

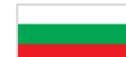


**Overview of the Combined/Joint Force Land  
Component Commander Course 2-17  
March 19-24, 2017**

# THE UNITED STATES ARMY WAR COLLEGE



- The C/JFLCC Course originated in 2003, directed by the U.S. Army Chief of Staff to build upon the positive lessons of Army and Marine Corps cooperation during overseas contingency operations.
- **543 Graduates and Growing:**
  - 232 U.S. Army
  - 137 International Partners
  - 59 U.S. Marine Corps
  - 47 U.S. Navy
  - 38 U.S. Air Force
  - 16 U.S. Department of State
  - 12 DIA
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**Purpose:** Prepares senior leaders to function effectively as land component commanders or as senior staff in a joint/combined, interagency, intergovernmental, and multinational environment.

**Objectives:** Produce graduates who are able to:

- Design, plan, and prepare for the execution of unified land operations that support coalition and joint force commanders in the accomplishment of national security and international policy objectives.
- Form the land component command that executes theater-wide and multinational integrating functions of a C/JFLCC to set the theater.
- Understand the supporting and complementary capabilities provided by the other functional commanders (combined/joint force air component command (C/JFACC), combined/joint force maritime component command (C/JFMCC), and combined/joint force special operations component command (C/JFSOCC)) and Unified Action partners.
- Conduct sustained unified land operations to win in a complex world.



- **Course Content Flow for C/JFLCC 2-17: (Broad Brush)**
  - *Day 1: Framework of Land Interventions from national level to theater level*
  - *Day 2: Campaign Design/ Case Studies in Operational Command*
  - *Day 3: Commandership at the Operational Level*
  - *Day 4: Setting the Theater*
  - *Day 5: Command Challenges and Operational Leadership*
- **Course Structure (Approach):** Understand the enduring operational tasks of a land component command. Through case studies, exercises and interactions with subject matter experts, participants learn how to:
  - Assess the Theater, Mission and Threat
  - Set the Theater
  - Build the Joint/Combined Campaign Plan
  - Receive and Prepare Forces
  - Fight the Ground Forces
  - Assure Campaign Success in Transitions



- **Exercise Overview:** As part of the C/JFLCC course, you will participate in an exercise designed to reinforce course learning objectives by stimulating thought and discussion through four practical exercises, each focused on a different aspect of C/JFLCC responsibilities during the planning, preparation, and conduct of a major campaign.
  - The exercise uses a fictional, East African scenario as a vehicle for discussing and understanding decision-making of land component commanders.
  - This scenario portrays the Republic of the Sudan (Sudan) threatening to invade the Republic of South Sudan (South Sudan). The scenario includes a complex set of threats, traditional and irregular, including insurgents and international terrorists as well as weapons of mass destruction in an anti-access/area denial setting.
  - The Geographic Combatant Commander has directed the formation of a Joint Task Force to plan, prepare, and if directed, conduct a full range of joint and combined operations in the region.
  - The exercise focuses on the potential challenges confronting the land component commander in accomplishing the coalition/joint force commander's campaign objectives, supporting other component commanders, and shaping the operational environment for tactical and operational success.

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- Sunday Arrival: Please schedule your travel to arrive and check in at Carlisle Barracks, PA by 4 p.m. Sunday, March 19, 2017.
- Sunday Events: The first event is a course introduction with senior mentors at 5 p.m., in Collins Hall. The introduction is immediately followed by the Commandant's Reception at Quarters 1, hosted by MG William Rapp, Commandant, U.S. Army War College. Uniform is business casual, jacket and collared shirt, no tie.
- Monday through Friday:
  - The course schedule allows time each morning for physical fitness.
  - The course starts at 8:00 a.m. and concludes by 5:30 p.m. each day
  - Uniform is the Army Combat Uniform (ACU) or equivalent uniform for other military participants; civilian uniform is business casual.
  - You have three free evenings (Monday, Tuesday, and Thursday)
  - Wednesday Evening Event: Team Building Dinner at Boiling Springs Tavern. Uniform is civilian casual, open collar shirt, no tie or jacket.
- Friday Departure: The course is scheduled to conclude at 2:00 p.m.



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