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## Civil-Military Interaction (M.A.)

for leaders and executives working at the civil-military interface and in crisis management.

Develop your individual skills and leadership competencies in inter-cultural and inter-sectoral networks.

APPLICATION DEADLINE 31 May 2025

**Profile:** MCMI prepares leaders of the armed forces and executives of Governmental, Non-Governmental- and Independent Organizations for careers across the spectrum of Civil-Military Interaction. The inter-organizational study programme is offered by the Helmut Schmidt University/University of the German Armed Forces Hamburg (HSU/UniBw H) in cooperation with NATO's Civil-Military Cooperation Centre of Excellence (CCOE) in The Hague, The Netherlands. The programme offers a reflexive learning environment combining practical experience and scientific inquiry. The study programme is conducted in English.

The MCMI is ideal for expanding networks and developing expertise while pursuing a professional career.

#### **Content & Structure:**

- Compulsory courses: Leadership & Management, Empirical Social Research, NATO CIMIC Higher Command Course and Field & Staff Worker Course.
- Elective courses: Strategic Concepts, Human Rights, International Policy Analysis, Cross-Cultural Studies, and Conflict Management.
- Preparatory academic writing seminar and master thesis.
- (\*) Fulfilment of admission criteria is subject to a case-by-case assessment.

**Degree:** Master of Arts (M.A.).

**Duration:** 2 years (60 ECTS).

**Mode of Study:** The format with short blocked in-classroom or virtual seminars combined with problem-based learning phases is ideal for working professionals.

#### Admission requirements (\*):

- Bachelor and/or Master degree with a minimum of 240 ECTS.
- Minimum 2 years working experience with at least one year of management responsibilities.
- English language skills (C1).

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