


GICNT NDWG
IAG NUCLEAR DETECTION
WORKING GROUP

2013 Mid-Year Implementation & Assessment Group Meeting
February 19-22, 2013

NDWG Roadmap Worksheet

Please use the boxes below to develop ideas for future working group directions to be discussed during Session 6 on Thursday, February 21, 2013.

Joint GICNT Working Group Activities	International Exercises
Technology Development	Training Opportunities
Guidance Development	Other Ideas

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Summary of prior discussions regarding future directions for NDWG

Discussions regarding potential future directions for the NDWG were held during last year's meeting in Lviv. Many of the ideas focused on themes and formats for future work products, and the high-level ideas are summarized below.

Candidate themes

- The role of interior law enforcement and first responders in detection
- Detection challenges and guidelines in the spaces between points of entry
 - "Green" borders, air, and maritime
- Technical support for detection
 - Reachback and the supporting capabilities, infrastructure, and organization
- Surge operations
 - Mobile detection capabilities and communications
- Legal and regulatory guidance for detection
- International detection coordination
 - Best practices for cross-national cooperation on detection, including planning and organization, information sharing, capabilities development and enhancement, and operational coordination

Formats for work products

- Guidelines documents
 - Similar to prior works (e.g., "Guidelines for Planning and Organization")
- Implementing tools
 - Checklists
 - Training curriculums
 - Online learning and/or collaboration tools
- Exercises
 - Tabletop exercises (working group, regional/multinational settings, ...)
 - Field exercises
 - Gaming exercises (e.g., detection team "challenges")
- Technical engagement
 - Technology reviews (similar to last year's London workshop)
 - Site visits (research laboratories, vendors, ...)
 - Technical demonstrations

Other considerations

- Potential participants beyond GICNT member states
 - Other stakeholders, vendors, subject-matter experts, ...
- Resource requirements
 - Money, time
- Production and distribution of tangible work products