

UN-OCHA - Styria – global coordinated disaster prevention

Coordinated assistance in humanitarian affairs – trained in the international CMCoord-Course from 30.11. - 5.12. in Styria

Climate researchers predict that the number of humanitarian and environmental disaster will increase in the future. – and reality proves them right. None of us is able to beat these challenges alone. It can only be done successfully if all nations, the NGO and the military forces cooperate. Very often the militaries are the only having the necessary resources at their command, human resources as well as material, e.g. helicopters,.... . They are essential partners in humanitarian operations. The more important it is that the coordination of tasks between the civil organizations and military is trained, but one contesting or absorbing the others tasks.

The **CMCoord - Trainings Course** (civil-military cooperation) brings together different experts with different background to find the best way to do their humanitarian task in a cooperative way. The more information they have from their partners and the more understanding they get from their partners organizational structures, their goals, their kind of work and even their wording, the better they can succeed. Good cooperation needs understanding of the different positions and interests and clear rules and guidelines for the common work.

Additional to the professional benefit of the training we want to present an added value to our international guests. Styria will extend a warm welcome to them and we want to introduce our region as a hospitable and competent holiday country.

Miraconsult is delight in organizing these global workshops for successful cooperation in humanitarian affairs and in being part of the construction of a global interdisciplinary network. From my focus as mediator I am interested in the development of different forms of cooperation without conflicts, especially between systems and organisations being established and working in a very different way. Their competence to cooperate on every stage of hierarchy and responsibility let them bring off their extremely difficult work effectively.