Welcome!

European Security Defence College

"THE EU CYBER-ECOSYSTEM AND HOW TO BREAK THROUGH THIS STOVE-PIPED SYSTEM THROUGH TRAINING"
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We inspire, we train, we challenge!

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Who are we?

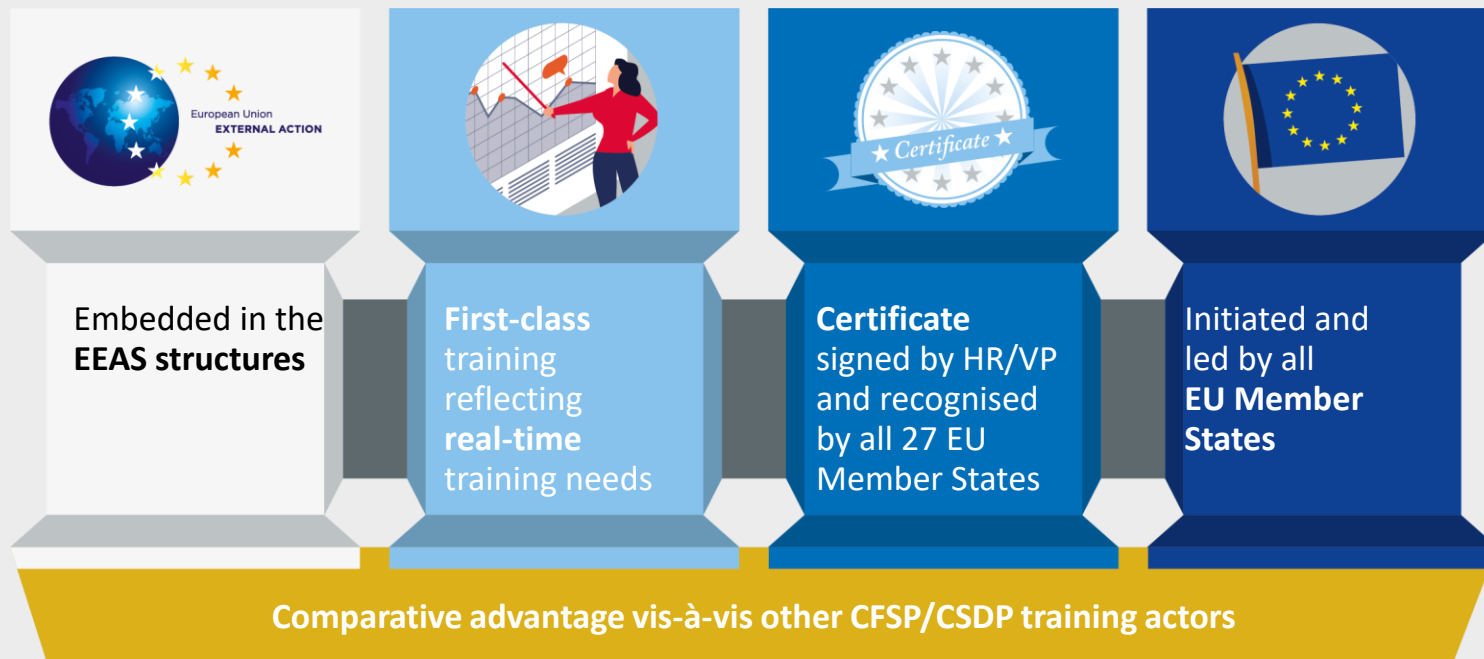> Network College

> Legal Capacity

ESDC Objectives (1)

➢ to further enhance the common European security and defence culture within CSDP;

➢ to promote a better understanding of CSDP as an essential part of CFSP;

➢ to support civilian crisis management in the field of conflict prevention, and establishing or preserving the conditions necessary for sustainable development;

➢ to provide Union instances and MS with knowledgeable personnel familiar with EU policies, institutions, procedures and best practices in the field of Cyber Security and Defence

➢ to provide CSDP M&Os personnel with a common understanding of functioning principles and a sense of common European identity;

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ESDC Objectives (2)

➢ 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 help promote professional relations and contacts among participants in ESDC training activities;

➢ to promote the European Initiative for the Exchange of Young Officers.

