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Invitation to NATO/Partnership Joint Synchronization Workshop**Reply before
14-03-19****1. Introduction**

NATO runs courses for Operational Planning, CJOC management and Operations Assessment but not the critical bridging activity of joint synchronisation – the process of translating Plans into Orders for execution so that joint effects are delivered in time and space using lethal and non-lethal means effectively.

Lessons Identified from Swedish national and NATO exercises have highlighted joint synchronisation as a challenge at the operational level. These include the integration of lethal and non-lethal effects; the role of Components as a Supported Commander to provide Objectives and Guidance to Supporting Commanders; integrating cyber and space as new domains; JTF HQs looking sufficiently far ahead so that their “current fight” is shaping the Components “future fight”; the linkage between Centre of Gravity analysis, Operational Effects and Assessment Measures of Performance and Effectiveness to synchronisation activities; and the role of the Joint Coordination Board/Battle Rhythm process to provide decision superiority to the Joint Commander.

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2. Time and Location

As a NATO-accredited Partner Training and Education Centre (PTEC), Swedish Armed Forces International Centre (SWEDINT) has developed a programme for a second workshop as part of its spiral development of a fully-accredited NATO course to address this synchronisation gap after an initial workshop in September 2018 provided encouragement to develop this further. The second workshop will last 2.5 days.

The Joint Synchronisation Workshop will be held at Life Guard Regiment, Kungsängen, outside Stockholm, Sweden on 24-26 April, 2019 (2.5 days). For international participants, April 23 will be travel day.

3. Method and Objectives

SWEDINT has developed and will execute the workshop, supported by a former ACT Senior Mentor and currently NATO Joint Warfare Centre's Senior EXCON Advisor. The programme will comprise presentations, facilitated discussions and practical problem-based learning.

The workshop has 4 main performance objectives:

- Support to Command and Control focusing on coordination of medium term planning activities.
- Intelligence support to joint synchronisation and decision support.
- Coordination of manoeuvres and fires with non-lethal effects at the operational level, including logistic support.
- Reflect on Lessons Identified from previous exercises on own structures, processes and procedures.

At the end of the workshop, participants will have a better understanding of the 5 main strands of synchronisation: prioritisation and allocation of resources; sequencing of operations in time and space; synchronisation; and risk/opportunity management. They will apply these to an OCCASUS scenario in an Article 5 operation.

The workshop will also seek input from participants to refine the final design of the course to ensure that it meets the user requirements.

The detailed schedule will be presented to participants on arrival.



4. Target Audience

The workshop is targeted at those in the J35/J33 in JTF HQs and representatives from Components engaged in medium-term planning and JCB processes, as well as national staffs and Partner Nations who are also engaging in these processes with the JTF. It is targeted at the OF3-OF5 level and conducted in English. Participants will need a language proficiency of 3333. Priority will initially be given to those participating in: 1- TRIDENT JUPITER 19-1; 2- TRIDENT JUPITER 19-2 and 3- TRIDENT JACKAL 19. A reserve list will be maintained.

5. Security classification

NATO RESTRICTED

All students will bring a copy of their NATO security clearance on arrival. If a student fail to present a valid security clearance, repatriation at own costs will apply.

6. SWEDINT policy on personal data

In order to have a seat on a course/seminar/workshop at SWEDINT you will be asked to provide personal data. In doing so you are also giving your consent to the processing and storing of your personal data for official use at SWEDINT. You will also be expected to clearly state to SWEDINT staff if you have any objections against appearing on photos or have your data in course address lists etc.

7. Administration

a. Application

Applications should be sent to SWEDINT **NLT 14 March, 2019**. The application form will be found at www.mil.se/swedint. The application form has to be sent to SWEDINT via e-mail, mail or fax.

b. Selection of participants

If demand is higher than available seats SWEDINT will select participants based on the priority given in Para. 4. The planned maximum number of attendees is 20 personnel.



c. Transportation

Students are required to make own arrangements for transportation to SWEDINT when arriving to SWEDEN.

Transport will be provided from SWEDINT to Arlanda International Airport on 26. April 2019, NLT 13:00.

d. Tuition fees

None.

e. Accommodation/meals

Single room accommodation is available for all course participants through SWEDINT at the Life Guards student accommodation which is located within the military compound. The price is SEK 799 a night. Breakfast is included in price for Life Guards student accommodation. Lunch and dinner is offered in the mess hall for SEK 89 for each meal. For students who prefer to be accommodated in hotels outside the Life Guards transportation will not be arranged by SWEDINT, and a rental car is recommended.

f. Dress code

Working dress / Battle dress is to be worn during daytime and ice breaker. Casual civilian clothes are to be worn during the Workshop Dinner.

8. CONTACT AND APPLICATION

a. POC

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b. Application procedure

The application form can be found on the Internet at www.mil.se/swedint.

Click on **Seminars and Workshops at SWEDINT and How to apply** and then look for Application form and CV under Related Documents.

The course admin office will confirm receipt of the application. This does not mean that the participant has been admitted to the workshop, it only confirms that the admin office has received the application.

The POC/Student will be notified at the latest between 30 days before the workshop starts whether or not the nominated student is admitted to the course. If admitted to the course, the POC/Student will receive a Letter of Admission.

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