



# INSTITUTE FOR SECURITY GOVERNANCE

*Advancing Knowledge, Building Capacity, Strengthening Partners*



## CAPSTONE EXERCISE

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The Institute for Security Governance (ISG) Peacekeeping Capstone Exercise is an annual event consisting of three major components conducted over several weeks: a Staff Training Event (STE), a Field Training Event (FTE), and a Senior Training Seminar (STS). The exercise is international, with many nations invited for the STE and FTE, along with senior peacekeeping training officers participating in the STS.

### OBJECTIVES

Participants will be able to:

- ◆ Enhance their understanding of the multidimensional aspects of complex contingencies and peace operations
- ◆ Discuss the major challenges in modern peacekeeping missions in order to identify where and how missions must improve performance
- ◆ Identify concrete actions and recommendations to address gaps in training in order to improve mission performance and operational readiness
- ◆ Plan and conduct a peacekeeping operations (PKO) exercise
- ◆ Develop PKO training lanes and instructors

### TOPICS

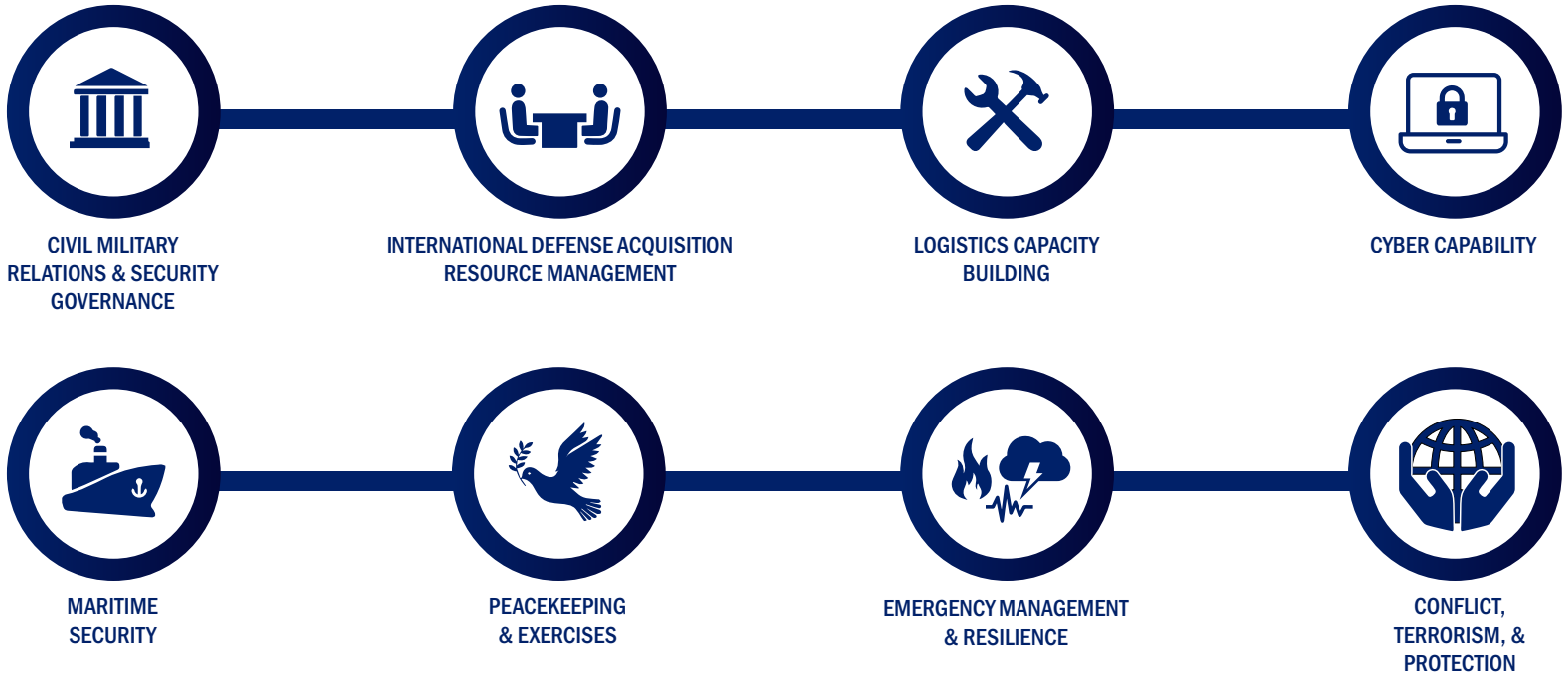
The Capstone Exercise combines multinational FTE development and execution, and can be adapted to a wide range of peacekeeping missions and tasks.

### PARTICIPANTS

Capstone participants are multinational leaders, staff officers, trainers, and deploying peacekeepers at operational and tactical levels.

## ISG PROGRAM AREAS

ISG programming has been developed over 25 years by providing military and civilian officials with unique education and professional development programs. Courses are designed to cultivate individual understanding of complex issues, foster peer-to-peer learning, and build connected networks of international peers through a professional learning environment.



## FACULTY

ISG has a diverse faculty team grounded in professional experience from academic, military, government, and civil sectors. The core faculty are augmented by experts drawn from other parts of government, and American and international subject matter experts drawn from universities, industry, think tanks, international organizations, and non-governmental organizations.

## ENROLLMENT

Courses are conducted as part of the US Government security cooperation efforts. Interested partner nation personnel should contact their government's international cooperation section, or the relevant US Embassy's security/military cooperation section for selection processes and enrollment. Interested US citizens may contact ISG to discuss availability.

## FUNDING

Educational programs are primarily implemented through Title 22 authorized programs (International Military Education and Training, Foreign Military Sales, Peacekeeping Operations) and various Title 10 authorized programs such as the Maritime Security Initiative (MSI) and Regional Defense Combating Terrorism and Irregular Warfare Fellowship Program (RDFFP).

## ABOUT ISG



The Institute for Security Governance – situated within the Defense Security Cooperation University's (DSCU) International School of Education and Advising (ISEA) – is the Department of Defense's Center of Excellence for Institutional Capacity Building (ICB). As a component of the Defense Security Cooperation Agency (DSCA), and one of its primary international Security Cooperation schoolhouses, ISG is charged with building partner institutional capacity and capability through tailored advising, education, and professional development programs grounded in American values and approaches.