

Urban Operations Planner Course Schedule (Virtual)

14-20 May 2023

Date	Start Time	End Time	Event (times are Pacific Time)	Instructor	Location
Sunday 14 May 23 Urban Fundamentals	0800	0830	Class Administration and introductions	40th ID Urban Warfare Team and Small Group Leaders	Online
	0830	0900	Welcoming Remarks	BG Wooldridge, 40ID	Online
	0900	1000	Keynote: Why is Urban So Hard?	COL(CA) Spencer, 40ID	Online
	1030	1130	Historical Trends in UW	Maj Geroux (CAN)	Online
	1200	1300	Break for lunch	N/A	Online
	1300	1400	Understanding Urban 101: the Basics	COL(CA) Spencer, 40ID	Online
	1430	1530	Urban Science: Trends in Urbanization Now and Into the Future	Stuart Lyle, UK MoD	Online
	1600	1700	Distribute OPORD for IPB and COA Dev Practical Exercises	Pete Szczepanski / LTC Christians, 40ID	Online
Monday 15 May 23 Civilians and IPB	0800	0900	Civilian Harm Mitigation	Ms. Sahr MuhammedAlly	Online
	0930	1030	Law of War & Rules of Engagement	COL Lance Blanco, 40ID	Online
	1100	1200	Civil Affairs in Urban Operations	MAJ Mazi Markel, 40ID	Online
	1200	1430	Extended Lunch Break	N/A	Online
	1430	1530	Urban IPB (step 1&2) - Operational Environment	Maj Rick Flores, USMC	Online
	1600	1700	SOF in Urban Operations	CW5 Duc Duclos, USSOCOM	Online
Tuesday 16 May 23 Various Urban Topics	0800	0915	NGOs and Government Aid to Civilians	Sahr MuhammedAlly	Online
	0930	1045	Converging Threats: Drones/Swarm technology/AI	Dr. John Sullivan	Online
	1100	1215	Rotary Wing considerations/Air Attack in an Urban Environment	LTC Michael Kappelmann	Online
	1215	1315	Break for lunch	N/A	Online
	1315	1430	Hybrid Threats in the Urban Environment	Dr. John Sullivan	Online

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	1445	1600	Legality Of Weapon Systems In Urban	COL Lance Blanco	Online
Wednesday 17 May 23 IPB and SbT	0800	0900	IPB Steps 3&4 - Identify Threat Capabilities and Urban Tactics	Maj Rick Flores, USMC	Online
	0930	1030	IPB Practical Exercise	Maj Rick Flores, USMC	Online
	1100	1200	History of Subterranean (Sbt) Conflicts	Lt Col Drew Craig, UK	Online
	1215	1315	Break for lunch	N/A	Online
	1315	1415	TTPs to overcome SbT problems	Mr. Joe Vega	Online
	1445	1700	Urban Wargame	BG Wooldridge & Brian Train	Online
Thursday 18 May 23 Operational Approaches and Tactics	0800	0900	Divisional Operational Approaches - Offense	Dr. Jacob Stoil, SAMS	Online
	0930	1030	Divisional Operational Approaches - Defense	Dr. Jacob Stoil, SAMS	Online
	1100	1200	Brigade Combined Arms Tactics in Urban	Maj Rob Malcom, USMC	Online
	1215	1315	Break for lunch	N/A	Online
	1315	1415	NATO Approaches to Urban Tactics	Maj Jayson Geroux	Online
	1445	1700	COA Development Practical Exercise	BG Wooldridge, 40ID	Online
Friday 19 May 23 Warfighting Functions	0800	0900	Intelligence in Urban Operations	Maj Rick Flores, USMC	Online
	0930	1030	C2 in Urban Operations	LTC Craig Anderson, US Army Signal School	Online
	1100	1200	Fires in Urban Operations	LTC Brian Wintzer	Online
	1215	1315	Break for lunch	N/A	Online
	1315	1415	Information Warfare and Public Affairs	LTC Christians & Maj Geroux	Online
	1445	1545	Sustainment in Urban Ops	LTC Phil Thomas, 40ID	Online
	1600	1700	Protection in Urban Ops	LTC Lucas Klettke, 141 MEB	Online
Saturday 20 May 23 Practical Exercise	0800	1500	Learn by Doing: Urban Operations Wargame / Simulation	Brian Train (CAN), Stuart Lyle, & Pete Szczepanski	Online
	1500	1630	Closing Comments & AAR	40th ID Urban Warfare Team	Online