



Training Schedule

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These are State Certified Courses, thus no more than 10% of class time may be missed, even with instructor approval, to receive course credit!




Course	Location	Date	Register
Sexual Assault Initial Responder & Investigator Instructor Training	ILETSB Main Office Springfield, IL	Mon. – Wed. May 13 – 15, 2024	Register
FULL 40-Hour Instructor-Development Course	Kankakee County Sheriff's Office	Mon. – Fri. May 13 – 17, 2024	Register
CANCELLED Violent Jihadists in the United States and Law Enforcement Responses	Frankfort PD	Wednesday May 15, 2024	Register
CANCELLED Family-Affiliated-Extremism/Terrorism and Law Enforcement	Frankfort PD	Thursday May 16, 2024	Register
FULL Small Unmanned Aircraft Systems (Drones) in Law Enforcement	JJC, Weitendorf-Agricultural Ctr.	Mon. – Thurs. May 20 – 23, 2024	Register
The Winning Mind for Women	Plainfield PD	Tuesday June 4, 2024	Register
IDNR Explosives, Safety, Recognition and Handling Course	Morris PD	Tuesday June 11, 2024	Register
Brill Law Enforcement Action in Democracy (LEAD) – 4 Hour	Plainfield PD	Wednesday June 12, 2024	Register
32 Hour IPMBA Police Cyclist Course	JJC, Weitendorf Agricultural Ctr.	Mon. – Thurs. June 17 – 20, 2024	Register
FULL First-Line Supervision	Frankfort PD	Mon. – Fri. June 24 – 28, 2024	Register

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Proactive Patrol Tactics	Plainfield PD	Thurs. – Fri. June 27 – 28, 2024	Register
Sexual Assault Investigator Training (Day 2)	Will County Sheriff's Office	Friday August 2, 2024	Register
Building a Better Police Report	Lockport PD	Tuesday August 6, 2024	Register
Advanced Financial Crimes Investigations	Will County Sheriff's Office	Mon. – Tues. August 12 – 13, 2024	Register
ILETSB – School Resource Officer Training by Butts	Plainfield PD	Mon. – Fri. August 12 – 16, 2024	Register
Basic Crime Scene Investigation 1 – 40 hour – BLTD (Formerly 40-Hour Basic ET)	Plainfield PD	Mon. – Fri. August 19 – 23, 2024	Register
Search & Seizure - Foulk	Frankfort PD	Tuesday August 20, 2024	Register
Alcohol Compliance Check Investigations	Frankfort PD	Wednesday August 21, 2024	Register
Sexual Assault Initial Responder & Investigator Instructor Training	Grace Church Fairview Heights, IL	Wed. – Fri. August 21 – 23, 2024	Register
Non-Escalation & De-Escalation as Force Alternatives	Plainfield PD	Wednesday August 28, 2024	Register
Juvenile Interrogation and Delinquency Update	New Lenox PD	Thursday September 5, 2024	Register
High Risk Vehicle Stops – Train the Trainer	Kankakee County Sheriff's Office	Mon. – Tues. Sept. 9 – 10, 2024	Register

High Risk Vehicle Stops – Train the Trainer	Kankakee County Sheriff's Office	Wed. – Thurs. Sept. 11 – 12, 2024	Register
Asset Forfeiture	Will County Sheriff's Office	Thursday September 12, 2024	Register
Photography for the Law Enforcement Officer 1-Day Basic Photography Workshop	Plainfield PD	Friday September 20, 2024	Register
40 Hour Instructor Development Course	Romeoville PD	Mon. – Fri. Sept. 23 – 27, 2024	Register
Field Training Officer Certification – 40 hour – Sokolove	Frankfort PD	Mon. – Fri. Sept. 23 – 27, 2024	Register

Sexual Assault Initial Responder & Investigator Instructor Training (5/13 – 5/15/2024)



Sexual Assault RESPONDER & INVESTIGATOR INSTRUCTOR TRAINING

TRAINING LOCATIONS

Northern – April 2, 3, & 4, 2024
8:30am – 4:30pm (2nd & 3rd)
8:30am-12:30pm (4th)

Plainfield Fire Department, 23748
W. 135th St., Plainfield, IL 60544

[REGISTER HERE—Plainfield](#)

Central – May 13,14, & 15, 2024
8:30am – 4:30pm (13th & 14th)
8:30am – 12:30pm (15th)


ILETSB Main Office, 500 S. 9th
Street, Springfield, IL 62701

[REGISTER HERE—ILETSB](#)

Southern – August 21, 22, & 23,
2024
8:30am – 4:30pm (21st & 22nd)
8:30am – 12:30pm (23rd)
SWIC Training Academy, Belleville,
IL

[REGISTER HERE—BELLEVILLE](#)


**IMPORTANT NOTE: LAPTOPS
ARE REQUIRED FOR THIS**



This free twenty-hour, three-day program, has been designed by Cordelia Coppleson to provide students the knowledge and ability to instruct both the mandated Sexual Assault Initial Responder Training (1st day only - 8 hour class), Trauma Informed Sexual Assault Investigator Training (2nd day - 8 hour class) in compliance with the Sexual Assault Incident Procedure Act (3rd day – 4 hour train the trainer portion – teach backs).

TRAINING PREREQUISITES

- Minimum 3 years of Law Enforcement experience
- Minimum 2 years of Detective/Investigator experience
- Must have taken the Day 1 and Day 2 course previously to take this instructor class
- Attorney's – Must have minimum 4 years of prosecutorial experience
- Teach Backs will be required to complete course



Day 1 – Trauma Informed Response to Sexual Assault for Patrol – Instructor Training with New Updates

Day 2 – Sexual Assault Investigator – Instructor Training with New Updates – MUST ATTEND DAY 1 TO ATTEND DAY 2

Day 3– Four hours teach backs (required)

Working lunch will be provided on days one and two.

Lodging responsibility of the registrant. Questions regarding registration contact either MTU 16 (Northern Training), MTU 14 (Southern Training) or Executive Institute (Central Training).

Certification is certified by the ILETSB and meets the following mandates: Civil Rights (1.0 hour), Constitutional and Proper Use of Law Enforcement Authority (.5 hour), Crisis Intervention (1.0 hour), Cultural Competency (.5 hour), Human Rights (.5 hour), Legal Updates (1.5 hour), Procedural Justice (4.5 hours), Psychology of Domestic Violence (1.0 hour), Reporting of Child Abuse and Neglect (.5 hour), Sexual Assault Trauma Informed Response (6 hours), LHI Recert (8 hours) and Sexual Assault Investigator Training (18 hours)

***FULL 40-Hour Instructor Development Course *FULL**

Kankakee County Sheriff's Department
3000 S. Justice Way, Kankakee, IL. 60901
Monday-Friday; May 13-17, 2024
8:00 am till 4:00 pm

This course complies with the guidelines of the following mandate(s):

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| • Cultural Competency | 3.0 Hours (1.0 Hour Scenario-Based) |
| • Officer wellness/mental health | 1.0 Hour |
| • Procedural Justice | 3.0 Hours (1.0 Hour Scenario-Based) |

Course Description: This new 40-hour curriculum has been designed to provide new instructors with the skills needed to become dynamic, effective trainers. In this highly interactive and participatory program, students will be introduced to a multitude of techniques that can be used successfully within traditional law enforcement environments and applications, including the classroom, field operations, simulated scenes, scenarios, and assessment training. This course focuses on techniques of instruction that address different adult learning styles and will provide a comprehensive overview of different classroom management principles. Participants will complete numerous practical exercises in public speaking, demonstrative instruction, and lesson plan preparation. Class will culminate in each participant providing a block of instruction on a law enforcement-related topic of their choosing. Attendees will be encouraged in the development of their instructional skills through immediate, supportive feedback from instructors as well as their fellow classmates.

Topics to be addressed include:

- How to instruct to all adult learning styles
- Time management of a training program or unit of instruction
- Organization and lesson plan preparation
- Writing course objectives
- Different types of class participation
- How to construct exam questions
- Classroom media, including PowerPoint, and Poll Everywhere

Instructors: This course will be taught by Lt. Heather Hansen (ret.), Illinois State Police and Lt. Chris Collins (ret.) with Kane County Sheriff's Department.

Member Tuition: None

Non-Member Tuition: \$750.00

Funded in Partnership with the Illinois Law Enforcement Training & Standards Board

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*****CANCELLED*****

~~Violent Jihadists in the United States and Law Enforcement Responses~~

Frankfort Police Department
20602 Lincoln-Way Lane, Frankfort, IL. 60423
Wednesday; May 15, 2024
8:00 am till 4:00 pm

This course complies with the guidelines of the following mandate(s):

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| • Const. Use of LE Authority | 0.5 Hour |
| • Crisis Intervention | 0.5 Hour |
| • Cultural Competency | 0.5 Hour |
| • Human Rights | 0.5 Hour |
| • Procedural Justice | 0.5 Hour |

Course Description:

It is crucial that U.S. law enforcement is made aware of the dynamics of the jihadist threat on U.S. soil and craft solutions to combat it. This full-day program addresses these and related timely topics as follows. First, in order to provide some context to an understanding of the jihadist phenomenon in the U.S., a history of global jihad is presented: selected ideologues, groups, and their impact on current jihadists. Next, jihadists activities in the U.S. prior to September 11, 2001 will be addressed.