➢ support the CivCom / EU CTG by administering and managing the travel and accommodation costs related to the activities of the CCT'.

Who are we?

Embedded in the **EEAS structures**

First-class training reflecting **real-time** training needs

Certificate signed by HR/VP and recognised by all 27 EU Member States

Initiated and led by all **EU Member States**

Comparative advantage vis-à-vis other CFSP/CSDP training actors

ESDC Administrative Structure

Executive Academic Board — Quality Coherence

ESDC Secretariat — Assistance

Head of the ESDC — Management Support

Steering Committee — Coordination Direction

ESDC Ecosystem

Learner centred Training

Executive Academic Board
Network civilian and military training institutes, EUISS, think tanks, universities, …

Steering Committee
Member States political guidance and priorities

E-Learning
Knowledge
Skills
Competence

Residential

European Parliament

Council of the European Union

European Commission

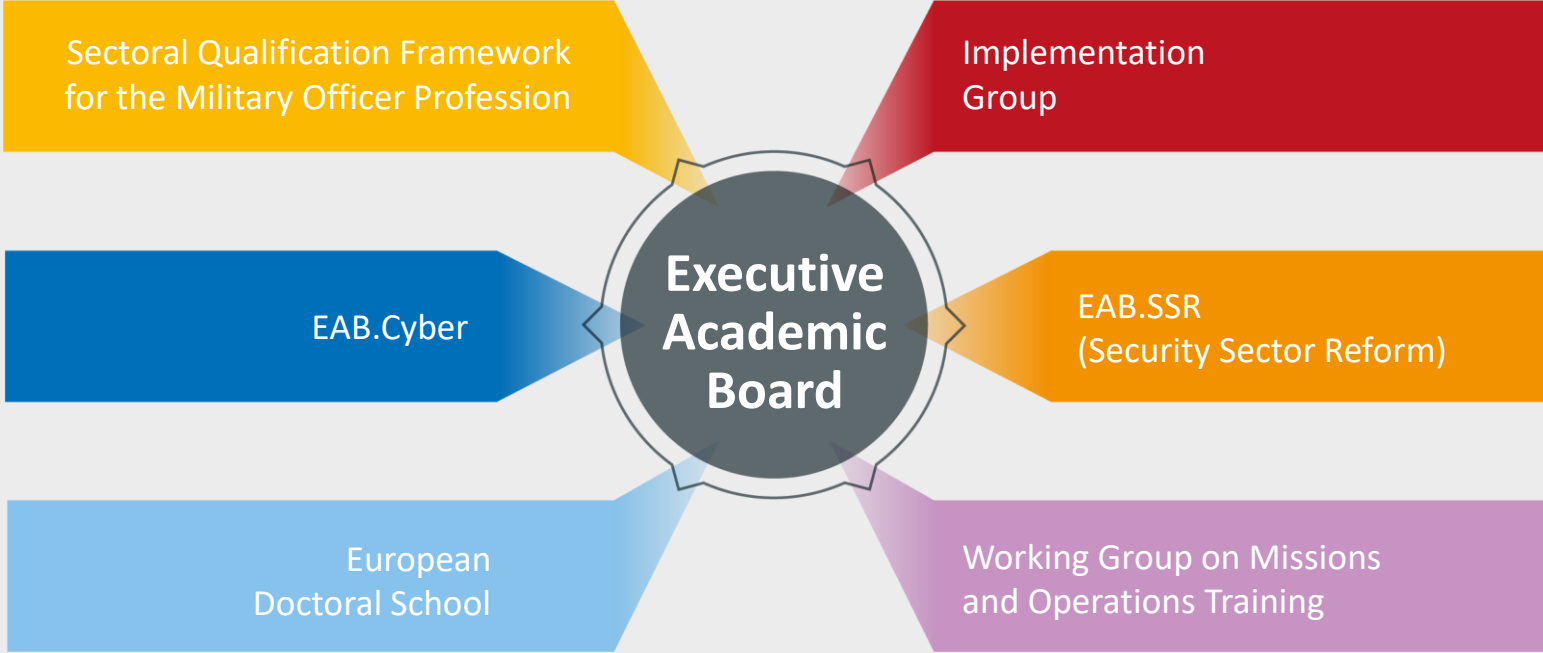European Union EXTERNAL ACTION

HEAD + Deputy/ Sr advisor

Secretariat 13 training managers + 2 Financial cell

FRONTEX
EUROPEAN BORDER AND COAST GUARD AGENCY

