



Hellenic Army Academy



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To Whom It May Concern,

The Hellenic Army Academy is pleased to inform you of its intent to organize the “International Spring Semester”, utilizing the framework provided by the “European Initiative for the Exchange of Military Young Officers.” All courses will take place within the Academy’s facilities in a residential format, from 21 February 2022 to 10 June 2022.

The main goal of the “International Spring Semester” is to challenge our future officers’ capacity to adapt and operate successfully within a multicultural environment. At the Hellenic Army Academy, we strongly feel that, a rigorous academic schedule combined with demanding –yet rewarding- training on the field, is certain develop the cadets’ leadership skills vastly.

The Semester consists of eleven (11) Common Modules, offering a total of thirty (30) ECTS. Students from your institution may participate in one or more specific modules, according to the seat availability in effect.

To that end, I would like to invite you to nominate participants from your esteemed institution, to take part in this challenging; yet extremely developmental experience alongside the future Officers of the Hellenic Army.

Very respectfully,

Major General Georgios Kostidis
Hellenic Army Academy Commandant



International Spring Semester 2022





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1. INTRODUCTION

1.1 Pre-requisites for participating in the “ISS 22”

- Only military Officer Cadets with an appropriate military background are eligible to participate in the entire “ISS 22”. Exceptions are to be addressed on a case-to-case basis.
- The Cadets’ pre-requisites for participation in the “ISS 22” are as follows:
 - ✓ Language skills according to [point 1.2](#).
 - ✓ Physical fitness standards as per own Institution requirements.
 - ✓ Basic managerial, communication and leadership competences.
 - ✓ Basic negotiation and problem-solving skills.
 - ✓ Ability to plan, organize and accept responsibility.
 - ✓ Basic IT knowledge (e.g. Basic Office Suite skills).
- Military Officer Cadets may attend one or more specific courses according to the schedule of [point 2.1](#).
- Please be advised that civilian students are not to participate in the “ISS 22”. Exceptions are to be addressed on a case-to-case basis as per each institution’s request.

1.2 Language

- The entire International Fall Semester will be taught in the English language.
- The Common European Framework of Reference for Languages (CEFR) Level B1 or NATO STANAG Level 2 is highly recommended for Cadets’ participating in the course.

1.3 Contents/Duration

- The “ISS 22” offers a curriculum of a total **30 ECTS** (4 of which are accredited from the CM: “Military Leadership C – Physical Training”, lasting 3 months). Thus, the cadets are eligible for Erasmus+ Funding (Key Action 01).
- The “ISS 22” takes place from **21 Feb 22** to **10 Jun 22**. (Any changes shall be uploaded timely on the EMILYO homepage).





1.4 Registration Process

- Please use the application form found in the link below.
https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLSc9dvpq8jzqQABiKligach3IU4MmUiPwGdvyGm_J4ISUK1xAw/viewform?usp=sf_link

Alternatively, you may use the attached application form found in fillable form (.doc) at:

<https://docs.google.com/document/d/1by0MrZl81CrgIEJpRISmqp0riV5vLhCO/edit?usp=sharing&oid=118416127119725334083&rtpof=true&sd=true>
(see [Annex "1"](#))

For your convenience you may submit your application form without your flight information, however we kindly ask that you let us know of your travel arrangements as soon as they are available.

If you do use the fillable (.doc) format, please send it to 1LT Ioannis-Angelos LAGANIS (laganis.i.a@sse.gr) and in carbo copy (cc') to CPT Georgios KAVELARIS (kavelaris.g@sse.gr) by **20th Dec 21**.

- Key Dates to note:
 - ✓ **Registration Deadline is 20th Dec 21**
 - ✓ The "ISS 22" starts on **21st Feb 22** and ends on **10th Jun 22**.
 - ✓ Arrival is expected within the weekend prior to the Start date (21st Feb 22), that is, from (19-20 Feb 21) or the day prior the module's start date (if one is to attend one or more specific courses)
 - ✓ Departure is expected on the End date (and in any case no later than Jun 12th) and on a case-to-case basis for participants attending one or more specific courses.
- Every institution is encouraged to apply for no more than 10 participants (Exceptions may take place on a case-to-case basis and always according to the availability in effect).
- All application forms will be prioritized on a "first-come/first-served" basis. Thus, you are kindly advised to submit your application timely.





- Applicants from the same institution are highly encouraged to submit their applications collectively to further facilitate the administrative process.

