Today’s crises demand a comprehensive approach by the international community including coordinated action from a wide range of civil and military actors. All actors have to exploit opportunities for interaction and cooperation to maximise effectiveness.

The ‘Common Effort Community’ from Germany and the Netherlands organises exercises and events with the aim of learning to better understand mutual perspectives, understanding today’s crises and developing innovative actions for a safer and more secure world.

This year we will focus on the situation in Tunisia and its region. Participants from IOs, NGOs, ministries, military, think tanks, and research institutes will work together and share their experiences in different thematic groups (see info box).

A number of expert briefings will provide the necessary information on the situation in Tunisia. The aim of the Theme Groups is to come up with potential, innovative follow-up action proposals for Tunisia, building future cooperation within the Common Effort Community.

During the High-Level Event, the aforementioned follow-up action proposals will be presented to high-level representatives from the ministries, IOs, NGOs and the military. In addition, there will be interesting keynote speeches and opportunities for networking.

This year at the strategic level, the Common Effort Community High-Level Event will be combined with the Comprehensive Perspectives Meeting (CPM) of the NLD Min. of Defence, and the award ceremony of the CIMIC Award of Excellence of the NATO CIMIC Centre of Excellence (CCOE).

Participation in the exercise and the high-level event is by invitation.
Address Exercise location: Brasserskade 227a. 2497 NX, The Hague

For more information about the programme and the Common Effort Community and its activities see our website: http://www.common-effort.org/

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