AUSTRIAN JOINT FORCES COMMAND



SUBJECT:

Pooling & Sharing (P&S) MOUNTAIN TRAINING INITIATIVE (MTI),

Expert Talk

REFERENCES: Invitation to the MoU sent by the AUT Attache

SITUATION:

The Austrian Joint Forces Command (AJFC) herewith extends an invitation to take part in an international Expert Talk on the EU P&S MOUNTAIN TRAINING INITIATIVE, scheduled for 09 to 11 May 2015.

First order of business and the official start of the conference will be the "MoU Ceremony" on 09th of may 2015 at 1800. We do hope that your Nation will participate with an official representative to sign the MOU.

First information has been distributed via the AUT Attache as well as your national POC.

Subsequently the Expert Talks will be held. Even if your Nation decides not to sign the MOU at this point you are kindly invited to participate in the Expert Talks.

CONFERENCE SPECIFICATIONS:

- The conference will be hosted by the Austrian Joint Forces Command
- Officer scheduling the conference: BG Karl Pernitsch, J7, AJFC.
- Expert Talks Objectives:
 - Syndicate work:
 - Syndicate1: Standardisation

Aim: Generating a 1st level of minimum standards for mountain training

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- Syndicate2: Platform website administration training
- Presentation of the MTA HOCHFILZEN
- o Presentation of the Austrian packhorse unit
- The conference will be hosted by the MTA HOCHFILZEN
- Officer in charge: LTC RITZ Matthias, Chief, Mountain Training Section/ J7 Branch/Austrian Joint Forces Command
- Date/Time: Expert Talks: Tuesday, 9 June – Thursday, 11 June 2015.
- Location: MTA HOCHFILZEN Barracks Schüttachstrasse 1 A- 6395, Hochfilzen TYROL, AUSTRIA
- Distribution: This invitation will be distributed via EUMCWG/HTF Attaché Services POCs, as reported by the nations

Detailed information concerning the MoU ceremony will be sent to the participating nations after receiving information by 15 April 2015 (see reference).

For further information concerning the Expert Talks see the enclosed "Administration Order Expert Talks".

I am looking forward to welcoming you to the conference!

Yours sincerely

(Mag. PERNITSCH J7, Austrian Joint Forces

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• Administration Order Expert Talks