aircraft cross-servicing and related support operations such as maintenance, replenishment, safety and associated hazard-marking and aircraft-ground equipment interface specifications.
- **NATO Action Authority:** NATO Standardization Agency
- **Location:** TBD
- **Number of events per year:** TBD
- **Dates and Duration:** TBD
- **Language Requirements:** TBD
- **Number of Participants:** TBD
- **NATO POC:** LtCol Christian Ardeleanu; tel.: 0032 2 707 5588; fax: 0032 2 707 5718; e-mail: nsa.air@hq.nato.int
- **Remarks:** Civilian Clothing will be worn throughout the meeting

Air Operations Technical Working Group Air Electrical And Electromagnetic Considerations Panel

- **Identification Code:** NSA.2703
- **Type and Aims:** Air Operations Technical Working Group (AOTWG) Air Electrical and Electromagnetic Considerations Panel (AEP). The AEP has been established to improve the effectiveness of NATO forces in the field. This will be accomplished by the development of Standardization Agreements, Allied Publications, Studies, Operational Handbooks and Exchange of Information on Aircraft Electrical and Electromagnetic subjects.
- **NATO Action Authority:** NATO Standardization Agency
- **Location:** TBD
- **Number of events per year:** TBD
- **Dates and Duration:** TBD
- **Language Requirements:** TBD
- **Number of Participants:** TBD
- **NATO POC:** LtCol Christian Ardeleanu; tel.: 0032 2 707 5588; fax: 0032 2 707 5718; e-mail: nsa.air@hq.nato.int
- **Remarks:** Civilian Clothing will be worn throughout the meeting

Air Operations Support Working Group Air Reconnaissance Panel

- **Identification Code:** NSA.2713
- **Type and Aims:** Air Operations Support Working Group (AOSpWG) Air Reconnaissance Panel (ARP) develops standards in multi-sensor imagery reconnaissance and related functions, including sensors, data transfer/processing, image interpretation/reporting, storage, storing, and requesting, tasking and reporting. The WG is closely linked to CNAD NAFAG WG IV on air reconnaissance.
- **NATO Action Authority:** TBD
- **Location:** TBD
- **Number of events per year:** TBD
- **Dates and Duration:** TBD
- **Language Requirements:** TBD
- **Number of Participants** TBD
- **NATO POC:** LtCol Werner Janke; tel: 0032 2 707 5587; fax: 0032 2 707 5718; e-mail: nsa.air@hq.nato.int
- **Remarks:** Civilian Clothing will be worn throughout the meeting

Air Operations Technical Working Group Aircraft Gaseous Systems Panel

- **Identification Code:** NSA.2724
- **Type and Aims:** Air Operations Technical Working Group (AOTWG) Aircraft Gaseous Systems Panel (GGSP) develops standards of aircraft gaseous systems and equipment. It includes the safety procedures associated with and the quality/characteristics and labelling of breathing and technical gases used in aerospace systems. Also covered are the requirements of air and ground replenishment equipment for aircraft gaseous systems and connection features for aircraft gaseous system replenishment.
- **NATO Action Authority:** TBD
- **Location:** TBD
- **Number of events per year:** TBD
- **Dates and Duration:** TBD
- **Language Requirements:** TBD
- **Number of Participants** TBD
- **NATO POC:** LtCol Christian Ardeleanu; tel.: 0032 2 707 5588; fax: 0032 2 707 5718; e-mail: nsa.air@hq.nato.int
- **Remarks:** Civilian Clothing will be worn throughout the meeting

Maritime Logistics And Replenishment At Sea Working Group

- **Identification Code:** NSA.2732
- **Type and Aims:** Established in December 1998 to address a recognized gap in standardization of Maritime Logistics doctrine and procedures, the WG staffs proposals for military standardization in this specialised support area. The aim is to enhance logistic co-operation and effectiveness of NATO's multinational maritime forces. In 2003 the WG's responsibilities broadened to incorporate Replenishment at Sea (RAS). In addition to all forms of RAS this practical element of seamanship

includes towing, boat transfers, boat hoisting, waste transfer in support of multi-national task forces.

