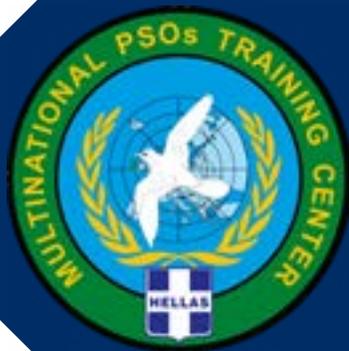


COURSE GUIDE

MPSOTC

2022



**Multinational
Peace Support Operations
Training Center**



33 Partnership Training and Education Centres (PTEC)

• 16 from 11 NATO Nations • 17 from 15 Partner Nations



MPSOTC Member of the Biggest NATO Training Network

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Welcome to the «Multinational Peace Support Operations Training Center» Course Guide 2022. This booklet briefly presents a concise history of the Training Center, its capabilities and facilities, as well as a detailed list of the courses conducted by MPSOTC. More detailed information can be found in our official web site (<https://mpsotc.army.gr>).

Hellenic MPSOTC is officially recognized by NATO as a PFP Training Center since May 2000. Training fully complies with the most recent international accepted standards, supported by the respective Quality Assurance Policy. The QA Policy was approved by NATO ACT QA Team and MPSOTC acquired Unconditional Quality Assurance Certification on Training, for 6 years. Furthermore, it is certified by the UN and conducts the UN Military Observers' Course. So far, MPSOTC has carried out a series of significant activities, including national and international courses, seminars and Mobile Training Teams, always fulfilling the

internationally recognised education levels as defined by UN, NATO, EU and OSCE.

MPSOTC objective is to remain flexible and ready to respond to the challenges of the future security environment, taking into account the multi-dimensional aspects of modern Peace Support Operations. However, the main training objectives is to provide the most efficient and effective academic and field training, with courses tailored to missions across a diverse spectrum that include, among others, robust peacemaking and humanitarian operations. Additionally, the MPSOTC supports the predeployment «mission-specific» training of National contingents and Staff Element, who are assigned to participate in PSOs, prior to their mission deployment.

We all in MPSOTC strive for excellence and seek continuous improvement in all that we do. The highly professional lectures, the realistic field training along with our contemporary facilities and the appropriate administrative and logistics support, ensure MPSOTC's provision of quality training and education, of certified knowledge to military and civilians while at the same time relations, friendship and cooperation with countries around the globe is enhanced.

In conclusion, believing strongly that "knowledge enables capability", I am looking forward to welcoming you in one of our upcoming courses.

Ioannis SOTIRIOU
Colonel (GRC-A)
Commandant

The Multinational Peace Support Operations Training Center (MPSOTC) is one of the 33 existing in the world, NATO/PfP Training Education Centers. It has been officially recognized with the name "PfP Training Center in Greece" by NATO SG since 2000. It is an active member of Partnership Training and Education Centers Community - PTECs, which is coordinated by ACT.



The Center is also recognized by UN, for organizing and conducting the "UN Military Observers' Course".

The primary MPSOTC 's mission is to provide training



Theoretical

&



Practical

The primary mission, is to provide a multifaceted academic and realistic practical training, to Military, Police and Civilian multinational students, on PSOs related issues. MPSOTCs' training is fully complying with the most recent international accepted standards (NATO-UN-EU-OSCE), supported by its Quality Assurance Policy. The QA Policy was approved by NATO ACT QA Team, as unconditional in 2019 for 6 years. The accreditation will be distributing to students with a special badge on the course certificate. This factor establishes MPSOTC as the tenth PTEC which acquired Quality Assurance Certification on Training, and proves the Center commitment to continually training improvement.



Moreover, the Center supports the national contingents training and the education of Staff elements during the mission predeployment preparation for UN, NATO and EU led missions. Also, MPSOTC can provide MTT (Mobile Training Teams) upon request covering specific training topics. Training delivery is provided by MPSOTC Instructors, guest instructors and lecturers from national and international academic environment, and organizations (NATO, UN, EU, OSCE).

In that direction, MPSOTC maintains special relation with academic institutes and entities, such as University of Macedonia and Aristotle University in Thessaloniki, National Defence College and European Security and Defence College (ESDC). Additionally, from 2020 MPSOTC has sign a Letter of Intention with TNTD/OSCE (Transnational Threats Department/Organisation for Security and Cooperation in Europe) and co-organise the join Cultural Property Protection Course.

All courses are open to NATO, Pfp, MD, ICI ,Partners across the globe as well as to IOs (UN,EU,OSCE). More details can being reached in our official web page: <https://mpsotc.army.gr>.

The working language is English. Students should be able to comply with NATO STANAG 6001 requirements [Listening Good(3), Speaking Fair(2), Reading Good(3), Writing Fair(2)] or CEFR B2.

MPSOTC maintains 2 reserved posts for international Staff Officers and Instructors, declaring that its international character and orientation.



The MPSOTC, is located in «Papatheofilou» Army Base, at KRISTONI, 2 Km from KILKIS, and 40 min driving time from Thessaloniki. Access to the Training Centre is possible by car, train or bus.

Transportation from/to “MAKEDONIA” (SKG) airport in Thessaloniki is provided for free, for all students by MPSOTC. Participants have to inform MPSOTC about their travel arrangements at least one week prior to their arrival. Otherwise, transportation will be the student’s own responsibility.

Dress Code : Battle dress uniform (BDU) is required during training (or “smart casual” for civilians). For official social events, jacket and tie is required (or similar for ladies).

Participants would enjoy the use of medical facilities provided by the Greek Army. If a special treatment might be needed, it will be provided by the 424 Military Hospital in Thessaloniki, at 24/7 status. Emergencies are treated in Kilkis General Hospital. Dental care lies on participants’ own expenses.

Application and seat allocation procedure follow the “first come, first served” basis, and for each course, an official invitation detailed letter is circulated through official channels and authorities. Expression of interest is taking place through the relevant request (application form) and upon approval, an official confirmation message is following.



