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DWI Detection & SFST

(24-hour course)

Romeoville Police Department

1050 West Romeo Rd. (at Sunset Pointe Drive) Romeoville, IL 60446

Wednesday – Friday; February 1-3, 2023

8:00 am till 4:30 pm

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

- Civil Rights 6.0 Hours (6.0 Hours scenario-Based)
- Const. Use of LE Authority 6.0 Hours
- Legal Updates 8.0 Hours
- Procedural Justice 4.0 Hours (2.0 Hours Scenario-Based)

This three-day, 24-hour course is a State Certified program on the standardization of sobriety testing procedures. The latest testing methods will be demonstrated. Horizontal Gaze Nystagmus (HGN) techniques for improved probable cause standard for DUI arrests will be taught. This course will also cover the pharmacological differences between drug effects and alcohol effects on the body.

➤ *This course utilizes live dosed individuals as opposed to videos, which greatly enhances the training.*

Course Description: The purpose of this course is to increase deterrence of DWI violations, and thereby reduce the number of crashes, deaths and injuries caused by impaired drivers. As a result of this training, participants will become significantly better able to:

- Understand enforcement's role in general DWI deterrence.
- Understand detection phases, clues and techniques.
- Understand requirements for organizing and presenting testimonial and documentary evidence in DWI cases.
- Recognize and interpret evidence of DWI violations.
- Administer and interpret Standardized Field Sobriety Tests.
- Describe DWI evidence clearly and convincingly in written reports and verbal testimony.
- Understand the tasks and decisions of DWI detection.
- Know and recognize typical vehicle maneuvers and human indicators symptomatic of DWI associated with initial observations.
- Know and recognize typical reinforcing maneuvers and indicators that come to light during the stopping sequence.
- Know and recognize typical sensory and other clues of alcohol and/or other drug impairment that may be seen during face-to-face contact with DWI suspects.
- Know and recognize typical behavioral clues of alcohol and/or other drug impairment that may be seen during the suspect's exit from the vehicle.
- Understand the role and relevance of psychophysical testing in pre-arrest screening of DWI suspects.
- Know and carry out appropriate administrative procedures for validated divided attention psychophysical tests.
- Know and carry out appropriate administrative procedures for the Horizontal Gaze Nystagmus test.
- Know and recognize typical clues of alcohol and/or other drug impairment that may be seen during administration of the Standardized Field Sobriety Tests. **(CONTINUED)**

Instructors: The instructors for this class will be Lt. Dave Schurr (Ret.) of the Bolingbrook Police Department and Sgt. Steve Sigler of the Illinois State Police.

Member Tuition: None*

Non-Member Tuition: None*

**This course is funded by the Illinois Department of Transportation through the Police Traffic Services Training Project and administered by the Illinois Law Enforcement Training and Standards Board.*

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Gang Combat Dynamics

Lockport Police Department
1212 South Farrell Rd., Lockport, IL. 60441

Thursday & Friday; February 2 & 3, 2023

8:00 am till 4:00 pm

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

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| • Civil Rights | 4.0 Hours |
| • Const. Use of LE Authority | 8.0 Hours |
| • Procedural Justice | 4.0 Hours |
| • Lead Homicide Investigator | 16.0 Hours |

Course Description:

This *two-day* course will provide the investigator with strategies to vigorously target, investigate, interview/interrogate, prosecute and prevent resurgence of criminal street gangs. The program will equip the investigator with the knowledge and tools to "attack" organized gangs by using a multi-agency, multi-jurisdictional approach. The concepts taught in this course have been used to effectively dismantle gangs and take back communities.

Topics Include:

- Understanding today's gang alliances and their growing social network
- Gangs in schools
- Effective street interviewing
- Conducting gang investigations-graffiti to homicide
- Being successful in the interview-getting confessions
- Strategize your follow up *attack-eradication* strategies

Instructor: Domenic Cappelluti CFI was a veteran street cop with the Waukegan (Illinois) Police Department and former Group Supervisor of the elite Lake County Major Crime Task Force (Illinois). With over 25 years of experience Domenic has specialized in high profile violent street crimes, to include homicides, murder for hire cases on gang and drug officers, and officer involved shootings. During his career, Domenic has worked in patrol, and avidly supervised the Criminal Investigations Division and the Gang Suppression Unit. Domenic has proudly conducted and directed hundreds of gang and drug related operations throughout his County and the Chicago metropolitan area targeting Chicago based street gangs

