

Njoftim për kërkim kandidaturash për ndjekje kualifikimesh		
1	Titulli i kursit	<i>Strategic Leaders International Course (SLIC)</i>
2	Kriteret e kërkuara të gradës	OF-4 + / Civil ekuivalent
3	Kriteret e kërkuara të gjuhës / gjuhëve	Anglisht 80 ALCPT/ECL
4	Përshkrimi	Gjatë këtij kursi 4-javor pjesëmarrësit do të zhvillojnë seminare, stërvitje planëzimi (tabletop) dhe do të kenë mundësi të aplikojnë mendim strategjik, planifikim strategjik, si dhe drejtim strategjik për të adresuar sfidat globale si terrorizmi, krimi i organizuar, trafikimi etj. SLIC veçohet si kurs që mundëson angazhimin dhe ndërveprimin midis pjesëmarrësve dhe shërbejnë si katalizatorë për adoptimin e aftësive të reja në të menduarin, planifikimin si dhe udhëheqjen strategjike.
5	Kriteri specialitetit	Pa përcaktuar
6	Periodha e zhvillimit të kursit	05.05.2025 deri më 12.06.2025
7	Vendi i zhvillimit të kursit	SHBA
8	Afati dërgimit të kandidaturave	23.01.2025
9	Ekuivalentimi	E pa aplikueshme
10	Të tjera	Kandidatet nuk duhet të kenë kryer kurse IMET gjatë 2 viteve të fundit. Kandidatet nuk duhet të jenë në 3 (tre) vitet e fundit të karrierës.
11	Kuota	1 (një) kuotë

Strategic Leaders International Course Course Overview

The Strategic Leaders International Course (SLIC) is a five week in-resident professional development curriculum designed for senior military leaders (05-07 level), diplomats, and senior government officials from U.S. partner nations. The course is offered three times a year and hosts courses in both English and Spanish. Leaders are introduced to systemic strategy design through introductory work in the foundational values of national identity, systems thinking, data analytics, design thinking, negotiation strategy, and public interest communications.

The executive level course provides practical application of leading-edge methodologies, actively used in both the public and private sectors, to address the complexities of today's 'gray and green' zone challenges. Importantly, the curriculum is imbued with the importance of cooperation and diverse perspectives. The course supports key aspects of each Line of Effort stated in the 2019 United States Strategy on Women, Peace, and Security (WPS) and includes waypoints along the curriculum journey to enjoin our partner-nation officers in recognizing the incredible momentum, moral legitimacy, and powerful potential that drive the WPS strategy.

The class curriculum is entirely unclassified and is a compelling mix of interactive discussions, various case studies, lectures, hands-on exercises, and a collaborative capstone project derived from the common interests of participating countries and the United States.

Strategic Leaders International Course

SLIC 25-26 Syllabus

Unit 1 FOUNDATIONAL IDEAS Introductions and Course Overview

Who are We? Why are We Here? What Will We Do?

Video: Sherlock Holmes Fight Scene

Module 1.1 The Majesty of Law, the Spirit of Justice, and Global Leadership

The Strategic Arc of Human Experience (Jackson Institute, Yale Univ.)

Universal Human Rights (Code 10, OPNAV)

Law of Armed Conflict (Code 10, OPNAV)

The International Law of the Sea (Code 10, OPNAV)

Student Presentations - "What are You Curious About?"

Student Presentations - "What Kind of Leader Do You Want to Be?"

Module 1.2 Your World is Changing

Globalization – Ecosystems, Complexity, and The Cat in the Hat

Environment – Climate Change for 21st Century Commanders

Technology – 10 Technologies Every Leader Should be Watching (Guest Lecturer)

Terrorism - The History Behind the Future of Extremism and Terrorism (Kings College, London)

AI and Machine Learning for Counterterrorism (Georgetown Univ.)

Video: Karate Kid - Wax On, Wax Off

Exercise 1: Red Cell - Black Rhino Poachers and the Impact of NextGen Tech

Case Study (1) - On Water: A Strategist's View of the Global Freshwater Supply

WPS Waypoint 1 Diversity & Inclusion: Understanding the What and the Why

USSOCOM WPS Team

Leading through Transformation to Diversity (Guest Lecturer)

Case Study (2) - Blue Helmet Babies: Leadership, Legitimacy, & the Corrosive Nature of Exploitation

Unit 2 UNDERSTAND

Module 2.1 Introduction to Systems Thinking

It's all Connected: Miley Cyrus & the Crimea; Chaos in Queensland & Christmas in Kentucky
Living in a World of Systems: Everything, Everywhere, Matters all the time
Informed Imagination: Grand Masters, Novices, and a 'Deep Understanding of the Game'
Video: The Mozart of Chess, CBS 60 Minutes
Exercise 2: 'I Know a Story' (Paper/Individual)
Exercise 3: Let's Make Coffee (Paper/Individual)
Exercise 4: Let's Make Coffee (Group, Heuristic)

