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# ARMERITA IMPERIAL SAROVIANO



*Manual of Instruction for*

## HONOURS AND DECORATIONS

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## Introduction and Instructions

As the longest lasting consecutive armed forces throughout Estos and Ostos, throughout the lifespan of the Imperial Sarovian Armed Forces (ISAF) and through previous incarnations the Empire has awarded individuals, soldiers and civilians alike, with a multitude of awards. For example, in the past, certain soldiers were granted medals, ribbons, special swords, knighthoods, promotions, noble titles, and more.

In 2017, King Carolus XII established the first prominent Honours System in Estos and Ostos, with a series of numerous medals, known as *honours and decorations*. Many of them have been discontinued as of the modern day. In 2024, Carolus XIII authorised a new series of martial medals for the Imperial Army and the Imperial Navy, as well as the discontinuation of previous medals.

The following medals are valid to wear but are discontinued to be awarded by the Government or by any military officer, and may be in exceptional circumstances awarded command and opinion of the Sovereign alone:

- The Star of Carolus;
- The Imperial Star of Service;
- The Volunteer's Cross;
- The Cross of Military Valour; and
- The Victory Cross.

This Manual of Instruction covers all honours and decorations awarded solely to members of the Imperial Sarovian Army and the Imperial Sarovian Navy, the criteria for their awarding, the benefits awarded with such a receipt and more.

All individuals should strive to achieve as many honours and decorations as they can during their careers in the Imperial Sarovian Armed Forces, and all medals may be displayed in the recipient's coat of arms.

Signed,

*D. Alberos*  
*Lordé Lorrallé*



## Military Crosses

Crosses are a type of decoration that reflects the most significant and important deeds. While medals are typically awarded for acts of bravery, merit, or service and are often tied to a particular event, campaign, or achievement, crosses recognize extremely significant actions or contributions.

### Crus eui Consteynnos

(Constantine Cross)

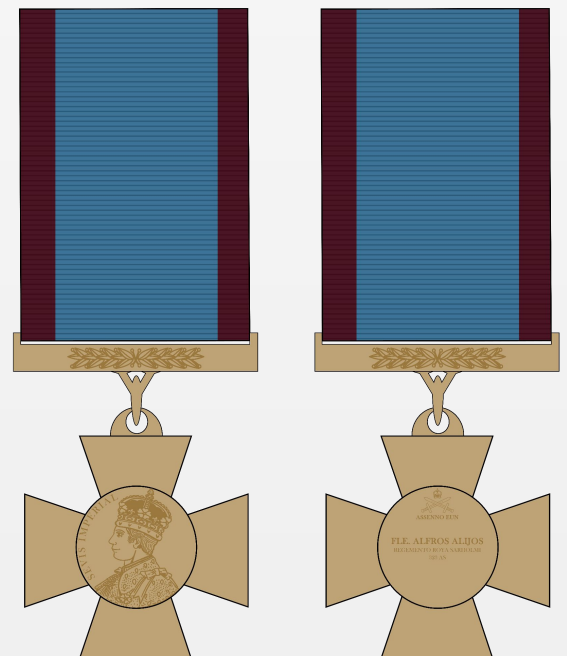
The *Crus eui Consteynnos* is the highest military honour that is possible to be bestowed in the ISAF. It is bestowed on the sole discretion of the *Rozirre*, not His government. It is given for **“the most conspicuous and gallant displays of bravery and valor in the presence of the enemy”**, and is often awarded for the most heroic actions in battle or war. The *Crus* awards its recipient with the most perks, including an *immediate 15,000Sr* bonus from the *Rozirre* himself, immediate access to the ISAF pension, a unique role and colour in all military servers, the privilege of being saluted by all individuals including generals, immediate free entry to the Imperial Military College for any serviceman who is not already an officer, a special insignia on your grave on your passing, the post-nominals CC, and more.