Member Tuition: None*

Non-Member Tuition: None*

**This project is supported by funds from the Department of Homeland Security, Federal Fiscal Year 2020 Homeland Security Grant Program. CFDA #97.067.*

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Testifying in a DUI Trial

New Lenox Police Department
200 Veterans Parkway, New Lenox, IL. 60451

Tuesday; February 7, 2023

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 | 1.0 Hour |
| • Procedural Justice | 3.0 Hours |

Course Description: This training will provide law enforcement personnel with a wide variety of questions often used in DUI trials. Participants attending the training will be engaged with an interactive, internet presentation using multiple-choice questions. The questions posed to the participants will be in the form of direct examination or cross examination. Individual responses by the participants will remain anonymous. Participants will collectively receive immediate feed-back on the accuracy of their responses. A follow-up discussion will focus on why the participant's responses are correct and the reasons why the responses are incorrect. Emphasis will focus on providing correct answers to the tough questions posed by the defense. Questions will encompass all aspects of the DUI arrest.

At the end of this eight-hour block of instruction participants will be able to:

1. Accurately respond to predicate questions used by the prosecution.
2. Accurately respond to questions posed by the defense.
3. Anticipate challenges used by defense experts.
4. Understand when it is appropriate to say, "I don't know" to avoid providing incorrect answers.
5. Provide correct responses based upon court decisions.

Participant Objectives

- Correctly answer questions regarding training provided by the National Highway Traffic Safety Administration (NHTSA).
- Correctly answer questions regarding pharmacology and physiology of alcohol/drugs on the human body.
- Correctly answer questions regarding the three phases of the DUI process as described by NHTSA.
- Correctly answer questions regarding the validation studies related to Standardized Field Sobriety Tests (SFSTs).
- Correctly answer questions regarding eye examinations.
- Correctly answer questions regarding Alternate Field Sobriety Testing (AFSTs).
- Correctly answer questions regarding the operations of a preliminary breath test instrument.
- Correctly answer questions related to the administrative rules for chemical testing.
- Correctly answer questions regarding the implied consent warnings.
- Correctly answer questions regarding evidential chemical tests.

Instructors: Tony Lebron, Illinois State Police (Retired) and Jennifer Cifaldi, Illinois Traffic Safety Resource Prosecutor

Member Tuition: None*

Non-Member Tuition: None*
(members receive priority)

This course is grant funded

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Mental Health Awareness & Response: An Intro to CIT

Monee Police Department
5356 W. Main St., Monee, IL 60449
Wednesday; February 8, 2023
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 hours |
| • Const. Use of LE Authority | 0.5 hours |
| • Human Rights | 0.5 hours |
| • Legal Updates | 0.5 hours |
| • Procedural Justice | 1.0 hours |
| • De-escalation Tech | 1.0 hours |
| • Crisis Intervention | 2.5 hours |
| • Officer wellness/mental health | 1.0 hours |
| • Officer Safety Tech-including cover, concealment, and time | 0.5 hours |

Course Description: Law enforcement officers have an important role to play in their interactions with community members. This means responding to incidents with individuals who have mental health issues, including diagnosed mental illness.

This 8-hour course, developed by the Illinois Law Enforcement Training & Standards Board, is meant to provide law enforcement officers with an awareness of mental health issues including a history of mental health systems, types of mental illness, signs and symptoms, common treatments & medications, and potential interactions law enforcement may have, on a regular basis, with these individuals, their families and service providers.

Topics covered will include:

- Prevalence of mental illness
- History & impact on law enforcement
- Common forms of mental illness likely to be encountered
- Signs & symptoms of mental illness
- Treatments & medications
- Suicide warning signs
- Police interaction models
- De-escalation strategies
- Involuntary admission process
- HIPPA & FERPA

Instructor: Lt. Troy Siewert retired from the Orland Park Police Department (OPPD) and holds a master's degree in criminal social justice from Lewis University. He is a certified CIT coordinator, CIT officer, crisis negotiator and Mental Health First Aid instructor as well as a CIT role play evaluator for the Illinois Law Enforcement Training and Standards Board. Troy started the OPPD Crisis Intervention Team (CIT) in 2015 and has developed the program into what is now recognized as a standard for best practice. He has been a guest speaker at multiple conferences and various local professional groups promoting CIT and the One Mind Campaign. (Continued)

Troy recently worked on a committee to update the International Chiefs of Police model policy for "Responding to Persons Experiencing a Mental Health Crisis."