- **NATO Action Authority:** NATO Standardization Agency
- **Location:** TBD
- **Number of events per year:** TBD
- **Dates and Duration:** TBD
- **Language Requirements:** TBD
- **Number of Participants:** TBD
- **NATO POC:** LtCdr Mark Austen; tel.: 0032 2 707 5600; fax: 0032 2 707 5718; e-mail: nsa.naval@hq.nato.int
- **Remarks:** Civilian Clothing will be worn throughout the meeting

Air Operations Working Group Unmanned Aerial Vehicle Panel

- **Identification Code:** NSA.2751
- **Type and Aims:** Air Operations Working Group (AOWG) Unmanned Aerial Vehicle Panel (UAVP) develops standards for NATO UAV operational doctrine, Tactics, Techniques and Procedures (TTPs) that will enhance NATO UAV air power operations. The Panel is closely linked to CNAD NAFAG WG II on unmanned aerial vehicles.
- **NATO Action Authority:** NATO Standardization Agency
- **Location:** TBD
- **Number of events per year:** TBD
- **Dates and Duration:** TBD
- **Language Requirements:** TBD
- **Number of Participants:** TBD
- **NATO POC:** LtCol Kerry Evans, tel.: 0032 2 707 5591; fax: 0032 2 707 5718; e-mail: nsa.air@hq.nato.int
- **Remarks:** Civilian Clothing will be worn throughout the meeting

Air Operations Support Working Group

- **Identification Code:** NSA.2752.6
- **Type and Aims:** As a parent WG, the AOP WG is charged with improving the effectiveness of NATO forces by developing standardization and addressing interoperability with respect to Flight Safety, Aeromedical Services, Air Transport, Air Reconnaissance and Search and Rescue and Air-to-Air Refuelling.
- **NATO Action Authority:** NATO Standardization Agency
- **Location:** NATO HQ Brussels
- **Number of events per year:** 1
- **Dates and Duration:** 18 Sep 2007, 4 days
- **Language Requirements:** English/French SLP 3332
- **Number of Participants:** Max. 1, the participant has to have subject background.
- **NATO POC:** LtCol Werner Janke; tel: 0032 2 707 5587; fax: 0032 2 707 5718; e-mail: nsa.air@hq.nato.int
- **Remarks:** Civilian Clothing will be worn throughout the meeting

Air Operations Services Working Group

- **Identification Code:** NSA.2753
- **Type and Aims:** Air Operations Services Working Group (AOSWG) as a parent WG, the AOS WG is charged with improving the effectiveness of NATO forces by developing standardization and addressing interoperability with respect to Airfield Marking, Lighting and Infrastructure, Air Traffic Services and Crash, Fire-Fighting and Rescue Services.
- **NATO Action Authority:** NATO Standardization Agency
- **Location:** TBD
- **Number of events per year:** TBD
- **Dates and Duration:** TBD
- **Language Requirements:** TBD
- **Number of Participants** TBD
- **NATO POC:** SqnLdr Geoff Dickson, tel.: 0032 2 707 5589; fax: 0032 2 707 5718; e-mail: nsa.air@hq.nato.int
- **Remarks:** Civilian Clothing will be worn throughout the meeting

Airfield Marking, Lighting And Infrastructure Panel

- **Identification Code:** NSA.2754
- **Type and Aims:** Air Operations Services Working Group (AOSWG) Airfield Marking, Lighting and Infrastructure Panel (AMLIP) develops standards of airfield marking, lighting and Infrastructure on or in the vicinity of NATO airfields.
- **NATO Action Authority:** NATO Standardization Agency
- **Location:** TBD
- **Number of events per year:** TBD
- **Dates and Duration:** TBD
- **Language Requirements:** TBD
- **Number of Participants** TBD
- **NATO POC:** SqnLdr Geoff Dickson, tel.: 0032 2 707 5589; fax: 0032 2 707 5718; e-mail: nsa.air@hq.nato.int
- **Remarks:** Civilian Clothing will be worn throughout the meeting

Air Operations Services Working Group Crash Fire Fighting And Rescue Panel

- **Identification Code:** NSA.2755
- **Type and Aims:** Air Operations Services Working Group (AOSWG) Crash Fire Fighting Rescue Panel (CFRP) develops standards and addresses interoperability with respect to inter-service crash, fire-fighting and rescue on, or in the immediate vicinity of airfields. Moreover the CFRP covers aspect of Training - formal and on station, Special risks of hazards, Weapons systems protection, Fire engineering, life safety and fire prevention, Force protection, Emergency response to terrorism, Hazardous material emergency response, Technological advancements in fire protection, Exploitation of commercial technology.
- **NATO Action Authority:** NATO Standardization Agency

