

**NEW SHORT COURSE NOW BEING  
OFFERED BY CRANFIELD UNIVERSITY  
AS PART OF THE CENTRE FOR SECURITY  
SECTOR MANAGEMENT (CSSM)  
EDUCATION PROGRAMME**

**MANAGING RULE OF LAW AND ACCESS  
TO JUSTICE PROGRAMMES**

**14<sup>TH</sup> – 16<sup>TH</sup> JULY 2008**

**W**e are now accepting applications for a 3 day short course in Managing Rule of Law and Access to Justice Projects. This course will address a broad range of complex issues for policymakers and practitioners working in the area of rule of law and access to justice projects and programmes in transitional environments. The course provides students with an understanding of the basic legal institutions, different bodies of national & international law, penal systems, the actors involved and the relationships between them within a range

of different transitional societal contexts. The course aims to highlight differing approaches and legal models in the developed world, and compares them to those which may be found in post-conflict or developing countries. Participants will gain an understanding of non-state justice systems and their role in justice sector reform programmes, as well as lessons learned from a range of case studies. The course also aims to provide students with tools and analytical capability to assess justice reform programmes in their widest context and analyse the political, economic and social challenges which – if

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managed effectively can usefully support more comprehensive rule of law programmes.

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The learning strategy of the course comprises presentations, interactive classroom debates, group work and case studies, and a simulation exercise. The course content will be complemented by views and experiences shared by eminent practitioners in the field.

CSSM also offers the following accredited SSM courses:

- Strategic Planning for Security and Development
- Managing Security Sector Resources
- Change Management and Leadership
- Managing Security Sector Projects and Programmes