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Invitation to the 6th CSDP training programme for EaP countries CSDP TP EaP 2019

CSDP OC (module II) in Brussels, 18-22 March 2019

CSDP RS (module III), 21-24 May 2019 (tbc)

hosted by the European Union, Romania and Austria

We are happy to announce the start of the 6th cycle of the three-modular CSDP Training Programme for Eastern Partnership (EaP) countries. It will reach out to all six partner countries. It will build on the progress made on CSDP activities as one of the key priorities identified in the '20 deliverables for 2020'.

This training programme was tailored for Eastern Partnership countries, respecting regional diversity and promoting a comprehensive approach (diplomatic/civilian/military/police). The ultimate goal remains the same:

- to establish a strategic community that is knowledgeable about CFSP/CSDP issues and therefore
- to contribute to the institution-building process in the margins of a common European Security Culture, and
- to bring Eastern European partners closer to the European Union.

Since the creation of the CSDP Training Programme for EaP countries in 2013, the ESDC together with its network members and the partners in the region plan, design and conduct this tailor made ESDC training activity together and annually adapt the programme to the training needs and requirements of the Eastern Partnership countries.

The European Union, Romania and Austria would very much appreciate your participation.

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Fact Sheet

- The training programme is **open to both civilian and military personnel** from EU Member States, EU institutions and agencies as well as Eastern Partnership countries.
- The language regime of the CSDP will apply (**English and French without translation**).
- **Attendance at the course is mandatory** on all days. A certificate will be awarded to those course participants who have completed the class-room-training (course+seminar) and the eLearning phase.

Nomination:

- **EU member states** and EU institutions/agencies/bodies are invited to nominate one participant for the CSDP OC (module II) in Brussels and to make use of the ENLIST system (eRegistration) until **8 February 2019**.
- **Eastern Partnership countries** shall send their nominations (up to 5 participants) for the three-modular CSDP TP EaP not later than **8 February 2019** to jochen.rehrl@eeas.europa.eu and in copy to catalin.andrus@academiadepolitie.ro and walter.wieser@bmlvs.gv.at (name, function, institution, personal eMail address). As soon as the organisers have received your nomination, a selection board will accept and confirm your participants. The nomination is for the full training programme including the orientation course (18-22 March 2019) and the reflection seminar (21-24 May 2019).

Costs:

- The CSDP training programme is run within the Eastern Partnership panel managed by the European Commission. All costs relating to participation by the Eastern Partnership beneficiaries are therefore covered by the European Commission. As soon as the organisers have received your nomination, a selection board will accept and confirm your participants. The European Commission will then contact the participants in order to arrange flights and accommodation (incl. a moderate daily allowance).
- To facilitate this process, please make sure that each candidate has a valid **personal email address**!
- The sending authorities of the other participants from EU member states and EU institutions will have to cover their costs related to the course (NO course fee).

Details:

- The course venue, programme, dress code, lecturers etc. will be made available in the practical information after the completion of the selection process.
- The course will start on **12 February 2019** with the eLearning phase. The residential part of the course will take place in Brussels from **18-22 March 2019** (Monday 1330 to Friday 1200).
- Attached you can find a draft programme of the orientation course (module 2). Before the course in Brussels starts, an updated programme will be distributed.
- When the participants' list is finalised, the designated course director will contact the participants on their personal e-mail address.

**Draft programme
CSDP OC in Brussels, 18-22 March 2019**

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Arrival	0900 – 1030 Crisis management structures and procedures	0900 – 1100 Integrated approach / missions and operations	0900 – 1030 Security Sector Reform	0930 – 1100 Panel discussion: The Future of CSDP
	1030 – 1100 Health break	1100 – 1130 Health break	1030 – 1100 Health break	1100 – 1130 Health break
	1100 – 1230 Civilian and military capability development	1130 – 1230 Communicating CSDP	1100 – 1230 Cyber security and cyber defence	1130 – 1145 Evaluation 1145 – 1200 Award ceremony
	1230 – 1330 Lunch break	1230 – 1330 Lunch break	1230 – 1330 Lunch break	1200 – 1400 Lunch break
1330 – 1400 Registration	1330 – 1500 Migration and Terrorism	1400 – 1730 Study visit: House of European History (EP)	1330 – 1730 Conflict analysis (group work)	Departure
1400 – 1415 Welcome	1500 – 1530 Health break		1500 – 1530 Health break	
1415 – 1500 Keynote speech	1530 – 1700 CSDP and partners			
1500 – 1530 Health break				
1530 – 1700 EU Security Strategy				
1800 – 2000 Reception				

CSDP Training Programme for EaP countries 2019

Module I: eLearning course, 12 February – 17 March 2019

Module II: CSDP orientation course (5 days), Brussels 18-22 March 2019

Module III: CSDP reflection seminar (4 days), location tbc, 21-24 May 2019 (incl. eLearning course)