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## PRINCIPLES OF DEFENSE ACQUISITION & LOGISTICS MANAGEMENT

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**ELIGIBLE FUNDING: IMET, FMF/FMS**  
**CERTIFICATION: E-IMET, PME**

This International Defense Acquisition Resource Management (IDARM) course provides a theoretical and practical examination of defense acquisition management with an emphasis on institutional capacity building, acquisition and logistics planning, and building and sustaining accountability and transparency in defense acquisition decision-making. Participants will examine the complete defense acquisition life cycle from planning through equipment disposal. International best practices and global trends are discussed with a tailored focus on specific challenges and opportunities within African nations.

### OBJECTIVES

Participants will be able to:

- ◆ Develop an understanding of the fundamental concepts and challenges associated with defense acquisition and logistics decision making
- ◆ Examine capabilities-based requirements planning along with the relationships among national security and military strategies and defense acquisition and logistics systems
- ◆ Assist countries in their efforts to develop and institutionalize transparent, efficient, and effective defense acquisition and logistics planning and execution

### TOPICS

Course topics may include:

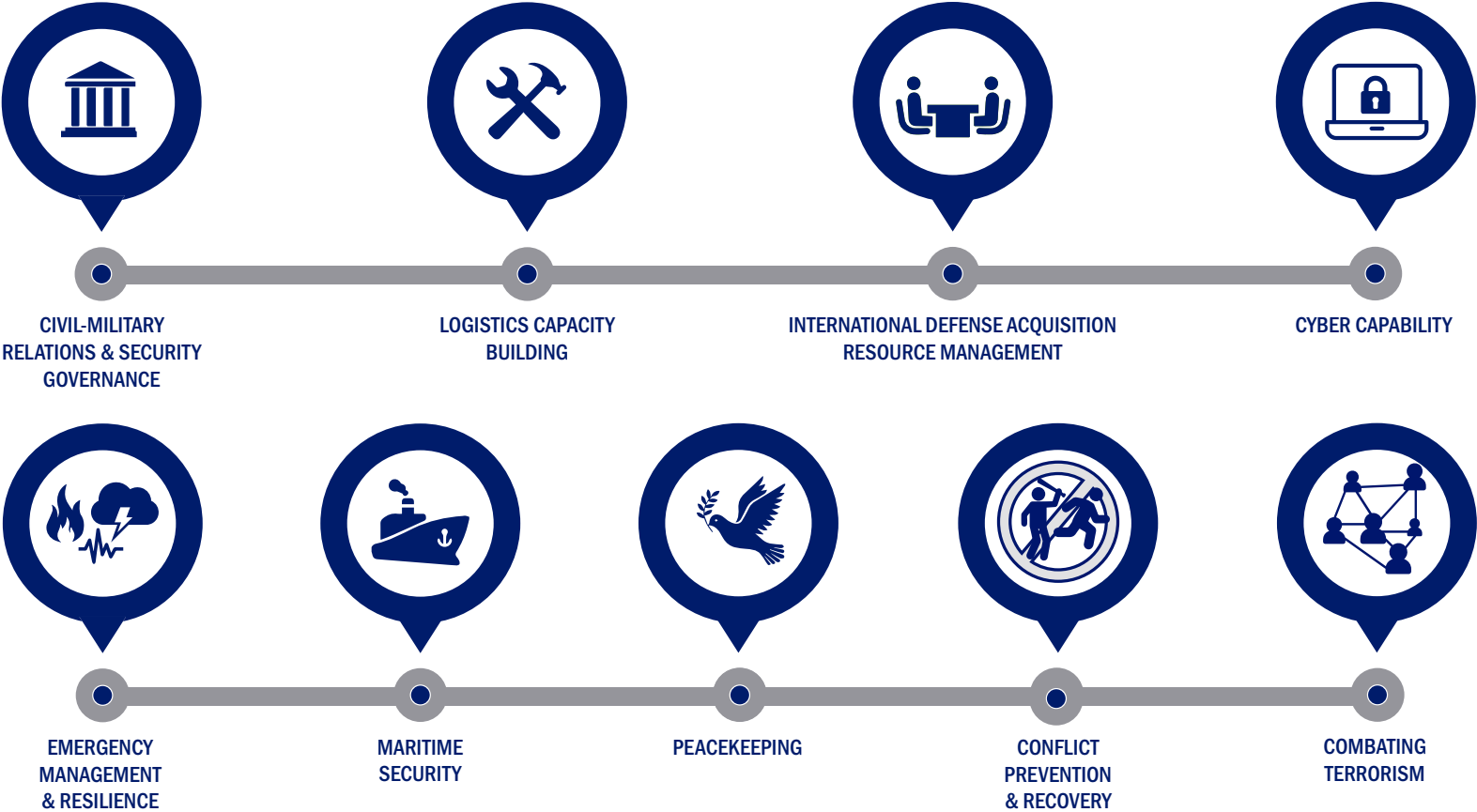
- ◆ Defense acquisition planning
- ◆ Institutional capacity building
- ◆ Regional trends in defense acquisition and logistics decision making
- ◆ Considerations in foreign military sales, direct commercial sales, and excess defense articles programs
- ◆ Life cycle management
- ◆ Building and sustaining accountability and transparency in defense acquisition decision-making

### PARTICIPANTS

This offering is designed specifically for French-speaking international military officers of grades O-4 to O-6 and civilian equivalents who are engaged in a broad range of acquisition fields, such as policy development, strategic planning, requirements definition, logistics, program management, procurement and contracting, budgeting, and execution.

# ISG PROGRAM AREAS

ISG programming has been developed over 25 years by providing military and civilian officials with unique education and professional development programs. Courses are designed to cultivate individual understanding of complex issues, foster peer-to-peer learning, and build connected networks of international peers through a professional learning environment.



## FACULTY

ISG has a diverse faculty team grounded in professional experience from academic, military, government, and civil sectors. The core faculty are augmented by experts drawn from other parts of government, and American and international subject matter experts drawn from universities, industry, think tanks, international organizations, and non-governmental organizations.

## ENROLLMENT

Courses are conducted with partner nations as part of the US Government security cooperation effort. Participation in ISG courses is managed through the Security Cooperation Office of the US Embassy in-country. Interested partner nation personnel should work through their government’s international cooperation section, or the relevant US Embassy’s security/military cooperation section for selection processes and enrollment. Where appropriate, ISG reserves limited space in courses for US citizens. Interested US citizens may contact ISG to discuss availability.

## FUNDING

ISG can accept most types of US Government funding. Courses are typically funded by IMET, FMF, FMS, CTIWWP/RDFP, PKO, and other DoD-wide O&M funds (333, 332, MSI, etc.). Cost estimates can be obtained by contacting ISG or the applicable NETSAFA Country Program Manager.

## ABOUT ISG



The Institute for Security Governance (ISG) is a Defense Security Cooperation Agency (DSCA) schoolhouse, and leading Institutional Capacity Building (ICB) implementer, focused on helping partners build effective and accountable security institutions. ISG’s tailored ICB approach supports partners in developing, resourcing, and sustaining the institutional capabilities and professionalization necessary to pursue common security cooperation objectives.