CSCDEP 8905, 8906, 8907, 8908
WEEKEND SEMINAR SCHEDULE ACADEMIC YEAR 2020

8905 — SMALL WARS

MONTH ONE – October 2019
Saturday  Lesson 1:  Introduction to Small Wars
Lesson 2:  Culture in Small Wars
Sunday  Lesson 3:  The Law of War and Ethical Leadership in Small Wars
Lesson 4:  Stability Efforts in Small Wars
8905 Course Assessment Released

MONTH TWO – November 2019
Saturday  Lesson 5:  Foreign Humanitarian Assistance and Peace Operations
Lesson 6:  Insurgency
Saturday  Lesson 7:  Counterinsurgency
Lesson 8:  Transnational Threats and Terrorism
8905 Course Assessment Due
8905 Course Close Out Due 25 November

8906 — MAGTF EXPEDITIONARY OPERATIONS

MONTH THREE – December 2019
Saturday  Lesson 1:  Leadership and Ethics
Lesson 2:  Organizational Leadership
Command Philosophy Paper Assigned
Sunday  Lesson 3:  Expeditionary Operations and Concepts
Lesson 4:  Marine Air-Ground Task Force Operations
Lesson 5:  Rear Area Operations and Force Protection

MONTH FOUR – January 2020
Saturday  Lesson 6:  Force Deployment Planning and Execution and the Maritime Prepositioning Force
Lesson 7:  Logistic Support for Expeditionary Operations
Command Philosophy Paper Due
Sunday  Lesson 8:  Command and Control and Intelligence
Lesson 9:  Fires and the Information Environment
8906 Course Assessment

8907 — AMPHIBIOUS OPERATIONS

MONTH FIVE – February 2020
Saturday  Lesson 1:  Amphibious Warfare Development
Lesson 2:  Amphibious Warfare Planning and Execution
Sunday  Lesson 3:  Amphibious Fires and Logistics
Lesson 4:  The Evolving Nature of Amphibious Operations
8907 Course Assessment Practical Exercise
8906 Course Close Out Due 17 February

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By direction
MONTH SIX – March 2020

Saturday  
Lesson 1: Operation Planning
Lesson 2: Design and Intelligence Preparation of the Battlespace (IPB)

Sunday  
Lesson 3: Problem Framing
Lesson 4: Problem Framing Practical Exercise

Planning Products Assigned and Due

8907 Course Close Out Due 23 March

MONTH SEVEN – April 2020

Saturday  
Lesson 5: Course of Action Development and War Game
Lesson 6: Course of Action Development Practical Exercise

Planning Products Assigned and Due

Sunday  
Lesson 7: Course of Action War Game Practical Exercise

Planning Products Assigned and Due
Lesson 8: Course of Action Comparison and Decision, Orders Development, and Transition (and Practical Exercise)

Planning Products Assigned and Due

MONTH EIGHT – May 2020

Saturday  
Lesson F1: Mission Analysis for Stabilization (and Practical Exercise)

Planning Products Assigned and Due
Lesson F2: COA Development for Stabilization (and Practical Exercise)

Planning Products Assigned and Due

Sunday  
Lesson F3: COA Analysis and Wargaming for Stabilization (and Practical Exercise)

Planning Products Assigned and Due

8908 Course Close Out Due 15 June