CSCDEP 8901, 8902, 8903, 8904 WEEKLY SEMINAR SCHEDULE ACADEMIC YEAR 2022

8901 — THEORY AND NATURE OF WAR

WEEK ONE – 6 September 2021

Lesson 1: Fundamentals of Military Theory

WEEK TWO - 13 September

Lesson 2: Napoleonic Warfare, Clausewitz, and Jomini

WEEK THREE - 20 September

Lesson 3: The Modernization of War in America

WEEK FOUR – 27 September

Lesson 4: The Early Twentieth Century: Modern War Comes of Age in Europe

WEEK FIVE - 4 October

Lesson 5: Military Change in the Interwar Period

WEEK SIX - 11 October

Lesson 6: World War II

WEEK SEVEN - 18 October

Lesson 7: The Cold War, Sun Tzu, and John Boyd

WEEK EIGHT - 25 October

Lesson 8: Contemporary and Future War

8901 Course Assessment Due

WEEK NINE - 1 November

Faculty grading of 8901 course examination

8902 — NATIONAL AND INTERNATIONAL SECURITY STUDIES

WEEK TEN – 8 November

Lesson 1: Foundations of National and International Security

8902 Course Assessment Research Essay Discussed

WEEK ELEVEN – 15 November

Lesson 2: Strategy

WEEK TWELVE – 22 November

Lesson 3: Instruments of National Power

8901 Course Close Out this Week

WEEK THIRTEEN - 29 November

Lesson 4: National Security Decisionmaking

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WEEK FOURTEEN - 6 December

Lesson 5: National Strategic Guidance

WEEK FIFTEEN – 13 December

Lesson 6: Alliances and Coalitions

DECEMBER HOLIDAY BREAK (NO SEMINAR) 22 Dec - 2 Jan

WEEK SIXTEEN – 3 January 2022

Lesson 7: Joint Strategic Planning System and the Planning, Programming, Budgeting, and

Execution System

WEEK SEVENTEEN – 10 January

Lesson 8: Strategic Case Study: Suez Crisis (1956)

8902 Course Assessment Research Essay Due

WEEK EIGHTEEN - 17 January

Faculty grading of 8902 course examination

8904 — JOINT OPERATIONS

WEEK NINETEEN – 24 January

Lesson 1: Evolution of Jointness

WEEK TWENTY – 31 January

Lesson 2: Service Warfare

WEEK TWENTY-ONE – 7 February

Lesson 3: Combatant Commands

8902 Course Close Out this Week

WEEK TWENTY-TWO – 14 February

Lesson 4: Joint Force Organization

WEEK TWENTY-THREE – 21 February

Lesson 5: Interorganizational Cooperation

WEEK TWENTY-FOUR - 28 February

Lesson 6: The Joint Operating Environment

WEEK TWENTY-FIVE – 7 March

Lesson 7: Joint Functions Case Studies

WEEK TWENTY-SIX – 14 March

Lesson 8: Higher-Level Staff Work

8904 Course Assessment Due

WEEK TWENTY-SEVEN – 22 March

Faculty grading of 8904 course assessment

8903 — OPERATIONAL ART

WEEK TWENTY-EIGHT – 28 March

Lesson 1: Operational Art

WEEK TWENTY-NINE – 4 April

Lesson 2: Operational Design

8904 Course Close Out this Week

WEEK THIRTY – 11 April

Lesson 3: Operational Leadership

WEEK THIRTY-ONE – 18 April

Lesson 4: Joint Operation Planning

WEEK THIRTY-TWO – 25 April

Lesson 5: Campaigning

WEEK THIRTY-THREE – 2 May

Lesson 6: Information Operations

WEEK THIRTY-FOUR - 9 May

Lesson 7: Operational Design Practical Exercise – Development

WEEK THIRTY-FIVE – 16 May

Lesson 8: 8903 Course Assessment Practical Exercise – Refinement and Presentation

8903 Course Close Out 10 June