101 countries*



More than 4.900 trainees*

* According to MPSOTC records until 16 February 2021

- 1 **International Humanitarian Law Course**
IHL: 17 - 21 Jan 2022 (1 week)
- 2 **Sea/Land Border Security and Refugees/Arms/Dual-Use Goods Control Course**
BSRAGC: 31 Jan - 11 Feb 2022 (2 weeks)
- 3 **NATO Basic Public Affairs Officer Course A**
PAO A: 14 - 24 Mar 2022 (2 weeks)
- 4 **Cross Cultural Competency for CSDP Missions and Operations Course (ESDC)**
CCC for CSDP Missions&Operations Course: 7 - 11 Mar 2022 (1 week)
- 5 **UN Military Observers Course**
UNMO Course: 28 Mar - 15 Apr 2022 (3 weeks)
- 6 **PSOs Basic Course**
BASIC: 9 - 20 May 2022 (2 weeks)
- 7 **Crisis Response to Mass Migration & Refugees' Flows Course**
CRMMRFC: 23 - 27 May 2022 (1 week)
- 8 **NATO Strategic Communications Course**
STRATCOM: 21 Nov - 2 Dec 2022 (2 weeks)
- 9 **PAO Advanced Media Operations Course (PAO Advanced)**
PAOAMOC: 30 May - 10 June 2022 (2 weeks)
- 10 **Cultural Property Protection Course (OSCE)**
CPP: 5 - 9 Sep 2022 (1 week)
- 11 **Hostile Environment Awareness Training Course (Pilot)**
HEAT: 12 - 16 Sep 2022 (1 week)
- 12 **NATO CIMIC Field Workers Course**
NCFWC: 19 - 30 Sep 2022 (2 weeks)
- 13 **Cultural Awareness Course**
CAC: 3 - 7 Oct 2022 (1 week)
- 14 **NATO Basic Public Affairs Officer Course B**
PAO B: 10 - 21 Oct 2022 (2 weeks)
- 15 **Integrated Border Management Course (ESDC)**
IBM: 31 Oct - 4 Nov 2022 (1 week)
- 16 **Security Management in Situational Prevention Course**
SMSPC: 7 - 18 Nov 2022 (2 weeks)
- 17 **Building Integrity Course**
BIC: 5 - 9 Dec 2022 (1 week)

REMARKS

All Courses' info can be reached through NATO e-PRIME, NATO e-ITEP (ETOC) and EEAS Goalkeeper.

Course Fees for all courses 150€ per person per week. The cancellation policy is included in the confirmation letter.



To provide military Officers, including operators and military lawyers, as well as civilians, with the opportunity to learn how to apply the principles and rules of the Humanitarian Law.

ePrime: MPSOTC.12.3
ETOC: ETE-IT-35526

Purpose

International Humanitarian Law LISTED

- Principles of International Humanitarian law (IHL)
- IHL and human right law
- Judicial and non judicial enforcement IHL
- Targeting decision making
- Means and methods of warfare
- Rules of engagement

Student Criteria

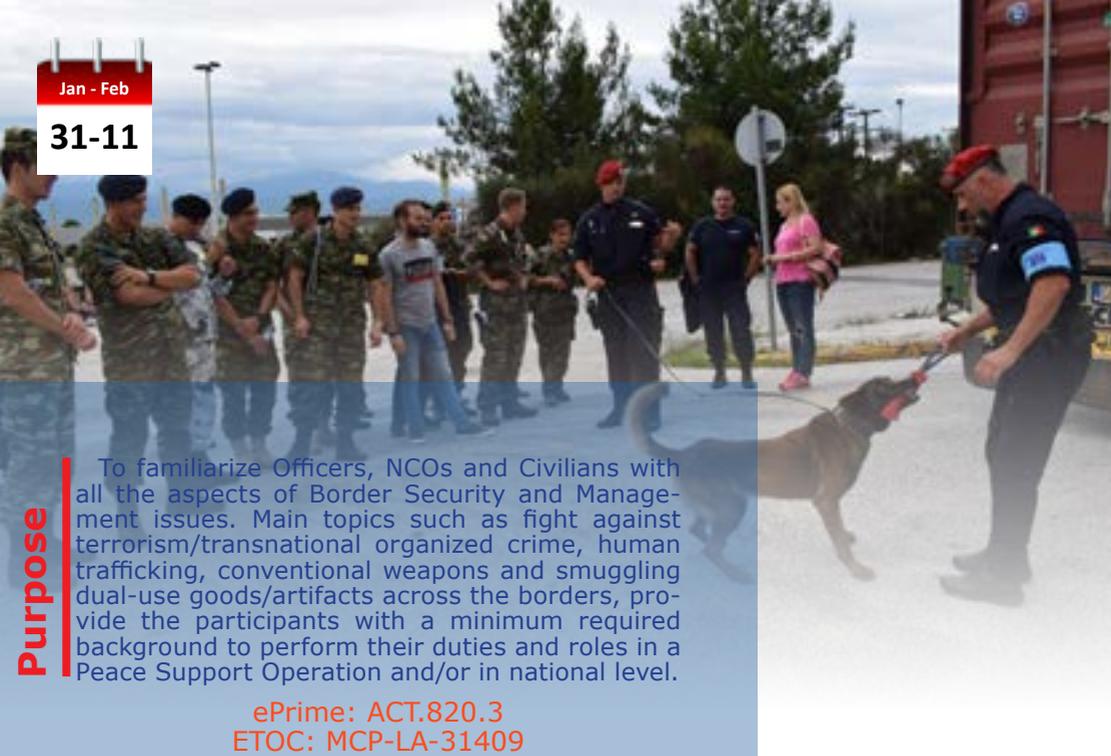
OR-8 up to OF-5

Civilians with relevant work/professional background

Up to 35 participants (20 slots are available to international trainees)

Remarks

Learning Topics



Purpose

To familiarize Officers, NCOs and Civilians with all the aspects of Border Security and Management issues. Main topics such as fight against terrorism/transnational organized crime, human trafficking, conventional weapons and smuggling dual-use goods/artifacts across the borders, provide the participants with a minimum required background to perform their duties and roles in a Peace Support Operation and/or in national level.

ePrime: ACT.820.3
ETOC: MCP-LA-31409

Sea/Land Borders/Security & Refugees/Arms/Dual-Use Goods Control Course

NATO APPROVED

Student Criteria

OR-3 up to OF-5

Civilians with relevant work/professional background

Up to 35 participants (20 slots are available to international trainees)

Remarks

- Introduction to international organizations (IOs) working on borders management (OSCE-FRONTEx structure, current & future operations on border security)
- IOs-NGOs related with refugees handling (UNHCR, MSF, DRC)
- Cultural awareness (overview)
- Legal framework (Human / Refugee Rights, Rules of Engagement & Use of Force)
- Border control Unit (BCU) organization (Duties, manning, equipment & responsibilities).
- Border checks & controls (operations & techniques)
- Cyber/Financial crime activities
- Risk management
- Field training on border control and coast guard activities & procedures

Learning Topics



Purpose

To develop and provide the required knowledge and communication skills for the participants, in order to prepare them to perform effectively their duties as Public Affairs Officers, in a multinational environment and according to NATO policies and doctrines.

