



**INTER-AMERICAN DEFENSE COLLEGE**  
**CLASS 65 – SECOND SEMESTER WEEKLY ACADEMIC SCHEDULE**  
 4 - 8 August 2025

Week # 6

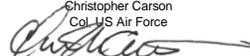
DATE	TIME	HOURS/AREA	ACTIVITY	LOCATION	COURSE	REFERENCE	RESPONSIBLE	INTERPRETERS	REMARKS
Monday Aug. 4th	0830-0900	Studies	Student arrival in Academic Auditorium (Only Staff)	Academic auditorium & Live Stream Zoom	Student Orientation		Seminar Leaders	English, Spanish and Portuguese	Uniform No. 2B
	0900-0920		Welcome	Academic auditorium & Live Stream Zoom			Vice Director and Chief of Studies		
	0920-1000		Overview: Orientation Schedule, Academic Program, Institutional Learning Outcomes.	Academic auditorium & Live Stream Zoom					
	1015-1030		Break	N/A					
	1030-1200		Student Introduction	Academic auditorium & Live Stream Zoom			Dr. Mark Hamilton		
	1200-1300		Lunch						
	1330-1400		ELP Overview (Field Studies: NYC Focus)	Academic auditorium & Live Stream Zoom			CDR Daniel Up		
	1400-1430		Seminar Leaders Overview (Facilitation/Mentoring)	Academic auditorium & Live Stream Zoom			Dr. Mark Hamilton/Col. Faria		
	1430-1445		Transition to Seminar Rooms	Seminar Rooms			Seminar Leaders		
	1445-1530		Initial Group Sessions with Seminar Leaders	Seminar Rooms			Seminar Leaders		
	1530-1730		Study/Research	N/A			Academic Calendar		
Tuesday Aug. 5th	0800-0815	Studies	Debrief of activities to date; overview of day 2 Schedule a day 3 Convocation	Academic auditorium & Live Stream Zoom	Student Orientation		Capt. Alejo Bonani	English, Spanish and Portuguese	Uniform No. 2B
	0815-0845		IT Operations overview	Academic auditorium & Live Stream Zoom			Mr. Simon Mckeeon, MSGT Sharita Lucas		
	0845-0915		IE Presentation (Survey)	Academic auditorium & Live Stream Zoom			Capt. Marcus Vinicius Menezes		
	0915-0930		Break	N/A					
	0930-1030		Key Institutional Policies/SHARP Training	Academic auditorium & Live Stream Zoom			MSGT Michael Camacho		
	1030-1045		Break	N/A					
	1045-1130		Catalog & Student Handbook; Student Leadership Roles.	Academic auditorium & Live Stream Zoom			Capt. Alejo Bonani		
	1130-1200		Debrief of In-Person Orientation; Questions/Concerns	Academic auditorium & Live Stream Zoom			Dr. Mark Hamilton/Capt. Alejo Bonani		
	1200-1250		Lunch	N/A					
	1250-1300		Report to Seminar Rooms to start tour	Seminar Rooms			Capt. Alejo Bonani		
	1300-1500		Tour IADC Campus (Including Kennedy Hall and NDU Library)	Acad. Aud., Bldg.50, Bldg. 54, Bldg. 52- Outdoors			Led individual Seminar Leader		
1500-1600	Expectations, Califications, Convocation, RWF Course, Spouse Orientation	Seminar Rooms	Seminar Leaders						
1600-1730	Study/Research	N/A	Academic Calendar						
Wednesday Aug. 6th	0830-1000	E.R.	Rehersal Convocation Ceremony Staff Only	Kennedy Hall	Convocation		Capt. Alejo Bonani/LTC Robles	English, Spanish and Portuguese	Uniform No. 1
	1000-1130	E.R.	Take Student Official Photos	Bassament Bldg. 52					
	1120-1130	Studies	Movement to Kennedy Hall	N/A					
	1130-1140	E.R.	Arrival students for Convocation	Kennedy Hall					
	1140-1250	E.R.	Student rehersal Convocation Ceremony	Kennedy Hall					
	1300-1400	Studies	Convocation Ceremony/Official Photo	Kennedy Hall					
	1400-1530	E.R.	Reception	Kennedy Hall					
	1530-1730	Studies	Study/Research	N/A					
Thursday Aug. 7th	0800-0915	Studies	Recapitulation of the virtual workshop; return to the topic of document types. Synthesis and doubts	Academic Auditorium	Research and writing fundamentals Workshop	Syllabus IADC 401/501	Lead Professor: Prof. Juan Carrasco Rangel	English, Spanish and Portuguese	Uniform No. 2B
	0915-0930	Break							
	0930-1045	Studies	Opinions, reflections and doubts about the workshop and the documents.	Academic Auditorium					
	1045-1100	Break							
	1110-1230	Studies	Decision Report for the exercise / fictitious case	Seminar Rooms					
	1230-1315	Lunch							
	1315-1530	Studies	Group discussion: McChrystal case and fictitious case. Work structure and explanation of the individual assignment for day 6.	Academic Auditorium	Academic Calendar	Lead Professor: Dr. Mark Hamilton (PhD)			
	1500-1730	Studies	Study/Research	N/A	Academic Calendar				
Friday Aug. 8th.	<b>Spouses Orientation/Study Day</b>								

\*\*\* If there are conflicting or contradictory texts in other translation of this weekly program, the English version takes precedence.

**Student of the Week**  
 Capt. Gonzalo Gordillo, Armada Argentina

**Back-Up Student of the Week**  
 LTC. RobinFonseca, US Marine Corps

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