



WELCOME TO THE EUROPEAN SECURITY AND DEFENCE COLLEGE



We inspire, we train, we challenge!



Who are we?



Training and education in the field of the European Union's Common Security and Defence Policy (CSDP)



Common Understanding of CFSP and CSDP among civilian and military personnel



Dissemination of best practices on CFSP and CSDP issues

ESDC is a Network of 260 Member Institutions



WHO WE ARE

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- Initiated and led by all **EU Member States**
- Embedded in the EEAS structures
- Provide First-class training reflecting real-time training needs
- Participants receive Certificate signed by HR/VP and recognised by all 27 EU Member States
- Training is in line with EU Training Policy on CSDP

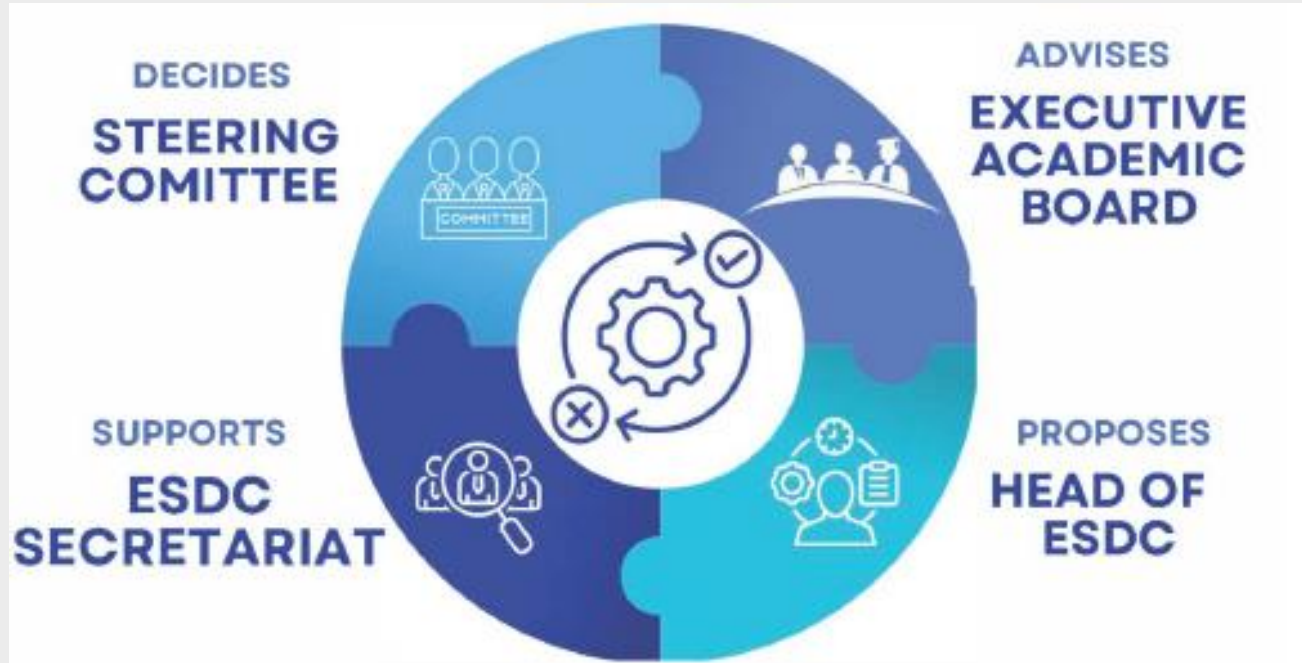
Some of the ESDC Objectives

- To further enhance the common European security and defence culture within CSDP;
- to promote a better understanding of CSDP;
- to provide training responding to training needs of CSDP Missions and Operations;
- to support EU partnerships in the field of CSDP/CFSP with those countries participating in CSDP missions;
- to promote the European Initiative for the Exchange of Young Officers.

