



# Education for Sustainable Development

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Proposal for the Development of a  
Common Module



# The Internationalization Policy in Portugal



## The Internationalization Strategy is based on five Lines of Action (LA):

- **Student Mobility** – Expand partnerships with international schools to increase training opportunities for military personnel and implement English-language education to attract foreign students.
- **Teacher Mobility** – Strengthen partnerships with allied institutions to promote cultural exposure for faculty members.
- **Research Partnerships** – Integrate research programs with foreign institutions, promoting mobility for both faculty and students.
- **International Recognition** – Actively engage in international partnerships.
- **Technical-Military Cooperation** – Strengthen cooperation in the defense sector by advising and overseeing academic processes recognized within the EU.

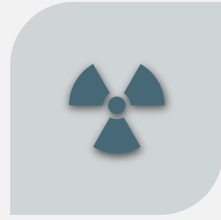
# THE IMPACT OF DEFENCE ON THE ENVIRONMENT



**DESTRUCTION OF  
ECOSYSTEMS**



**AIR, SOIL AND  
WATER  
POLLUTION**



**WASTE**



**FOSSIL FUELS  
CONSUMPTION**



# PROPOSAL FOR A COMMON MODULE - EDUCATION FOR SUSTAINABLE DEVELOPMENT

## It is based on the following assumptions:

- Growing environmental challenges like climate change affects security and requires sustainable responses.
- The European Union and NATO emphasize the military sector should adopt clear measures of adaptation and mitigation.
- The mission of the Armed Forces demands greater environmental responsibility to mitigate its impacts.
- Environmental education in higher military education should be an essential pillar to ensure more sustainable practices.



# Considering the role of Defence...

Is the creation of a Common Module on Education for Sustainable Development relevant?

Use the QR code to access the questionnaire.



Late minute request from the Vice Chair  
Human Resources:

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Portuguese Military Academy,  
Amadora,  
15-16 May, 2025

- International Seminar on Military Leadership Challenges in 2025
- ISMil 2025
- Participate by sending your abstract
- or
- by being part of the audience!
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The poster features a central illustration of a military tank with a globe on top, set against a red background. The text is arranged in a structured layout with various fonts and sizes. At the top right, the dates '15\_16 MAY' are displayed. The main title 'MILITARY LEADERSHIP CHALLENGES in 2025' is prominently featured in large, bold, white letters. Below this, the topics 'WAR CHALLENGES', 'TECHNOLOGICAL CHALLENGES', and 'HUMAN CHALLENGES' are listed. A call to action 'Call for abstracts 7th MARCH' is placed above a QR code. The bottom of the poster includes logos for 'ACADEMIA MILITAR MILITARY ACADEMY', 'CINAMIL MILITARY HISTORY RESEARCH CENTER', and 'ESDC'. Vertical text on the left and right sides reads 'CENTER OF LEADERSHIP DEVELOPMENT STUDIES' and 'INTERNATIONAL SEMINAR OF LEADERSHIP' respectively. The poster is framed by a white border with plus signs at the corners.

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LEADERSHIP  
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