



RASHTRIYA RAKSHA UNIVERSITY

An Institution of National Importance
Pioneering National Security and Police University of India
Ministry of Home Affairs, Government of India



School of Internal Security, Defence and Strategic Studies

Defence Acquisition and Leadership: Bridging Industry and Diplomacy

17-20 June 2025





About the University

Rashtriya Raksha University (RRU) is an Institution of National Importance, a Pioneering National Security and Police University of India under the Ministry of Home Affairs, Government of India. The University was established by an Act (No. 31 of 2020) of the Indian Parliament. The University provides a healthy ecosystem that supports academic-research-training activities related to every sphere of National Security.

As part of the larger national security vision and mission, RRU has been called upon to emerge as “Centre of Excellence for National Security and Defence Management” by Shri Narendra Modi, Hon’ble Prime Minister of India and become “Global Leader in the field of Internal Security, Correctional Administration and Policing” during the Amrit Kaal, by the Ministry of Home Affairs. RRU is also designated as Nodal Centre by the University Grants Commission for Defence Studies.

About School of Internal Security, Defence & Strategic Studies

The School of Internal Security, Defence and Strategic Studies (SISDSS) carries out academic research and training programs in the field of defence, strategy, and security studies. SISDSS provides an opportunity to study war from a multi-disciplinary perspective, from statecraft to strategy, deterrence and warfighting, strategic leadership and communication, military technology and capability development, military history, and media management.

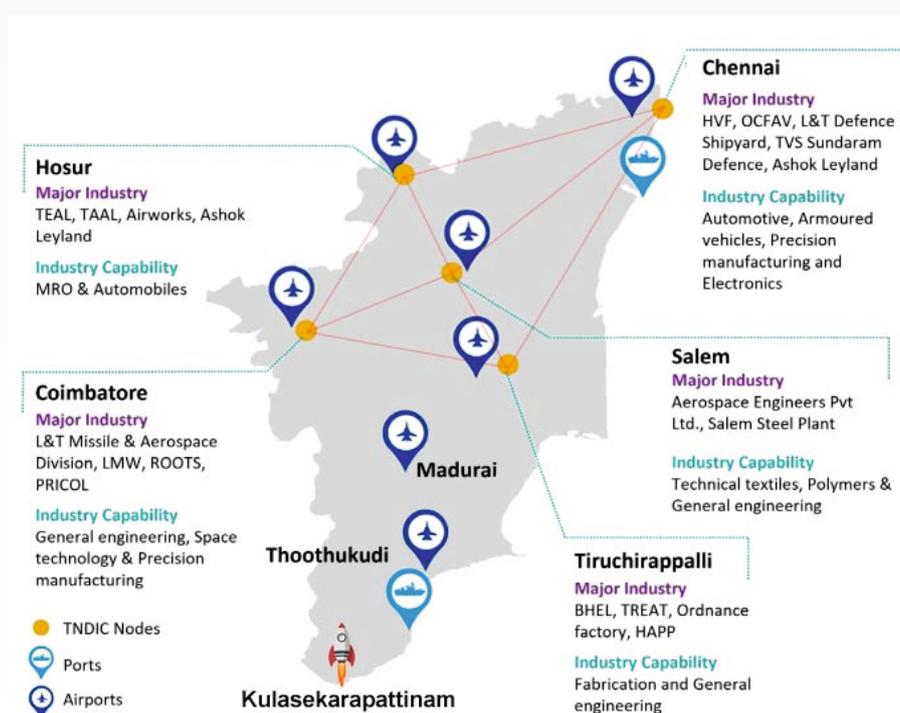
SISDSS has proposed to launch a new course on National Security Education for foreign friendly nations shortly.