ePrime: ACT.632.12 & ACT.632.13
ETOC: STC-PA-31410

NATO Basic Public Affairs Officer Course A&B

NATO APPROVED

Student Criteria

OR-8 up to OF-5

Civilians with relevant work/professional background

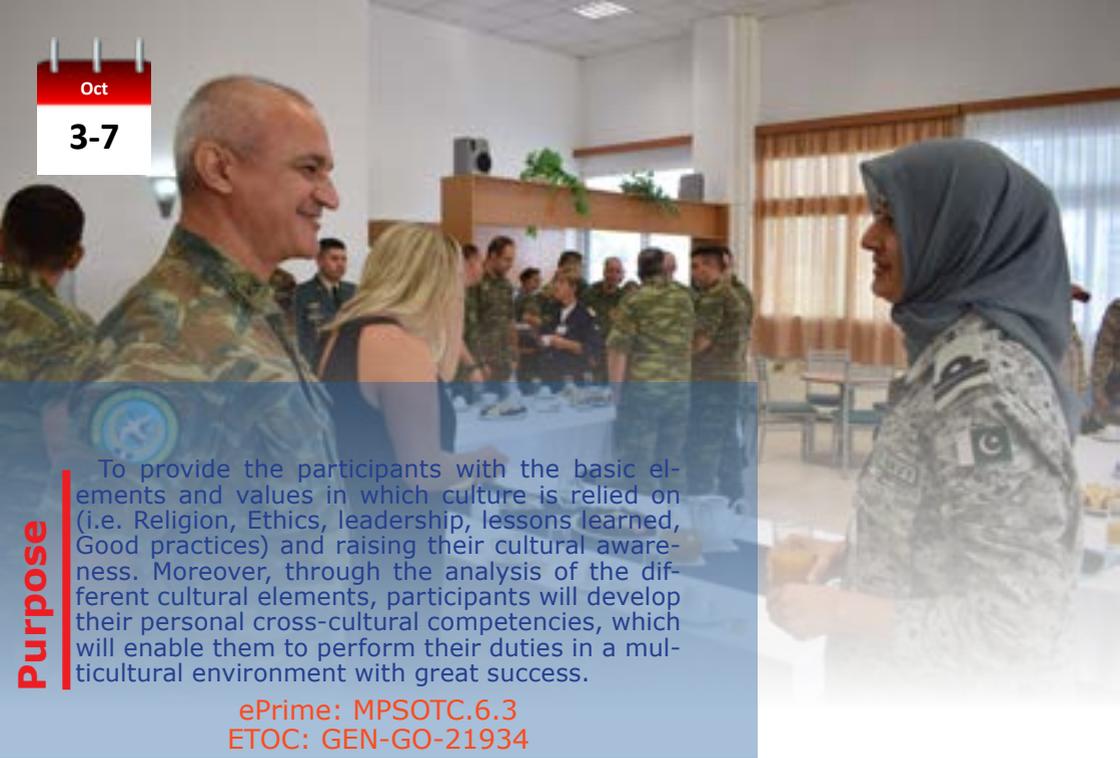
Up to 35 participants (20 slots are available to international trainees)

Remarks

- NATO PA policy
- NATO strategic communications
- Community relations and internal communications
- The role of press in military history
- Media operations
- Media and information environment
- PA products
- Types of questions
- Organizing and conducting news conferences
- Crisis communications
- Body language
- Basic training as a spokesperson

Learning Topics

Oct
3-7



Purpose

To provide the participants with the basic elements and values in which culture is relied on (i.e. Religion, Ethics, leadership, lessons learned, Good practices) and raising their cultural awareness. Moreover, through the analysis of the different cultural elements, participants will develop their personal cross-cultural competencies, which will enable them to perform their duties in a multicultural environment with great success.

ePrime: MPSOTC.6.3
ETOC: GEN-GO-21934

Cultural Awareness Course
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Student Criteria

OR-3 up to OF-5

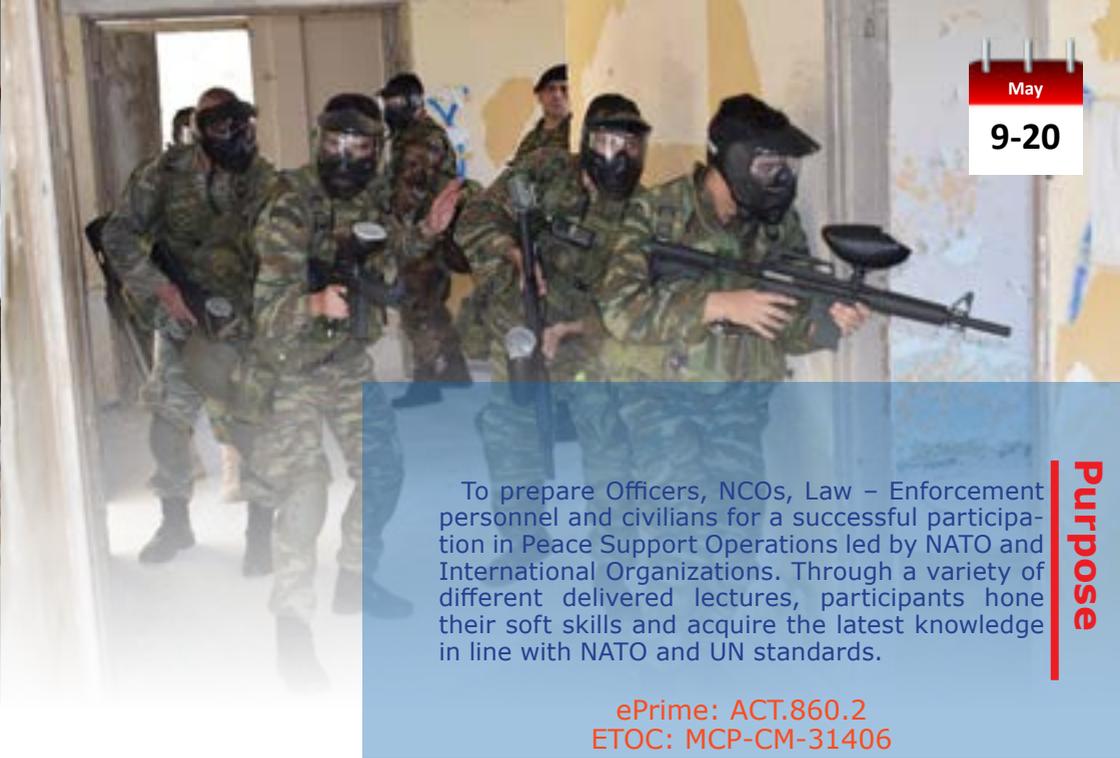
Civilians with relevant work/professional background

- Basic cultural terminology
- Do and Don'ts on cultural behaviour
- Cultural property protection (CPP)
- Religions and ethics of the world
- Gender issues
- Good practices and lessons learned
- Self-awareness knowledge
- Cultural leadership
- Gender advisor role
- Gender focal points

