



## TARGETED AUDIENCE

The 5+5 SMHES is composed of 20 participants willing to deepen their knowledge in geostrategy and geopolitics in order to understand interactions between the two shores of the Mediterranean. The SMHES 5+5 is made up of two auditors per 5+5 Dialogue member country: the first one from the military world coming from the army schools and the other from the academic world:

- Higher education students (master level) ;
- Researchers or research students ;
- Young graduates in office or looking for a job ;
- Officer candidates of the naval schools of the army schools

This seminar will be held in English.



## INFORMATIONS AND REGISTRATIONS

Candidates can sign up for this seminar by sending a CV or be proposed by partner institutes or universities. The profiles will be studied by a commission formed by some FMES institute members in liaison with its partners.

The first week of the seminar is entirely funded by the FMES institute supported by the French minister of Europe and Foreign Affairs and European organizations. For Northern countries, only the cost of transport remains the responsibility of the participants.

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## 5+5 YOUNG GRADUATE SCHEME



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Within the framework of the French Summit of the Two Shores, the FMES institute has created an annual regional session including all countries of the 5+5 dialogue (France, Italy, Malta, Portugal, Spain and Algeria, Libya, Mauritania, Morocco and Tunisia). These Mediterranean strategic studies (SMHES in French) consists of two one-week seminars, the first one in the North and the other one in the South. It will bring together young civilian and military graduates. In 2021, young officer candidates from the national navies participated. In 2022, land forces will be represented. This gathering, which is an extension of the 5+5 Dialogue, would make the concept of « Western – Mediterranean identity » tangible, enhances the cooperation between young people in this region and raise their awareness on the common issues, risks and opportunities to both shores of the Mediterranean.



## OBJECTIVES

- Promote exchanges between young civilians and militarys from both shores of the Mediterranean and participate in the implementation of an EuroMediterranean identity.
  - Acquire a strategic culture and provide a window on the world.
  - Understand defense and security concerns of the Mediterranean area by becoming committed citizens.
  - Encourage exchanges and collaborative work in order to build a diversified network of future leaders.
  - Have the opportunity to participate in a renowned qualifying training course.



## PROGRAM

**WEEK # 1 : MARCH 21 – 25 2022** in **TOULON**, France

### **MONDAY 21**

Cyber and economic approach

### **TUESDAY 22**

Environmental main challenges approach

### **WEDNESDAY 23**

Defense and security approach

### **THURSDAY 24**

Cultural and historical approach

### **FRIDAY 25**

Societal approach and crossed views

The format of the program aims to focus on one topic per day. The seminar is made up of visits (historical, industrial or military sites), conferences and collaborative work.

From the elements studied, the auditors will have to write a series of recommendations for national, regional and international decision-makers that they will present on Friday, during the closing ceremony, in front of a jury of great witnesses.