CEPOL

ISS European Union Institute for Security Studies

EUROPEAN UNION SATELLITE CENTRE
SatCen   Analysis for decision making

Executive Academic Board Configurations

Sectoral Qualification Framework for the Military Officer Profession

Implementation Group

EAB.Cyber

Executive Academic Board

EAB.SSR (Security Sector Reform)

European Doctoral School

Working Group on Missions and Operations Training

EAB Configurations

Working Group on Missions and Operations Training (WG-MOT)
https://esdc.europa.eu/working-group-on-csdp-missions-and-operations-training-wg-mot/

Working Group on Security Sector Reform (WG-SSR)
https://esdc.europa.eu/security-sector-reform-ssr/

Sectoral Qualification Framework for the Military Officer Profession (SQF MILOF)
https://esdc.europa.eu/sqf-milof/

Doc School on CSDP
https://esdc.europa.eu/doctoral-school/

EMILYO
https://esdc.europa.eu/military-erasmus/

EAB.CYBER
https://esdc.europa.eu/eab-cyber/

ESDC training cycle

STAGE 2 — Training design
STAGE 1 — Identify learning needs
STAGE 3 — Training delivery
STAGE 4 — Training Evaluation
STAGE 5 — Curricula revision
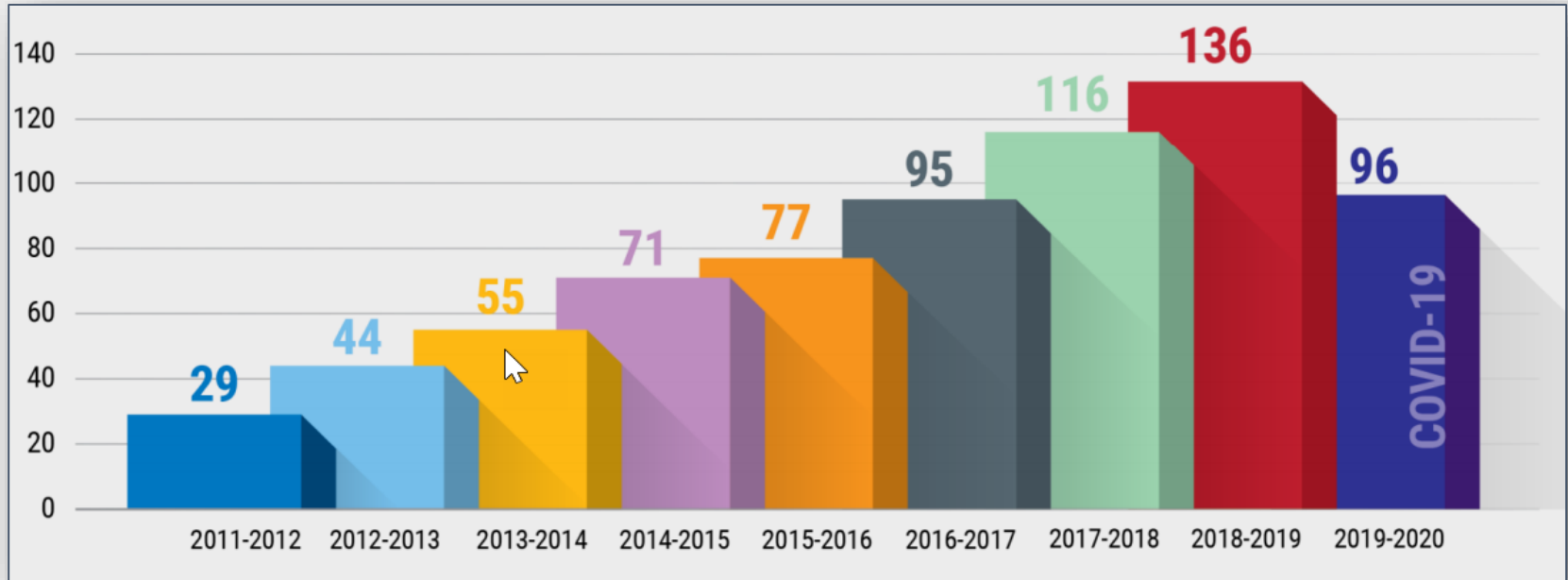
PLAN
DO
CHECK
ACT

