



DSCA Joint Operation Planning Process (JOPP) Workshop

Workshop Description: The DSCA JOPP Workshop is a senior leader's workshop designed to provide the JFHQs/JTF-State leadership and staff the forum to validate and/or refine the State's deliberate DSCA planning process and subsequent concept of operations. The Workshop starts with an overview of current JOPP doctrine, relative to DSCA operations, followed by facilitated development of a catastrophic CONOPS for unique threats or all-hazards. We integrate lessons learned relative to organizing the JFHQs/JTF-State Battle Staff and integrating the DSC for Defense Support of Civil Authorities (DSCA) Command and Control (C2). The Workshop is designed to be flexible, tailored from 3-5 days to meet the host state's specific training objectives. It may be executed either during the week or over a weekend training assembly to enable maximum staff and leadership participation.

Prerequisites: None

Target Audience: The host command will define the JOPP audience and, where appropriate, make invitation to select participants. The recommended target audience includes: The designated Dual Status Commander, Director/Chief of the Joint Staff, the JFHQs Principle Joint, Service and Special Staffs, and Service Component Commanders/Representatives.

Workshop Objectives: Based on the host command's requirements, the Program of Instruction objectives typically include the following:

1. Review joint planning Operational Art, Operational Design, the Operational Design Elements, and the Relationship to Joint Operation Planning Process IAW JP5-0.
2. Discuss triggers, procedures and concept of operations for JTF-State Battle Staff activation, designation of Dual Status Commander and integration of T10 Joint Enabling Capability (JEC).
3. Confirm authorities, roles, responsibilities, and key decisions of local, state and federal mission partners and the host command.
4. Participate in a joint, doctrinally based JOPP (scenario based); an orderly, analytical process, which consists of a set of logical steps to examine a mission; develop, analyze, and compare alternative COAs; select the best COA; and produce a plan or order.

For scheduling and general workshop information please contact the Domestic Operations Training Team at DOTT@iifdata.com

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