

5th ANNUAL CONFERENCE 2015 PROGRAM (FINAL)

Sunday, 10th of May 2015

- Until 17:30** **Hotels** - Check in
- 18:00** **Reception and welcome by the President Euro-ISME**
Dinner buffet in the Hotel M Best Western.

Monday, 11th of May 2015

- Until 09:00** Registration at Military Academy / Distribution of badges and conference documents

- 09:00** Inaugural session
Welcome by Major General Goran Zeković, Head of the Military Academy, and by Brigadier General Benoit Royal, President of Euro-ISME

09:30 Inaugural lecture given by:
Major General Dr. Mladen Vuruna, Rector of the University of Defence, Belgrade

- 10:10 – 10:45 Coffee Break

- 10:45** **Plenary Round Table on “Ethics and Military Leadership.”**
Chair: *Colonel Dr. Ilija Kajtez*
Panelists : Prof. Dr. Henri Hude (France), Dr. David Whetham (United Kingdom), Prof. Dr. Thomas R. Elssner (Germany)

- 12:10** **Launch of Euro-ISME’s book series on "International Studies on Military Ethics"**
and presentation of the Euro-ISME Volume 1 by Dr. David Whetham, volume editor and Dr. Ted van Baarda, series editor-in-chief

- 12:30 Lunch

- 14:00** **Parallel workshops**

Workshop 1: Moral questions and asymmetrical warfare.

Chair: *Air Commodore (retd.) John Thomas, Euro-ISME BoD*

Dr. Jackson Maogoto, *“Hazards of rhetoric in war – Blouses and insignia: privileges and on-privileges of ‘enemy’ populations”*

Dr. Stephanie Bélanger, *“Mission selection policy and its impact on leaders in the battle field: the example of Canada’s implication in the Balkans”*

Prof. Dr. Zoran Jeftić, *“The role of the civilian in the defence system”*

Workshop 2: Teaching military ethics and maintaining ethical standards.

Chair: PhD (cand) Eva Whitehead, Euro-ISME BoD

PhD (cand) Simona Gheorghiu, *“Deontology versus virtue ethics. Cultivating ethical conduct in military leaders”*

Kristina Tonn, *“How should permanent and current ethical challenges be taken into account in the ethical education for military leaders?”*

LtCol Dr. Srećko Kuzmanović, *“The values and virtues of military leaders”*

Workshop 3: National experiences with military ethics.

Chair: Dr. Magdalena Revue, Euro-ISME BoD

Dr. Deanna Messervey, Craig Gardner and Andrew Davey, *“Ethical leadership in the Department of National Defence & Canadian Armed Forces”*

Dr. Zdenek Mikulka *“Conditions and circumstances of development ethics in the education of Czech officers”*

Dr. Veronika Bock, *“Innere Führung under the premises of Hybrid Warfare”*

15:30 – 16:00 Coffee Break

16:00 Plenary Lectures:

Dr. Peter Olsthoorn, *“Military virtues, military ethics and ethics education”*

Revd. Dr. Philip McCormack, *“Grounding British army values upon an ethical good”*

18:00 Departure of buses for the Danube tour / Euro-ISME Dinner buffet

Tuesday, 12th of May 2015

- 09:00 Plenary lectures:**
Dr. George Wilkes, *"When international dialogue on military ethics confronts diverse cultural and political practices: guilt as a case in point"*
Prof. Dr. Angelika Doerfler-Dierken, *"Innere Führung - Dimensions of its Ethics"*
- 10:30 – 11:00 Coffee Break
- 11:00 Parallel workshops**
Workshop 4: Leadership issues and Military Ethics.
Chair: Revd. Dr. Philip McCormack, MBE
LtCol Vangel Milkovski, *"Doctrine of Military Ethics : Basic Element for Moral Foundations of Military Power"*
Dr. Alain Fogué, *"The Moral Skills of Military Leaders - Elements for the evaluation of professionalism in the battle against Boko Haram"*
Prof. Dr. Boris Kashnikov, *"The lost victory and ethical dilemmas of military leadership"*
- Workshop 5: Virtues and leadership.**
Chair: Prof. Dr. Jovan Babić
Prof. Dr. Martin L. Cook, *"The dangers of integrity"*
PhD (cand) N.Cartagena, *"Fragmentation and the virtue of integrity"*
Dr. Mihaljo Basara, *"The morale of army and military leadership in the crossfire"*
- Workshop 6: The chain of command and leadership**
Chair: Dr. Ted van Baarda, Euro-ISME BoD
Prof. Dr. Dragan Simeunović, *"Charismatic Leadership as Type of Ethical and Military Leadership"*
Dr. Aleksandar Fatić, *"Ethics and authority in modern warfare"*
Dr. Liliane Correa de Oliveira Klaus, *"Tone at the top: in hierarchical institutions. A cannonball to fight military corruption in Latin America"*
Major Marko Marjanović, *"Purpose driven ethics as an enabler to successful change, innovation and improvement of military organisations"*
- 12:30 – 14:00 Lunch
- 14:00 Plenary Round Table on "Philosophy and Leadership".**
Chair: Kristina Tonn, Zebis
Dr. Ellen Zhang, *"Virtue and virtuosity: leadership from the Daoist art of governance to Sunzi's art of warfare"*
Dr. Ashley Boden-Row, *"Military leadership and indirect communication. A Kierkegaardian military ethic"*
Prof. Dr. Mihaly Boda, *"Soldiers' Autonomy and Military Authority – Proposal"*
PhD Arseniy Kumankov, *"Border crossing as a moral duty: M. Walzer and C. Schmitt on humanitarian intervention"*
- 15:00 – 15:30 Coffee Break
- 16:00 Plenary lectures:**
Dr. Stephen Hare, *"Exacting virtue: the scarcity of excellence, culture risks, and implications for values based military training"*
Dr. Patrick Mileham, *"Integrity: moral or ethical?"*
- 17:45 Ordinary General Assembly (for affiliated members of Euro-ISME only)**

Wednesday, 13th of May 2015

09:00 Parallel workshops

Workshop 7: Towards a common European military code of conduct

Co-chairs: Prof. Dr. Henri Hude and BrigGen (ret) Patrice Mompeysson, Euro-ISME BoD
Discussion with cadets of the French Military College on the question how young, future officers view the concept of a European Military Ethic.

Comments from Dr. Ted van Baarda and Dr. Patrick Mileham

Workshop 8: Ethics in operational circumstances.

Chair: Dr. Daniel Messelken, Euro-ISME BoD

Dr. Stephen Deakin, "Killing your own: threatened execution and execution of military comrades in two world wars. The British military experience"

Dr. Aura Codreanu "Leadership and boundary situations"

Cdr PhD Kleanthis Kyriakidis, "Military leaders and the problem of dirty hands"

Dr. Deane Peter Baker, "Special forces, special ethics"

Workshop 9: Ethics and the identity of the soldier.

Chair: Dr. George Wilkes

Dr. Miriam de Graaf, "On moral grounds: moral identity in relation to military deployment"

Dr. Michael Robillard, "Risk, war and the danger of soldier identity"

Dr. B. Grozdić & Dr. Z. Pavlović, "Loyalty and betrayal in Serbian of military leadership"

10:30 – 11:00 Coffee Break

11:00 Plenary lecture :

LtCol Steve Hart & LtCol Ben Wilde, "Armouring against atrocity. A practitioner's guide to defending against ethical failure"

11:45 Conclusion & Farewell address:

Colonel Dr. Ilija Kajtez, Military Academy, and
Dr. David Whetham, vice-president of Euro-ISME

12:30 Lunch

Check out and Departure