- **Location:** TBD
- **Number of events per year:** TBD
- **Dates and Duration:** TBD
- **Language Requirements:** TBD
- **Number of Participants** TBD
- **NATO POC:** SqnLdr Geoff Dickson, tel.: 0032 2 707 5589; fax: 0032 2 707 5718; e-mail: nsa.air@hq.nato.int
- **Remarks:** Civilian Clothing will be worn throughout the meeting

Air Operations Technical Working Group

- **Identification Code:** NSA.2756
- **Type and Aims:** Air Operations Technical Working Group (AOTWG) As a parent WG, the AOT WG is charged with improving the effectiveness of NATO forces by developing standardization and addressing interoperability with respect to Air Armament, Avionics Systems, Air Electrical, Aircraft Gaseous Systems, Aircrew/Aircraft Integration and Aircraft Servicing Standard Equipment.
- **NATO Action Authority:** NATO Standardization Agency
- **Location:** TBD
- **Number of events per year:** TBD
- **Dates and Duration:** TBD
- **Language Requirements:** TBD
- **Number of Participants** TBD
- **NATO POC:** LtCol Christian Ardeleanu; tel.: 0032 2 707 5588; fax: 0032 2 707 5718; e-mail: nsa.air@hq.nato.int
- **Remarks:** Civilian Clothing will be worn throughout the meeting

Standardization Course

- **Identification Code:** NSA.2782
- **Type and Aims:** Standardization Course will familiarize staff officers/ national experts with NATO standardization procedures, staffing, participation in working groups, Standardization Agreement (STANAG) preparation, ratification and implementation.
- **NATO Action Authority:** Military University of Technology
- **Location:** Warsaw, Poland
- **Number of events per year:** 2
- **Dates and Duration:** TBD
- **Language Requirements:** English SLP 3332
- **Number of Participants:** No max., the participant has to have subject background.
- **NATO POC:** Cpt Ryszard Lewinski, tel.: 0048 22 6837215; fax: 0048 22 6837382; e-mail: stand.course@wat.edu.pl
- **Remarks:** none

Maritime Information Exchange Requirement Panel

- **Identification Code:** NSA.2784
- **Type and Aims:** Develops and staffs proposals for the coordination, harmonisation and prioritisation of Message Text Format (MTF) and Information Exchange Requirements (IER) from all maritime working groups involved in the development of maritime operations related IERs. In addition to its tasks relating to the maritime environment the MIER panel liaises directly with the Joint Service Board (JSB) IERH WG on issues dealing with harmonisation of IERs and data coherency.
- **NATO Action Authority:** NATO Standardization Agency
- **Location:** TBD, Canada
- **Number of events per year:** 2
- **Dates and Duration:** 26 Mar 2007, 08 Oct 2007, 5 days
- **Language Requirements:** English/French SLP 3332
- **Number of Participants:** Max. 1, the participant has to be an expert on Information Exchange Issues at the level of LtCol.
- **NATO POC:** Lt Ruta Ceple; tel.: 0032 2 707 5987; fax: 0032 2 707 5718; e-mail: nsa.naval@hq.nato.int
- **Remarks:** Civilian Clothing will be worn throughout the meeting

Standardization Workshop For Partners

- **Identification Code:** NSA.2785
- **Type and Aims:** The aim of the Standardization Workshop for partners is to provide partners, including ICI countries, with the opportunity to share information dealing with Standardization and to improve exchange of ideas between NSA and partners and among partners.
- **NATO Action Authority:** NATO Standardization Agency
- **Location:** TBD
- **Number of events per year:** TBD
- **Dates and Duration:** TBD
- **Language Requirements:** TBD
- **Number of Participants:** TBD
- **NATO POC:** LtCol Hans Misenta, tel.: 0032 2 707 5569; fax: 0032 2 707 5718; e-mail: nsa.prb@hq.nato.int
- **Remarks:** Civilian Clothing will be worn throughout the meeting

Basic Information On Standardization

- **Identification Code:** NSA.2787
- **Type and Aims:** Provides basic information about Standardization. The aim of this activity is to brief MD Nations' representatives about the NATO Standardization Agency and the possibilities of NSA-support to MD Nations in their effort to achieve Interoperability.
- **NATO Action Authority:** NATO Standardization Agency
- **Location:** TBD
- **Number of events per year:** TBD
- **Dates and Duration:** TBD
- **Language Requirements:** TBD
- **Number of Participants** no max.
- **NATO POC:** LtCol Hans Misenta; tel.: 0032 2 707 5569; fax: 0032 2 707 5718; e-mail: nsa.prb@hq.nato.int or nsa.naval@hq.nato.int
- **Remarks:** Civilian Clothing will be worn throughout the meeting