Quality focused training cycle

>53 different training courses

ESDC flourishes…

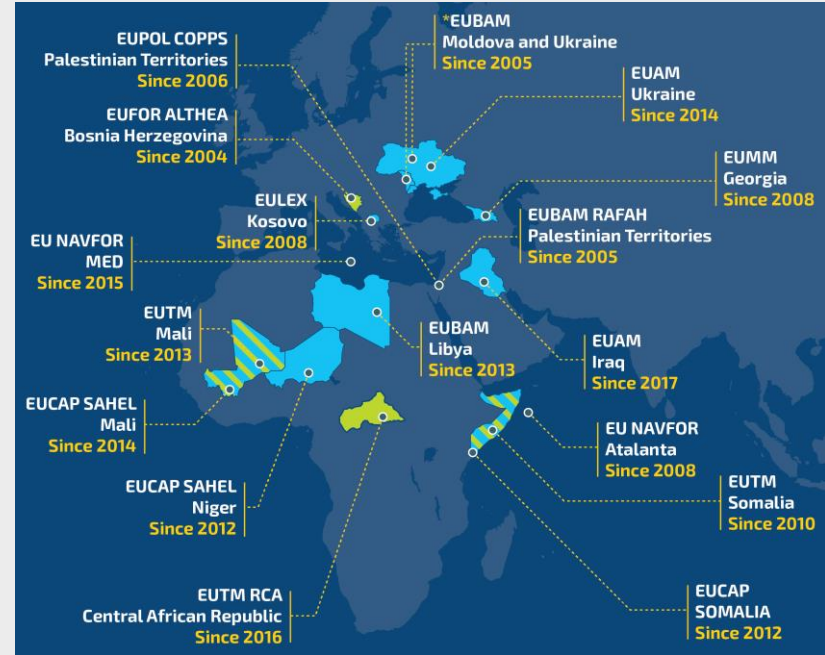## Number of ESDC Activities

Increased support to M&Os
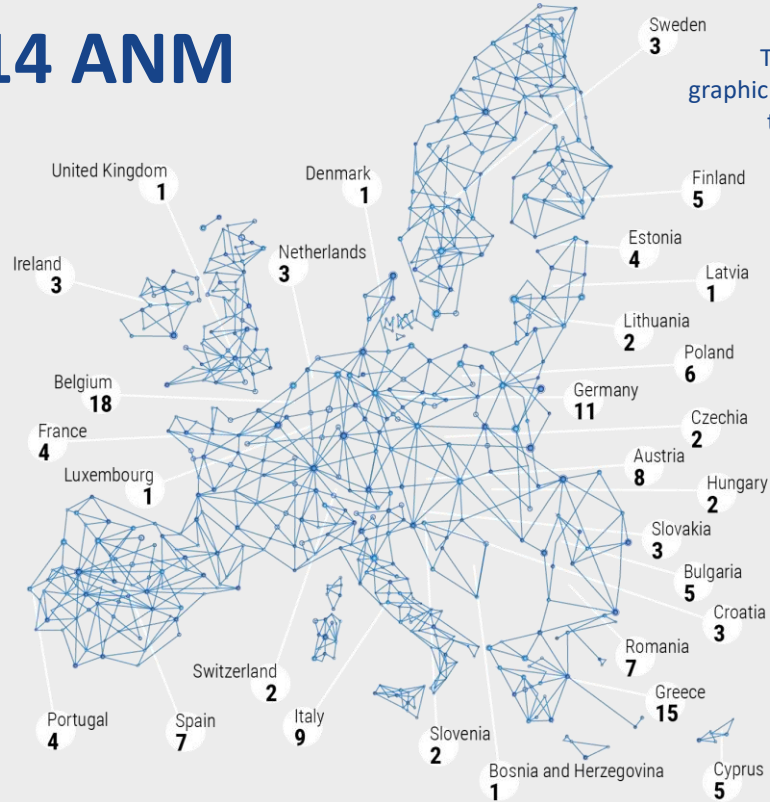
ESDC focuses on:
the training of experts engaged
in missions and operations
pre-deployment training (PDT),
including for contracted staff