Later, jihadist activities in the U.S. post-9/11 will be covered. Subsequently, the backgrounds, routes to radicalization, jihadists' involvement in precursor crimes, and means of discovery by law enforcement will be discussed. Next, best practices in identifying jihadists in the U.S. will be shared.

Lastly, current and prospective law enforcement responses to undermining jihadist activities in the U.S. will be presented.

Instructor: Dean C. Alexander is Director, Homeland Security Research Program and Professor, Homeland Security at the School of Law Enforcement and Justice Administration at Western Illinois University. Prof. Alexander's teaching, research, and speaking activities encompass terrorism, security, and legal issues. He has lectured in ten countries, including to law enforcement and military officials at North Atlantic Treaty Organization (NATO), U.S. State Department, and National Intelligence University events. Also, he has trained Illinois Statewide Terrorism and Intelligence Center, Oregon Fusion Center, Northern California Regional Intelligence Center, Michigan State Police, Milwaukee Police Department, Yuma Police Department, McAllen Police Department, and the Iowa Homeland Security and Emergency Management Department personnel, among other law enforcement entities and professionals. Prof. Alexander's professional experience includes executive, business development, and legal positions in the United States and abroad, including Chile, Israel, and the United Kingdom. He worked as a consultant to NATO, United Nations, U.S. State Department, the World Bank, Organization of American States, homeland security firms, and investment companies. **(CONTINUED)**

Since publishing on terrorism in 1991, Prof. Alexander has written several books on the subject, including *Family Terror Networks* (2019), *Business Confronts Terrorism: Risks and Responses* (University of Wisconsin Press, 2004) and *Terrorism and Business: The Impact of September 11, 2001* (Transnational, 2002). He recently co-authored the book, *The Islamic State: Combating the Caliphate Without Borders* (Lexington Books, September 2015). Prof. Alexander has published peer-reviewed articles, articles, and op-eds on terrorism, security, and legal issues.

Domestic and international media have interviewed Prof. Alexander. He is on the Advisory Board of Security Magazine. Prof. Alexander was a founding Advisory Council member of the Marsh Center for Risk Insights, research fellow at the Chesapeake Innovation Center (the first business incubator focused on homeland security) and served on the Anti-Terrorism Advisory Council executive board for the Central District of Illinois.

He earned law degrees from Georgetown University Law Center (LL.M.) and American University, Washington College of Law (J.D.). He received his undergraduate degree from Georgetown University and attended the Graduate Institute of International Studies (Geneva).

Member Tuition: None*

Non-Member Tuition: None*

** This project is supported by Homeland Security funds, awarded by the Illinois Terrorism Task Force through the Illinois Law Enforcement Training and Standards Board. This course is subject to cancellation if funding not approved or minimum enrollment is not met.*

*****CANCELLED*****

~~Family-Affiliated Extremism/Terrorism~~ and Law Enforcement

Frankfort Police Department

20602 Lincoln-Way Lane, Frankfort, IL. 60423

Thursday; May 16, 2024

8:00 am till 4:00 pm

This course complies with the guidelines of the following mandate(s):

- Civil Rights 0.5 Hour
- Const. Use of LE Authority 0.5 Hour
- Crisis Intervention 0.5 Hour
- Procedural Justice 1.0 Hour

Course Description:

It is crucial that U.S. law enforcement appreciates the issue of The April 2013 Boston bombings and subsequent exchanges with the Tsarnev brothers, which brought to the forefront the issue of family-affiliated extremism/terrorism and law enforcement responses. Unfortunately, up to now, this topic has received scant inquiry and analysis. This workshop will provide some facets of social network analysis, its relevance to families, and extremism/terrorism.

Next, an overview of the phenomenon of extremists/terrorists in families will be shared. The importance of this type of criminality will be underscored. This will be followed by numerous and insightful case studies of U.S. and foreign-based, family-linked extremists/terrorists. By providing these case studies, a better appreciation of this issue will take hold. For contrast, case studies of family members informing about their extremist/terrorist kin will be shared.

Lastly, the presentation will discuss in detail the methodologies for impeding family-linked extremism/terrorism.

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Member Tuition: None*

Non-Member Tuition: None*

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***FULL ~~Small Unmanned Aircraft Systems (Drones)~~ in Law Enforcement *FULL**

JJC, Weitendorf Agricultural Education Center
17840 W. Laraway Rd., Joliet, IL 60433
Monday-Thursday, May 20-23, 2024
8:00 am till 4:00 pm

This course complies with the guidelines of the following mandate(s):

- Civil Rights 1.0 Hour
- Const. Use of LE Authority 4.0 Hours
- Legal Updates 1.0 Hour
- Procedural Justice 1.0 Hour
- Officer safety techniques 1.0 Hour

Course Description: This training will introduce officers to the use of Small Unmanned Aircraft Systems (sUAS), commonly called "drones", for both evidence collection and search operations. The course will cover all aspects of UAS operations, including preparations for the mandatory FAA Part 107 licensing. It will include information on the necessary waiver to fly in populated areas and night operation of drones. Hands-on experience with full-sized drones will give officers the confidence and ability to operate in a safe manner. Evidence collections in both photo and video format will be addressed, as well as the legal aspects of how to handle and store this information, as it differs from standard photo/video collection rules.

Finally, the Freedom from Drone Surveillance Act, ILCS 725/167 will be discussed to provide officers and their departments with a clear understanding about operating drones within the confines of the law, including the mandate to inform the State about maintenance and flight operations. Upon completion of this course, attendees will possess the knowledge to successfully take and pass their Part 107 FAA pilot's exam to become a licensed pilot. They will also be able to assist in creating proper departmental policies and procedures for operating drones.

Course Objectives: Identify the following: All state and federal laws pertaining to Small Unmanned Aircraft Systems (sUAS); different types of airspace; weather and weather-related conditions including cloud formations, types of fog, and wind conditions and how they play a role in the flight of a sUAS; loading and performance factors; airport and airfield standards, including left traffic patterns, METARS, TAFs, sectional charts, longitude and latitude; crew resource management, including types of attitudes, visual observers, Remote Pic, and the effects of drugs and alcohol; radio communication including 2.4 and 5 GHz, AWOS, ASOS, licensed frequencies, and CTAF; Emergency, Lost-Link, and Flyaway procedures; launch and recovery; and Plan B and C.

✓ Perform the procedures for: Vertical takeoff and landing, basic flight maneuvers, recording video, taking still images, autonomous flights, pre-flight and maintenance, equipment replacement, record keeping, pre- and post-flight inspection, and logbook maintenance.

✓ Gain the necessary knowledge and skills to test for and earn the FAA certification for sUAS Operator.

✓ Understand the Freedom from Drone Surveillance Act. **(CONTINUED)**

Instructor: Chris Edwards, Associate Professor at Rend Lake College, the primary instructor for this class, holds an AAS degree in Information Technology from Rend Lake College, a Bachelor's Degree in Information Technology from Southern Illinois University Carbondale, and a Master's Degree in Cybersecurity from Liberty University. He is licensed as a Remote Pilot by the FAA. Chris teaches in the Information Technology Division at Rend Lake, with an emphasis on Cybersecurity and Computer Forensics. He has developed the sUAS curriculum for the college. Chris has taught a related series of courses for over three years and has added several other courses to the curriculum.

Member Tuition: None

Non-Member Tuition: \$600.00

(members have priority in registration)

The Winning Mind™ for Women

Plainfield Police Department

14300 Coil Plus Dr., Plainfield, IL. 60544

Tuesday, June 4, 2024

8:00 am till 4:00 pm

This course complies with the guidelines of the following mandate(s):

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| • Const. Use of LE Authority | 1.0 Hour |
| • Officer wellness/mental health | 1.0 Hour |
| • De-escalation Techniques | 1.0 Hour |
| • High-Risk Traffic Stops | 1.0 Hour |
| • Officer safety techniques, including cover, concealment, and time | 3.0 Hours |

Course Description:

“The Winning Mind for Women” is one of the most unique and popular courses offered by the “Winning Mind Seminars” team. Sgt. Betsy Smith guides students through 8 hours of intensive, interactive training that will provide attendees with updates and information they can employ to improve and enhance both their professional and personal lives.

We begin each session by honoring the sacrifices of our fallen, celebrating the law enforcement profession and asking each attendee to inwardly assess their own career. We define true “Warrior Ethos” as well as the “Guardian Mindset” as we talk about the history of women in policing and celebrate our winners and role models. We then introduce gender-specific science and leadership principles that anyone can use to enhance their career and improve their life on and off the job. The multi-media format keeps students engaged and entertained while we provide officers, agents, dispatchers, trainers, supervisors, managers and all other personnel with a realistic view of gender differences and how these can be harnessed in both men and women to improve performance, morale, communication, relationships, and especially officer safety.

