

UK - Chief of the Defense Staff

Defense Attaché of the UK in Israel
COL James Priest

Evaluation of COL James Priest

COL James Priest was an International Fellow from the UK in the 46th class of the Israel National Defense College (2018-2019). He has completed all obligations with honors and attained the title: *Israel National Defense College Graduate*. COL James Priest wrote his final paper on the subject: "Anti-Semitism in the United Kingdom and its relevance to Israel".

COL James Priest has been a valuable member of the class and has gained the respect and appreciation of staff and students alike. His unique perspective and his rich experience enriched our discussions and revealed his seriousness and wisdom, always bringing new and unique points of view to the table, especially in issues regarding the comparison between Israel's national Security challenges and those of the UK.

I thanked COL James Priest for his excellent contribution to the class. I wished him and his family all the best. I have no doubt he will continue to succeed in his future assignments and I am convinced that the added values and perspectives that he gained in Israel and at the INDC, will contribute to the National Security of the UK and his future career.

Sincerely,

MG Itai Veruv
Head of the INDC & the Military Colleges
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