

# ISS 471: War and National Security

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This course surveys the key issues and ideas associated with using the military instrument of national power. It introduces students to the canon of military theory, focusing on topics such as the nature of war, the levels of war, the range of military operations, military strategy, and operational art as they relate to achieving national security objectives. It examines how nations use traditional forms of warfare but also examines alternative forms such as guerilla warfare, insurgency, counterinsurgency, and terrorism.

3 Credits

### Prerequisites

- Pre-Requisite: 24 Earned Hours

### Instruction Type(s)

- Lecture: Lecture for ISS 471
- Lecture: Web-based Lecture for ISS 471
- Lecture: Compressed Video for ISS 471

### Subject Areas

- [National Security Policy Studies](#)

### Related Areas

- [International Relations and Affairs](#)