This training is like no other in that it encourages women, and those who train and supervise them, to look beyond the anecdotal, “that’s-the-way-we’ve-always-done-it” world of learning and utilize science, physiology and proven methods and information that will help anyone in law enforcement improve their career and their survival. Sgt. Smith’s philosophy of “teaching by storytelling” cites real-world, inspirational examples of courageous men and women whose stories stay with the attendees long after the class has concluded. The atmosphere created in the classroom encourages students to network and gain strength and information from each other, making this session a powerful day for all involved. This course will inspire, motivate, and encourage women to excel and to win, regardless of assignment!

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Topics will include:

- The “Not Today” mindset, on every call, on every shift
- Why “survival” is minimalistic, and we must train to WIN!
- Embracing your responsibility for your own tactics, training, safety, and career
- What “Guardianship” really means to you, your career, and your community
- Why and how to embrace Warrior Ethos regardless of your career path
- Preventing and preparing for officer ambush
- How to leave behind the “victim-based” mentality and take control of your own future
- Recognizing and taking advantage of the differences between men and women
- Learning to communicate effectively with everyone in your agency and beyond
- How to bring your family into your world to enhance off duty safety and your relationships
- Finding and using the best female-specific equipment available
- Learning to “lead, mentor, and inspire” others regardless of your assignment or tenure
- How to increase your awareness and overcome the effects of “routine”
- Dealing with pregnancy in a high-risk profession
- Assessing your own career and coming up with a plan for real success
- How “Post Traumatic Growth” can improve your career and your life
- How to truly embrace “the family” of law enforcement and stand together

Instructor: Sgt. Betsy Brantner Smith retired in 2009 as a 29-year veteran of a large metropolitan police department in the Chicago suburbs. Beginning her career as a police dispatcher at age 17, Betsy became an officer four years later and has held positions in patrol, investigations, narcotics, juvenile, hostage negotiation, crime prevention and field training. She received her four-year degree from Western Illinois University in 1991 and was a class officer and graduate of the Northwestern University Center for Public Safety’s School of Staff and Command in May of 2001. She supervised her department’s K-9 Unit, served as a field training sergeant, recruitment team sergeant, bike patrol coordinator, Crowd Control Bike Team leader, and supervisor of the Community Education/Crime Prevention Unit. Betsy served on the Elderly Services Team, the Crisis Intervention Team, and was a proud founding supervisory member of NPD’s Honor Guard Unit. Betsy received numerous awards and commendations from her police department as well as many local and national awards for her performance as a police officer and supervisor. From 1999 – 2003 Betsy hosted various training programs and was a content expert for the Law Enforcement Television Network (LETN), is currently an on-air commentator and advisor for the Police One Academy and was a featured character in the Biography Channel’s “Female Forces” reality show. She has been a law enforcement trainer for over 20 years and was a content expert and senior instructor for the Calibre Press “Street Survival” seminar from 2003 through 2012 where she also created the “Street Survival for Women” seminar. Betsy is a popular keynote speaker at conferences and events throughout the United States and has trained in various international venues. Since 1995, Betsy has authored hundreds of articles for law enforcement, government and civilian publications including Innovations in Government, Police Marksman, Law and Order, Police Chief, Law Officer, PoliceLink.com, PoliceOne.com, LawOfficer.com and various civilian firearms magazines through Harris Publications including “Combat Handguns.” She served on the advisory board of Police Marksman magazine, was a featured columnist and video contributor on Officer.Com, NationalPolice.org and PoliceOne.Com. Betsy is a media analyst and the spokesman for the National Police Association and a frequent guest on numerous national news programs. Betsy is the creator of the only course of its kind for women in law enforcement, “The Winning Mind for Women” and is the owner of The Winning Mind LLC. Together, Betsy and her husband Dave develop and instruct cutting edge courses and travel extensively, bringing their inspirational messages throughout the world. Betsy can be reached through her website at www.femaleforces.com.

Member Tuition: None**Non-Member Tuition: None***(MTU#16 members receive priority)**Funding assistance provided through the ASSIST Program Illinois Law Enforcement Training and Standards Board*[Back to Index](#)

IDNR Explosives Safety, Recognition and Handling Course

Morris Police Department
200 E. Chapin St., Morris, IL 60450
Tuesday; June 11, 2024
8:00 am till 4:00 pm

This course complies with the guidelines of the following mandate(s):

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| • Legal Updates | 3.5 Hours |
| • Procedural Justice | 2.0 Hours |

Course Description: This is a one day 8-hour class being provided by the Illinois Department of Natural Resources, OMM-Explosives and Agg. Division. The class will provide hands on education for recognizing the different types of high/low explosives and their requirements at both the State of Illinois level, as well as the BATFE (Federal) level. In addition to general explosive recognition, the specifics and differences of consumer fireworks (1.4) vs. professional grade fireworks (1.3G) and the laws that pertain to them will be discussed in great detail.

This class is being provided by the IDNR to help educate law enforcement and to provide direct assistance, on scene, when dealing with explosive situations. The IDNR regulates / investigates high and low explosives including 1.1, 1.2, 1.3, and 1.5. Too many times law enforcement does not have the education to know how to identify an explosive and/or if a bomb squad needs to be called. Bomb Squads, Explosives Breaching SWAT Teams, and BOMB Dog Handlers already possess the IL Individual Explosives License. The IDNR must be notified immediately upon any recovery of a regulated explosive and/or device to pursue the information necessary for enforcement.

If the Officer and their respective department so desire; after completing the class and passing the exam they can receive an IL IDNR Individual Explosives License, to be used in association with their law enforcement duties. A random monthly bank of test questions will be administered at the end of the class which will consist of 50 questions that will be multiple choice and/or True-False. Each officer receiving the license will fill out an application and must pass the test with an 80% or higher. Officers who do not pass the test will be provided an opportunity to retest in the near future.

- **Licensing is recommended but not required to attend.**

There are eight chapters covered in the presentation and each officer will be provided a packet of information from the IDNR consisting of a copy of the IL Explosives Act, the Admin Codes that Apply to the Act, a general explosives safety packet, a packet for note taking as the presentation is given, and a small 4-page packet for officers to keep available as a quick reference guide for explosive identification purposes, while on duty.

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Key topical areas to be addressed include the following:

- Illinois Explosives Act
- Explosive Storage Requirements-Law Enforcement and Non-Law Enforcement
- Explosives Safety/Recognition/Handling (m-devices, homemade sticks, etc.)
- Fireworks- 1.3G low explosives (professional fireworks) vs 1.4 low explosives
- Enforcement of 1.3G vs. 1.4 and their requirements

Instructor:

The instructor for this class is Nick Sterling who currently is a Specialist/Inspector/Investigator for the Illinois Department of Natural Resources, OMM-Explosives and Agg. Division. Mr. Sterling's current territory includes Cook, Lake, McHenry, DuPage, Kane, Kendall, Grundy, and Will Counties. Sterling has been with the Department for four years and inspects/investigates all explosive storage facilities (Law enforcement and Non-Law Enforcement), explosives accidents, explosives incidents, and performs random checks/investigations on both licensed and unlicensed individuals. Sterling has 18 years of high explosives experience and teaches the IL Individual Explosives License Class on a regular basis. Over the past few years Mr. Sterling has noticed a lack of education when law enforcement agencies are dealing with explosives related issues, and hopes to help prevent these issues in the future through education and assistance.

Member Tuition: None**Non-Member Tuition: None**

Brill Law Enforcement Action in Democracy (LEAD) – 4 Hour

Plainfield Police Department
14300 Coil Plus Dr., Plainfield, IL. 60544
Wednesday; June 12, 2024
8:00 am till 12:00 pm (4 hours)

This course complies with the guidelines of the following mandate(s):

- Cultural Competency 1.0 Hour
- Human Rights 2.0 Hours
- Procedural Justice 1.0 Hour

Course Description: This dynamic 4-hour program has been designed to provide law enforcement officers with a compelling historical analysis of the Holocaust that serves as a framework for further exploration of the ways in which abuses of authority evolve over time and how the rights of individuals must be balanced with the need for societal protection. The Law Enforcement Democracy Initiative is a proven program that impacts how police officers consider empathy, ethics, and morals in their decision-making process.

Participants will examine how changes in government policy and law shifted traditional functions of policing in German society to the implementation of human rights abuses and genocidal programs represented as national security and defense priorities. They will consider the effects these incremental policy shifts had on societal, occupational, and personal life, as well as the decision making of individual police officers during the Nazi era. Through examination of historical and contemporary case studies, students will consider the following issues:

- Moral and ethical decision-making
- Explore issues of racism, bias, and violence through exploration of contemporary case studies
- Discuss the dangers of silence and indifference
- Challenges inherent to the law enforcement profession
- Responsibilities officers have to society and each other
- Stereotyping and the abuse of authority
- Empathizing and connecting with individuals
- Current Hate Crime legislation, reporting considerations, and review of high-profile hate crimes

Class will conclude with a Holocaust survivor's eyewitness recounting of events as they happened during the Nazi era.