1.5 Accommodation, Meals & Financial Info

- According to EMILYO-LoD 5 (framework), accommodation, meals, and other expenses in relation to the education are free of charge for members of European Union Basic Officer Education Institutions (<http://www.emilyo.eu/node/982>).
- For Non-EU Members administrative and financial (cost) details shall be based upon inter-institutional bilateral agreements.
- No tuition fees are required.

1.6 Permission for Stay

In accordance to national regulations, the permission of stay shall be requested via the sending Institution's (military) diplomatic chain of command.

A "Request for Visit (RfV)" is to be passed via the sending country's echelons to the respective country's embassy in Greece.

Please be advised that this process (RfV) is mandatory for all participants.

1.7 Transportation

- All participants should make their own travel arrangements.
- For cadets attending the entire International Spring Semester, be informed that your arrival is expected on Sun 20 Feb 22. Similarly, please schedule your departure from the Academy (end of the Semester), on Jun 10th.
- For students participating in one or more specific courses, you are kindly asked to be present at the Academy **one day prior to the start of the course(s) (exceptions are to be reviewed on a case-to-case basis)**. As far as your departure is concerned, be advised that all classes/training sessions will be concluded by 1500PM on the module's end date. Please schedule accordingly.
- Transportation from Athens International Airport (ATH) to the Academy and vice versa will be provided by the Academy for all students/trainees. To that end, please notify the Hellenic Army Academy's POC's with respect to your flight information at your earliest convenience.





1.8 Uniform/Dress Code

- In accordance with the dress code in effect within the Hellenic Army Academy, shorts and denim trousers are not allowed.
- The following attires conform with the Academy's uniform regulations:
 - ✓ Arrival/departure and short leave: Informal/Causal/Very casual
 - ✓ Opening/closing ceremony: Ceremonial Dress and Service Uniform
 - ✓ Courses: Working Dress uniform (with and without tie) or Field Dress (dependent on the activity)
 - ✓ Sports activities: Own Academy shorts, t-shirt and tracksuit and swimming suit (for swimming training)

1.9 SARS CoV-2 Safety Procedures

As Covid-19 is still widespread in the EU, safety procedures and restrictions to international travels are updated on a regular basis.

Up to date information concerning travel restrictions and the epidemiological situation in Greece can be found using the links below:

<https://travel.gov.gr/#/>

<https://covid19.gov.gr/covid-map-en/>

Upon their arrival, all participants are requested to present a certification of COVID-19 vaccination. Alternatively, a certification of negative result to molecular or antigenic test, carried out by means of a swab no later than 48 hours before the arrival must be presented. The same test is to be repeated every week for non-vaccinated participants.

Please be advised that all COVID-19 measures are tentative and as such, subject to changes according to the national health regulations in effect.

Furthermore, please note that the Hellenic Army Academy will conduct a rapid Covid-19 test to all participants upon their arrival; prior to their entrance in the Academy's facilities.

Any additional and/or updated information relevant to the pandemic, shall be distributed timely to all participants and their respective institutions.





2. CONTENTS

2.1 Overview

| No. | Module/Class | ECTS | Dates (NOT including travel days) | Additional Remarks |
|-----|---|------|---|--------------------|
| 1 | Entire International Spring Semester | 30 | 21 Feb-10 Jun 2022 | |
| 2 | CM Basic Military English | 2 | 21-25 Feb 2022 | |
| 3 | CM Cross-Cultural Communication | 2 | 28 Feb-04 Mar 2022 | |
| 4 | CM Cultural Awareness | 2 | 08-11 Mar 2022 | |
| 5 | CM Military Leadership "B" [Leadership Training] | 2 | 14-18 Mar 2022 | |
| 6 | CM Military Leadership "A" [Tactics] | 2 | 21-24 Mar 2022 | |
| 7 | CM Comprehensive Approach | 4 | 28 Mar-08 Apr 2022 | |
| 8 | CM Electronic Warfare | 2 | 11-15 Apr 2022 | |
| 9 | CM Cyber Security | 2 | 18-20 & 28-29 Apr 2022 | |
| 10 | CM Law of Armed Conflict | 2 | 02-06 May 2022 | |
| 11 | CM Interoperability | 6 | 09-27 May 2022 | |
| 12 | CM Military Leadership "C" [Physical Training] | 4 | 21 Feb-27 May 2022 | |
| 13 | Final Exams | N/A | 30 May-10 Jun 2022 | |