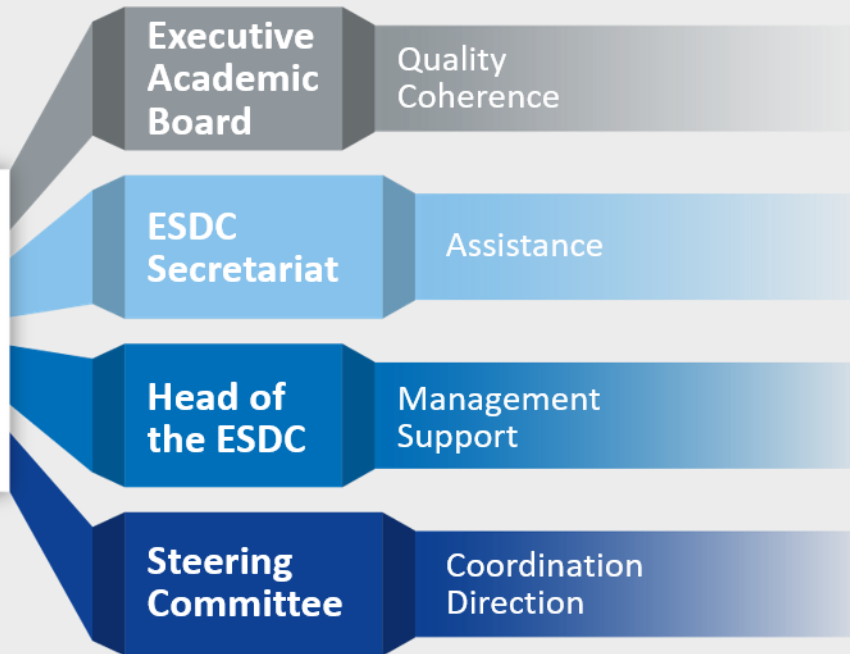


HOW WE WORK

Management



ESDC Administrative Structure



EU LEVEL TRAINING & EDUCATION

ESDC Training Cycle & Prioritisation



OBJECTIVITY AND
TRANSPARENCY



IDENTIFICATION OF
MODULAR,
REGULAR, AND
PILOT ACTIVITIES

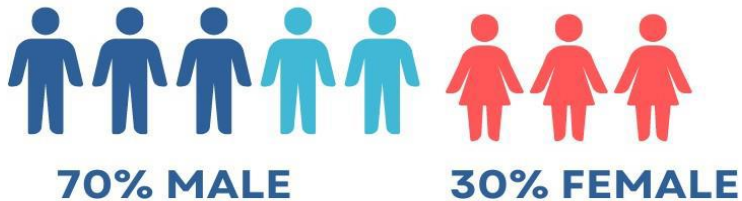
DE-CONFLICTING
REGULARLY
ORGANISED
COURSES