Up to 35 participants (20 slots are available to international trainees)

Remarks

May
9-20



Purpose

To prepare Officers, NCOs, Law – Enforcement personnel and civilians for a successful participation in Peace Support Operations led by NATO and International Organizations. Through a variety of different delivered lectures, participants hone their soft skills and acquire the latest knowledge in line with NATO and UN standards.

ePrime: ACT.860.2
ETOC: MCP-CM-31406

Peace Support Operations Basic Course
NATO APPROVED

Student Criteria

OR-5 up to OF-3 (Military-Police)

Civilians with relevant work/professional background

- PSOs background knowledge
- Basic principles for PSOs
- Inspection verification
- Legal implications for PSOs
- Cultural awareness
- Code of conduct
- Operation techniques (Checkpoint, Observation Post, Patrolling)
- Soft skills (Negotiation-Mediation, Effective Communication, Media Awareness)
- Mine-IED awareness
- Self/Buddy first Aid in the field
- Land navigation techniques (GPS training included)

Up to 35 participants (20 slots are available to international trainees)

Remarks

Learning Topics

Learning Topics

Mar - Apr

28-15



Purpose

To prepare Officers or equivalent civilians for service as UN Military Observers in any on-going or future PKO improving their basic skills required for Military Observers to carry out successfully their respective roles.

ePrime: ACT.819.3
ETOC: MCP-LA-31408

UN Military Observers Course

UN ACCREDITED
NATO APPROVED

Student Criteria

OF-1 up to OF-4 (Military-Police)

Civilians with relevant work/professional background

Up to 35 participants (20 slots are available to international trainees)

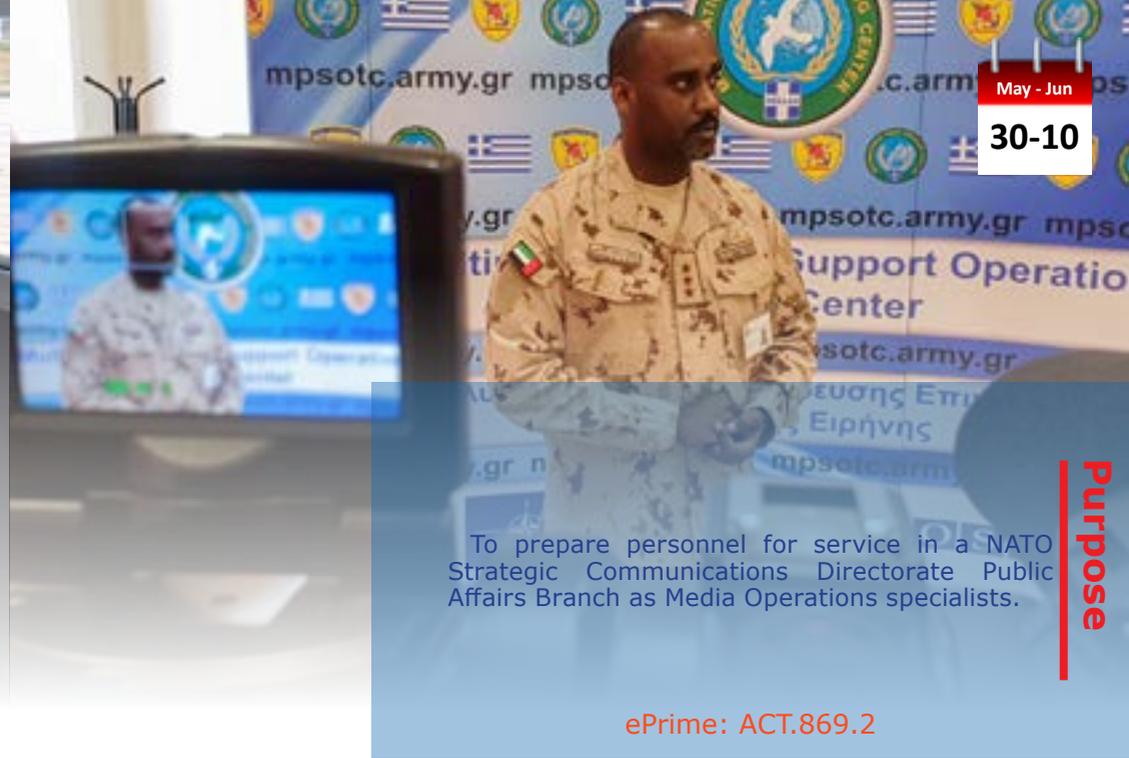
Remarks

Learning Topics

- Introduction to UN structure, doctrine, principles, SOPs
- Description of UN PKO legal framework
- Main field tasks (observation, monitoring, reporting) including field training
- Dealing with cultural-language differences
- Negotiation - mediation principles and techniques
- Media interaction and security awareness
- Liaison duties, coordination with IO's and NGO's
- Investigation - Verification
- Land navigation basic skills
- Field first aid (theory/practice)
- UN team management and other staff duties and reports

May - Jun

30-10



Purpose

To prepare personnel for service in a NATO Strategic Communications Directorate Public Affairs Branch as Media Operations specialists.

ePrime: ACT.869.2

PAO Advanced Media Operations Course (PAO Advanced)

NATO APPROVED

Student Criteria

OR-7 to OF-5 (according to assigned duties)

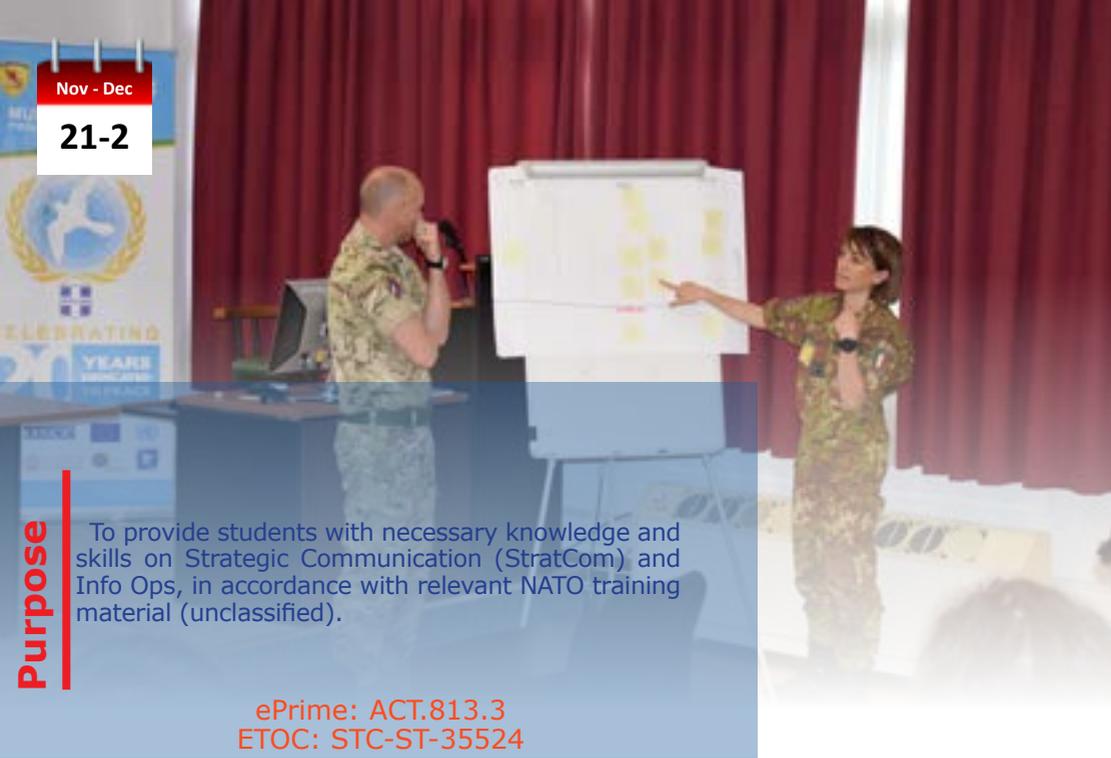
Previous Public Affairs and StratCom training

