

About CountryIntel



Country Intelligence Group, LTD (*CountryIntel*) was established in 2012 by a group of research and analysis professionals with a unique blend of expertise in data analytics, workforce development, international affairs, and Department of Defense (DoD) and international programs support. Since 2020, CountryIntel has teamed with the experts from the American Council on Women Peace and Security (ACWPS) to help implement the Women, Peace and Security Act (WPS) Act of 2017 into the DoD

WPS Experience and Expertise:

DoD Experience: Our team has extensive experience supporting the Office of Secretary of Defense (OSD), The Defense Security Cooperation Agency (DSCA), the Defense Security Cooperation University (DSCU) and other DoD organizations with implementing the WPS Act of 2017.

We helped the DoD implement WPS through advising, training, and education for the Security Cooperation Workforce and International Partners, integrating WPS into international programs, Defense Advising, and strategic planning support for WPS program execution within the DoD.

We have experience facilitating WPS working groups for the DoD, participating in Combatant Command design sessions for WPS Funding proposals, advising on WPS proposal reviews regarding OSD funded WPS activities, and designing and implementing WPS Institutional Capacity Building (ICB) tools for US Advisors working with foreign partners.

Professional and Academic Network: Our network of key WPS professionals is truly impressive giving us an unparalleled reach within the WPS realm, both within the U.S. and abroad. We regularly engage key WPS contacts through monthly synch meetings with OSD and the Joint Staff, and the team is often requested to speak at U.S. Government and International Partner sponsored events.

We designed and facilitated the inaugural Professional Military Education (PME) WPS Academic Workshop, and we serve on the DSCU Curriculum Development and Faculty Development Committees.

Our SMEs lecture on WPS and Security Cooperation at the US Army War College, at the US Naval War College, and within the Joint Staff Gender Advisors Course. ACWPS fellows also lecture at the undergraduate and graduate levels, mentor young professionals in the nation's capital region, and advise Congressional and administration staff on WPS law and policy.

Notable WPS Accomplishments:

Designed, Developed, and Implemented Curriculum into four of DSCU's flagship courses

- Cradle to grave WPS curriculum development and instruction
- Multi-modal delivery of WPS Instruction: Classroom, Virtual Instructor Led, Asynchronous Web-based training
- Hands-on Exercises, Assessments, and Scenario-based training
- 1000's of students trained to date

Designed, Developed, and Launched WPS Web-based Training for DoD Audiences

- Launched first-ever web-based WPS training for DoD audiences
- Developed Gender Analysis web-based training

Implemented WPS Toolkits for DoD

- WPS Consultation Guides and Instruments for International Partner Advising
- Train-the-Trainer Guides and established Qualified WPS Instructor Criteria
- Gender Analysis Roadmap

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- ◆ 541611: Management and Financial Consulting, Acquisition and Grants Management Support, and Business Program and Project Management Services
- ◆ 54151S: Information Technology Professional Services
- ◆ 541612HC: Agency Human Capital Strategy, Policy and Operations