

From: Middle East Treaty Organisation

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## **Executive Summary**

Middle East Treaty Organization (<u>METO</u>) educational work provide deep insight into disarmament and geopolitics to tertiary students and professionals across the region.

Our Summer Course on <u>WMD Disarmament & Security in the Middle East</u> commenced on 10 August to 7 September 2021. The course included 9-sessions with students from 23 countries and achieving gender-balance. Through class discussion and guest speakers from academia and practitioners in WMD non-proliferation, our course provides students with the ability to analyse challenges, revisit past efforts to achieve a WMD Free Zone and ways to strengthen international non-proliferation regimes. Students also identify future scenarios to rid the region of all WMDs through a negotiation simulation. The best papers produced by our students as part of the final assessment are published in the <u>METO Student Journal</u>. Our next Summer Course will commence in early July 2022. For further information, please visit: <u>https://www.wmd-free.me/menu/education/</u>

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