Up to 35 students (10 slots reserved for international students)
Open to NATO, Pfp, MD, ICI and PatG

Remarks

Learning Topics

- Plan, synchronize and conduct media operations and media relations activities
- Advise command on media Relations
- Act as NATO military spokesperson
- Crisis communications
- Contribution to information environment awareness
- Use of media products
- Coordination with StratCom and joint effects processes



Purpose

To provide students with necessary knowledge and skills on Strategic Communication (StratCom) and Info Ops, in accordance with relevant NATO training material (unclassified).

ePrime: ACT.813.3
ETOC: STC-ST-35524

Strategic Communications Course
NATO APPROVED

Student Criteria

OF-1 up to OF-4

Civilians with relevant work/professional background

Up to 35 participants (20 slots are available to international trainees)

Remarks

- Introduction to NATO StratCom Concept & Policy
- StratCom organisational structure
- Analysis of the information environment
- Introduction to NATO Info Ops policy
- Introduction to NATO comprehensive operational planning
 - NATO Public Affairs and StratCom
 - NATO PSYOPS and Info Ops
 - NATO CMI/CIMIC and Info Ops
 - NATO Cyber Warfare and Info Ops
 - NATO Hybrid Warfare and Info Ops
- Key Leader Engagement (KLE) Techniques
- Legal Framework of Info Ops

Learning Topics



Purpose

Course's aim is to allow the participants to obtain knowledge and practical skills in order to be capable to address and enhance the Cultural Property Protection topic. Contemporary security environment, legal framework, Transnational Organized Crime, Terrorism, Artifacts' smuggling and the international cooperation are some of the core topics that allow the participants to achieve a holistic approach and make them aware about the root causes of the phenomenon.

ePrime: MPSOTC.14.3
ETOC: CMI-CI-25689

Cultural Property Protection Course
OSCE/MPSOTC

Student Criteria

OR-8 up to OF-5

Law Enforcement, Diplomats, Students & Employees from Public or Private Security Service Sectors.
Civilians with relevant work/professional background

Up to 35 participants (25 slots are available to international trainees)

Remarks

- Legal framework governing CPP
- Responsibilities of Armed Forces and Non-State Actors across the spectrum of armed conflict
- Criminological aspects in illicit trade of cultural property
- Contribution of OSCE, UNODC and Interpol to CPP
- Role of GOs, NGOs and IOs in CPP
- Threats, vulnerabilities and risk assessment for CPP in operational environment
- Data collection and risk assessment
- Peacekeeping/support mission in the CPP operational context
 - Internet and dark web
 - Education in CPP topics
- Responding in the event of evidence of ongoing or recent damage or destruction to cultural property
- INTERPOL - Stolen works of art database
- Proposing best practices for cultural property protection and combating trafficking in CP

Learning Topics



Purpose

To improve participants' awareness of the multiple threats that are present in hostile field environments. In advance the aim is to train them on the ways and means of dealing with the dangers in an effective manner, in order to increase their survivability.

Hostile Environment Awareness Training Course (Pilot)

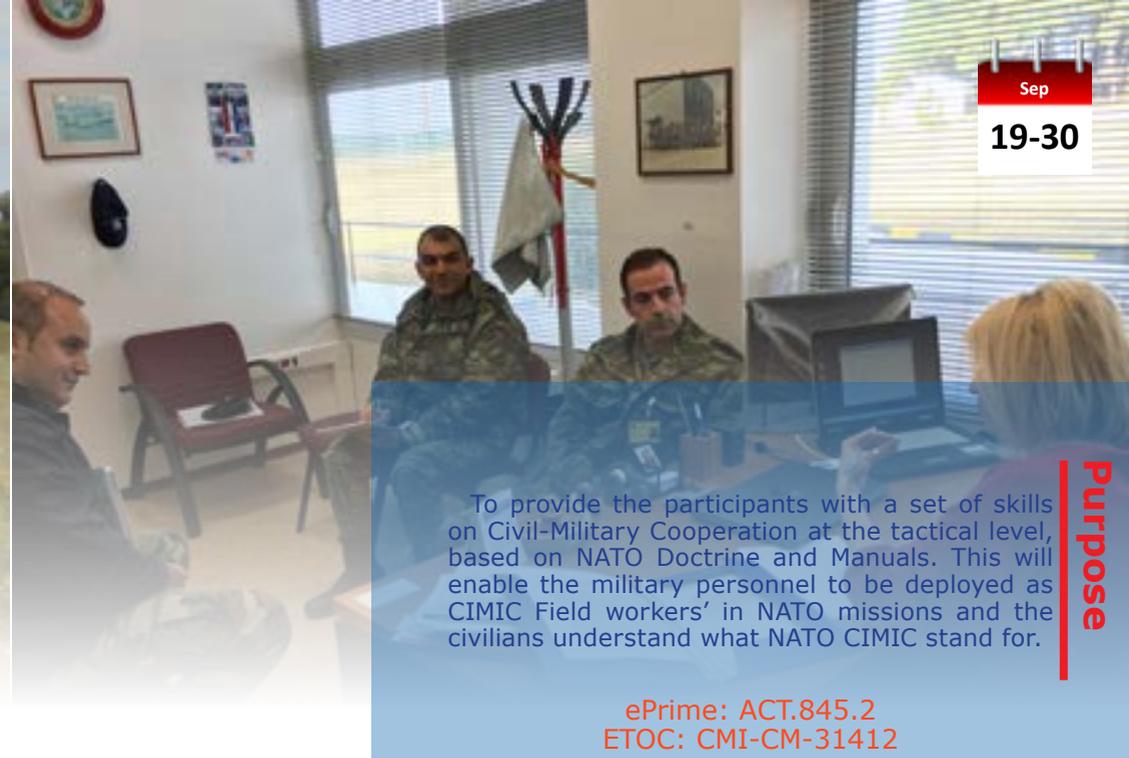
Student Criteria

Military and Civilians from the security sector or with relevant work/professional background

