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Dear Commandants, Dear Rectors,

"Nicolae Bălcescu" Land Forces Academy of Sibiu, under the auspices of the European Security and Defence College (ESDC) and within the framework of the European Initiative for the Exchange of Young Military Officers (EMILYO), inspired by Erasmus, has the honour to invite your institution to participate in the upcoming Module on Common Security and Defence Policy (CSDP).

The module will include two mandatory components:

- An e-Learning phase, accessible prior to the on-site training;
- A residential phase, which will take place at the "Nicolae Bălcescu" Land Forces Academy of Sibiu, from 20th of April to 24th of April 2026.

This module is based on the **EMILYO CSDP Standard Curriculum**, which is a key component of the European Union's training efforts in the field of the Common Security and Defence Policy. Its primary objective is to provide participants with a comprehensive overview of the civilian and military dimensions of the CSDP, within the broader context of the Common Foreign and Security Policy (CFSP) of the European Union.

We would be honoured if you would accept this invitation and nominate qualified cadets or young officers to attend this module.

For detailed information regarding course content, logistics, and administrative arrangements, please consult the attached documents. The Land Forces Academy will provide free accommodation and meals for all participants throughout the duration of the module.

Please send the completed Registration Form to: <u>international.relations@armyacademy.ro</u>. (Point of Contact: Col. Răzvan BARBU). The deadline for registration is **13th March 2026**. Additional details, including a short description of the module and administrative information, are attached to this invitation.

We look forward to welcoming your participants to the Land Forces Academy of Sibiu for this important and enriching learning opportunity!

Cordially,

Colonel Dumitru TODOSIUC

Commandant (Rector) of "Nicolae Bălcescu" Land Forces Academy of Sibiu