NATO Standardization Agency Orientation Course

- **Identification Code:** NSA.2788
- **Type and Aims:** The NSA is conducting this orientation course to familiarize new MCSB members and WGs delegates on the subject of standardization and the work of the NSA. The main focus of the course will be standardization policy and organisation, the process of producing STANAGs and AJPs, responsibilities of the chairman, secretary and custodian, terminology procedures, administrative support and current issues and future challenges. New MCSB members and WGs delegates are strongly encouraged to attend.
- **NATO Action Authority:** NATO Standardization Agency
- **Location:** NATO HQ Brussels
- **Number of events per year:** 1
- **Dates and Duration:** TBD
- **Language Requirements:** TBD
- **Number of Participants:** Max. 1, the participant has to have subject background.
- **NATO POC:** LtCdr Mark Austen, tel.: 0032 2 707 5600; fax: 0032 2 707 5718; e-mail: nsa.naval@hq.nato.int
- **Remarks:** Civilian Clothing will be worn throughout the meeting

NATO Defence College Senior Course

- **Identification Code:** NADEFCOL-07-007-A, NADEFCOL-07-007-B
- **Type and Aims:** The Senior Course is designed to enhance mutual understanding between NATO, PfP, MD, ICI and selected partner countries of current and prospective politico-military issues and challenges within the Euro-Atlantic and Mediterranean area; better prepare selected officers and civilians, with rank of Colonel or Lt. Colonel or equivalent to serve in international staffs or positions involving co-operation with NATO; and offer opportunities for professional networking.

- **NATO Action Authority:** NATO Defence College
- **Location:** NATO Defence College, Rome, Italy
- **Number of events per year:** 2 courses per year
- **Dates and Duration:** February 2007 - July 2007 (NADEFCOL-07-007-A); August 2007 - February 2008 (NADEFCOL-07-007-B)
- **Language Requirements:** Participants should have a good professional working knowledge of the English language. Only during academic lectures will simultaneous translation be available in both the English and French languages.
- **Number of Participants:** 1 participant per year per ICI country for either a military or a civilian of the rank of Colonel / Lt. Colonel or equivalent.
- **NATO POC:** Captain (N) Henrik Lange, Chief Academic Programmes, NATO Defence College, Rome, Italy; tel: 0039 06 50525 241; e-mail: h.lange@ndc.nato.int
- **Remarks:** Uniform for military participants

General And Flag Officers And Ambassadors Course (GFOAC)

- **Identification Code:** NADEFCOL-07-002-A - NADEFCOL-05-007-B
- **Type and Aims:** To enhance mutual understanding of current politico-military issues of importance for the Alliance and to familiarize selected Generals and Flag Officers, Ambassadors and civilians of equivalent status, from NATO, PfP, MD and ICI Countries, with current and prospective issues facing NATO, and offer opportunities for professional networking among senior military officers and civilian officials.
- **NATO Action Authority:** NATO Defence College.
- **Location:** NATO Defence College, Rome, Italy
- **Number of events per year:** 2 courses per year.
- **Dates and Duration:** May 2007, 1 week (NADEFCOL-07-002-A) and October 2007, 1 week (NADEFCOL-07-002-B)
- **Language Requirements:** Participants should have a good professional working knowledge of the English language. Only during academic lectures will simultaneous translation be available in both English and French languages.
- **Number of Participants:** 1 participants from each ICI Country in the rank of General and civilians with equivalent rank/post.
- **NATO POC:** Colonel Joern Olsen, NATO Defence College, Rome, Italy; tel.: 0039 06 50525 204 / 212; e-mail: j.olsen@ndc.nato.int
- **Remarks:** Uniform for military participants

Integrated Partner Orientation Course (IPOC)

- **Identification Code:** NADEFCOL-07-003-A and NADEFCOL-07-003-B
- **Type and Aims:** As an integral part of the NATO Defence College's Senior Course, IPOC aims at educating senior officers and officials of partner countries in the values and standards of NATO and the current strategic issues facing NATO.
- **NATO Action Authority:** NATO Defence College
- **Location:** NATO Defence College, Rome, Italy
- **Number of events per year:** 2 courses per year
- **Dates and Duration:** April 2007, 2 weeks (NADEFCOL-07-003-A); October 2007, 2 weeks (NADEFCOL-07-003-B)