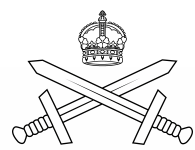


### Crus eui Sevis Imperial

(Imperial Service Cross)

The *Crus eui Sevis Imperial* is the second highest military honour that is possible to be bestowed in the ISAF. It is bestowed on the discretion of His Imperial Majesty's Government. It is given for **“acts of extraordinary service during operations in times of war or peace”**, and is often awarded to those who perform extraordinary duties that go above and beyond their job description, but not in battle. The *Crus* awards its recipient with some significant perks, including immediate access to the ISAF pension, immediate free entry to the Imperial Military College for any serviceman who is not already an officer, a special insignia on your grave on your passing, and more.

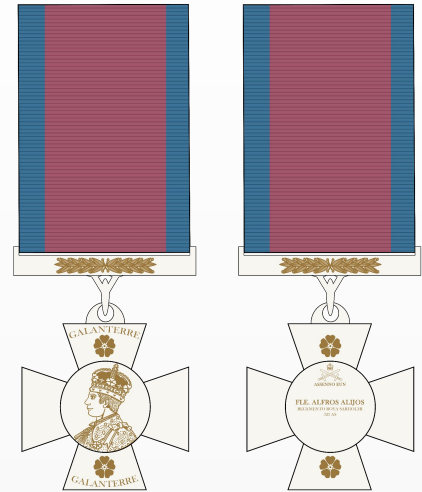




## Crus eui Galanterre

(Cross of Gallantry)

The *Crus eui Galanterre* is the third highest military honour that is possible to be bestowed in the ISAF. It is bestowed on the discretion of His Imperial Majesty's Government. It is given for "**displays and acts of gallantry in operations against the enemy**", and is often awarded for heroic actions in battle or war, as well as displays of honour, chivalry and discipline. All recipients of the *Crus* are published, and the *Crus* grants the post-nominals CG.



## Crus eui Valorosso

(Cross of Valour)

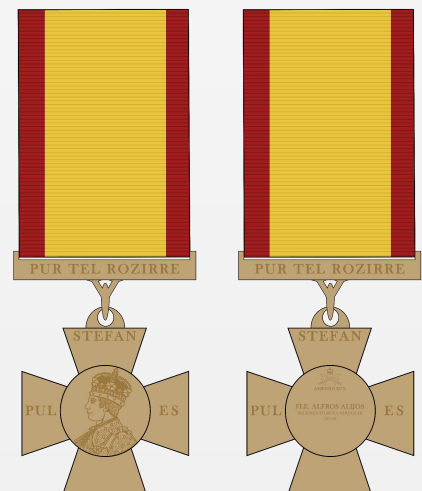
The *Crus eui Valorosso* is the fourth highest military honour that is possible to be bestowed in the ISAF. It is bestowed on the discretion of His Imperial Majesty's Government. It is given for "**acts of distinguished valor and bravery during operations in times of war against the enemy**", and is often awarded to those who perform extraordinary acts of heroism, often to significant detriment to themselves.

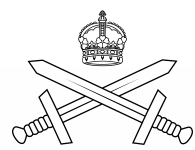


## Crus eui tel Rozirre

(Sovereign's Cross)

The *Crus eui tel Rozirre* is the fifth highest military honour and the last military cross that is possible to be bestowed in the ISAF. It is bestowed on the discretion of His Imperial Majesty's Government, with the explicit consent of the *Rozirre*. It is given for "**acts of selflessness, sacrifice and aid to the Empire and Emperor**", and is often awarded to those who perform acts of volunteerism, going above and beyond, and helping others in need.