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Instructors:

Dr. Susan Woollen: I worked in higher education for over 30 years, and I retired from the Department of Criminal Justice Sciences (CJS) at Illinois State University in 2019. I was an administrator in CJS and co-taught a study abroad course on genocide using the Holocaust as a case study. I also taught classes in the College of Education at ISU. My early research focused on equity in education and women's leadership in higher education. Currently, a former colleague and I are conducting research that applies a criminological theory to explain the causes of genocide and how to prevent future cases. I have co-presented results of this research to the American Society of Criminology, as well as to the United Nations Office on Drugs and Crime. I am also actively involved with the Illinois Holocaust Museum and Education Center as a docent, facilitator, and member of the Second-Generation Speakers' Bureau (my mother was a survivor of the atomic bomb that was deployed over Nagasaki, and I present her pre-war, war, and post-war experiences to community members).

Jacqueline L. Schneider is Professor and former Chair in the Department of Criminal Justice Sciences at Illinois State University, Normal, IL. She received her undergraduate degrees in law enforcement and in criminal justice from the University of Cincinnati. She received her Master's in Public Administration from The Ohio State University and then returned to the University of Cincinnati on scholarship to work on her doctorate in Sociology, which she received in 1995. She's taught and conducted research in the US and in England where her work on stolen goods markets has been put forward as best practice in and has attracted interest from policymakers in various countries. In addition to her many grants, she was the first recipient of the Home Office's Innovative Research Challenge Grant (UK) and she received an outstanding teaching award in the United States. Her published works include numerous academic papers and chapters in books. Her book, *Sold into Extinction* received the Distinguished Book Award, 2012 from the American Society of Criminology's Division of International Criminology. Her current research area pertains to the role criminal justice organizations played in the Holocaust and other genocides. Previous research topics included stolen goods markets, and the illegal trade in endangered flora and fauna.

Member Tuition: None*

Non-Member Tuition: None* (Members will have priority in registration)

**Funded through a grant obtained by the Illinois Holocaust Museum and the Illinois Law Enforcement Training and Standards Board.*

32 Hour IPMBA Police Cyclist Course

JJC, Weitendorf Agricultural Education Center

17840 W. Laraway Rd; Joliet, IL 60433

Monday - Thursday, June 17 – 20, 2024

8:00am – 4:00pm*

***Thursday, June 20 class will be 1:00 pm – 9:00 pm (tentative time)**

This course complies with the guidelines of the following mandate(s):

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| • Legal Updates | 1 Hour |
| • Officer wellness/mental health | 3 Hours |
| • Procedural Justice | 1 Hour |
| • De-escalation Techniques | 4 Hours (4 Hours Scenario-Based) |
| • Law concerning stops, searches, and the use of force | 1 Hour (1 Hour Scenario-Based) |
| • Officer safety techniques, including cover, concealment, and time | 4 Hours (4 Hours Scenario-Based) |

Course Description: This course, which is nationally certified through the International Police Mountain Bike Association (IPMBA), has been developed for officers and First Line Supervisors and focuses on the use of the bicycle as a patrol vehicle. Participants will spend approximately half of each day riding their bikes and negotiating obstacles. Students will learn to safely handle their bikes while in traffic and how to use the bicycle when making traffic stops, citizen contacts, and suspect contacts. They will also learn how to safely handle bicycles in pursuit situations.

The course includes:

- Bicycle, uniform, accessory, and clothing selections
- Basic physical fitness and injury avoidance
- Critical situation riding techniques
- Basic maintenance, tire changing, brake and gear adjustment, lubrication
- Pre-ride safety inspections
- Traffic strategies and approaches to calls
- Negotiation of basic obstacles
- Patrolling, vehicle stops, suspect stops
- Pursuits and takedowns

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- **Night patrol (evening class will be Thursday, June 20th)**
- Drug enforcement
- Community relations
- Bicycles and firearms

Equipment requirements:

Participants **MUST bring:**

- ✓ A multi-gear, quality mountain bike
- ✓ Headlight and rear reflector (or taillight)
- ✓ Bicycle helmet that meets CPSC standards
- ✓ Protective eyewear, including clear lenses for the night class
- ✓ Pedal retention, such as toe clips or power grips

Highly recommended:

- Bike water bottle
- Cycling gloves
- Padded bike shorts
- Rear rack gear bag
- Rear mounted kick stand
- Body armor
- Police radio or cell phone

IMPORTANT NOTE: Student bikes **MUST** meet IPMBA standards for appropriate frame height and size, i.e. there should be 1.5 to 3 inches of clearance between the rider and the top tube of the bike when the rider is astride it in a flat-footed stance.

It is recommended that students wear department bike uniforms and duty gear for this course. If not available, clothing identifiable with 'POLICE' markings is also acceptable. It is also suggested that participants bring a basic tool kit, frame pump, replacement tire tubes and a rain jacket.

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Instructors:

The lead instructor for this class will be Sgt. Bernie Hogancamp, Homewood Police Department (Retired). Co-instructor is Craig Lepkowski.

Member Tuition: None**Non-Member Tuition: \$600.00**

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***FULL ~~First-Line Supervision~~ *FULL**

(One-week version of *Supervision of Police Personnel* course)

Frankfort Police Department

20602 Lincoln-Way Lane, Frankfort, IL. 60423

Monday – Friday; June 24-28, 2024

8:30 am to 4:30 pm

This course complies with the guidelines of the following mandate(s):

- Procedural Justice 3.5 Hours

Course Description: The *First-Line Supervision* course prepares first-line supervisors for a successful transition from officer to supervisor and provides professional development to current supervisors who have had little or no formal training to lead officers. The course provides the fundamentals of leadership and followership to enable students to become more effective in their roles, and provide an educational foundation for life-long learning and professional development.

The **one-week course** is designed to teach supervisors how to overcome contemporary leadership challenges and focuses on understanding human behavior and day-to-day work relationships with subordinates, superiors and the public. As emerging leaders navigating today's changing law enforcement environment, *First-Line Supervision* students learn how to effectively motivate, evaluate and discipline employees in order to successfully carry out the visions of their law enforcement agencies.

Who Should Attend:

First-Line Supervision is an absolute must for all new supervisors or soon-to-be-promoted officers. Experienced supervisors are encouraged to attend to improve their leadership and supervisory effectiveness and continue developing in the law enforcement profession.

***Students will need a laptop computer or similar device with a USB port.**

Course Content:

- The personal profile system: DiSC instrument
- Key elements of dynamic leadership
- Communication
- Supervising Diversity
- Motivational principles
- Performance Management
- Planning and decision making
- The disciplinary process
- Ethics, professionalism and community image
- Risk Management

Instructors: Course instructors are police managers (active or retired) who combine extensive experience with solid academic credentials, provided by *NUCPS*.

Member Tuition: None

Non-Member Tuition: \$750.00

(Members receive priority registration)

**Funded in Partnership with the Illinois Law Enforcement Training & Standards Board*

Proactive Patrol Tactics

And Terrorism Intelligence Gathering Vehicle Stops

Plainfield Police Department

14300 Coil Plus Dr., Plainfield, IL 60544

Thursday & Friday; June 27-28, 2024

8:00 am till 4:00 pm

This course complies with the guidelines of the following mandate(s):

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| • Civil Rights | 2.5 Hours |
| • Const. Use of LE Authority | 2.5 Hours |
| • Cultural Competency | 2.0 Hours |
| • Legal Updates | 2.0 Hours |
| • Law concerning stops, searches, and the use of force | 2.0 Hours |
| • Officer safety techniques, including cover, concealment, and time | 2.0 Hours |

Course Description: This fast-paced course is intended for patrol officers and supervisors who want to become more effective in detecting and arresting criminals operating motor vehicles, including drug users, drug traffickers, fugitives and gang members. In addition, the program will provide the latest intelligence information about the movements and activities of suspected terrorists in the United States. The training focuses on objective criteria for criminal interdiction and has been approved by the National Highway Traffic Safety Administration (NHTSA) and the U. S. Department of Justice.

Topics include:

- Criminal Patrol Procedures
- Detecting Deception
- Officer Safety
- Arrest Tactics
- Current Patterns and Trends
- Concealment Areas
- Roadside Interviews
- Informant Development
- Terrorist Organizations
- International Driving Permits
- Resident Alien and SSN Documents
- Criminal Activity and Financing

Instructors:

Chief Ed Delmore - Gulf Shores AL PD; A former Patrol Officer, Undercover Narcotics Investigator, Patrol Sergeant, Watch Commander, Deputy Chief and Chief of Police. Chief Delmore has been involved in the seizure of millions of dollars in illicit drugs and currency and has trained thousands of police officers throughout the United States on criminal Interdiction techniques.

Officer Stacy McElroy - Gulf Shores AL PD; An 18 year police veteran began his career with the Collinsville, IL PD. He has served as a Patrol Officer, K-9 handler, and a Task Force Officer with the Drug Enforcement Administration. **(Continued)**

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Officer McElroy has made several significant seizures involving thousands of pounds of narcotics and over a million dollars in currency. Stacy has trained thousands of officers in Criminal Patrol Drug Enforcement throughout the country.