ALIGNMENT WITH
THE TRAINING
REQUIREMENT
ANALYSIS

CALENDAR-YEAR
ACTIVITY
PLANNING





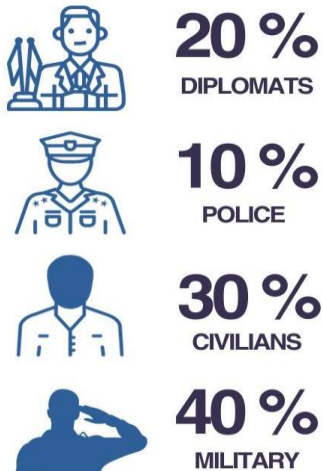
PEOPLE TRAINED

6,802

40
COUNTRIES



PROFILE



157
TRAININGS

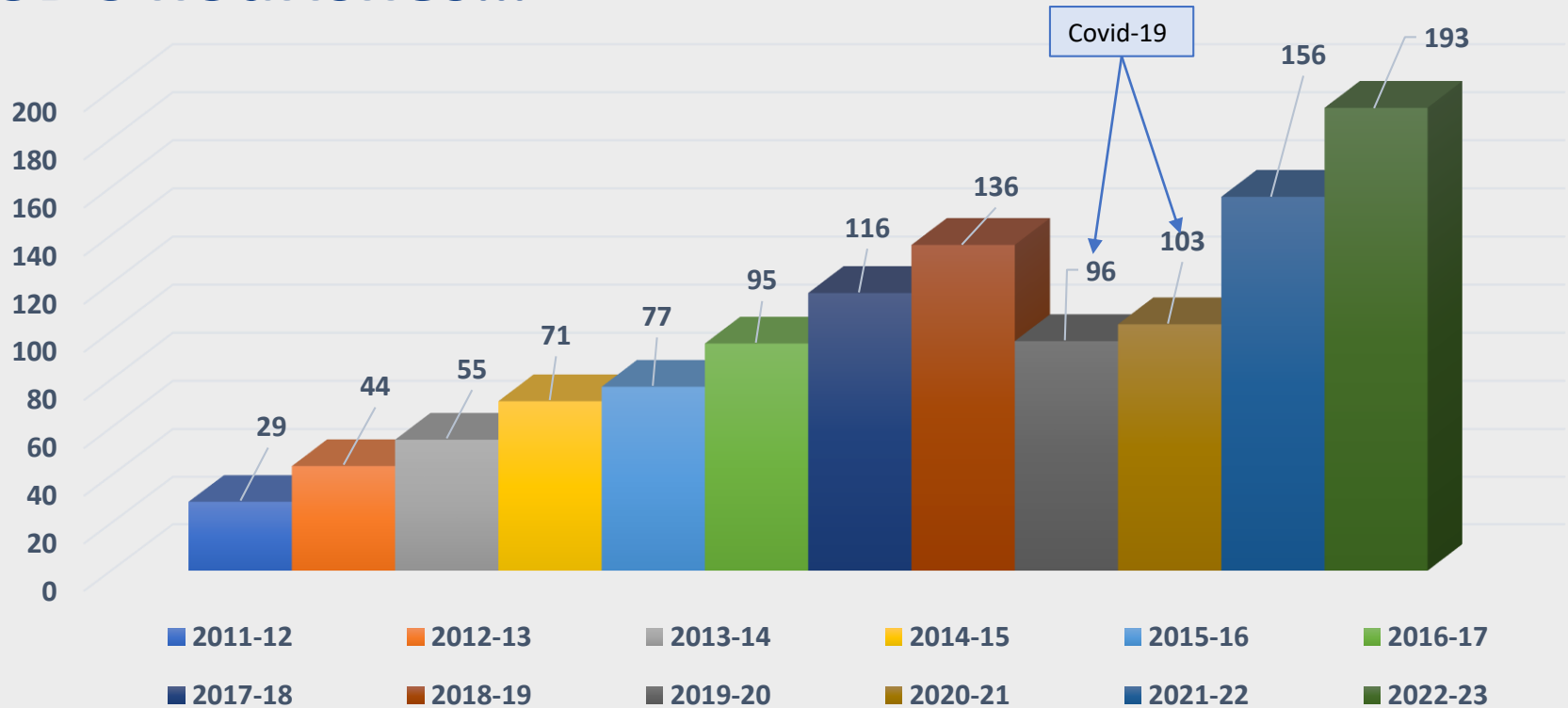
44.75%
GROWTH

12
CONFERENCES
SEMINARS

38
MEETINGS



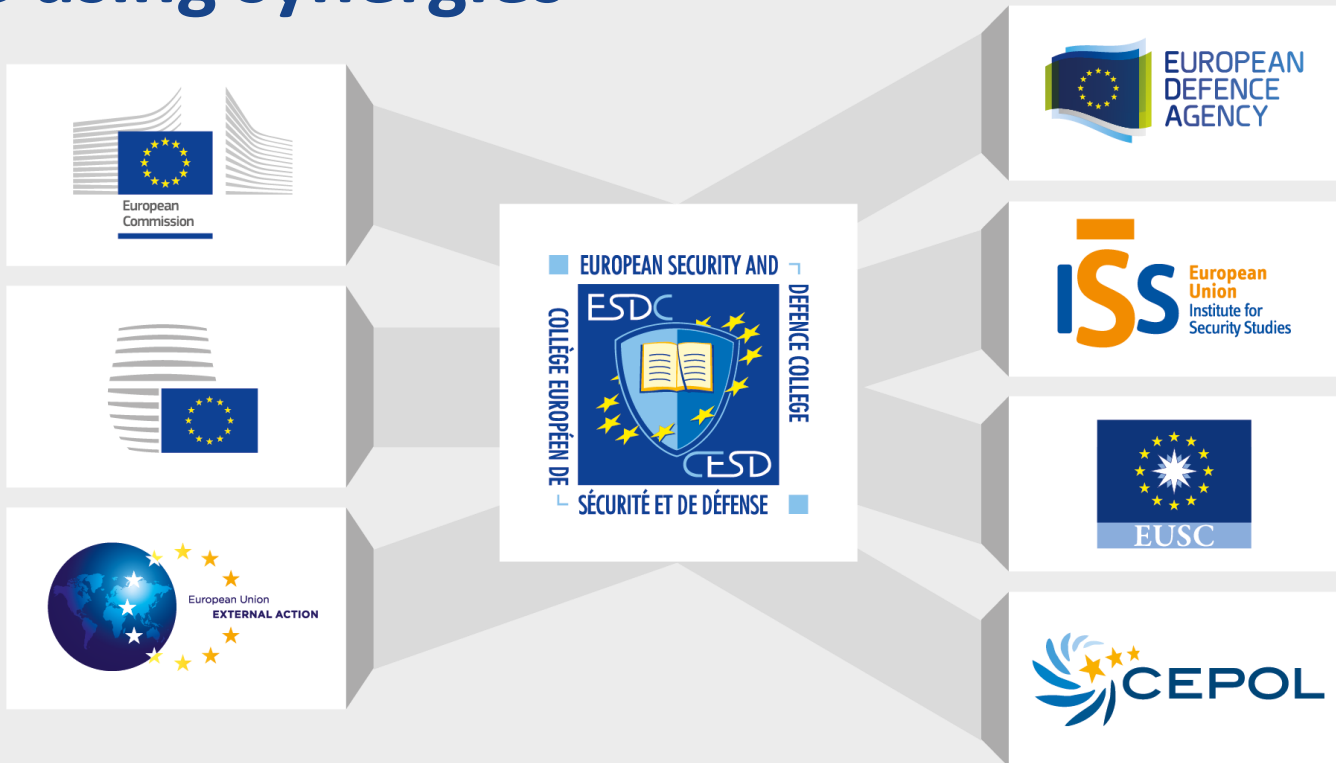
ESDC flourishes...