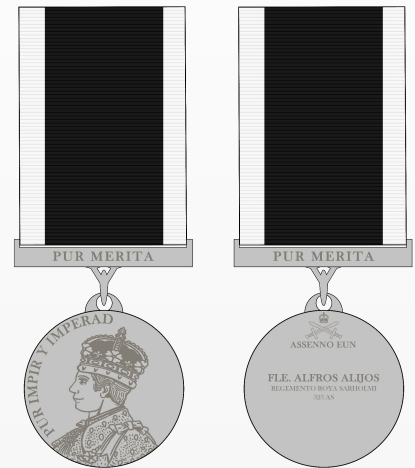
## Military Medals

Medals are typically awarded for acts of bravery, merit, or service and are often tied to a particular event, campaign, or achievement, crosses recognize extremely significant actions or contributions.

### Medalla eui Merita

(Military Medal of Merit)

Separate from the civilian-only Medal of Merit, the *Medalla eui Merita* is the highest military medal. It is bestowed on the discretion of His Imperial Majesty's Government. It is given for **"acts of extraordinary merit and excellence or exemplary conduct in the face of adversity or difficulty"**, and is never awarded for actions in battle or war and is solely awarded for services rendered to the Imperial Army or Imperial Navy outside of combat.



### Medalla eui Cuhasonna

(Medal of Bravery)

The *Medalla eui Cuhasonna* is the second highest military medal that is possible to be bestowed in the ISAF. It is bestowed on the discretion of His Imperial Majesty's Government but may be awarded individually by the office of the First Sea Lord or Field Marshal. It is given for **"acts of bravery during active operations in times of war against the enemy, often at their own peril"**, and is often awarded to those who perform extraordinary acts in battle.

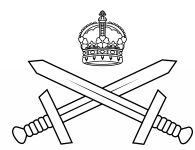


### Medalla eui Sevis Merita

(Medal of Meritorious Service)

The *Medalla eui Sevis Merita* is the third highest military medal. It is bestowed on the discretion of His Imperial Majesty's Government but may be awarded individually by the office of the First Sea Lord or Field Marshal. It is given for **"acts of merit and excellence that through dedication and commitment create a positive impact"**, and is solely awarded for services rendered to the Imperial Army or Imperial Navy that have a tangible, long-lasting impact.





## Medalla eui Destencio

(Medal of Distinction)

The *Medalla eui Destencio* is the fourth highest military medal that is possible to be bestowed in the ISAF. It is bestowed on the discretion of His Imperial Majesty's Government but may be awarded individually by the office of the First Sea Lord or Field Marshal. It is given for **"acts of service that warrant distinction"**, and is often awarded to those who perform acts of volunteerism, going above and beyond, and helping others in need to a lesser degree.



## Medalla eui Campenne

(Campaign Medal)

The *Medalla eui Campenne* is the fifth highest military medal that is possible to be bestowed in the ISAF. It is bestowed on the discretion of His Imperial Majesty's Government, and is only awarded for sanctioned military operations. It is given for **"acts of service during active operations against the enemy"**, and is awarded to many individuals who participate in war, be it in battle or in a logistical role. Clasps outline the war that the individual fought in, which are added on the ribbon.

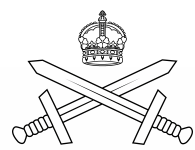


## Medalla eui Sevis Etasora

(Medal of Overseas Service)

The *Medalla eui Sevis Etasora* is the sixth highest military medal that is possible to be bestowed in the ISAF. It is bestowed on the discretion of His Imperial Majesty's Government but may be awarded individually by the office of the First Sea Lord or Field Marshal. It is given for **"acts of service against the enemy that are foreign to Sarovian soil or interests"**, and is awarded to many individuals who participate in war or garrison duty that are on different continents than Estos or Ostos. Clasps outline the area of service that the individual was present in, which are added on the ribbon.





## Medella eui Sevis Exemponna

(Medal of Exemplary Service)

The *Medella eui Sevis Exemponna* is the lowest military medal that is possible to be bestowed in the ISAF. It is bestowed on the discretion of the office of the First Sea Lord or Field Marshal. It is given only for “**service within the Imperial Army or Imperial Navy surpassing four Stefanic years**”, and clasps are awarded for subsequent intervals of four Stefanic years.