- Personal security awareness
- Communications
- Navigation & Orientation
- Medical skills & health
- Mobile security, explosives & roadblocks
- Hostage and kidnap survival

Up to 35 participants (20 slots are available to international trainees)

Remarks



Purpose

To provide the participants with a set of skills on Civil-Military Cooperation at the tactical level, based on NATO Doctrine and Manuals. This will enable the military personnel to be deployed as CIMIC Field workers' in NATO missions and the civilians understand what NATO CIMIC stand for.

ePrime: ACT.845.2
ETOC: CMI-CM-31412

NATO CIMIC Field Workers Course NATO APPROVED

Student Criteria

OR-8 up to OF-4

Civilians with relevant work/professional background

- Background Knowledge of CIMIC
- CIMIC organization and doctrine
- Structure and functionality of IOs and NGOs
- Approach to CIMIC core functions
- Principles of CIMIC
- Staff duties, techniques and procedures
- Media relations
- Negotiation and liaison principles and techniques
- CIMIC meetings
- Working with interpreters
- Working in a CIMIC Center
- Practical training, syndicate work and CIMIC exercise
- Protection of civilians in PSOs
- Cultural awareness

Up to 35 participants (20 slots are available to international trainees)

Remarks

Learning Topics

Learning Topics



To provide participants with basic Knowledge of EU Integrated Border Management (IBM) concept. During the course students will be familiarized with the EU legislation, the inter and Intra agencies co-operation in EU, and how the military could play a supportive role to this function.

Purpose

Integrated Border Management Course MPSOTC/ESDC

Student Criteria

OF-1 up to OF-5 (Military and Police)

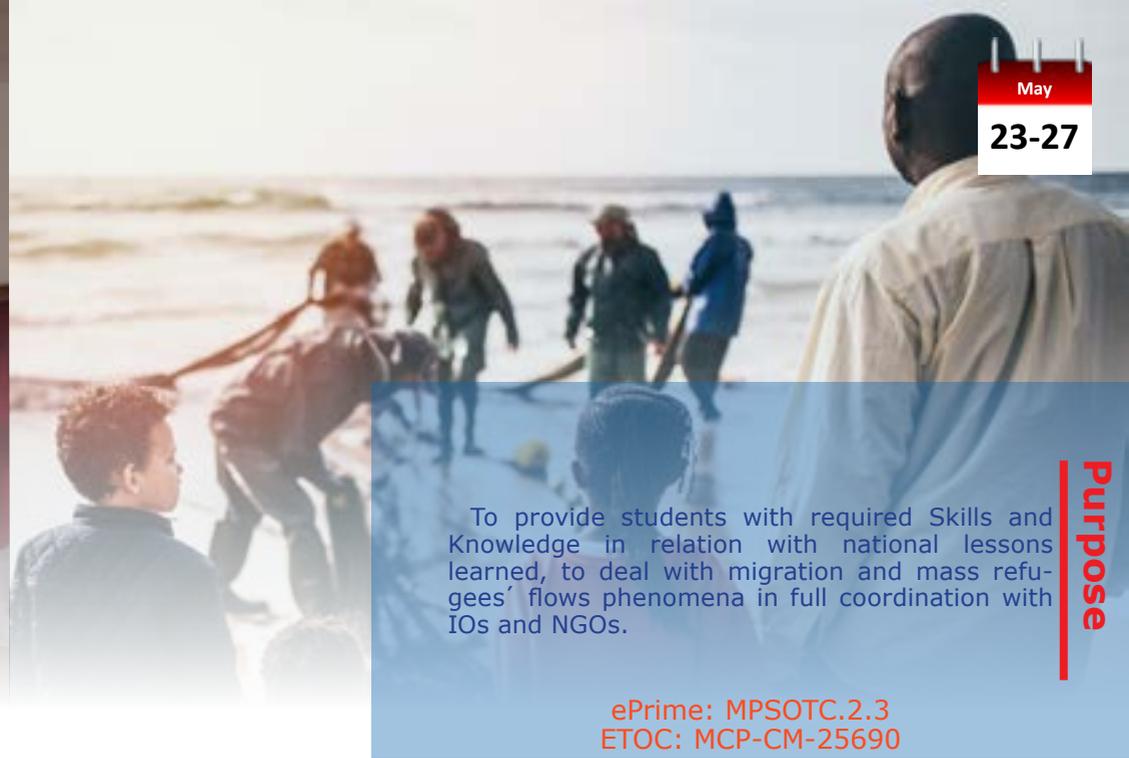
Staff personnel from EU institutions and Agencies

- Concept of EU IBM
- EU legislation for IBM
- Military role in IBM
- Inter and Intra cooperation among border management agencies
- Lessons learned from Greece during migration crisis

Up to 35 participants from EU (20 slots are available to international trainees)

Student enrollment is done through a national representative

Remarks



To provide students with required Skills and Knowledge in relation with national lessons learned, to deal with migration and mass refugees' flows phenomena in full coordination with IOs and NGOs.

Purpose

ePrime: MPSOTC.2.3
ETOC: MCP-CM-25690

Crisis Response to Mass Migration & Refugees' Flows

Student Criteria

OR-5 up to OF-4

Civilians with relevant work/professional background

- Human rights – refugees/immigrants legal framework
- Immigrants identification process (Screening).
- Asylum procedures
- Combating human trafficking
- Refugee's camp establishment - Case studies - lessons learned
- Coast guard engagement to migration flows.
- Police engagement to migration flows
- Criminality in a refugee camp - lessons learned/ case studies
- Local suppliers & workers field involvement.
- Field first aid (Theory/Practice)
- Role of IOs - NGOs (FRONTEX, UNHCR, ICRC, DRC)
- Basic CIMIC principles
- Mediation - negotiation - organizing meetings - PAO basic skills
- Cultural / Gender / Religious working with interpreters - diversity Awareness
- Spot visit to a refugee's camp

Learning Topics

Learning Topics

Remarks

Up to 35 participants (20 slots are available to international trainees)



Mar
14-24

■ Military Missions/Operations
■ Civilian Missions

6 on-going military Missions/Operations
 10 on-going civilian Missions

Around 5,000 people currently deployed

Objectives:
 Peace-keeping, conflict prevention, strengthening international security, supporting the rule of law, prevention of human trafficking and piracy.

