



Language Education & Training Line of Development (LoD 18)

Cyprus, February 25th, 2025



LoD 18 Summary

Initiative resulting the 2022 EUMACS requirements of commandants.

Aim of LoD 18 = supporting member institutions in developing their capabilities to provide professional military education and training in English language

LoD18 formally approved/launched during the 57th IG meeting in Sofia (February 2023).

Scope of LoD 18 activities discussed and approved.

In 2023/2024, 3 pilot activities implemented.



LoD 18 Agreed Scope of Activities (Result of 58th IG meeting)

Activities for immediate implementation (Academic Year 2023/2024)

Topic/module-oriented workshops for teaching staff	Short term workshop focused on development and practicing of teaching techniques in English etc. Bringing together subject-matter experts-teaching staffs and English language teachers – Pilot Activity carried out in Brno
Joint English language courses for teaching staff	Short term courses focused on speaking/ presentation skills - Pilot Activity carried out in Brašov
Joint language courses for administrative and technical staff	Short term courses focused on all skills

Activities decided to be postponed for implementation

Train the trainers workshops	Short term courses focused on sharing experience and approached effective in teaching faculty and admin staff. - Pilot Activity carried out in Lisbon
Sharing lessons learnt among the Institutions	Exchange of experience regarding projects of institutions in enhancing and/or maintaining their capability to provide education and training in English.
Sharing training materials in English	Sharing and/or joint development of materials used by teaching staff in selected areas/topics/modules.

Activity decided not to be needed to be implemented

Reachback support to teachers/academicians	On-line consultation center
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Autumn 2024

1 common module for cadets/students and 2 common modules prepared and discussed within the 63rd IG meeting and follow-up e-communication:

- Intermediate Military English (IMECOM)
- Joint English Teaching Proficiency (JETPRO)
- Assessment & Evaluation in English Teaching (ASSET)

Further discussion incl. planning implementation of the modules possible via e-mail (vladan.Holcner@unob.cz) and/or at a videoconference on 25th November 2024 from 15,00 hrs. ([Join the meeting now](#)).



Intermediate Military English (IMECOM)

Designed for cadets/students (min. B2/STANAG 2+).

2 ECTS / 28 classes hours.

In-depth military terminology at platoon or company level with a focus on organisation, armament, equipment, cartography, life in the field, tactical military documents, gender-related perspectives, etc.

Presentation (with preparation time) on a chosen military topic in English with follow-up G/A.



Joint English Teaching Proficiency (JETPRO)

Designed for English language teachers (min B2/STANAG 2+) expected to teach in English

2 ECTS / 26 classes hours

Focused on training the trainers expected to teach in teaching in English, improving their speaking/presentation skills and enhancing their self-confidence

Includes:

- selected concepts of pedagogy and didactics and different techniques of mentoring, coaching, training, and teaching adapted to the military context;
- classroom activities and mini-lesson(s), all in English language.



Assessment & Evaluation in English Teaching (ASSET)

Designed for teaching staff (min B2 / STANAG 2+) expected to teach in English.

Joint English Teaching Proficiency module graduation considered advantage.

2 ECTS / 26 classes hours.

Focused on:

- designing assessment of learning outcomes and to verify and validate learning outcomes in classes;
- offering effective feedback to enhance students' engagement and performance.



Planned and Expected Activities

Activity	Organizing institution	Venue/country	Date	Registration deadline
2025				
ASSET - Assessment & Evaluation in English Teaching	"Nicolae Balcescu" Land Forces Academy	Sibiu/Romania	Originally planned for February 2025 no feasible - TBD	TBD
Joint English Teaching Proficiency (JETPRO)	University of Defence	Brno/Czechia	16-20 June 2025	30 April 2025 (Vladan.holcner@unob.cz)
TELT -Train the English language trainers workshop	Military University of Technology	Warsaw/Poland	22-26 September 2025	TBD
2025 Language-Security-Technology Conference	University of Defence	Brno/Czechia	14-15 October 2025	15 May 2025
International Week for cadets/students at the UoD Language Centre	University of Defence	Brno/Czechia	13-17 October 2025	15 May 2025
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