



Understand to Prevent



Understand to Prevent (U2P) is one of seven lines of effort in the 21 member Multinational Capability Development Campaign (MCDC) 2013-2014.

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Problem Statement

This focus area seeks to examine our understanding of the human vulnerability to conflict and the role of military forces in conflict prevention to inform the development of concepts and doctrine with a view of improving capability development, training, organization and readiness. This will enhance our ability to prepare joint, interagency, multinational forces and shape operational access by improving intelligence, influence and engagement capabilities.

Approach

In 3 phases we will seek to understand:

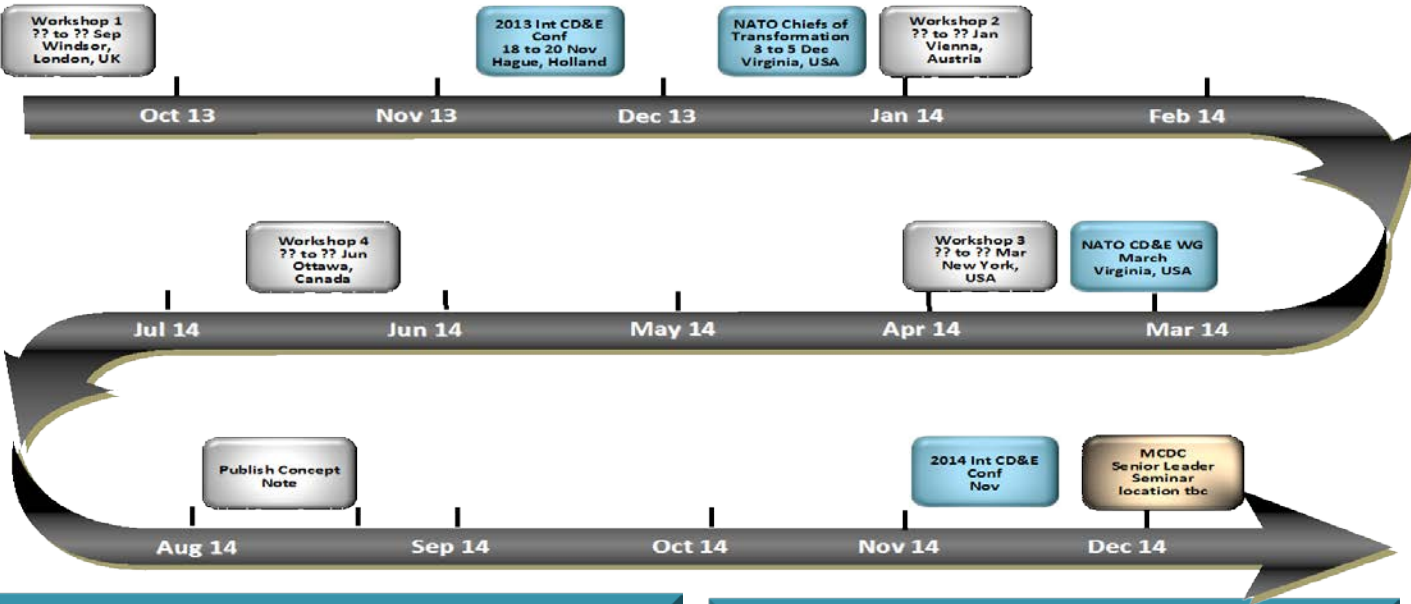
- ❖ The Human Domain
- ❖ Conflict Prevention
- ❖ The Defence Contribution

The concepts will be tested for feedback at the United Nations before a final report is published with a multinational concept note.

Any nation or organization interested in participating in the campaign is encouraged to contact the MCDC Secretariat at:

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Schedule



Deliverables

- ❖ The output of the project will be a multi-national concept note on Understanding and the Defence contribution to Conflict Prevention.

Users

- ❖ Defence Departments Policy Staff
- ❖ National Operational Headquarters
- ❖ Joint Staffs
- ❖ Combatant Commands
- ❖ Doctrine Centers