

## Call for Papers

### **Background**

*Military Green 2012* marks an important step in the European Defence Agency's efforts on energy and environment. Acting on behalf of its Member States EDA has adopted a holistic approach called *Military Green* that aims at systematically tackling this complex area in the context of defence and crisis management. Systems and Technology have important roles to play in particular with regard to Energy, Waste, Water, Materials and Munitions. Within each of these areas there are numerous efforts going on both in the civilian and military domain across the whole spectrum of technological maturity.

### **Scope**

An important ingredient in the EDA holistic approach is to increase awareness and this is the reason for organising *Military Green 2012*. With the first day of the Conference part being dedicated to high-level aspects the second day will focus on Systems and Technology. For this the EDA would like to invite candidates to submit abstracts. The subsequent papers, if selected, will need to incorporate a European perspective and be one of the following types:

- **Visionary:** Conceptual papers looking at –
  - The role of technology in the future of defence and crisis management
  - New business models for stimulating entrepreneurship and introducing new systems and technologies
- **Technical:** Work carried out, past and present, relating to –
  - Research and Technology / Development:
    - Human behaviour and its effects on energy and environment
    - Systems and Technology
  - Design, Test, Demonstration and Implementation of New Systems and Technology
  - Technology Landscaping and Disruptive Technologies
- **Experience Reports:** Experience from reality –
  - In-theatre challenges that are faced today
  - Recently fielded systems and technologies
  - Opportunities identified for systems and technologies



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The final papers must also address what aspects of the content are relevant to defence and crisis management across services (air, ground and sea). Topics of that are of interest relate to all types of services (air, land and sea) and encompass:

- Systems and Technology
- Human Factors
- Energy
- Water
- Waste
- Materials (Installations)
- Munitions

### ***Formats***

The following formats shall be used:

- **Abstracts:** MS Word or Adobe PDF (maximum 500 words)
- **Papers:** MS Word or Adobe PDF (maximum 8000 words) using the dedicated Template for Papers

### ***Submission***

All submissions shall be done via e-mail to [militarygreen@eda.europa.eu](mailto:militarygreen@eda.europa.eu). Please make sure to convey your contact details including name, organisation, e-mail address and telephone number.

### ***Publication***

The papers will be published in the proceedings for Military Green 2012. These proceedings will be made available to all attendees of Military Green 2012. The proceedings will potentially also be made available to the general public via the EDA website.

### ***Important Dates***

The following dates are of importance for those who are interested in contributing a paper.

- **Deadline for Submission of Abstracts:** 31 May 2012
- **Acceptance Notice:** 6 June 2012
- **Deadline for Submission of Final Paper and Presentation:** 15 June 2012 (for exemptions please consult with [militarygreen@eda.europa.eu](mailto:militarygreen@eda.europa.eu))