Module 2.3 Identity, Belonging, & the Global Competition for Human Trust

Identity & Belonging: Nations, Tribes, and Groups - Genders, Gangs, and Block Chains Human Migration: Who, Where, Why, and What Comes Next (Old Dominion Univ.)
Who are We? What do we Want? Foundational Values, Constitutions, and National Identity
Case Study (3) - The Great Migration: Our Human Instincts for Aspiration and Survival Case Study (4) - Wildfire: The Making and Unraveling of the Arab Spring

Module 2.4 Thinking Fast and Slow

Understanding Data for Decision Making (Univ. of Florida)
Human Cognition and the Art of Making Choices (Stanford Univ.)
Data Modeling – Humans and the Natural Environment
Data Modeling – Humans and the Constructed Environment
Video: TED Benjamin Zander, The Transformative Power of Classical Music

WPS Waypoint 2 Diversity & Inclusion: Culture, Language, and Identity

Howard University
Moral Leadership: Moral Map and Compass (Guest Lecturer)
Case Study (5) – Human Trafficking: The Ecosystem of the Global Sex Trade

Unit 3 DESIGN

Module 3.1 Introduction to Design Thinking *The Nature of Design*

Design Thinking 101
Silicon Valley Brainstorming
Rapid Prototyping and DOTMLP-FP
Video: Nightline: IDEO Deep Dive - Shopping Cart
Exercise 5: How to get a Cat out of a Tree (Group)
Exercise 6: How to get Freshwater to a Village (Group, Heuristic)
Case Study (6) - Change by Design: The Montgomery Bus Boycott of 1955

Module 3.2 Elements of Systemic Strategy Design

Identity, the Big Idea, Sustainable Conditions, Ways and Means

Physics of Leverage: Pressure, Momentum, and Interdependence in Systems

A Jungle Garden, Fallingwater, and Enduring Outcomes

Doing Less with More - The New Strategic Paradigm

Leading the Strategy Writing Team (Guest Lecturer)

Storybuilding and Public Interest Communications (Univ. of Florida)

Video: Peter Senge - Systems Thinking for a Better World

Exercise 7: Strategy Design Sprints – Recurring Throughout Unit 3 Case Study (7) - Adaptation: 2014 IFRC Strategy vs. Ebola

Module 3.3 Cooperation: Our Primary Human Superpower

Building Partner Capacity and U.S. Security Assistance (Guest Lecturer)

Business Executives for National Security (Guest Lecturers)

Negotiation Strategy and Design (NTF, Davis Center, Harvard University) Exercise 8: ‘Who are your Seven Samurai?’

WPS Waypoint 3 Diversity & Inclusion: A Resilient Command Ecosystem (TBD) KLE

Unit 4 LEAD

Module 4.1: Building Strategic Leaders - Our Best Strategy for an Unruly Universe *Hedgehogs and Foxes, Cheng and Ch’i, and the Hybrid Nature of Strategic Leaders* Video: GEN McChrystal - Listen, Learn, Lead

Module 4.2: The Ecosystem of Command: Mission, Family, and Team *The 21st Century Warrior (KLE)*

Leading in the Era of Omniscience: 5G, AI, and the IOT (KLE)

Practical Wisdom and Moral Virtue for 21st Century Leaders (Guest Lecturer)

Video: Simon Sinek Performance and Trust

Exercise 9: Sun Tzu and Self-Awareness ‘Mapping ‘Me’ as a System’

Module 4.3: Final Strategy

Develop and Prepare the Final Strategy and Presentation

Present Final Strategy to Course Mentors, Commander, CMDCM, Key Leaders and Special Guests

***Procedurat e Aplikimit:**

1. Plotësohet Lidhja 4 duke shkarkuar formatin në “4. Formati i aplikimit individual për kualifikime institucionale ose funksionale brenda dhe jashtë vendit” (<https://www.mod.gov.al/index.php/kurse-dhe-trajtime>)
2. Dergohet Email në: aplikim.qpr@aaf.mil.al

Vendos në “CC”: aplikim.shp@aaf.mil.al, aplikim.mm@aaf.mil.al si dhe për dijeni aplikanti në email të njoftojë strukturën eprorë të drejtpërdrejtë (degët dhe seksionet e personelit G1/A-1/N-1/S-1 dhe drejtorët e drejtorive sipas vartësisë).

**Shënim: Lexoni Kapitullin III të “Rregullore për aplikimin dhe përzgjedhjen e personelit të FARSH për arsimim dhe trajnim brenda dhe jashtë vendit, miratuar me urdhër të Ministrit të Mbrojtjes Nr. 2175, Datë 23.11.2017”*

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