Member Tuition: None*

Non-Member Tuition: None*

** Funding provided in whole or in part by the Illinois Emergency Management Agency, Illinois Homeland Security Advisory Board and the Illinois Law Enforcement Training and Standards Board.*

Sexual Assault Investigator Training (Day-2)

Attendees must have previously completed the Initial Responders 8-hour in person or 8-hour online class to attend

Will County Sheriff's Office
16911 W. Laraway Rd., Joliet, IL. 60433
Friday; August 2, 2024
8:00 am till 4:00 pm

This course complies with the guidelines of the following mandate(s):

• Civil Rights	0.5 Hour
• Const. Use of LE Authority	0.5 Hour
• Cultural Competency	0.5 Hour
• Human Rights	0.5 Hour
• Legal Updates	0.5 Hour
• Procedural Justice	0.5 Hour
• Psychology of Domestic Violence	1.0 Hour
• Sexual Assault Trauma Informed Response	4.0 Hours
• Lead Homicide Investigator	8.0 Hours
• Sexual Assault Investigator Training	8.0 Hours

***** Students are encouraged to bring a laptop or tablet that can utilize a thumb drive; paper copies of the materials will not be provided. *****

Course Description: This course will meet all the requirements of the Sexual Assault Incident Procedure Act (Public Act 099-0801) which was enacted January 1, 2017. This Act requires all agencies employing law enforcement officers who conduct sexual assault and abuse investigations be required to provide specialized training within 2 years (January 1, 2019) of the effective date of this act. The act also requires that agencies present training to all law enforcement officers who are initial responders within 3 years (January 1, 2020) of the effective date of this act.

Instructor:

Commander John Arizzi has worked for the Lockport Police Department since 2005. He is the Investigations Commander and currently serving as a Division Commander in the Will/Grundy Major Crimes Task Force. John is a former Deputy Director of the Metro Area Narcotics Squad and has worked undercover for both state and federal authorities. John is also an FBI certified crisis negotiator and served on the Will County SWAT team. John holds a Bachelor's Degree in Criminal Justice from Benedictine University.

Member Tuition: None

Non-Member Tuition: \$150.00

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BUILDING A BETTER POLICE REPORT

Lockport Police Department

1212 South Farrell Rd., Lockport, IL. 60441

Tuesday; August 6, 2024

8:00 am till 4:00 pm

This course complies with the guidelines of the following mandate(s):

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| • Const. Use of LE Authority | 0.5 Hour |
| • Procedural Justice | 3.0 Hours |
| • Psychology of Domestic Violence | 2.0 Hours |
| • Use of Force (General) | 1.0 Hour |
| • Lead Homicide Investigator | 8.0 Hours |

Course Description:

This 8-hour course will focus on enhancing an officer's report writing skills so that he or she may better submit clear, accurate, concise, and detailed primary case reports. Emphasis will be placed on detailing probable cause for an arrest, better providing investigators with essentials in primary reports so that follow-up may become more efficient and enhancing case building in a way that will aid prosecutorial success. The course will examine some of the top failure points of poorly written reports as seen by shift supervisors, and then provide a blueprint to organization to better build reports for the future. Added emphasis will be placed on the additional care and challenges presented when preparing initial reports for Domestic Violence, Criminal Sexual Assault, and when an officer has had to apply physical force in the field. This course is geared to both newer patrol officers who may be developing report writing experience, as well as those veteran officers who might benefit from enhancing their report writing skills. Learning will be done through both lecture and a practical writing lab. Students are encouraged to bring a laptop computer with Microsoft Word installed.

Topics to be discussed:

- Developing a winning mindset for proper report writing- Why it is THAT important!
- Top areas of report failure and how to correct them before you commit them
- Eliminating the "Cliffhangers" and communicating to your overall audience (cops, courts, lawyers, and social services)
- Implementing a fool-proof "Blueprint" for organizing any report, every time
- Making the link from describing events to establishing why actions were taken
- Strategy for reviewing reports prior to submitting them
- Challenges in preparing a primary Domestic Violence Report
- Challenges in preparing a primary Sexual Assault Report
- Documenting your use of force within your report

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Instructor: Sergeant Phelan is a 22-year veteran of the Lockport Police Department, and a patrol Sergeant for the last 9. He graduated from the University of Illinois-Chicago earning a BA in Criminal Justice. He is also a graduate of the NUCPS School of Staff and Command. In addition to his formal education, he has served his department by managing the crime prevention/community outreach program where he was responsible for DARE, GREAT, community outreach, as well as writing and implementing a curriculum for his department's Citizen's Police Academy.

He was also the primary grant writer for Lockport in obtaining the Bureau of Justice Assistance's (BJA) Gang Resistance Education Grant, COPS Hiring Grant, Illinois Tobacco Enforcement Reimbursement Grant, and the Illinois Department of Transportation's Traffic Safety Grant. Those roles included the added responsibility of submitting grant proposals, timely progress reports, and preparing follow-up press-releases. He currently is the department's Field Training Manager where he is responsible for assisting in the selection of FTOs and reviewing the overall progress of recruits through the daily submitted observation reports.

Member Tuition: None

Non-Member Tuition: \$150.00

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Advanced Financial Crimes Investigations

Will County Sheriff's Office

16911 W. Laraway Rd., Joliet, IL. 60433

Monday and Tuesday; August 12-13, 2024

8:00 am till 4:00 pm

This course complies with the guidelines of the following mandate(s):

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| • Civil Rights | 2.0 Hours |
| • Const. Use of LE Authority | 2.0 Hours |
| • Legal Updates | 2.0 Hours |
| • Procedural Justice | 7.5 Hours |
| • Specialized | |
| ○ Lead Homicide Investigator | 16.0 Hours (4.0 Hours Scenario-Based) |

Attendees must bring a laptop or windows tablet with internet capability (NO IPAD).

Course Description: Law Enforcement Officers, Police Crime Analysts, and Prosecutors will learn of current trends in Financial Crimes. Instruction focuses on identifying the type of financial crime along with collecting and preserving evidence. Students will be introduced to using High-Tech Investigative Techniques to help identify the offender and bring the offender to the criminal justice system for a successful prosecution. Students will learn the skills needed to conduct internet-based investigations. The proper extraction and handling of video surveillance and mobile phone data will also be discussed. Participants will be more knowledgeable in how to obtain, store, and enhance video surveillance. Participants will learn how to seize and handle cell phones properly, which will allow for the best evidence to be extracted using forensic tools.

Instructor: Jeffrey German is a Detective with the City of Joliet, Illinois Police Department. Detective German has over 20 years' experience as a Police Officer and over 8 years' experience as a Detective. Detective German is an Adjunct Faculty Instructor for the College of DuPage Homeland Security Training Institute, External Trainer for the National White Collar Crime Center (NW3C), and an Investigator for the Will/Grundy Major Crimes Task Force. Detective German is currently tasked with High-Tech Criminal Investigations for the Joliet Police Department Investigations Division where his duties are cell phone forensics, video forensics, major crimes investigations, and Geolocation analysis of mobile devices. Detective German is a subject matter expert in Call Detail Records and Geolocation Analysis and a LEVA Certified Forensic Video Technician. He is a Cellebrite Certified Mobile Examiner and a Magnet Certified Forensic Examiner. Detective German was awarded the VFW Officer of the Year award for 2009 and 2013. He was also awarded the State of Illinois VFW Officer of the Year in 2013.

Member Tuition: None

Non-Member Tuition: \$300.00

Funded in Partnership with the Illinois Law Enforcement Training & Standards Board

ILETSB - School Resource Officer Training by Butts

Plainfield Police Department

14300 Coil Plus Dr., Plainfield, IL. 60544

Monday-Friday, August 12-16, 2024

8:00 am till 4:00 pm

This course complies with the guidelines of the following mandate(s):

• Civil Rights	1.5 Hours
• Const. Use of LE Authority	1.0 Hour
• Crisis Intervention	4.0 Hours
• Cultural Competency	2.5 Hours
• Human Rights	0.5 Hour
• Legal Updates	3.0 Hours
• Officer wellness/mental health	1.0 Hour
• Procedural Justice	7.5 Hours
• Psychology of Domestic Violence	0.5 Hour
• Reporting of Child Abuse and Neglect	0.5 Hour
• De-escalation Techniques	3.0 Hours (2.5 Hours Scenario-Based)
• Law concerning stops, searches, and the use of force	1.0 Hour
• Officer safety techniques, including cover, concealment, and time	3.0 Hours (2.5 Hours Scenario-Based)
• Specialized: School Resource Officer (SRO) Pre-Qualified	
○ Active Threat Response	7.0 Hours (6.0 Hours Scenario-Based)
○ Juvenile Law	6.0 Hours
○ Officer & Youth Interaction	8.0 Hours

**** Students are encouraged to bring a laptop or tablet that can utilize a thumb drive; paper copies of the materials will not be provided. ****

