ESDC JOB DESCRIPTION

IDENTIFICATION OF THE JOB (02)

Job title: Training Manager

Entity: European Security and Defence College (ESDC)
Function group and grade bracket: corresponding AD (seconded by a EU Member State)

Overall purpose: assist the Head of the ESDC in fulfilling his/her task

FUNCTIONS

Heading

- Lead on the development of the ESDC work plan and prioritisation;
- Lead on the internal ESDC lessons learned process;
- Lead on the annual ESDC network conference/annual training and education conference in cooperation with relevant EEAS services.
- Facilitate the conduct of ESDC training activities in general and of specific training activities in support of CSDP missions and operations and capacity building

Planning

- Draft and manage the training programme and conceptual documents
- Develop, keep up-to-date and fine tune programme in close co-operation with national, international and EU training providers
- Provide ESDC input to the EU training programme

Analysis and Evaluation

- Analyse the relevance of evolving civilian and military policies in CSDP/CFSP
- Analyse the relevance of evolutions in the link between external and internal security of the EU
- Analyse the various EU and national level training activities in the field of CFSP/CSDP
- Support to the development of Standardised Curricula
- Contribute to ESDC input to the relevant reports (e.g. GAREA and CART)

Project Management

- Develop a project plan, manage the project stakeholders, project team, project risk, schedule and related budget
- Contribute to the Internet performance and PR activities of the ESDC
- Support to the ENLIST and Schoolmaster/Goalkeeper applications
- Assist in further developing the ILIAS platform of the ESDC
- Develop training material for ESDC courses

Coordination

- Establish close contacts to the Points of Contact of national and international training institutes
- Keep contact and closely co-operate with relevant services in the EU-institutions, the EEAS and EU agencies
- Support meetings and conferences of the ESDC

JOB REQUIREMENTS

Education and experience

- University diploma
- Ten years work experience out of which five years professional experience in the field of training
- o Alumni of at least one ESDC course would be an advantage

Knowledge

- o Thorough knowledge EU structures and procedures in CSDP
- Thorough knowledge of the European Qualification Framework and its implementation in higher education
- Sound knowledge of EU history and structures including CFSP/CSDP development
- Sound knowledge of the ESDC, its functioning and its link to the other entities, consortia and EU bodies involved in training relevant to CSDP

Languages

 Thorough knowledge of one CSDP language (EN/FR) and satisfactory knowledge of the other one are required

Skills

- o Good computer skills are essential. Holder of the "European Computer Driving Licence" (ECDL) are preferred.
- o Working in an international team and under time-pressure.
- Networking and communication skills.
- Display a high level of adaptability to the different national and organisational cultures within the EU

Level of autonomy

 Able to work independently and autonomously within the overall guidance of the Head of the ESDC;

Security Status

EU Security Clearance to the level "SECRET"