



INTER-AMERICAN DEFENSE COLLEGE
CLASS 65 – SECOND SEMESTER WEEKLY ACADEMIC SCHEDULE
 2 - 6 March 2026

Week # 36

DATE	TIME	AREA	ACTIVITY	LOCATION	COURSE	REFERENCE	RESPONSIBLE	INTERPRETERS	REMARKS
Monday Mar. 2nd	0800-0830	Studies	Group Preparation of Negotiation Strategies	Academic Auditorium	Multi Dimensional Security II - Conflict Analysis and Peacebuilding (Session 5)	IADC 614	Lead Professor: Prof. Tahina Montoya/ Edna Teresa Rodriguez Molina	English, Spanish and Portuguese	
	0830-0845	N/A	Break	N/A					
	0845-1045	Studies	Negotiation Exercise (Group Role Play)	Academic Auditorium					
	1045-1100	N/A	Break	N/A					
	1200-1220	Studies	Briefing of how to use the Outlook Calendar as a new Weekly Academic Schedule	Academic Auditorium	N/A	Mr. Claudio Faria / LTC Samuel Lopez			
	1220-1300	N/A	Lunch						
	1300-1430	Studies	Feedback from the presentation of the MPE Phase I	Academic Auditorium	Strategic Planning: Applied Methods and Country Study	IADC 519	Lead Professor: Prof Luiz Antonio Dos Santos Junior		
1430-1630	N/A	Study/Research		N/A		N/A	N/A		
Tuesday Mar 3rd	0800-0930	Studies	Plenary: Failed Alliances: (CENTO, SEATO, Middle East)	Academic Auditorium	Hemispheric Defense and Security Policy (Lesson 7)	IADC 607	Lead Professor: Prof. Jim Marckwardt	English, Spanish and Portuguese	
	0930-0945		Break and Transfer to Seminar Rooms	N/A			N/A		
	0945-1045	Studies	Seminar Discussion: Students review readings and discuss lessons from CENTO, SEATO, and other failed alliances, applying insights to assess the effectiveness and limits of TIAR and the broader hemispheric defense system	Seminar Rooms			Seminar Leaders		
	1045-1100		Break	N/A			N/A		
	1100-1150	Studies	In-Seminar Debate: Comparative lessons for TIAR and the hemispheric defense system, including expectations of U.S. solidarity	Seminar Rooms	Seminar Leaders				
	1150-1205		Break and Transfer to Academic Auditorium						
	1205-1220		Briefing of USNA Field Study (Annapolis)	Academic Auditorium	Academic Calendar	Lead Professor: Cptn Daniel Upp			
	1220-1300		Lunch			N/A			
	1300-1600	Studies	Civil-Military Relations	Academic Auditorium	Special Topics Elective	IADC 599C	Lead Professor: Prof. Roberto Quiroz		
	1300-1600	Studies	Comparative Politics	Kennedy Hall		IADC 599H	Lead Professor: Prof. Daniel Masis		
1600-1630	Studies	Study/Research				N/A			
Wednesday Mar. 4th	0800-0845	Studies	Country Study Group: Conflict Case Selection and Initial Development of Theory of Change	Seminar Rooms	Multi Dimensional Security II - Conflict Analysis and Peacebuilding (Session 6)	IADC 614	Seminar Leaders	English, Spanish and Portuguese	
	0845-0900		Break and Transfer to Academic Auditorium						
	0900-1015	Studies	Plenary Debrief of Groups' Theories of Change and Introduction to Phase I (Conflict Analysis)	Academic Auditorium			Lead Professor: Prof. Tahina Montoya		
	1015-1030		Break and Transfer to Seminar Rooms						
	1030-1200	Studies	Country Study Group: Case Analysis (Revision of Theory of Change, Phase I)	Seminar Rooms	Seminar Leaders				
	1200-1300		Lunch						
	1300-1600	Studies	Space as a Strategic Asset	Academic Auditorium	Special Topics Elective	IADC 599I	Prof. Laura Delgado/Col. Claudio Faria		
1600-1630	Studies	Study/Research				N/A			
Thursday Mar. 5th	0800-0900	Studies	1 Plenary: Alliance Design Exercise: Building a Functional Alliance	Academic Auditorium	Hemispheric Defense and Security Policy (Lesson 8)	IADC 607	Lead Professor: Prof. Jim Marckwardt	English, Spanish and Portuguese	
	0900-0915		2 Break and Transfer to Seminar Rooms	N/A			N/A		
	0915-1030	Studies	3 Seminar Discussion & Exercise Design a security alliance	Seminar Rooms			Seminar Leaders		
	1030-1045		4 Break	N/A			N/A		
	1045-1200	Studies	5 Seminar Discussion & Exercise [Continued] Continued design of a security alliance	Seminar Rooms	Seminar Leaders				
	1200-1215		6 Break and Transfer to the Academic Auditorium	N/A	N/A				
	1215-1230	Studies	7 Briefing of OAS Delegates availability to CL65	Academic Auditorium		Guest Speaker: Mr. Giovanni Snidle			
	1230-1330	Studies	8 Administrative time (Mexico)	Academic Auditorium		Lead Professor: Mr. Claudio Faria			
	1330-1430		9 Lunch						
	1430-1630	Studies	10 Study/Research				N/A		
Friday Feb. 6th	USNA Field Study (Annapolis)							English, Spanish and Portuguese	Uniform No. 2A

Student of the Week
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