



## CSDP Orientation Course

Larnaca, Cyprus

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### Program

26 <sup>th</sup> Mai 2025	27 <sup>th</sup> Mai 2025	28 <sup>th</sup> Mai 2025	29 <sup>th</sup> Mai 2025	30 <sup>th</sup> Mai 2025
09:00 – 10:30 Administrative and Organisational Introduction  Course Photo  Presentation of Participants	09:00 – 10:30 Integrated Approach to CSDP	09:00 – 10:30 European Commission and EU Fund in Post-2027 – Undermining EU Security	09:00 – 10:30 US-Perspective on the MENA Region	09:00 – 10:30 Presentation of Working Groups
10:30 – 11:00 COFFEE	10:30 – 11:00 COFFEE	10:30 – 11:00 COFFEE	10:30 – 11:00 COFFEE	10:30 – 10:45 COFFEE
11:00 – 12:30 Opening Address/ Current Challenges for CSDP	11:00 – 12:30 AI Evolution from 1950 – 2025	11:00 – 12:30 Protection of Civilians	11:00 – 12:30 EU-Ukraine Security Challenges	10:45 – 13:00 Past, Present and Future of CSDP  Closing Address  Certificates Ceremony
12:30 – 13:30 ICE BREAKER LUNCH Hosted by the NDA and CSDA	12:30 – 13:30 LUNCH	12:30 – 13:30 LUNCH	12:30 – 13:30 LUNCH	13:00 INDIVIDUAL DEPARTURES
13:30 – 15:00 Crisis Management Structures and Procedures	13:30 – 15:00 EU Civilian and Military Capability Development	13:30 – 15:00 Middle East: Policy, Geo-economics and Current Challenges	13:30 – 15:00 Working Groups	
15:00 – 15:30 COFFEE	15:00 – 15:30 COFFEE	15:00 – 15:30 COFFEE	15:00 – 15:30 COFFEE	
15:30 – 17:00 EU Missions and Operations	15:30 – 17:00 Coordination Centre "ZENON" Operation "Amalthia" and Non-combatant evacuation operations in Cyprus	15:30 – 17:00 The Red Sea and the Current Security Situation	15:30 – 17:00 Working Groups  Cultural walking tour old City of Larnaca	
17:00 Free Evening	17:00 FREE EVENING	17:00 FREE EVENING	18:30 FAREWELL DINNER	
			Hosted by the ESDC	