

**PRESS RELEASE**

***IDDRTG Held its 12<sup>th</sup> Annual Meeting at KAIPTC,  
Accra, Ghana  
25-27 May 2016***



25-27 May 2016, Accra, Ghana – Kofi Annan International Peacekeeping Centre (KAIPTC) hosted the 12th Annual Meeting of the Integrated Disarmament, Demobilization and Reintegration Training Group (IDDRTG).

The meeting was attended by participants representing; Deutsche Gesellschaft für Internationale Zusammenarbeit (GIZ), Folke Bernadotte Academy (FBA), Swedish Armed Forces International Centre (SWEDINT), Ecole de Maintien de la Paix (EMP), Kofi Annan International Peacekeeping Training Centre (KAIPTC), United Nations Department of Peacekeeping Operations (DPKO), Cairo Center for Conflict Resolution and Peacekeeping in Africa (CCCPA); and United Nations Institute for Training and Research and United Nations Development Programme (UNDP) participated via Video-Conference. DPKO and UNDP serves as a strategic partner to IDDRTG.

During the meeting, members agreed on CCCPA to become a member and Co-Chair of the group, while KAIPTC will remain the chair for the year of 2016/2017.

Next Annual meeting will be held in Cairo during the period from 30 May till 1 June 2017, organized by the Cairo Center for Conflict Resolution and Peacekeeping in Africa.

Previous meetings have been taking place in: Brindisi, Berlin and Pisa (2006), Nairobi (2007), Oslo (2008), Accra (2009), Stockholm (2010), Geneva (2011), Barcelona (2012 and 2013) and Bonn (2014), Geneva (2015).