Member Tuition: None*

Non-Member Tuition: None*

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

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*** FULL *** ~~Advanced Roadside Impaired Driving Enforcement~~
(A.R.I.D.E.)

New Lenox Police Department
200 Veterans Parkway, New Lenox, IL. 60451
Wednesday & Thursday; February 8-9, 2023
8:00 am till 4:00 pm

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

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| • Civil Rights | 10.0 Hours (3.0 Hours Scenario-Based) |
| • Const. Use of L.E. Authority | 2.0 Hours |
| • Legal Updates | 4.0 Hours |
| • Advanced Roadside Impaired Driving Enforcement (ARIDE) | 16.0 Hours (3.0 Hours Scenario-Based) |

Course Description: The Advanced Roadside Impaired Driving Enforcement (ARIDE) program was developed by the National Highway Traffic Safety Administration (NHTSA) with input from the International Association of Chiefs of Police (IACP) Technical Advisory Panel (TAP) and the Virginia Association of Chiefs of Police. ARIDE was created to address the gap in training between the Standardized Field Sobriety Testing (SFST) and the Drug Evaluation and Classification (DEC) Program.

This course will offer additional information to law enforcement officers on detecting impairment caused by more than just alcohol. Often law enforcement officers that have not received advanced or in-service training regarding drug impairment tend to not be able to identify these characteristics; therefore, they will release an impaired driver. Once an officer completes the training he/she will be more proficient with the 3 battery of tests (HGN, WAT, OLS), as well as a broader knowledge of drug impairment indicators. The law enforcement officer will also be more familiar with the DRE program and its function. This will facilitate better communication and transfer of critical roadside indicators of impairment to the evaluating DRE officer for a more complete and accurate assessment of the impairment. ARIDE is a 16-hour training course taught by DRE instructors or SFST instructors who are also DREs. The training will be conducted under the control and approval of the DEC Program state coordinator. This course encompasses information and techniques for addressing the drug and alcohol impaired driving problem.

The following topics are discussed and/or delivered in detail throughout the entire curriculum:

- Update of Standardized Field Sobriety Testing Battery
- How drug impaired driving affects our community
- SFST Proficiency Examination
- Drugs in the human body and the impairing effects they may have
- Seven categories of drugs identified by the DEC Program
- Additional sobriety tests that will provide an expanded knowledge of detection to law enforcement
- Provide an expanded knowledge of prosecuting drug impaired drivers to prosecutors and courts

Much of the classroom training is devoted to hands-on practice.

Instructors: Dave Christiansen (lead instructor), of the Dekalb County Sheriff's Office, is a Drug Recognition Expert Instructor as well as a Standardized Field Sobriety Testing Instructor and crash investigator. Ari Briskman (co-instructor), of the Lake County Sheriff's Office, is a Drug Recognition Expert Instructor as well as a Standardized Field Sobriety Testing Instructor and crash reconstructionist.

Member Tuition: None

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

** This class is funded by the Illinois Department of Transportation through the Police Traffic Services Training Project and administered by the Illinois Law Enforcement Training & Standards Board.*

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Line of Duty Death Benefits

Lockport Police Department

1212 South Farrell Rd., Lockport, IL 60441

Wednesday; February 15, 2023

8:00 am till 12 noon (4 Hrs.)

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

- Crisis Intervention 0.5 Hour
- Legal Updates 2.0 Hours
- Officer wellness/mental health 1.5 Hours

Description: This 4-hour course is designed to provide law enforcement executives, union affiliated officers, department designated personnel and individual officers with an understanding of the financial, educational, and other benefits available following a line of duty death or catastrophic injury. Those attending will be provided with the latest comprehensive list of resources available for officers and their surviving family members along with an understanding of the application processes. In addition, the course will provide an understanding of critical incident stress management and the services available for officers who are involved in a traumatic incident.