- **Language Requirements:** Participants should have a good professional working knowledge of the English language. Only during academic lectures will simultaneous translation be available in both English and French languages.
- **Number of Participants:** 1 participant from each ICI Country in the ranks of Colonel or Lt. Col and civilians with equivalent rank/post.
- **NATO POC:** Mr. Gavin Kitchingham, NATO Defence College, Rome, Italy; tel: 0039 06 50525 228 / 215; e-mail: g.kitchingham@ndc.nato.int
- **Remarks:** Uniform for military participants

ICI Fellowships

- **Identification Code:** NADEFCOL (TBD)
- **Type and Aims:** To promote scholarly research in areas of particular interest to the NATO-ICI partners, primarily dealing with Gulf security issues.
- **NATO Action Authority:** NATO Defence College
- **Location:** NATO Defence College, Rome, Italy
- **Number of events per year:** 1 Fellowships per year
- **Dates and Duration:** Each fellowship is for a period of four months in the year 2007, at a time to be mutually agreed between the Fellow and NDC's Academic Research Branch (ARB).
- **Language requirements:** Excellent knowledge of either French or English language
- **Number of participants:** 1, at the PhD level or equivalent, military officer or civilian.
- **NATO POC:** RADM (ret) Jean Dufourcq, Head of the ARB j.dufourcq@ndc.nato.int; or Colonel Rick Cosby, Manager of the ARB r.cosby@ndc.nato.int
- **Remarks:** Candidates should be fully computer literate and possess a proven ability to carry through a major research project. Civilian dress.

Lectures On Nato Topics In ICI Countries

- **Identification Code:** TBD
- **Type and Aims:** To lecture on issues of mutual interest for NATO and ICI countries and to discuss educational activities before civilian/military audiences of ICI countries institutions and to create a network of experts between NDC and the ICI countries.
- **NATO Action Authority:** NATO Defence College
- **Location:** ICI countries.
- **Number of events per year:** 4
- **Dates and Duration:** To be decided with ICI countries
- **Number of participants:** 2 from NDC Research Branch
- **NATO POC:** RADM (ret) Jean Dufourcq, Head of the ARB, j.dufourcq@ndc.nato.int and Dr. Laure Borgomano-Loup, Researcher l.borgomano@ndc.nato.int

International Research Seminar (IRS)

- **Identification Code:** TBD
- **Type and Aims:** IRS aimed at exploring security issues of common interest.
- **NATO Action Authority:** NATO Defence College
- **Location:** NATO Defence College, Rome, Italy
- **Dates and Duration:** 2-day seminar late June 2007.

- **Number of events per year:** One
- **Language Requirements:** Working knowledge in either English or French language.
- **Number of Participants:** Up to 50 participants, 1 participant from each participating ICI country in the rank of Colonel or Lt Colonel and civilians with equivalent rank or academic from Universities and Research Institutes.
- **NATO POC:** RADM (ret) Jean Dufourcq, Head of Research Branch j.dufourcq@ndc.nato.int and Dr Laure Borgomano-Loup, Researcher l.borgomano@ndc.nato.int
- **Remarks:** Civilian dress

ICI Research Talks

- **Identification Code:** TBD
- **Type and Aims:** Intense exchange of view between NDC Research Branch and one ICI country; the objectives are to gather researchers, officers, and officials from one or several ICI countries at a time with NDC Research Branch, in order to explore in depth mutual security issues.
- **NATO Action Authority:** NATO Defence College.
- **Location:** TBD (NDC or ICI country)
- **Number of events per year:** 2, one in spring and one in autumn.
- **Dates and Duration:** Exact date: TBD for 2 days.
- **Language Requirements:** Working knowledge of either French or English language.
- **Number of Participants:** Limited to 12 all together; experts, officers and civilian at the senior level, officials in charge of security issues; origins of the participants to be defined according with the country and the topics envisaged.
- **NATO POC:** RADM (ret) Jean Dufourcq, Head of Research Branch j.dufourcq@ndc.nato.int and Dr. Carlo Masala, Research Adviser of the ARB c.masala@ndc.nato.int
- **Remarks:** Civilian dress

Research Forum On Regional Security (RFRS)

