

European Security and Defence College (ESDC)

CSDP Orientation Course

(Activity n. 21-22/3/3)

PROGRAMME

Vienna 10 – 14 October 2022

Course Venue

**Austrian National Defence Academy, Vienna
Sala Terrena
Stiftgasse 2a, 1070 Vienna**

Course Director

Ms Sandra Kick

Monday, 10 October 2022

- until 12.30 Individual arrivals
- 12.30 – 13.00 Registration, Welcome Coffee
- 13.00 – 13.15 **Administrative Remarks and Course Outline**
Ms Sandra Kick
Austrian National Defence Academy, Vienna
- 13.15 – 13.30 **The European Security and Defence College – An Introduction**
Ms Maria Grazia Romano
European External Action Service, Brussels
- 13.30 – 14.30 **Keynote Address: The European Union – European Strategies and Policies in the Framework of CSDP**
Dr Sven Biscop
Egmont Royal Institute for International Relations, Brussels
- Group Photo
- 14.30 – 15.00 Coffee Break
- 15.00 – 16.30 **The European Union: Institutions and Goals**
Dr Jochen Rehl
Austrian Military Representation to the EU and NATO, Brussels
- 16.30 – 16.45 Break
- 16.45 – 18.15 **CSDP Crisis Management in the EU**
Dr Sven Biscop
Egmont Royal Institute for International Relations, Brussels
- 18.15 – 20.00 Ice Breaker

Tuesday, 11 October 2022

- 09.00 – 10.30 **Decision-Making and Decision-Shaping in CSDP**
Mr Steffan Westfahl (TBC)
European External Action Service, Brussels
- 10.30 – 11.00 Coffee Break
- 11.00 – 12.30 **Integrated Approach to CSDP**
Dr Jochen Rehr
Austrian Military Representation to the EU and NATO, Brussels
- 12.30 – 13.30 Lunch Break
- 13.30 – 15.00 **CSDP Crisis Management in the EU –**
Case Study EUFOR/BiH
Dr Thomas Widrich (conf/VTC)
EU Military Committee, Brussels
- 15.00 – 15.30 Coffee Break
- 15.30 – 17.00 **EU Civilian and Military Capability Development**
Ms Crista Huisman (tbc/VTC)
European External Action Service, Brussels

Wednesday, 12 October 2022

- 09.00 – 10.30 **Protection of Civilians in CSDP**
Ms Susanne Györög
Austrian Study Centre for Peace and Conflict Resolution, Stadtschlaining
- 10.30 – 11.00 Coffee Break
- 11.00 – 12.30 **Regional Aspects of CSDP – The Western Balkans**
Dr Predrag Jureković
Austrian National Defence Academy, Vienna
- 12.30 – 13.30 Lunch Break
- 13.30 – 15.00 **Regional Aspects of CSDP – Perspectives on MENA**
Dr Walter Posch
Austrian National Defence Academy, Vienna
- 15.00 – 15.15 Introduction to **Parallel Breakout Groups**
- 15.15 – 15.30 Coffee Break
- 15.30 – 17.00 **Parallel Breakout Groups**

Thursday, 13 October 2022

- 09.00 – 10.30 **Regional Aspects of CSDP – Perspectives on Africa**
Dr Gerald Hainzl
Austrian National Defence Academy, Vienna
- 10.30 – 11.00 Coffee Break
- 11.00 – 12.30 **Regional Aspects of CSDP – Perspectives on Ukraine**
Mr Christoph Bilban
Austrian National Defence Academy, Vienna
- 12.30 – 13.30 Lunch Break
- 13.30 – 15.00 **Parallel Breakout Groups**
- 15.00 – 15:30 Coffee Break
- 15.30 – 17.00 **Conclusion Parallel Breakout Groups**
- 17.00 – 18.00 Transfer to the Heurigen Winery
- 18.00 Heuriger 10er Maria

Friday, 14 October 2022

- 09:00 – 10.30 **Presentation of Breakout Groups Results**
- 10.30 – 11.00 Coffee Break
- 11.00 – 12.30 **Future Prospects for CSDP**
Dr Riccardo Scalas
Netherlands Defence Academy, The Hague
- 12.30 – 13.30 Lunch Break
- 13.30 – 14.30 **Certificate Ceremony**
LTG Erich Csitkovits
Commandant of the
Austrian National Defence Academy, Vienna
- Individual departures



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