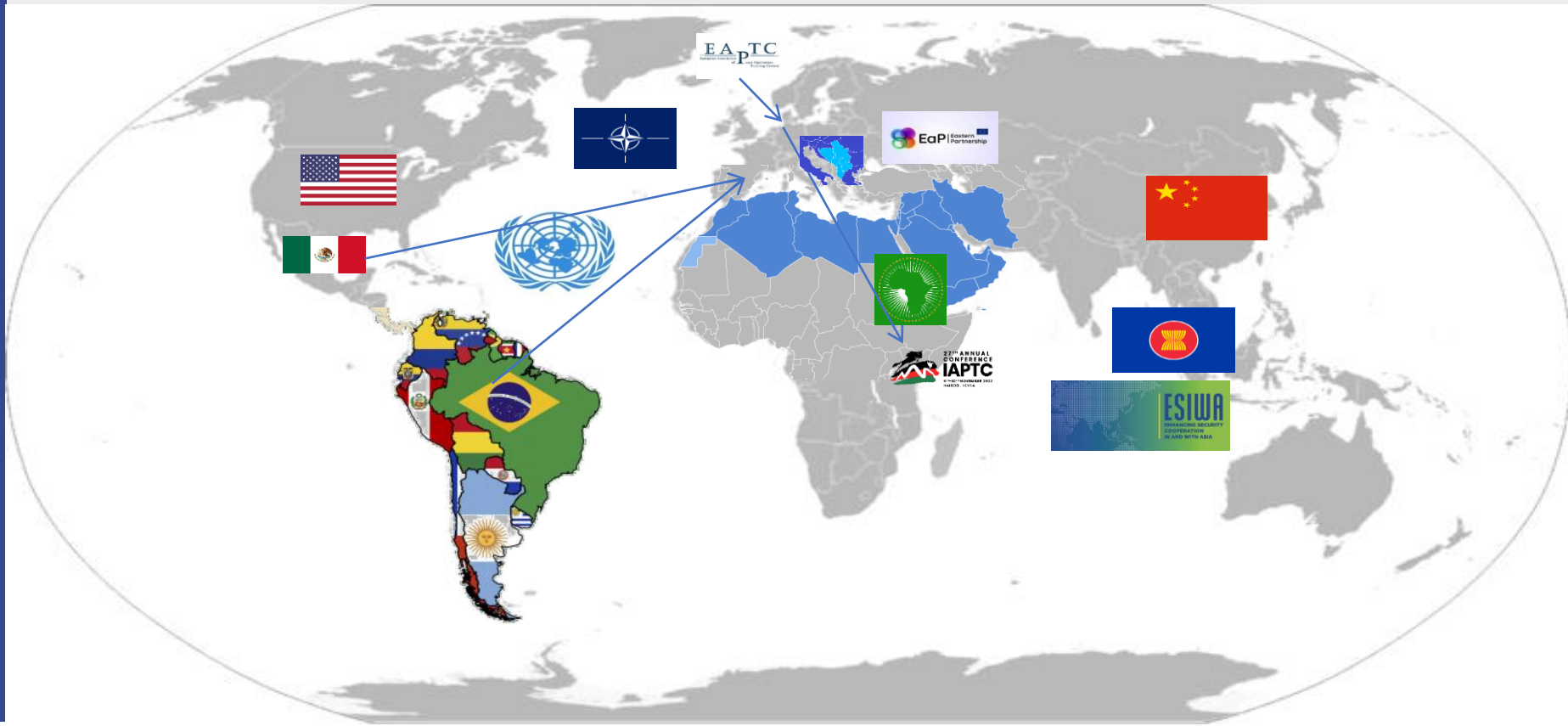




80 different courses

ESDC using synergies



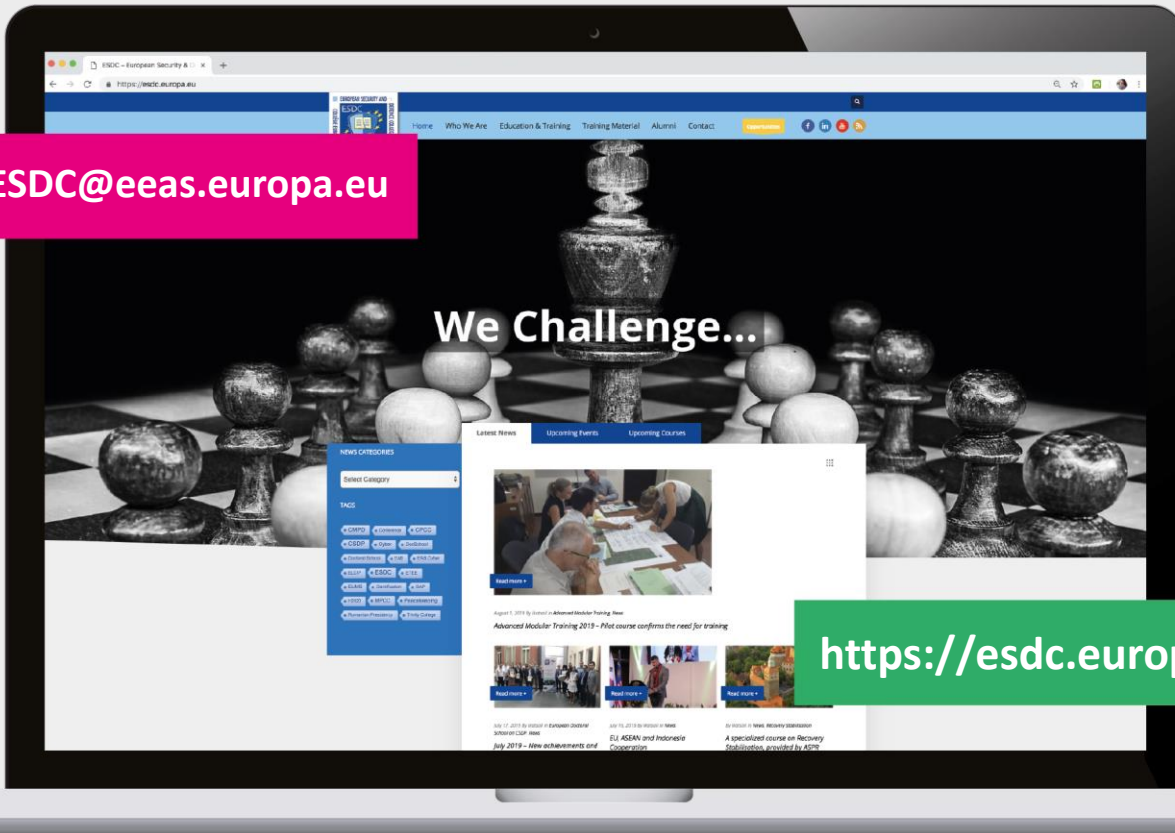


ESDC- A Diplomatic Tool of EEAS

How to apply?

- <https://goalkeeper.eeas.europa.eu/goalkeeper/>
- **EU Member States, EU bodies, EU Missions and Operations – National / Institutional Points of Contact (NOMINATORS)**
- <https://esdc.europa.eu/nominators/>
- **International Organisations, candidate and third countries – via the ESDC Secretariat**

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