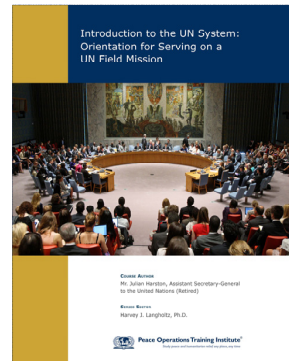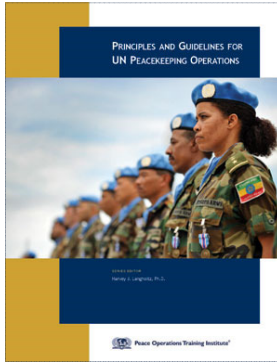## Recommended Starter Courses:

Principles and Guidelines for UN Peacekeeping Operations

Developed in consultation with the Peacekeeping Best Practices Section of the UN Department of Peacekeeping Operations Policy, Evaluation and Training Division, this course is based on the internal DPKO/DFS publication *United Nations Peacekeeping Operations: Principles and Guidelines*, which is more widely known as the *Capstone Doctrine*. This course comprehensively defines and promulgates available peacekeeping doctrine, definitions, procedures, and policy. It introduces the concept and evolution of UN Peacekeeping, explains the decision process that precedes the deployment of a peacekeeping operation, and then the planning process to implement that decision.

Introduction to the UN System

This course introduces the purpose and principles of the United Nations, its institutional framework, and its active leadership role in the global pursuit for peace, security, and development. The legal foundations of the Organization are discussed, as well as applications of international humanitarian law, human rights, and the protection of civilians. Practical field techniques for communication, negotiation, and mediation as well as the general obligations and responsibilities of UN field personnel are also presented. Subject matter and objectives for this course are based on UN policy, doctrine, and related resources.

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- Principles and Guidelines for UN Peacekeeping Operations
- Civil-Military Coordination in Peace Operations
- Commanding UN Peacekeeping Operations
- Conduct of Humanitarian Relief Operations
- Core Pre-Deployment Training Materials (CPTMs)
- Disarmament, Demobilization and Reintegration (DDR)
- Ebola Virus Disease: Awareness and Precautions for Peacekeeping Personnel
- Ethics in Peacekeeping
- Gender Perspectives in UN Peacekeeping
- History of UN Peacekeeping 1945-1987
- History of UN Peacekeeping 1988-1996
- History of UN Peacekeeping 1997-2006
- Human Rights
- Human Rights and Peacekeeping
- Implementation of the UN Security Council Resolutions (SCRs) on the Women, Peace, and Security Agenda in Africa
- Implementation of UN SCRs on the Women, Peace, and Security Agenda in Asia and the Pacific
- Implementation of UN SCRs on the Women, Peace, and Security Agenda in Latin America and the Caribbean
- International Humanitarian Law
- Logistical Support to UN Peacekeeping Operations
- Operational Logistical Support
- Advanced Topics in UN Logistics (COE)
- Methods and Techniques for Serving on a Peacekeeping Mission as a UN Military Observer
- Mine Action and Explosive Hazard Management
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