Course Description: This 5-day, 40-hour program has been designed by the Illinois Law Enforcement Training and Standards Board to provide students with the required training in use of police personnel within the school setting in accordance with SB 2925 (PA 100-984). SROs must be police officers of law enforcement agencies who are to serve within a school setting pursuant to a memorandum of understanding between the employing law enforcement agency and a school district within the agency's jurisdiction. Any officer serving in this role as of January 1, 2021 must have a special certification issued by the Illinois Law Enforcement Training and Standards Board ("Board"). Such officers must have attended a special training, or attained a waiver by the Board before they can serve in this role. **To be eligible for this special certificate, a full-time Illinois law enforcement officer must have been actively employed in a law enforcement position within the state for at least three years (five years for part-time officers) before enrolling in the course or requesting a waiver. Each such officer must also be of sound character, free of disciplinary concerns, and open to working with minors.**

Topics Discussed:

Overview of juvenile law, Juvenile Court Act, role of the juvenile officer, special juvenile considerations, due process for juveniles, detention of juveniles, interrogating juvenile suspects, interviewing juvenile witnesses, rights of parents, SRO introduction, roles of SRO, school structure and hierarchy, school law, adolescent development/teen brain, communication, developing relationships among diverse students, special considerations and disabilities, criminal activity, law enforcement actions in school, ethical concerns, school design and safety, introduction to school threat response, school threat response case studies, role of SRO during a threat, recognizing an active threat, tactical maneuvering on school grounds, solo vs. group response tactics, clearing of school classrooms, identification and response to threat, post event, scenario trainings. **(CONTINUED)**

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Instructors: This course will be taught by a team of Instructors. Lead Instructor, Danielle Butts is the Founder and Executive Director of All Our Children's Advocacy Center. She has been a Forensic Interviewer for 20 years and conducted over 4,000 interviews. Danielle is a member of the Cook County Child Abuse Advisory Board and the Children's Advocacy Center of Illinois Legislative Committee. She has been a law enforcement instructor for over 15 years and currently teaches; Interviewing Children, Juvenile Investigations, Sexual Assault and SRO.

Member Tuition: None

Non-Member Tuition: None

(members have priority in registration)

**This course is grant funded by the Illinois Law Enforcement Training and Standards Board.*

Basic Crime Scene Investigation 1 - 40 hour - BLTD (FORMERLY 40 Hour Basic Evidence Technician)

Plainfield Police Department
14300 Coil Plus Dr.; Plainfield, IL 60544
Monday-Friday; August 19-23, 2024
8:00 am till 4:00 pm

This course complies with the guidelines of the following mandate(s):

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| • Civil Rights | 1.0 Hour |
| • Const. Use of LE Authority | 1.0 Hour |
| • Legal Updates | 0.5 Hour |
| • Officer wellness/mental health | 1.0 Hour |
| • Procedural Justice | 6.0 Hours |
| • Law concerning stops, searches, and the use of force | 1.0 Hour (1.0 Hour Scenario-Based) |
| • Specialized | |
| ○ Lead Homicide Investigator | 40.0 Hours (1.0 Hour Scenario-Based) |

Course Description: This program is designed for recently assigned evidence technicians and will introduce them to various evidence collection, identification, and preservation techniques. The impact of these techniques upon specific criminal investigations will also be discussed.

Course topics include:

- Crime scene management
- Crime scene photography
- Crime scene sketching, diagramming, and animation
- Forensic Laboratory Sections
- Evidence recognition, handling, packaging, and submission
- Trace, tool mark, and firearm evidence
- Footwear/tire track castings
- Latent prints and impression evidence
- Biological evidence and D.N.A.
- Search warrants and consent to search
- Gunshot residue tests and results
- Advances in evidence technology

❖ ***Each officer should be familiar with his/her Department's digital camera and should bring the following items to class:***

- ✓ **Camera and tripod to fit it**
- ✓ **Latent print development kit which includes black powder/magnetic powder, tape, and backing cards**
- ✓ **Sufficient packaging and personal protection supplies to process a crime scene**

Instructor: This course will be taught by Lt. Heather Hansen (ret.), Illinois State Police and Lt. Chris Collins (ret.) with Kane County Sheriff's Department.

Member Tuition: None Non-Member Tuition: \$750.00

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Search & Seizure - Foulk

Frankfort Police Department

20602 Lincoln-Way Ln., Frankfort, IL. 60423

Tuesday; August 20, 2024

8:00 am till 4:00 pm

This course complies with the guidelines of the following mandate(s):

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| • Civil Rights | 2.0 Hours |
| • Const. Use of LE Authority | 2.0 Hours |
| • Legal Updates | 4.0 Hours |
| • Specialized: Lead Homicide Investigator | 8.0 Hours |

Topics to be addressed include the following:

- Constitutional Authority for Police Searches
- Search warrants vs. Warrantless Searches
- Conducting Consensual Encounters
- Search Incident to Arrest
- Inventory Searches | Consent Searches
- Terry Stops and Terry Frisks
- Emergency Aid Exception
- Use of Eavesdropping Devices
- K-9 / Traffic Stops
- Converting Stops to Consensual Encounters
- Checkpoints | Plain View | Trash Searches

Instructor:

Assistant State's Attorney, Dant Foulk of the Will County State's Attorney's Office, manages the Forfeiture Unit and serves in the office's Financial Crimes Prosecution Unit. In the Forfeiture Unit, Dant specializes in identifying, locating, seizing and forfeiting illegally gained proceeds from narcotics and money laundering activities and other financial crimes. In the Financial Crimes Unit, he coordinates the long-term investigations of complex financial crimes, including credit card and check fraud rings, identity theft conspiracies and organized money laundering activities. Dant is admitted to practice in Illinois and before the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office as a patent lawyer.

Dant has taught Criminal Law as an adjunct professor and routinely lectures in the areas of criminal law, use of force, search and seizure, money laundering, and asset forfeiture. He has also lectured for the DEA, El Paso Intelligence Center (EPIC), the Department of Homeland Security, The State of Indiana, The Chicago Police Department, the Miami Dade Police Department Training Unit, the Illinois Gaming Board, the IDEOA, CCROC, the NICB, and the Illinois Law Enforcement Training and Standards Board MTU system. Dant is the principal trainer for the Illinois State Police in the area of Asset Forfeiture and Money Laundering.

Member Tuition: None

Non-Member Tuition: \$150.00

Alcohol Compliance Check Investigations

Frankfort Police Department

20602 Lincoln-Way Lane, Frankfort, IL. 60423

Wednesday, August 21, 2024

8:00 am till 12:00 pm

This course complies with the guidelines of the following mandate(s):

- Legal Updates 1.0 Hour
- Procedural Justice 1.0 Hour

Course Description:

Compliance checks are a foundation of any good alcohol enforcement initiative. These checks must be done fairly and correctly to encourage compliance with alcohol service laws. This session provides information on conditions that merit the use of compliance checks as well as policies and procedures for conducting these operations within state guidelines. At the completion of this session, participants will be certified by the State of Illinois to supervise compliance check operations within their community as required by state law.

Participants will learn:

- The legal foundation that allows compliance checks to be conducted.
- Step-by-step information for conducting compliance check operations in communities.
- State standards for conducting compliance checks and examples of model policies to ensure consistency in performance.

Instructor:




Kenneth Williams, Liquor Control Supervisor w/ ILCC. Mr. Williams is a Liquor Control Supervisor with the Illinois Liquor Control Commission (ILCC) assigned to the Central Region. Mr. Williams began his career in 1997 at the Illinois State Police working as a telecommunicator and truck weighing inspector. Mr. Williams joined the Illinois Liquor Control Commission in July of 2012 as a Liquor Control Special Agent. During his time at the ILCC, Mr. Williams served as a field trainer for newly hired Special Agents, conducted numerous trainings statewide for local and county agencies to conduct liquor inspections, and developed several in-house training courses for ILCC staff.

Member Tuition: None

Non-Member Tuition: None

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Sexual Assault Initial Responder & Investigator Instructor Training (8/21 – 8/23/2024)



Sexual Assault RESPONDER & INVESTIGATOR INSTRUCTOR TRAINING

TRAINING LOCATIONS

Northern – April 2, 3, & 4, 2024
8:30am – 4:30pm (2nd & 3rd)
8:30am-12:30pm (4th)

Plainfield Fire Department, 23748
W. 135th St., Plainfield, IL 60544

[REGISTER HERE—Plainfield](#)

Central – May 13,14, & 15, 2024
8:30am – 4:30pm (13th & 14th)
8:30am – 12:30pm (15th)


ILETSB Main Office, 500 S. 9th
Street, Springfield, IL 62701

[REGISTER HERE—ILETSB](#)

Southern – August 21, 22, & 23,
2024
8:30am – 4:30pm (21st & 22nd)
8:30am – 12:30pm (23rd)
SWIC Training Academy, Belleville,
IL

[REGISTER HERE—BELLEVILLE](#)


**IMPORTANT NOTE: LAPTOPS
ARE REQUIRED FOR THIS**



This free twenty-hour, three-day program, has been designed by Cordelia Coppleson to provide students the knowledge and ability to instruct both the mandated Sexual Assault Initial Responder Training (1st day only - 8 hour class), Trauma Informed Sexual Assault Investigator Training (2nd day - 8 hour class) in compliance with the Sexual Assault Incident Procedure Act (3rd day – 4 hour train the trainer portion – teach backs).

