

**NIKOLA VAPTSAROV NAVAL ACADEMY (NVNA)**

**“AI in the Sky”**

Hosted by the NVNA in Varna, BULGARIA, from 02nd to 06th JUNE 2025

**Administrative Information**

**1. General**

Up to 16 (sixteen) participants will be admitted.

The module will be held in English language, thus an adequate knowledge of the language is necessary (equivalent to NATO STANAG 6001 – Level 2 and Common European Framework of Reference for Languages (CEFR) Level B2). No course fees will be required.

Other requirements:

* **Proficiency in Python**: Basic to intermediate knowledge of Python programming, including the ability to write, debug, and understand code.
* **Foundational Knowledge of Artificial Intelligence**: Understanding of basic AI concepts, such as machine learning, neural networks, or data processing techniques.
* **Systems Thinking**: Ability to analyze and design complex systems by understanding their components and how they interact.
* **Familiarity with Drones**: Knowledge of drone technology, including their operation, functionality, and applications in various fields.

**2. Course Fee-Accommodation-Meals**

Course fee:

* No Course fee is required.

Accommodation:

* For the participating foreign cadets / young officers, accommodation will be provided in the Academy's campus, free of charge.

Meals:

* Three (3) meals per day will be provided by the Nikola Vaptsarov Naval Academy (NVNA) on the Academy's campus, free of charge.

**3. Transportation**

* Buses and taxis are available from/to Varna International Airport to/from the NVNA . ***(Please check the Instructions File)***

**4. Academy Location**

The Address of Nikola Vaptsarov Naval Academy is: Vasil Drumev 73 Str., Varna.

**5. Registration**

* Applicants are kindly requested to submit to the POC the attached application form filled in, not later than April 4th 2025 (flight info may be sent when available after registration).
* Registration is open on a “first come-first served” basis.
* Flight data will be required after the validation of the registration.

**6. Dress Code**

* Upon arrival/departure and sightseeing: Casual.
* During opening/closing Ceremony: Official summer uniform.
* Educational session: Service uniform.

**7. POC**

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