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Short Course on Hologrammatic Terrorism

Terrorist Groups' exploitation of Internet and media

25 February - 3 March 2010

[The topic]

In a society that is driven by communication, it is common that an imbalance particularly favorable to terrorism is real. Even a "little" terrorist attack produces, via the media, a proliferation of chaotic images. This is the "hologram of terror" which lives in the cathode tube and feeds itself by images that it produces.

[Objective]

The Short Course aims to provide researchers and students with a comprehensive understanding and a detailed perspective on sociological, criminological and technical aspects related to the use and exploitation of Information & Communication Technologies (ICT) by terrorist groups.

[Methodology]

By adopting a multidisciplinary approach, the Short Course is comprised of daily workshops offering interaction with renowned international experts on the most current topics concerning hologrammatic terrorism.

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[Lectures]

Creation and evolution of a net-learning-organization of terror

Chiara Fonio
Researcher (University Cattolica del Sacro Cuore, Milan - Italy)

How terrorist groups use and exploit ICT technologies: from communications to virtual attacks passing through fund-raising activities

Yael Shahar
Senior Researcher (Institute for Counter-Terrorism, Herzliya University - Israel)

Strategies and methods of action in the cyberspace

Alfredo D'Ascoli Graziano
Researcher (Ce.A.S. Centre for Advanced Studies on Terrorism and Political Violence, Scientific Park - University Campus Selva dei Pini, Pomezia, Rome - Italy)

What can crime prevention tell us about preventing terrorism?

Alex Hirschfield
Director (Applied Criminology Centre, University of Huddersfield - United Kingdom)

Understanding verbal and non-verbal messages of terrorist groups'web and media productions

Laila Bokhari
Research Fellow (The Afghanistan and Pakistan Programme, Department of Security and Conflict Management, Norwegian Institute of International Affairs, NUPI, Oslo - Norway)

Internet surveillance and the challenges to the respect of civil rights and democracy

Clive Walker
Professor (Criminal Justice Studies, School of Law, University of Leeds - United Kingdom)

[Venue]

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[How to apply]

Candidates should complete the application form, which can be downloaded at **www.unicri.it**
A copy of the completed application must be sent to **courses.pomezia@unicri.it** by January 24, 2010 at 20:00 GMT+1.

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