TRAINING PREREQUISITES

- Minimum 3 years of Law Enforcement experience
- Minimum 2 years of Detective/Investigator experience
- Must have taken the Day 1 and Day 2 course previously to take this instructor class
- Attorney's – Must have minimum 4 years of prosecutorial experience
- Teach Backs will be required to complete course



Day 1 – Trauma Informed Response to Sexual Assault for Patrol – Instructor Training with New Updates

Day 2 – Sexual Assault Investigator – Instructor Training with New Updates – MUST ATTEND DAY 1 TO ATTEND DAY 2

Day 3– Four hours teach backs (required)

Working lunch will be provided on days one and two.

Lodging responsibility of the registrant. Questions regarding registration contact either MTU 16 (Northern Training), MTU 14 (Southern Training) or Executive Institute (Central Training).

Certification is certified by the ILETSB and meets the following mandates: Civil Rights (1.0 hour), Constitutional and Proper Use of Law Enforcement Authority (.5 hour), Crisis Intervention (1.0 hour), Cultural Competency (.5 hour), Human Rights (.5 hour), Legal Updates (1.5 hour), Procedural Justice (4.5 hours), Psychology of Domestic Violence (1.0 hour), Reporting of Child Abuse and Neglect (.5 hour), Sexual Assault Trauma Informed Response (6 hours), LHI Recert (8 hours) and Sexual Assault Investigator Training (18 hours)

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Non-Escalation & De-Escalation as Force Alternatives

Plainfield Police Department
14300 Coil Plus Dr., Plainfield, IL. 60544
Wednesday; August 28, 2024
8:00 am till 4:00 pm

This course complies with the guidelines of the following mandate(s):

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| • Crisis Intervention | 3.0 Hours |
| • De-escalation Techniques | 2.0 Hours |
| • Law concerning stops, searches, and the use of force | 2.5 Hours |
| • Officer safety techniques, including cover, concealment, and time | 0.5 Hour |

Course Description: Effective communication skills can assist law enforcement in preventing unnecessary injuries to both officers and citizens, while reducing liability exposure to agencies and units of government. This course will encompass communication skills necessary to prevent escalation in potentially intensifying circumstances when people are in crisis. If events worsen, students will learn communication skills shown to de-escalate potentially violent encounters. Participants will also learn about the rights of citizens to peacefully assemble and express their first amendment rights vs. situations that would justify an arrest. Additionally, participants will learn proper use of force based on prevailing case law and U.S. Supreme Court decisions. Instruction will include video examples of contemporary events.

Topics Include:

- Non-escalation Skill Development
- De-escalation Skill Development
- Use of Force Strategies
- Reasonable Force Standards
- Civil Rights and Legal Issues
- First Amendment Gatherings
- Constitutional Limits on Police Authority

Instructor: The program will be conducted by Dr. Michael Schlosser, President and Lead Instructor with Law Enforcement Expert, Training, and Consulting, LLC (LEETAC). Dr. Schlosser has been in Law Enforcement for over 34 years. He is currently Director of the University of Illinois Police Training Institute (PTI). Dr. Schlosser retired as a Lieutenant from the Rantoul Police Department after 20 years of service. During this time, he held positions as field training officer and supervisor, detective, juvenile officer, wellness director, control tactics instructor, and K-9 supervisor. He earned a Master's Degree in Public Administration from Governor's State University, a Master Degree in Legal Studies from the University of Illinois-Springfield, and a Doctorate in Education from the University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign. Dr. Schlosser has worked for PTI since 1998 and has been a full-time instructor since his retirement in 2004. He has taught dozens of courses and trained thousands of police recruits in most aspects of policing. His instructor certifications include 7th Degree Blackbelt in Karate-Do, Master Arrest & Control Tactics Instructor, and O.C. Spray Instructor.

Member Tuition: None

Non-Member Tuition: \$150.00

Funded in Partnership with the Illinois Law Enforcement Training & Standards Board

Juvenile Interrogation and Delinquency Update

New Lenox Police Department

200 Veterans Parkway, New Lenox, IL. 60451

Thursday; September 5, 2024

8:00 am till 4:00 pm

This course complies with the guidelines of the following mandates:

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| • Civil Rights | 1.5 Hours |
| • Const. Use of LE Authority | 1.5 Hours |
| • Human Rights | 2.0 Hours |
| • Legal Updates | 1.5 Hours |
| • Specialized: Lead Homicide Investigator | 8.0 Hours |
| • Specialized: School Resource Officer (SRO) Pre-Qualified | |
| ○ Officer & Youth Interaction | 5.0 Hours |
| ○ Juvenile Law | 3.0 Hours |

This course is designed for new and experienced law enforcement officers, as well as newly assigned juvenile officers. Students will examine and discuss the latest changes to the Juvenile Court Act, Chapter 705, Articles I and V, Delinquency Provisions, along with recent court cases directing law enforcement in conducting proper interrogations and interviews while guaranteeing minors' rights.

**** Students are encouraged to bring a laptop or tablet that can utilize a thumb drive; paper copies of the materials will not be provided. ****

Topics to be examined include:

- Law enforcement interrogation skills - Juvenile Court Act, Chapter 705, Delinquency Provisions, Article V - Comprehensive examination of juvenile rights - Chapter 704 and Illinois Detention Law, PA 85-1443 - Recent revisions of the Juvenile Court Act, Chapter 705 - Responsibilities of arresting police officers and juvenile officers - Recent Court decisions affecting the implementation of the Juvenile Court Act - Chronic truants - Station adjustments - Parental rights and responsibilities

Instructor for this course is Brian Galske, Deputy Chief, Chicago Ridge P.D (retired). Brian attended Moraine Valley Community College and Columbia Southern University for applied studies in Criminal Justice, attended the ILETSB Leadership program through Western Illinois University and attended the Northwestern University School of Police Staff and Command. Brian is a member of the Illinois Juvenile Officers Association, National Tactical Officers Association, Illinois Police Instructors Association, National Juvenile Justice Trainers Association, Illinois Tactical Officers Association, and the Illinois Crisis Negotiators Association.

Member Tuition: None

Non-Member Tuition: None

(members have priority in registration)

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High Risk Vehicle Stops – Train the Trainer

Kankakee County Sheriff's Office

3000 S. Justice Way, Kankakee, IL. 60901

Monday & Tuesday; September 9-10, 2024

8:00 am till 4:00 pm

This course complies with the guidelines of the following mandate(s):

- Const. Use of LE Authority 0.25 Hours
- High Risk Traffic Stops 15.50 Hours (scenario-based hours 11.0)
- Law concerning stops, searches, and the use of force 0.25 Hours
- Officer safety techniques, including cover, concealment, and time 0.50 Hours

Course Description: The goal of this course is to provide training to officers in High-Risk Vehicle Stops, so that they are able to provide training to other officers. This course uses lessons learned from other encounters and provides methods for safely performing high risk stops and communication techniques for officers conducting these stops.

Topics include:

- Teaching The History and Evolution of High-Risk Vehicle Stops
- Additional Field Failures – Examples
- "THE V" 1970-2020 – Discussing the history, evolution, tactical errors and lessons learned by examining past high-risk vehicle stop incidents including the review of written materials and video documentation. Students will have the ability to discuss and instruct the history and evolution.
- Teaching The Anatomy of Contact/Cover – Define the overall role, responsibility and strategy of contact and cover. Identify standard operational safety procedures for all field contacts
- Teaching Modern High-Risk Vehicle Stop Tactics: Centerfuge and Michigan State Police Model - Illustrate the dynamics of modern, state of the art high risk stops including ballistics, vehicle positioning, officer positioning, verbal commands, equipment issues, rifle deployment, handcuffing and positioning of suspects, searching suspects, questioning and intelligence gathering, securing suspect(s) and vehicle clearing/clean-up.
- Teaching Practical Exercises and Scenarios

Each Student Officer Will Perform the Role of:

- Officer In Position One – Including Verbal Commands and Coordination
- Officer In Position Two – Including Verbal Commands and Coordination
- Officer In Position Three – Including Verbal Commands and Coordination
- Officer In Position Four – Including Verbal Commands and Coordination
- Suspect In Vehicle, And:
- Will Demonstrate Proper Instruction Methods for Each of The Above.

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Instructors:

Chief Ed Delmore - Gulf Shores AL PD; A former Patrol Officer, Undercover Narcotics Investigator, Patrol Sergeant, Watch Commander, Deputy Chief and Chief of Police. Chief Delmore has been involved in the seizure of millions of dollars in illicit drugs and currency and has trained thousands of police officers throughout the United States on criminal Interdiction techniques.

Officer Stacy McElroy - Gulf Shores AL PD; An 18-year police veteran began his career with the Collinsville, IL PD. He has served as a Patrol Officer, K-9 handler, and a Task Force Officer with the Drug Enforcement Administration.

