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Invitation to the ESDC/EDA European Armaments Co-operation (EAC) Course

EAC Awareness Level
(Activity Number 19-20/25.1/1)
Brussels, 1 – 3 October 2019

EAC Expert Level
(Activity Number 19-20/25.2/1)
Zagreb, 18 – 22 November 2019

In the framework of the European Security and Defence College, the European Defence Agency and the Austrian Ministry of Defence are pleased to invite delegates to the **two modules** of the **European Armaments Cooperation Course for 2019**.

The aim of the **European Armament Cooperation (EAC) Course** is to enhance mutual understanding in armament cooperation by critical analysis of the armaments sector; identifying the frameworks, stakeholder's tools and processes, understanding the challenges at stake and benefits at EU level. The Course will deliver commonly educated EAC managers who are able to participate efficiently in international armament cooperation projects, predominantly in the CSDP-context.

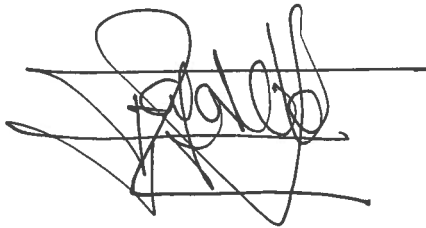
The course is aimed at personnel working in related posts to national and international armament cooperation, who need to gain knowledge and experience in multilateral project management and acquisition processes. In addition, the course supports experts, able to perform in future leadership positions in the wider defence area.

The **European Armament Cooperation (EAC) Course** is structured in two consecutive modules: a three-day residential **Awareness Level Course** running over the period 1 - 3 October 2019 at the **European Defence Agency (EDA)** in Brussels, and a five-day residential **Expert Level Course** conducted over the period 18 – 22 November 2019 at the Hotel “Panorama” in Zagreb, Croatia, supported by the Ministry of Defence of the Republic of Croatia, Material Resources Directorate.

Additionally, modules of the Internet Distance Learning (IDL) of the ESDC are prerequisites for attending the EAC course.

We are therefore very pleased to invite you to this ESDC training activity in support of the Common Security and Defence Policy. For further information, please refer to the outline curriculum and the administrative details in the annexes or contact the ESDC EDA EAC Course Director, COL Otto Naderer, Austrian Ministry of Defence.

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