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SUBJECT: Save the Date Letter for WIT Course, 07-25 SEP 2026, Hungarian Defense Forces NCO Academy/Szentendre, Hungary

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REFERENCES:

- A. Bi-SC E&IT Directive 075-007 MAR 2025.
- B. ACIEDP-01, Edition C, Ver 1, “NATO C-IED Training Requirements”, OCT 25.
- C. ACIEDP-02, Edition C, Version 1, “NATO WIT Capabilities”, MAY 2025.
- D. AC/259-D(2025)0004 CNAD VNCF NATO WIT Training Project 2026-27 Project Description and Call for Support.
- E. C-IED CoE PoW 2026.

1. NATO Nations and Interoperability Platform Nations¹ are kindly informed that the 26.2 iteration of the WIT Course in 2026 at the Hungarian Defense Forces NCO Academy, Szentendre, Hungary, will be conducted from *07 – 25 September 2026*.

Course Code (ETOC): [IED-ED-3767](#)

2. The aim of the WIT Course is to train personnel to collect, collate, assess, and disseminate information on adversary capabilities relating directly to their use of weapons, caches, finds, etc. The course specifically includes the investigation of IEDs, IED explosions, and the subsequent collection of explosion remains, intelligence and information.

¹ Interoperability Platform members: Armenia, Australia, Austria, Azerbaijan, Bahrain, Bosnia and Herzegovina, Georgia, Ireland, Japan, Jordan, Kazakhstan, the Republic of Korea, the Republic of Moldova, Mongolia, Morocco, New Zealand, Serbia, Switzerland, Tunisia, Ukraine, and the United Arab Emirates.

3. Training Audience for the WIT Course are ideally from Explosive Ordnance Disposal, Engineering, Intelligence, Military Police, Special Operations, and Infantry backgrounds. The rank of students attending the course normally range from NATO OR 4-8 and OF 1-3.
4. The classification of the course is “NATO RESTRICTED”.
5. The official Calling Letter of the course is going to be released not later than the *05th of June 2026*.
6. Should you have any questions, please contact the C-IED COE Point of Contact:

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