2.2 Courses/Modules Description

Note: A detailed description of all Common Modules (marked in the table above with blue), can be found on the EMILYO homepage at: <http://www.emilyo.eu/node/988>

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|--------------------------|---|
| COURSE TITLE | CM Basic Military English (21-25 Feb 2022) |
| CREDITS | 2 ECTS |
| COURSE TYPE | In-Class Sessions |
| EXAM TYPE | Written exam |
| TEACHING CONTENTS | Military terminology Troop-leading procedures Commands & Warnings |





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| COURSE TITLE | CM Cross-Cultural Communication (28 Feb-04 Mar 2022) |
| CREDITS | 2 ECTS |
| COURSE TYPE | In-Class Sessions |
| EXAM TYPE | Written exam |
| TEACHING CONTENTS | Communication Verbal and non-verbal communication Low-context and high-context cultures Hofstede's Cultural dimensions |

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| COURSE TITLE | CM Cultural Awareness (08-11 Mar 2022) |
| CREDITS | 2 ECTS |
| COURSE TYPE | In-Class Sessions |
| EXAM TYPE | Written exam |
| TEACHING CONTENTS | Fundamentals of Cultural Awareness Intercultural Communication Cultural Impacts to Operational Effectiveness |

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|--------------------------|---|
| COURSE TITLE | CM Military Leadership "B" [Leadership Training] (14-18 Mar 2022) |
| CREDITS | 2 ECTS |
| COURSE TYPE | In-Class Sessions & Field Training |
| EXAM TYPE | Written exam & Practical Evaluation |
| TEACHING CONTENTS | Problem Based Learning (PBL) Military Decision Making Process (MDMP) Issue of Orders Competence Based Scenario Training (CBST) |

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| COURSE TITLE | CM Military Leadership "A" [Tactics] (21-24 Mar 2022) |
| CREDITS | 2 ECTS |
| COURSE TYPE | In-Class Sessions & Field Training |
| EXAM TYPE | Written exam |
| TEACHING CONTENTS | Basics for Military Leadership Principles of MDMP MDMP under Stressful Conditions Applied MDMP Training under Stressful Conditions (in-class) Applied MDMP Training under Stressful Conditions (field trng) Practical Leadership Training |





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| COURSE TITLE | CM Comprehensive Approach (28 Mar-08 Apr 2022) |
| CREDITS | 4 ECTS |
| COURSE TYPE | In-Class Sessions |
| EXAM TYPE | Written exam |
| TEACHING CONTENTS | Basic Understanding of Comprehensive Approach Operationalizing CA at the Tactical Level Understanding the Environment Negotiation in a Multicultural Environment Case Studies (CS) Review Role-Play Scenarios |

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|--------------------------|---|
| COURSE TITLE | CM Electronic Warfare (11-15 Apr 2022) |
| CREDITS | 2 ECTS |
| COURSE TYPE | In-Class Sessions |
| EXAM TYPE | Written exam |
| TEACHING CONTENTS | Electro-magnetic Environment Electronic Warfare Terms and Definitions Threats EW Actions and Measures EW Management |

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|--------------------------|---|
| COURSE TITLE | CM Cyber Security (18-20 & 28-29 Apr 2022) |
| CREDITS | 2 ECTS |
| COURSE TYPE | In-Class Sessions |
| EXAM TYPE | Written exam |
| TEACHING CONTENTS | Cyber Security Organizations and standards Cyber attacks Case studies Cyber Security tools |

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| COURSE TITLE | CM Law of Armed Conflict (02-06 May 2022) |
| CREDITS | 2 ECTS |
| COURSE TYPE | In-Class Sessions |
| EXAM TYPE | Written exam |
| TEACHING CONTENTS | Introduction to LOAC Basic Principles of the LOAC Definitions in LOAC International Criminal Justice Legal Context of Military Operations |





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| COURSE TITLE | CM Interoperability (09-27 May 2022) |
| CREDITS | 6 ECTS |
| COURSE TYPE | In-Class Sessions |
| EXAM TYPE | Written exam |
| TEACHING CONTENTS | Military Operations Command and Control Decision Making Process (DMP) Tactics Commander's exercises and SYNEX |

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|--------------------------|---|
| COURSE TITLE | CM Military Leadership "C" [Physical Training] (21 Feb-27 May 2022) |
| CREDITS | 4 ECTS |
| COURSE TYPE | In-Class Sessions & Outdoor Training |
| EXAM TYPE | Written Exam & Practical Evaluation |
| TEACHING CONTENTS | General (theoretical) Sports Education Specific (theoretical) Sports Education Practical Sports Education |

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For any additional information please do not hesitate to contact the Academy, using the contact information seen below:

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ANNEX "1"

"International Spring Semester 2022" Application Form

Do not forget to register your stay via your national (military) diplomatic chain of command!

