

ISRAEL DEFENSE FORCES

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Liutenant General Jorg Vollmer

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Chief of The Defense of Staff

Armed Forces of Germany

Dear Liutenant General Jorg Vollmer,

On behalf of the IDF's Chief of General Staff, LTG Gadi Eisenkot, I am honoured to cordially invite a senior officer from your military, of Colonel, to participate in the Israeli National Defense College's Class of 2018-2019. We were honoured to have LTC Markus Schneider participate in last year's international fellows program and thus wish to continue the tradition of opening INDC doors to international participants. The INDC's 2017-2018 Class has taken to a successful start and we are happy to have CDR im Hullman in our attendandance.

Beyond the enrichment of fellow seniors by hosting international students, their involvement in our program strengthens international cooperation between our militaries. It is for this reason that hosting an officer from The Armed Forces of Germany would pose an exceptional opportunity; we believe that this collaboration would provide both our countries a unique opportunity to strengthen our everlasting alliance. The participation of a Germany officer will no doubt add another dimension to examining the multi-faceted strategic issues of the Middle East today.

I hope you look favourably upon our invitation and will be able to send a representative. The INDC International Fellowship and International Relations Desk is available to assist with any futher queries.

Sincerely,

MG/Tamir Hayman Commandant of the IDF Military Colleges