Purpose

To provide the fundamentals of understanding the cultural environment in a CSDP mission and to provide the participants with a comprehensive set of cross-cultural knowledge and skills. Moreover, this knowledge will reduce the risks of possible cultural related issues, including misbehaviours and misunderstandings.

Cross Cultural Competency for CSDP Missions & Operations Course

MPSOTC/ESDC

Student Criteria

Staff personnel (Military and Civilians) from EU institutions and Agencies who are assigned to be deployed or already deployed in a CSDP mission

Up to 35 participants from EU (20 slots are available to international trainees)

Student enrollment is done through a national representative

Remarks

- Cross-cultural competence in fragile and conflict environments
- Applying civilian and military methods to cultural awareness and operationalisation of culture
- Interagency cooperation
- Multicultural project management and leadership
- Cultural self-awareness reinforcing the affective aspect of learning
- Cross-cultural communication and negotiation in security and defence contexts
- Cultural Intelligence
- Risk analysis regarding cultural challenges
- Building Integrity as part of a culture
- Applying cross-cultural competence at strategic and policy level
- Cross-cultural competence (3C) for security purposes, including ethical considerations and decisions
- Cultural awareness, including cultural, gender, ethnic, religious and professional identity.
- Good practices of cross-cultural competence
- Applying lessons learned
- Case studies and contemporary issues regarding cultural awareness and its operationalisation

Learning Topics

Nov
7-18



Purpose

To provide trainees with a minimum required background in order to become capable of planning and conducting security plans for personnel and critical infrastructures. Moreover, to enhance their critical thinking, knowledge and skills to raise their overall security awareness.

ePrime: MPSOTC.8.4
ETOC: CTM-CT-35525

Security Management in Situational Prevention Course

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Student Criteria

OR-4 up to OF-5 Police Officers & Employees from Public or Private Security Service Sectors. Civilians with relevant work/professional background

Up to 35 participants (20 slots are available to international trainees)

Remarks

- Introduction to security management.
- National & International legal framework for security
- Service providers.
- Terrorism (Modus operandi & characteristics).
- Planning security operations (Risks and threats).
- Cyber security awareness.
- Risk analysis & risk management in crisis (theory and practice).
- Close protection team (CPT).
- Critical infrastructure protection.
- Civil protection & emergency management agencies.
- Intelligence management.
- Basic principles of security personnel training.
- Field first aid (Theory/Practice).
- Natural/Technical disasters & fire security planning.

Learning Topics



- Phase I (2011-2014):**
- Lisbon Summits
 - Development of BI
 - Questionnaire
 - Best Practices Vol. I
 - Adapted
 - Matter Experts
- Phase II (2015-2018):**
- BI open to NATO Allies, EAPC, MD, JCI & PAG
 - BI Tailored Programmes for Afghanistan & South Eastern Europe
 - BI S&T Plan agreed by Allies
- Phase III (2019-2022):**
- NATO BI Policy endorsed at Warsaw Summit by HCSG
 - NATO BI Action Plan noted by ForMn
 - BI Reference Curriculum
 - BI Online Awareness Course
 - Tailored support to 12 nations
- Phase IV - BI 2.0 (2022):**
- Mainstreaming & embedding BI into NATO's 3 core tasks
 - Strengthening tailored support to nations
 - Strengthening cooperation with other International Organisations
 - Strengthening of partnerships with the private sector
 - European Union recognises NATO BI expertise and joins the BI Steering Group
 - New NATO BI Action Plan
 - BI Train-the-Trainer

Purpose

To provide trainees the root causes and the results of corruption, mismanagement in the the Defense and Security Sector. Moreover, students will understand how organisational governance and the available toolsets and strategies can contribute, in order a nation and/or an organisation develop resilience mechanisms, and as a result to increase its integrity.

ePrime: MPSOTC.13.3
ETOC: BIT-BI-35527

Building Integrity Course LISTED

Student Criteria

OR-8 up to OF-5 (Military and Police)

Civilians with relevant work/professional background

Up to 35 participants from EU (20 slots are available to international trainees)

Remarks

- Good governance
- Corruption root causes
- Legal framework
- Risk analysis and management
- Ethics and cultural dimensions
- Rule of law
- Corruption and security issues
- Corruption prevention strategies in operations and missions
- Strategy and tools for BI
- Role of media on tackling corruption within BI

Learning Topics

Visits to Vergina Archaeological Site where the Greek archaeologist Manolis Andronikos unearthed the burial site of the Macedonian kings, including the tomb of Philip II, father of Alexander the Great. Some of the most impressive and important exhibits from the Macedonian dominated period of the Greek history . Hundreds of items are displayed including the shield and armour of King Philip and the famous golden larnax.



during the German invasion of Greece in April 1941, where German and Bulgarian armies were completely stopped due to this.



Visits to the War Museum of Thessaloniki where are exhibited more than 10000 memorabilia presenting significant shapes of modern era's history of Greece. Also visits to Fort Rupel in Serres, a fortress at the North border of

Visits to the Museum of the Macedonian Struggle. The museum has the richest collection of memorabilia and historical facts and findings from the time of Macedonian Struggle, aiming to preserve and spread the memory of Greek fights for the liberation of Macedonia.



