## International Security and Cooperation

## CANADA AND THE MIDDLE EAST <br> 2.5 days

The course has been designed to provide participants with a clear understanding of the context and major elements surrounding the conflict between Israelis and Palestinians and Canada's position towards this issue through pre course readings, case studies, expert presentations and meeting with members of domestic lobbies interested in the issue.

At the end of the course, participants will be able to:

- describe key elements and events surrounding this conflict;
- present the domestic and international contexts in which Canadian policy is developed and implemented;
- understand the evolution and principles of Canadian policy concerning this major issue;
- identify key Canadian contributions toward the search for peace.

Population: All new entry-level rotational officers; all rotational and non-rotational officers who require this specialized training for their job
Mode of Delivery: Classroom

## CANADA-US RELATIONS I: AN INTRODUCTION 2 days

Participants will acquire a basic understanding of the breadth and complexity of the Canada-US relationship, of current challenges facing the relationship, of US political culture and of some of the differences between Canadian and US views of their place in the world.

At the end of the course participants will be able to:

- describe the US policy process;
- evaluate the ways in which the US policy process has an impact on Canada-US relations;
- identify how the US system might be accessed and influenced through an understanding of the structure of the system, its global preoccupations, and of the key issues in the Canada-US relationship.

Population: Entry-level FS officers, desk officers with direct or indirect responsibility for Canada-US relations Mode of Delivery: Classroom

