

**CSCDEP 8905, 8906, 8907, 8908
WEEKEND SEMINAR SCHEDULE ACADEMIC YEAR 2024**

8905 — SMALL WARS

MONTH ONE – October 2023

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:	Foreign Humanitarian Assistance and Peace Operations

MONTH TWO – November 2023

Saturday	Lesson 5:	Insurgency
	Lesson 6:	Counterinsurgency
Sunday	Lesson 7:	Transnational Threats and Terrorism
		8905 Course Assessment Due

8905 Course Close Out 13 Nov

8906 — MAGTF EXPEDITIONARY OPERATIONS

MONTH THREE – December 2023

Saturday	Lesson 1:	Leadership and Ethics
	Lesson 2:	Organizational Leadership
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 2024

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 — NAVAL EXPEDITIONARY OPERATIONS

MONTH FIVE – February 2024

Saturday	Lesson 1:	Naval Warfare
	Lesson 2:	Amphibious Warfare
	Lesson 3:	Amphibious Warfare Planning and Execution
Sunday	Lesson 4:	Naval Expeditionary Fires and Logistics
	Lesson 5:	Naval Expeditionary Operations in an Evolving Environment
	Lesson 6:	Naval Expeditionary Operations Practical Exercise

8906 Course Close Out 5 February

Approved:



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By direction

8908 —OPERATION PLANNING (AND FINAL EXERCISE)

MONTH SIX – March 2024

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
	<i>Planning Products Assigned and Due</i>

8907 Course Close Out 19 March

MONTH SEVEN – April 2024

Saturday	Lesson 5: Course of Action Development and War Game
	Lesson 6: Course of Action Development Practical Exercise
	<i>Planning Products Assigned and Due</i>
Sunday	Lesson 7: Course of Action War Game Practical Exercise
	<i>Planning Products Assigned and Due</i>
	Lesson 8: Course of Action Comparison and Decision, Orders Development, and Transition (and Practical Exercise)
	<i>Planning Products Assigned and Due</i>

MONTH EIGHT – May 2024

Saturday	Lesson F1: Mission Analysis for Stabilization (and Practical Exercise)
	<i>Planning Products Assigned and Due</i>
	Lesson F2: COA Development for Stabilization (and Practical Exercise)
	<i>Planning Products Assigned and Due</i>
Sunday	Lesson F3: COA Analysis and Wargaming for Stabilization (and Practical Exercise)
	<i>Planning Products Assigned and Due</i>

8908 Course Close Out Due 8 June