Training Cycle

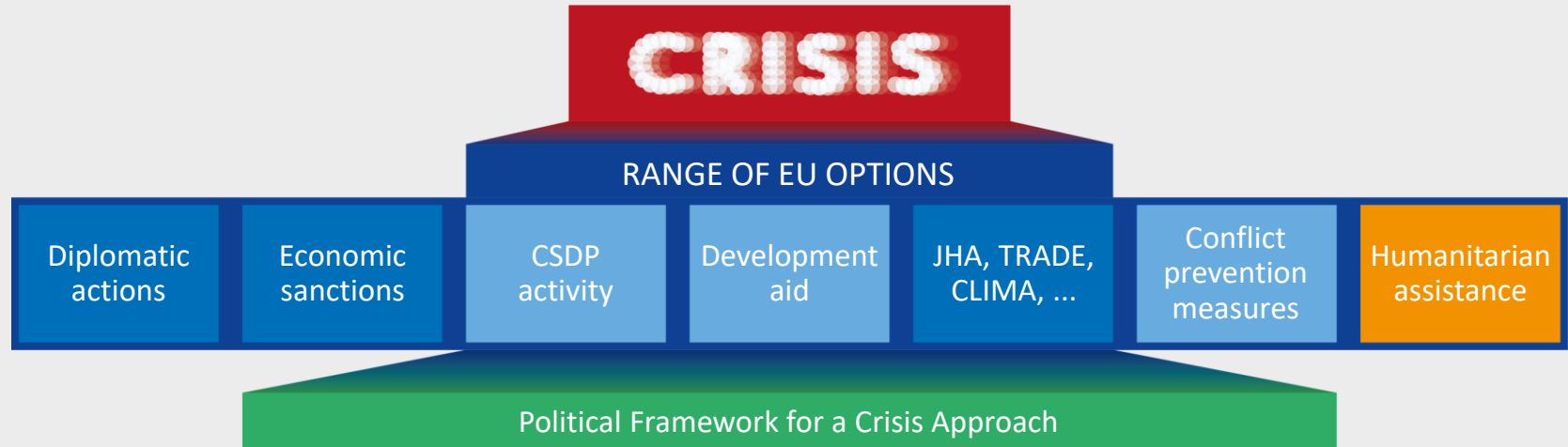**9 PDTs per year organized
by the ESDC**

189 Members:
175 full members + 14 ANM

The purpose of this graphic is only to visualize the ESDC network.

https://esdc.europa.eu/institutes/

Sweden 3
United Kingdom 1
Denmark 1
Finland 5
Estonia 4
Latvia 1
Ireland 3
Netherlands 3
Lithuania 2
Poland 6
Belgium 18
Germany 11
Czechia 2
France 4
Austria 8
Hungary 2
Luxembourg 1
Slovakia 3
Bulgaria 5
Croatia 3
Romania 7
Switzerland 2
Greece 15
Portugal 4
Spain 7
Italy 9
Slovenia 2
Bosnia and Herzegovina 1
Cyprus 5

ESDC using synergies

Conclusion

ESDC integrated approach

CRISIS

RANGE OF EU OPTIONS

| Diplomatic actions | Economic sanctions | CSDP activity | Development aid | JHA, TRADE, CLIMA, ... | Conflict prevention measures | Humanitarian assistance |

Political Framework for a Crisis Approach

Political context
- What the crisis is (incl. conflict analysis)
- Why the EU should act
- Instruments available, and best suited

Any questions

Thank you!

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