About the Certificate Course

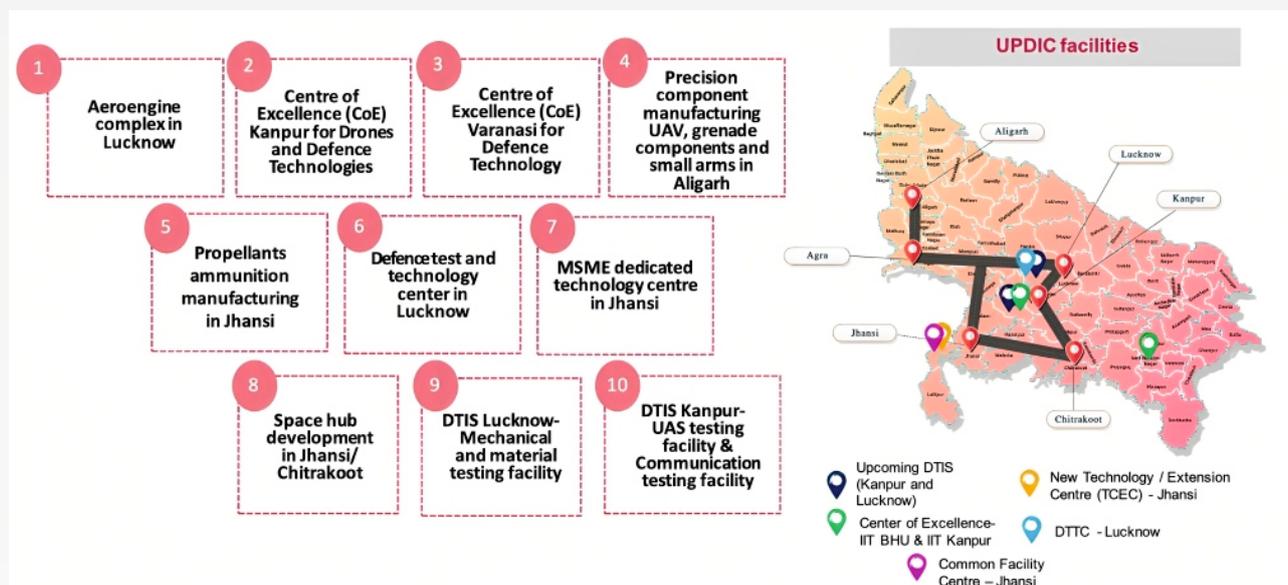
The Hon'ble Prime Minister's in an address to the Industry on 22 February 2021, stated, "Without the participation of the private sector, the 21st century ecosystem of the defence sector cannot stand on its feet." In alignment with the PM's vision, the Raksha Mantri announced to observe 2025 as the 'Year of Reforms' for the Ministry of Defence (MoD). The objective is to transform the Armed Forces into a technologically advanced, combat-ready force, capable of conducting integrated operations across multiple domains. Several key areas have been identified for focussed intervention in 2025, with Acquisition procedures taking priority. This includes fostering technology transfer, knowledge exchange between the defence sector and civilian industries, enhancing public-private partnerships by improving the ease of doing business.

Furthermore, he underlined the need to position India as a credible exporter of defence products and highlighted that a target of achieving INR 50,000 crore in defence exports has been set for 2029. Collaboration among various stakeholders in the defence ecosystem is essential, breaking down silos and ensuring effective civil-military coordination to eliminate inefficiencies and optimise resources.

The MoD has achieved a significant milestone in its pursuit of self-reliance in military capabilities by indigenising the production of 154 out of 175 ammunition variants required by the Indian Army. This achievement represents an impressive 88% indigenisation rate and forms a critical component of a strategic ten-year plan aimed at attaining complete self-sufficiency in firepower, essential for sustaining prolonged warfare scenarios. This indigenisation initiative is part of a broader policy framework designed to reduce India's reliance on foreign arms imports, thereby aligning with the government's flagship campaigns of '*Make in India*' and '*Atmanirbharta*'.



About the Certificate Course



Striving to achieve the PM’s vision, RRU has in an initiative spanning over two years, successfully conducted training for eight batches of officers from the MoD (Acquisition Wing).

It is felt that other stakeholders in the defence manufacturing and acquisitions, viz., defence manufacturing industries as well as diplomatic community engaged in this process - both Indian and from select foreign countries, too needed to be onboarded in this initiative. We have therefore curated a 4-day course for mid to senior-level leaders from Defence Industry as well Defence Attaches of select countries to impart in-depth understanding of the Defence Acquisition Procedures 2020, with participation by all stakeholders to drive home the letter and spirit of *‘Atmanirbhar Bharat’*, and the great opportunities it brings.

This course is designed to provide an excellent platform to participants through formal and informal interactions, with academia and industry along with real world solutions faced by individual stakeholders in achieving the stated objectives of *Make in India* and *Atmanirbhar Bharat*. Participants will be encouraged to share their experiences.

Objectives of the Course

At the end of the training program, the participants would acquire insight into :-

- Historical context of Defence Acquisitions in post-independence India.
- An overview of the Defence Services, with Service specific requirements.
- Defence Acquisition - Categories and Planning for each.
- Defence Acquisition – Different procurement schemes, including Leasing.
- Emergency procurements/ FTPs
- Standard Contract Document
- Fundamentals of contract management.
- Contract negotiation and Contract Drafting.
- Case Studies
- Round Table discussions, led by individual stakeholders.

[Please click here to view the block syllabus](#)

[Please click here to view the training program](#)

Ahmedabad / Gandhinagar Darshan

- A brochure containing important and interesting places to visit locally is accessible at the link below. Participants desirous of visiting any of these places are advised to arrive a day early from start of the program and/or depart a day after completion of the Training program. We will be happy to arrange your local sight-seeing on nominal cost basis.
- Please plan your travel tickets accordingly and choose the options while registering for the Course.