- **Identification Code:** TBD
- **Type and Aims:** Bi/Multi cooperation programme. The objective is to engage one partner country in a co-sponsoring activity (bilateral aspect), while the topics to be addressed must deal with regional security issues (multilateral aspects). The RFRS includes the organization of Workshops, both in Rome and in the partner country and the publication of a final Report as well as intermediary Papers.
- **NATO Action Authority:** NATO Defence College.
- **Location:** TBD (NDC or ICI country)
- **Number of events per year:** 2 (spring, and autumn)
- **Dates and Duration:** Exact date TBD, 1 day for each Workshop.
- **Language requirements:** Working knowledge of either French or English language.
- **Number of participants:** Workshops are limited to 20 all together; experts, officers and civilian at the senior level; officials in charge of security issues; origins of the participants to be defined according with the country and the topics envisaged.

- **NATO POC:** RADM (ret) Jean Dufourcq, Head of Research Branch j.dufourcq@ndc.nato.int and Dr. Carlo Masala, Research Adviser of the ARB c.masala@ndc.nato.int
- **Remarks:** Civilian dress

Conference Of Commandants (CONF. OF CMDTS)

- **Identification Code:** TBD
- **Type and Aims:** To permit the exchange of information between military authorities sharing identical responsibilities in the field of higher defence education as well as to encourage the development of co-operation in the field of higher defence training between Colleges in NATO countries and their counterparts in the Partner, Mediterranean Dialogue, and ICI Countries.
- **NATO action authority:** NATO Defence College
- **Location:** TBD, Croatia
- **Number of events per year:** 1
- **Dates and Duration:** 23-24 April 2007
- **Language requirements:** Participants should have a working knowledge of either English or French language. Simultaneous translation will be available in both languages.
- **Number of participants:** 1 participant from each ICI Country in the rank of General serving as Commandant of a Defence Institute and civilians with equivalent rank/post.
- **NATO POC:** Captain Henri Bobin, Academic Policy Branch; e-mail: h.bobin@ndc.nato.int
- **Remarks:** Civilian dress

13. ARMAMENTS

Meeting of CNAD Committee on NATO Codification System (NCS)

- **Identification Code:** CNAD AC/135
- **Type and Aims:** CNAD Committee on NATO Codification System (NCS) – AC/135 – NCS Sponsorship Programme (NSP). The NCS is a system of codification of items of supply for armaments systems, equipment and logistics. The NCS enables interoperability and interchangeability in equipment logistic support. The NSP is a programme designed to introduce non-NATO countries to membership of the NCS.
- **NATO Action Authority:** NATO Maintenance and Supply Agency (NAMSA)
- **Location:** Capellen, Luxembourg
- **Number of events per year:** 2; meeting of AC/135 Main Group with PfP, Mediterranean Dialogue, Istanbul Cooperation Initiative and Sponsored nations, and meeting of AC/135 Panel A (technical expert group) with PfP, Mediterranean Dialogue, Istanbul Cooperation Initiative and Sponsored Nations.
- **Dates and Duration:** 22-24 May 2007 (Main Group) and 4-6 September 2007 (Panel A)
- **Language Requirements:** English and French

- **Participation:** National Directors for Codification in Ministries of Defence
- **NATO POC:** Mr. Gilles Vergnerie ; tel. : 00352 30 63 6896; fax : 00352 30 87 21; e-mail: g.vergnerie@namsa.nato.int; www.nato.int/codification
- **Remarks:** ICI nations can be advised on the NSP as and when required by NATO POC.

Visit of Industrial Exhibitions of the Conference of National Armaments Directors

- **Identification Code:** TBD
- **Type and Aims:** Industrial exhibition organised by Defence Investment Staff which displays vendor technology on specific subjects related to defence against terrorism.
- **NATO Action Authority:** Defence Investment Division, Armaments Directorate
- **Location:** NATO HQ, Brussels, Belgium
- **Number of events per year:** 2 (TBC)
- **Dates and Duration:** April and November (to be confirmed); 2 days
- **Language Requirements:** English
- **Participation:** Political and technical representatives from ICI nations
- **NATO POC:** Mr. Denis Vandensavel; Defence Investment Division, Armaments Directorate, NATO HQ, 1110 Brussels; tel.: 0032 2 707 7300; fax: 0032 2 707 41 92; e-mail: vandensavel.denis@hq.nato.int
- **Remarks:** ICI nations can be advised as and when required by NATO POC.