



Example Positions/Jobs

- SPP Coordinators
- SPP Directors
- NGB Joint Staff (J53)
- GCC Staff
- NGB BAOs
- DOD SPP Stakeholders

Functional Area Description

The State Partnership Program (SPP) functional track is provided for practitioners and relevant stakeholders to understand, implement, integrate, and sustain the State Partnership Program (USC Title 10, §341) as part of U.S. Security Cooperation in alignment with and support of United States national security strategy.

How will this prepare you better for your work?

The learner will have a foundational understanding of the SPP as one Title 10 program within Security Cooperation enterprise; understand how SPP partnerships are created and are aligned with U.S. strategic guidance in support of U.S. foreign policy goals and objectives; and recognize the importance of building long-term relationships with partner nations to achieve common goals. They will also gain a general understanding of the National Guard as the manager and administrator of the SPP.

Foundational Certification Program of Study

Core Education and Training

- **CD 101** Foundations of Capability Development
- **TSFD 101** Foundations of Technology Security, Foreign Disclosure, and End-use Controls
- **PMA 101** Foundations of Political Military Activity
- **SC 102** Foundations of Security Cooperation

Primary Functional Training

- **SPP 101** Introduction to the State Partnership Program

Leadership Training

- Lead Self

Experience/Performance Requirement

One year in a Security Cooperation billet or satisfactory performance rating

Continuous Learning Hours: 40 hours every 2 years