[Please click here to view Ahmedabad Tourism Brochure](#)



Registration Link



<https://rise.rru.ac.in/Course/476/461>

The batch strength for this program will be **40**, and the vacancies are further distributed as follows :-

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| (a) | Defence Manufacturing Industry (Major Industry) | : | 08 |
| (b) | Defence Manufacturing Industry (MSME) | : | 16 |
| (c) | Defence Attaches of select countries from Global South | : | 16 |

Registration payment includes:

- (a) Course charges
- (b) Lodging, Boarding and meals at RRU.
- (c) Airport/ Railway Station pick up and drop.

*All participants are required to use the above link to register themselves for the program. The registrations will open from 10th April 2025 to 16th June 2025. **The registration link will close either on 16th June or earlier if all vacancies are filled, whichever occurs first.***

Regular Registration

Regular registrations will be open from 10th April (0000hrs) **IST** to 16th June 2025 (2359hrs) **IST**.

Course fee for participants (Individual):
INR 32,000/- including GST

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CERTIFICATE COURSE ON DEFENCE ACQUISITION FOR MID/ SENIOR LEVEL LEADERS IN DEFENCE INDUSTRY (LARGE & MSME) AND DEFENCE ATTACHÉ FROM SELECT COUNTRIES

JUN 2025 BATCH

1. Period : 17 Jun 25 (Tue) to 20 Jun 25(Fri).
2. No of working days : 3.5
3. Type of program : Contact program (at RRU campus)
4. Trainees : 40 (Large industry – 08, MSMEs – 16, 16 x DAs from select countries)
5. Training sessions : Daily from 0930h to 1645h
6. **Daily Schedule**
 - 1st Session (60 mins) : 0930h to 1030h
 - 2nd Session (60 mins) : 1030h to 1130h (Tea break 1130h to 1145h)
 - 3rd Session (60 mins) : 1145h to 1245h
 - Lunch Break (45 mins) : 1245h to 1330h
 - 4th Session (60 mins) : 1330h to 1430h
 - 5th Session (60 mins) : 1430h to 1530h (Tea Break 1530h to 1545h)
 - 6th Session (60 mins) : 1545h to 1645h
7. There are 6 sessions of one hour each day, and three sessions on Day 4 - adding to a total of 21 sessions for the course.
8. Social Events planned on 16 Jun 25 and on 18 or 19 Jun 25. The social event shall include Round Table discussions.
9. **Course Curator** : Lt Gen Sanjay Verma (Veteran).

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TRAINING PROGRAM: DAC BATCH 17 JUN – 20 JUN 25

	Date	Training Session 1	Training Session 2	Training Session 3	Training Session 4	Training Session 5	Training Session 6
D - 1	16 Jun 25 (Mon)	Arrival and settling down. Stay at RRU guest rooms. Social event at GIFT City or Gandhinagar Cantt					
D Day	17 Jun 25 (Tue)	(a) Inaugural address (b) Historical evolution of Def Acqn (c) Overview all Services	DAP 2020 Acqn Categories, Acqn planning & Indigenous Content	DAP 2020 : Fast Track Procedure, Govt Financial Regs	DAP 2020 Acqn procedures for Categories under BUY and BUY & MAKE schemes	Guest Lecture Army Design Bureau : Med and Long Term Projects	DAP 2020 : Acqn procedures for systems designed & devp by DRDO/ DPSU/ OFB
Resource person	Course Curator	Course Curator	Course Curator	Course Curator	Course Curator	VCOAS	Course Curator
D + 1	18 Jun 25 (Wed)	Contract Law and Management: Important Clauses	Contract Law and Management: Important Clauses	DAP 2020 Standard Contract Document	Guest Lecture Challenges for Pvt Def Industry in India	Guest Lecture MoD perspectives	Address by Industry Leader Large Def Mfg
Resource person	Dr RK Singh, GNLU	Dr RK Singh, GNLU	Dr RK Singh, GNLU	Def Secy	DG Acquisition	Bharat Forge or Adani	
D + 2	19 Jun 25 (Thu)	DAP 2020 Revitalising Def Industrial Eco-system through Strat Partnership	DAP 2020 Procedure for Defence Ship Building	Guest Lecture Warship Design Bureau : Med and Long term projects	Guest Lecture Secretary MSME Solving problems of Qlty Control, Affln to Big Industry & Capital viability	Guest Lecture Opportunities for Indian Def Industry in Global South	Address by Industry Leader MSME
Resource person	Course Curator	Course Curator	VCNS/ C in C WNC	MSME	MEA Rep	MSME Rep	
D + 4	20 Jun 25 (Fri)	DAP 2020: Acqn of Systems, Products & ICT Systems, Post Contract Mgt	Guest Lecture Indian Air Force : Med and Long Term Projects	Guest Lecture Critical Defence Technologies	1245h - 1320h : Valedictory session 1320h - 1400h : Lunch & Dispersal		
Resource person	Course Curator	VCAS/ C in C SWAC	Mr Jayant Patil, L&T	Course Curator – Lt Gen Sanjay Verma (Veteran)			

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