Benefit sources for officers' families to be examined include:

- Federal benefits
- Police pension and police pension death benefits
- Social Security issues
- Union benefits
- Workers compensation qualifications
- Family educational benefits
- Private foundations and insurance policies
- Funeral assistance funds
- Applicable veteran benefits
- Ongoing issues regarding application processing and payment schedules
- Critical Incident stress resources and services available

Instructor: Chief J. C. Paez began his law enforcement career in 1983 as a Military Policeman in the U.S. Marine Corps. His primary assignment was as a member of the Special Response Team on Camp Lejeune, NC. During his tour of duty, he served overseas in Okinawa, Japan and Pohang South Korea. In July 1988, he joined the Hoffman Estates Police Department. During his tenure he served as a traffic officer, patrol supervisor, the Use of Force Training Unit Commander, and the Special Services Division Commander until his retirement in August of 2014. He is currently the Chief of Police for Waubensee Community College Campus Police Department, Sugar Grove, Illinois. Chief Paez is also a member of the Northern Illinois Critical Incident Stress Management Team and serves as the Education Coordinator. He possesses a Master of Science Degree in Management from National Louis University, is a graduate of the F.B.I. National Academy Session 228 and a graduate of the Northwestern School of Police Staff and Command Class #100.

Member Tuition: None

Non-Member Tuition: \$75.00

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NEW Safe Schools and Healthy Students

Plainfield Fire Department Headquarters
23748 W. 135th Street; Plainfield, IL 60544

Friday; February 17, 2023

8:00 am till 4:00 pm

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

- Crisis Intervention 2.0 Hour
- Procedural Justice 6.0 Hours
- Specialized: School Resource Officer (SRO) Pre-Qualified
 - Active Threat Response 4.0 Hours
 - Officer & Youth Interaction 2.0 Hours

Course Description:

No child has died in a school fire in fifty years. How many have died from school violence? Far too many.

Lt. Col. Grossman turns his research on the psychology of violence inside out, applying the lessons he's learned into a presentation whose core thesis everyone can agree on: We must protect the children who have been entrusted to our care.

And that means facing some uncomfortable facts, including violent children, terrorists, and the lagging security systems when something does happen. Taking into context the tragedies of school massacres from Jonesboro to Columbine, Sandy Hook to Uvalde, Col. Grossman outlines a series of strategies to help keep our kids safe, including immediate and long-term solutions.

A fact filled presentation based on the most recent school safety research and offering vital response technologies for any audience of caring teachers, school officials, and parents.

Course topics include:

- The magnitude of the problem of violent crime in the US and worldwide and the threat to our schools.
- The role of the media in enabling the current worldwide "virus" of violent crime.
- Immediate measures that can be taken to make our schools safer.
- Key new resources available to cut violence and bullying in half and provide a double-digit increase in test scores.

Instructor:

In their description of Lt. Col. Dave Grossman, Slate Magazine said, "Grossman cuts such a heroic, omniscient figure, he could have stepped out of a video game." He has five patents to his name, has published four novels, two children's' books, and six non-fiction books.

He is a US Army Ranger, a paratrooper, and a former West Point Psychology Professor. He has a Black Belt in Hojutsu, the martial art of the firearm, and has been inducted into the USA Martial Arts Hall of Fame. (CONTINUED)

Col. Grossman's research was cited by the President of the United States in a national address, and he has testified before the U.S. Senate, the U.S. Congress, and numerous state legislatures. He has served as an expert witness and consultant in state and Federal courts. (CONTINUED)

He helped train mental health professionals after the Jonesboro school massacre, and he was also involved in counseling or court cases in the aftermath of the Paducah, Springfield, Littleton and Nickel Mines Amish school massacres.

Col. Grossman has been called upon to write the entry on "Aggression and Violence" in the Oxford Companion to American Military History, three entries in the Academic Press Encyclopedia of Violence, Peace and Conflict and has presented papers before the national conventions of the American Medical Association, the American Psychiatric Association, the American Psychological Association, and the American Academy of Pediatrics.

Since his retirement from the U.S. Army in 1998, he has been travelling full time as one of our nation's leading trainers for military, law enforcement, mental health providers, and school safety organizations.

Today Col. Grossman is the director of Grossman On Truth, LLC (www.GrossmanOnTruth.com). In the wake of the 9/11 terrorist attacks, he has written and spoken extensively on the terrorist threat, with articles published in the Harvard Journal of Law and Civil Policy and many leading law enforcement journals, and he has been inducted as a "Life Diplomat" by the American Board for Certification in Homeland Security, and a "Life Member" of the American College of Forensic Examiners Institute.