Officer McElroy has made several significant seizures involving thousands of pounds of narcotics and over a million dollars in currency. Stacy has trained thousands of officers in Criminal Patrol Drug Enforcement throughout the country.

Member Tuition: None

Non-Member Tuition: \$300.00

(Members receive priority in registration)

High Risk Vehicle Stops – Train the Trainer

Kankakee County Sheriff's Office

3000 S. Justice Way, Kankakee, IL. 60901

Wednesday & Thursday; September 11-12, 2024

8:00 am till 4:00 pm

This course complies with the guidelines of the following mandate(s):

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| • Const. Use of LE Authority | 0.25 Hours |
| • High Risk Traffic Stops | 15.50 Hours (scenario-based hours 11.0) |
| • Law concerning stops, searches, and the use of force | 0.25 Hours |
| • Officer safety techniques, including cover, concealment, and time | 0.50 Hours |

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Member Tuition: None

Non-Member Tuition: \$300.00

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Asset Forfeiture

Will County Sheriff's Office

16911 W. Laraway Rd., Joliet, IL. 60433

Thursday, September 12, 2024

8:00 am till 4:00 pm

This course complies with the guidelines of the following mandate(s):

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| • Civil Rights | 0.5 Hour |
| • Const. Use of LE Authority | 2.0 Hours |
| • Legal Updates | 5.0 Hours |
| • Procedural Justice | 0.5 Hours |

Course Description: Forfeitures can be a valuable tool to law enforcement in the following areas: improving public safety by forfeiting the DUI and suspended driver's car, taking away expensive vehicles and other assets from drug dealers, seizing bank accounts of criminals who commit check/credit card fraud and other financial crimes, forfeiting real property paid for with proceeds of mortgage fraud or any other crime where money is derived.

This course will provide law enforcement officers an understanding of forfeiture law in Illinois and how to successfully incorporate the forfeiture component into criminal investigations and prosecutions. After reviewing applicable statutes, the course will cover practical implementation of those statutes through real world examples. Additionally, techniques for locating assets and building financial cases will be discussed. This course will be useful for patrol officers; officers in specialized units such as narcotics, gangs or financial crimes; command staff; and agency policymakers. For those individuals who have already attended a forfeiture training, this course will broaden your ability to implement forfeiture law into your investigations and capture previously untouched assets of criminal enterprises.

Some of the topics include:

- Statutory basis for forfeiture in Illinois based on the Controlled Substances Act, The Money Laundering Act, The Gang Act, Article 36, and miscellaneous statutes
- Locating and discovering hidden assets and co-conspirators
- Putting together the forfeiture case simultaneous to the criminal case
- Search warrant execution – how to build a forfeiture case during a search warrant
- Techniques and tips for building a financial crimes case
- Use of forfeited property

Instructor: Assistant State's Attorney Dant Foulk of the Will County State's Attorney's Office, manages the Forfeiture Unit and serves in the office's Financial Crimes Prosecution Unit. In the Forfeiture Unit, Dant specializes in identifying, locating, seizing and forfeiting illegally gained proceeds from narcotics and money laundering activities and other financial crimes. In the Financial Crimes Unit, he coordinates the long-term investigations of complex financial crimes, including credit card and check fraud rings, identity theft conspiracies and organized money laundering activities.

Member Tuition: None

Non-Member Tuition: \$150.00

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Photography for the Law Enforcement Officer 1-Day Basic Photography Workshop

Plainfield Police Department
14300 Coil Plus Dr., Plainfield, IL. 60544
Friday; September 20, 2024
8:00 am till 4:00 pm

This course complies with the guidelines of the following mandate(s):

- Lead Homicide Investigator (LHI) 6.5 Hours (4.5 Hours Scenario-Based)

Course Description: This workshop is designed for the officer assigned to investigate/process crime scenes and will provide them with the needed skills to operate their department issued camera equipment to correctly photographically document evidence at a crime scene. Upon completion of this workshop officers will have learned how to operate their department issued cameras in normal and low light environments along with taking examination quality photographs of evidence.

Course Goals: By the end of this workshop, officers will be able to do the following:

- Will understand how depth of field affects crime scene photography.
- Will be able to produce the three types of crime scene photographs, orientation, reference, and identification with their department issued equipment
- Be able to produce examination quality photographs of evidence.
- Will understand the use of fill flash in outdoor crime scene photography.
- Will understand how to properly expose photographs in a low light environment using timed exposure, painting with light and multi-flash techniques.

Equipment List:

1. Department issued camera (if it is a SLR camera then also bring the following equipment)
 - a. Detachable flash unit (with fresh batteries)
 - b. Cable for detachable flash unit
 - c. Tripod
 - d. Cable to connect camera to laptop computer
 - e. Camera manual (if not available download one prior to class)
2. Laptop computer
3. Flashlight
4. Part of the class will be outside, dress for the weather.

Instructor: This course will be taught by Michael Kirby (Inverness P.D.-retired).

Member Tuition: None

Non-Member Tuition: \$150.00

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40 Hour Instructor Development Course

Romeoville Police Department

1050 West Romeo Rd., Romeoville, IL. 60446

Monday-Friday; September 23-27, 2024

8:00 am till 4:00 pm

This course complies with the guidelines of the following mandate(s):

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| • Cultural Competency | 3.0 Hours |
| • Officer wellness/mental health | 1.0 Hour |
| • Procedural Justice | 3.0 Hours |

Course Description: This new 40-hour curriculum has been designed to provide new instructors with the skills needed to become dynamic, effective trainers. In this highly interactive and participatory program, students will be introduced to a multitude of techniques that can be used successfully within traditional law enforcement environments and applications, including the classroom, field operations, simulated scenes, scenarios, and assessment training. This course focuses on techniques of instruction that address different adult learning styles and will provide a comprehensive overview of different classroom management principles. Participants will complete numerous practical exercises in public speaking, demonstrative instruction, and lesson plan preparation. Class will culminate in each participant providing a block of instruction on a law enforcement-related topic of their choosing. Attendees will be encouraged in the development of their instructional skills through immediate, supportive feedback from instructors as well as their fellow classmates.

Topics to be addressed include:

- How to instruct to all adult learning styles
- Time management of a training program or unit of instruction
- Organization and lesson plan preparation
- Writing course objectives
- Different types of class participation
- How to construct exam questions
- Classroom media, including PowerPoint, and Poll Everywhere

Instructors: This course will be taught by Lt. Heather Hansen (ret.), Illinois State Police and Lt. Chris Collins (ret.) with Kane County Sheriff's Department.

Member Tuition: None

Non-Member Tuition: \$750.00

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Field Training Officer Certification

(Sokolove Model)

Frankfort Police Department

20602 Lincon-Way Ln., Frankfort, IL. 60423

Monday - Friday, September 23-27, 2024

8:00 am till 4:00 pm

This course complies with the guidelines of the following mandate(s):

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| • Civil Rights | 1.0 Hour |
| • Const. Use of LE Authority | 1.0 Hour |
| • Human Rights | 1.0 Hour |
| • Legal Updates | 2.0 Hours |
| • Procedural Justice | 25.0 Hours |

Course Description: This forty-hour course is specifically designed for experienced uniformed patrol personnel selected to serve as Field Training Officers with probationary employees. The course emphasizes the FTO's role in assisting probationers certify for solo patrol operations by applying the knowledge and skills acquired during Basic Police Training/Certification and using them according to agency policy, procedures and community service delivery standards. The instruction highlights two essential Field Training and Evaluation Process skills: 1) the ability to examine and objectively document the probationer's job behaviors using the 2009 revised non-numerical/behaviorally anchored standardized assessment guidelines and, 2) analyzing the probationer's training needs and using proper instructional techniques for corrective action. The instruction presentation will focus upon discussion as well as hands-on application of the course materials in small group and individual/student exercises. Students will be required to complete out- of-classroom reading assignments from the course text and workbook, Breaking Routine™: Field Training Officer.

The course content will include:

- What every FTO really needs to know about the operational structure of the Field Training & Evaluation Process.
- The Instructional Relay Race: Taking over where Basic Police Training/Certification left off.
 - Inventorying the probationer's current knowledge and skill proficiencies.
- Selection and use of on-the-job instructional techniques: finding the best tools to meet the challenge.
- Utilization of legally defensible, non-numerical standardized evaluation guidelines.
- Objectively documenting probationer performance.
- Documenting the extent of training and coaching without becoming a best-selling author.
- Strategically addressing Probationer areas of Corrective Action Necessary.
- Utilizing the Probationer Officer Manual as the Field Training playbook.
- Practical Directed Patrol Mapping™: Preparing the Probationer for Proactive – Community Oriented Policing: Dancing with SARA!
- Creating a Self-Reliant™ law enforcement agent.

Special attention: Students should be familiar with their Department's current Field Training and Evaluation Process and should be briefed on their agency's process. Students are encouraged to bring a copy of their agency's Probationary Officer Manual and forms to class.

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Instructor: This course will be taught by: Mr. Bruce Sokolove, Field Training Assoc., Ypsilanti, MI.

Member Tuition: None

Non-Member Tuition: \$750.00

(Members will have priority registration)

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