



It was the 10th training event for Brigade, Corps and Garrison Support Unit level Advisory Teams (AT) executed by the Joint Force Training Centre but it hardly resembled the ones conducted a few years ago.

The JFTC has just completed the Above Kandak Military Advisory Team/ Operational Coordination Centre Advisory Team 12-02 Training Event (AK MAT/OCC AT 12-02 TE) – a developed and improved version of the pre-deployment exercise for future mentors and advisors of the Afghan National Security Forces' (ANSF) members. It took place between 17 and 26 July 2012 and paved a new way for training at the JFTC.

“We managed to achieve 50% to 50% ratio between the theoretical and the practical parts of the training ” informed Brigadier General Jaromír Zůna, the JFTC Chief of Staff and the Exercise Director. *“ The feedback is very positive”* – General Zůna underlined, presenting the outcome of the survey on the training completed by its participants. The New Methodology Concept, focusing more on practice, was successful - 100% of the interviewed admitted that after the exercise they felt well prepared for their future mission in Afghanistan. *“ We will keep this attitude for the future ”* – added General Zůna.