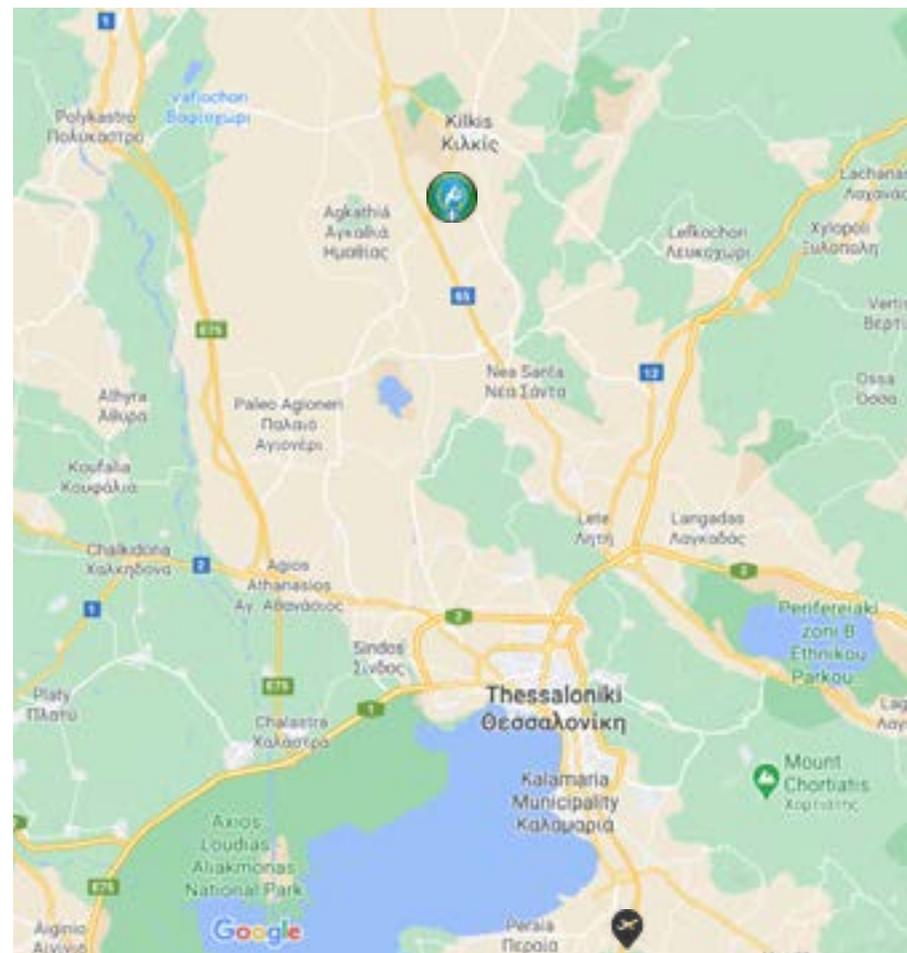
Central Macedonia, Greece, built in 1914. Became famous for its defence



Cultural Events



MPSOTC



The municipality of Kilikis lies 48 Km in North Thessaloniki city, and 66 kilometres from the international Thessaloniki airport “MAKEDONIA” (SKG). It occupies 323,8 square kilometres and it’s population is about 25.000. Kilikis town reflects the economic, commercial and cultural centre of the region. Banking services are available, including ATMs. The use of most common credit cards (Visa, Diners, Master Card, ech.) is possible almost everywhere. For your convenience, it is advisable to exchange currency prior to your arrival. The national currency is EURO (€).

Kilkis city is located 48 km in North of Thessaloniki city. Our centre can be accessed through:

AIR:



Via "MAKEDONIA" (SKG) International airport of Thessaloniki and then by train, bus or car, in less than 60 min. From "MAKEDONIA" Airport via bus No 78 to railway terminal or shuttle bus terminal.

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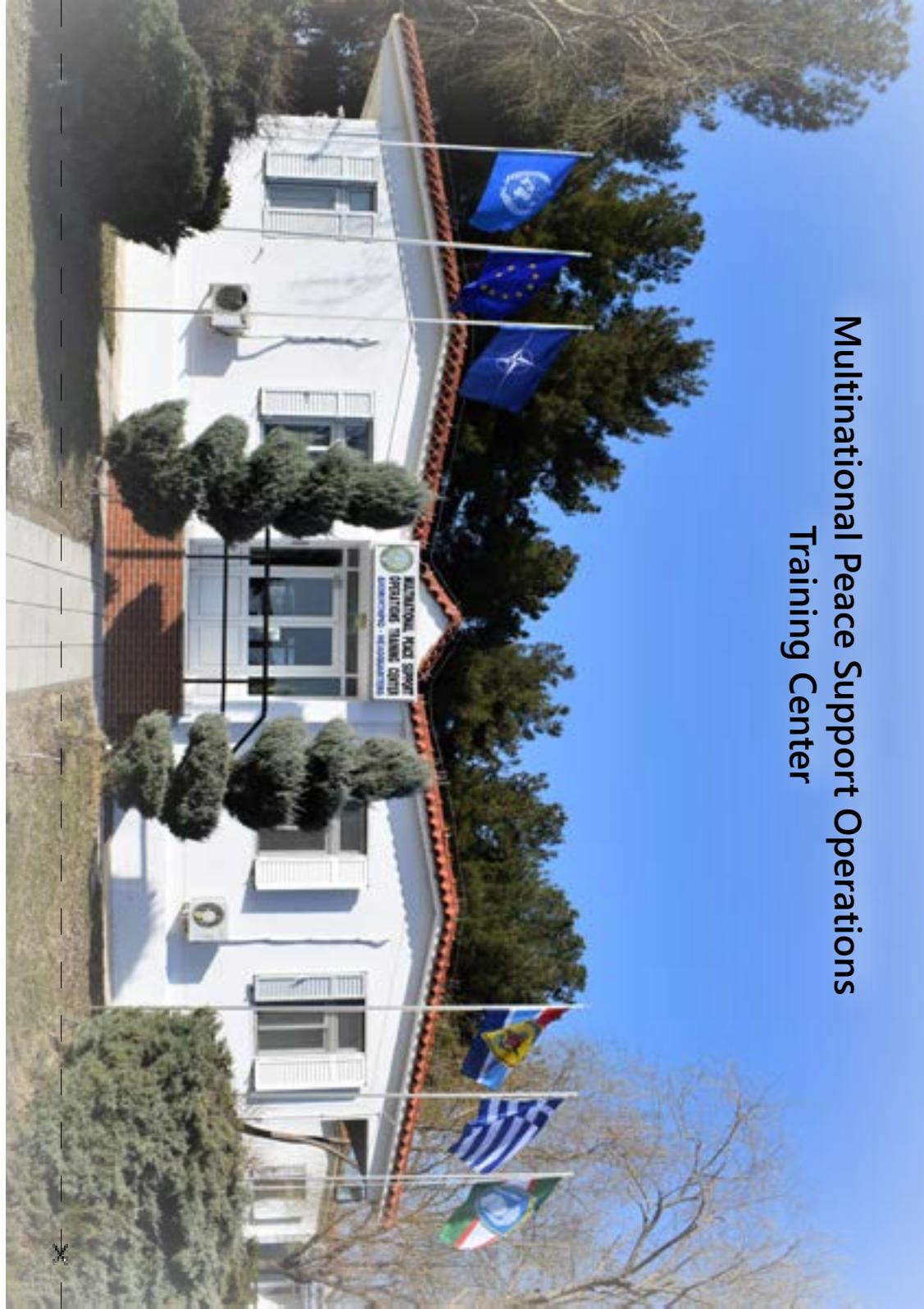
Thessaloniki railway terminal, is located in the heart of the city and is daily connected with Central and Eastern European countries. Kilkis railway station of Kristoni, is about 400m distance, from MPSOTC main gate and of course is directly connected with Thessaloniki train station.



SHUTTLE BUS:



Thessaloniki bus terminal is located in the heart of the city. Daily departures, connect the city with Central and Eastern European countries. A dense shuttle bus network, links Thessaloniki and Kilkis. The bus to Kilkis stops just in front of MPSOTC camp fence, few meters from the main gate.



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