Can be found in fillable (.doc) form at:

<https://docs.google.com/document/d/1by0MrZI81CrqIEJpRISmqp0riV5vLhCO/edit?usp=sharing&oid=118416127119725334083&rtpof=true&sd=true>

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| <p>Remarks:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Please fill in the yellow & blue fields only. Fill in 1 form for 1 person. Please send this form completed at laganis.i.a@sse.gr and cc' to kavelaris.q@sse.gr <div style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 10px; text-align: center;"> <p>Insert Photo Here (preferably a passport picture in jpg-format or attach the picture to the mail)</p> </div> | I want to participate in the event (please click to mark the event below – the dates do not include travel days) | |
| | <input type="checkbox"/> Entire International Spring Semester / 21 Feb–10 Jun 2022 | |
| | <input type="checkbox"/> CM Basic Military English (21-25 Feb 2022) | <input type="checkbox"/> CM Electronic Warfare (11-15 Apr 2022) |
| | <input type="checkbox"/> CM Cross-Cultural Communication (28 Feb-04 Mar 2022) | <input type="checkbox"/> CM Cyber Security (18-20 & 28-29 Apr 2022) |
| | <input type="checkbox"/> CM Cultural Awareness (08-11 Mar 2022) | <input type="checkbox"/> CM Law of Armed Conflict (02-06 May 2022) |
| | <input type="checkbox"/> CM Military Leadership "B" [Leadership Training] (14-18 Mar 2022) | <input type="checkbox"/> CM Interoperability (09-27 May 2022) |
| | <input type="checkbox"/> CM Military Leadership "A" [Tactics] (21-24 Mar 2022) | <input type="checkbox"/> CM Military Leadership "C" [Physical Training] (21 Feb-27 May 2022) |
| | <input type="checkbox"/> CM Comprehensive Approach (28 Mar-08 Apr 2022) | <input type="checkbox"/> Other event (please specify) |

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| Male <small>click to mark</small> <input type="checkbox"/> | Female <small>click to mark</small> <input type="checkbox"/> | Rank, ac. degree(s) | FAMILY NAME | Forename(s) / First name(s) |
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| Date of birth <small>DD MM YYYY</small> Click for date | Nationality | Passport or ID number | Passport or ID validity until Click for date |
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| Branch of Service (if available) | Sending institution's name | I want to participate as <small>(click to mark)</small> | | | |
| | | Student <input type="checkbox"/> | Instructor <input type="checkbox"/> | Observer <input type="checkbox"/> | Other <input type="checkbox"/> |

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| Phone number (if available) <small>please include country code</small> | E-mail address(es) |
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| Arrival by plane <small>(click to mark)</small> <input type="checkbox"/> | Arrival by train <small>(click to mark)</small> <input type="checkbox"/> | Arrival by bus <small>(click to mark)</small> <input type="checkbox"/> | Arrival by own car <small>(click to mark)</small> <input type="checkbox"/> | Location of arrival <small>(as precise as possible to assure transport)</small> | Arrival date Click for date | Arrival time |
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| Departure by plane <small>(click to mark)</small> <input type="checkbox"/> | Departure by train <small>(click to mark)</small> <input type="checkbox"/> | Departure by bus <small>(click to mark)</small> <input type="checkbox"/> | Departure by own car <small>(click to mark)</small> <input type="checkbox"/> | Location of departure <small>(as precise as possible to assure transport)</small> | Departure date Click for date | Departure time |
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| Special dietary or food requirements due to medical or religious reasons <small>(click to mark)</small> | If yes, please specify food you cannot eat | |
| No <input type="checkbox"/> | Yes <input type="checkbox"/> | |

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| Additional remarks (need for special equipment, special travel arrangements, etc.) |
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| If you are not the point of contact (POC) or if more than one person will participate from your institution please fill in POC's data below (if YOU are the POC please fill in your data again) | | | | |
| Male <small>click to mark</small> <input type="checkbox"/> | Female <small>click to mark</small> <input type="checkbox"/> | Rank, ac. degree(s) | FAMILY NAME | First name(s) |
| POC's phone number (include country code) | | POC's e-mail address(es) | | |