Member Tuition: None*

Non-Member Tuition: None*

(Members will have priority in registration)

** This project will be partially supported by funds from the Department of Homeland Security, Federal Fiscal Year 2020 Homeland Security Grant Program.*

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The Legal & Justifiable Use of Force - Pavletic

Will County Sheriff's Office

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

Tuesday; February 21, 2023

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 |
| • Legal Updates | 1.0 Hour |
| • Procedural Justice | 1.0 Hour |
| • Law concerning stops, searches, and the use of force | 5.0 Hours |
| • Specialized: Lead Homicide Investigator | 8.0 Hours |

Course Description: This course will focus on police officer use of force considerations in on-duty and off-duty scenarios. Practical use of force issues will be examined by viewing actual videos from live police use of force encounters and discussing the officer's decisions in those instances. The course will review U.S. Supreme Court cases, Federal Court decisions, Illinois statutes and case law, and what our courts specifically look for in police use of force situations. The course will also address use of force occurrences, ranging from crimes in progress to the use of force in medical emergencies. The material will consider use of force from an officer's perspective: pre-assault indicators, force options that may be utilized, the use of intermediate weapons, permitted uses of force, prohibited uses of force, and the deadly use of force. Instruction will include proper documentation, Qualified Immunity, Garrity issues, and the Illinois Uniform Peace Officer's Disciplinary Act. The program will conclude with a discussion of the "10 Myths of Police Use of Force."

Topics Discussed:

- Video analysis of actual police use of force events and decision making
- Use of force during crimes in progress; offenders fleeing a crime scene; medical emergencies
- Use of force where offender is neither evading arrest nor committing a crime
- Review of Illinois, Federal, and U.S. Supreme Court cases regarding police use of force
- What our courts consider when evaluating an officer's use of force
- Pre-assault indicators; force options; quantum of force; use of intermediate weapons
- Acceptable methods of force; unacceptable methods of force; use of deadly force
- Documenting an officer's use of force
- Probable cause and Qualified Immunity; Garrity issues
- The Illinois Uniform Peace Officer's Disciplinary Act
- "The 10 Myths of Police Use of Force"

Instructor: Jeffrey J. Pavletic is an award-winning trial attorney who has built a reputation of integrity and exceptional skill in the courtroom. As a prosecutor for the past two decades, he has tried countless cases to victory (including approximately 150 jury trials with a concentration in homicide and violent crime). In addition to trying some of the highest profile and complex cases that have occurred in the history of Northern Illinois, Jeff was Chief of the Felony Review Division, and is currently the First Assistant State's Attorney for the Lake County (Illinois) State's Attorney's Office. Jeff served as Special Counsel to the U.S. House of Representatives Judiciary Committee in the impeachment of President Clinton. (continued next page)

His duties included all aspects of independent counsel review, the impeachment inquiry, presentation of articles of impeachment to the U.S. House of Representatives, all witness interviews and depositions of trial witnesses, and the actual impeachment trial before the U.S. Senate. Jeff has received numerous federal, state, and local awards.

These include Illinois State Crime Commission's State's Attorney of the Year, Felony Trial Attorney of the Year, The Fred L. Foreman Criminal Justice Award, The Ruth Rosengarden Victim Service provider Award, and a special U.S. House of Representatives Award presented by Congressman Henry Hyde. Jeff has been featured on 20/20, The Today Show, Good Morning America, Court TV, and the Discovery Channel. Jeff is a published author and a well-respected legal instructor who holds undergraduate and graduate faculty positions and has received accolades as a nationally renowned lecturer, training thousands of police officers, lawyers, prosecutors, and judges.

Member Tuition: None

Non-Member Tuition: \$150.00

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Comprehensive DUI Awareness

New Lenox Police Department

200 Veterans Parkway, New Lenox, IL. 60451

Monday; February 27, 2023

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
- Legal Updates 2.5 Hours

Course Description: This new program will provide students with a comprehensive overview of DUI enforcement and a summary of all impaired driving curriculums developed by the National highway Traffic Safety Administration (NHTSA), which will assist them in determining if they require or desire future DUI training. Emphasis will be placed on the tenants of DUI enforcement not covered in basic training. Officers will also be provided with the genesis and motivation for techniques, procedures, and law currently used in DUI enforcement. Pharmacology and physiology will be discussed in order to enhance officers' knowledge of the effects of alcohol/drugs on the human body. Eye examinations will focus on the dynamics of pupillary reaction to stimuli related to possible impairment caused by alcohol/drugs. This course will not train officers in field testing per se, but will review common mistakes made by officers when conducting such tests, thus enabling officers to avoid future defense challenges. This course will emphasize the eight implied consent warnings and the statutory elements required for enforcement. The final portion of the program will focus on the chemical testing of breath, blood, and urine. Relevant court cases will be highlighted throughout the training.

Topics to be addressed include the following:

• Review of NHTSA curriculums • Pharmacology and physiology of alcohol on the human body and pharmacokinetics utilizing Widmark's formulas • Retrograde extrapolation • The three phases of the DUI process as described by NHTSA • Common errors associated with Standardized Field Sobriety tests (SFST's) and other non-standardized Tests • Eye exams conducted during DUI encounters and the pupillary dynamics of possible alcohol and/or drug Impairment • Approved Preliminary Breath Test instruments that have automatic sampling/self-diagnostics and the administrative rules governing their use • The 8 Implied Consent Warnings and the statutory elements associated with their use • Evidential chemical tests an officer may request after a DUI arrest and the administrative rules associated with each test

Instructor: Tony Lebron (Retired M/Sgt; ISP) will be the lead instructor.

Member Tuition: None*

**Non-Member Tuition: None*
(members receive priority)**

This course is grant funded

Law and Order: A 40-Hour LHI Certification

Will County Sheriff's Office

16911 West Laraway Rd., Joliet, IL 60433

Monday – Friday; February 27 – March 3, 2023

8:00 am till 5:00 pm

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

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| • Civil Rights | 1.0 hours |
| • Constitutional/Proper Use of LE Authority | 8.5 hours |
| • Cultural Competency | 0.5 hours |
| • Human Rights | 0.5 hours |
| • Legal Updates | 8.0 hours |
| • Officer Wellness/Mental Health | 0.5 hours |
| • Procedural Justice | 10.0 hours |
| • Lead Homicide Investigator | 40.0 hours |

Course Description:

This training features interactive lectures and discussions of actual case histories, videos, and laws specific to homicide investigations. This comprehensive seminar provides instruction in conducting investigations and prosecuting death cases from the start of the investigation, through evidence collection, suspect interviews, press conferences, trial testimony, and ultimately conviction.

This class uses a combination of actual homicide case studies, so participants work through a case from the beginning, through case closure. **The training provides participants the techniques and structure to lead a professional and lawful investigation.**

“Effective 01-01-2012, under 50 ILCS 705/10.11, only law enforcement officers who successfully complete the Board certified 40-hour Lead Homicide Investigator training program may be assigned as lead investigators in homicide investigations.” This course fulfills the requirements.

Instructor: Lou Tessmann, CFI retired from the Waukegan (Illinois) Police Department after 23 years of service in a wide variety of assignments, including patrol, investigations, training, and ultimately Deputy Chief of Police. Lou is a 26-year veteran of the United States Marine Corps, retiring as a CWO-4. In addition to his service in Vietnam he was activated for Desert Storm and Desert Shield and has received numerous military awards including the Naval Commendation Medal. Lou began his career as a police officer with the City of Waukegan assigned to the patrol division. He was later assigned to the detective bureau for nine years and as a juvenile officer for one year. Lou also served as the Commander of the elite Lake County Major Crime Task Force. The task force works on major criminal investigations relating to homicides, kidnappings, and police-involved shootings. During his career, he has conducted thousands of interviews and interrogations. Most noteworthy, Lou has obtained over 80 homicide confessions during his career with only three instances where he was unable to obtain a confession from the homicide suspect.

Jeffrey J. Pavletic is a subject matter expert and an award-winning trial attorney who has built a reputation of integrity and exceptional skill in the courtroom. As a prosecutor over the past three decades, he has tried countless cases to victory (including approximately 175 jury trials with a concentration in homicide and violent crime). In addition to trying some of the most high profile and complex cases that have occurred in the history of Northern Illinois, Jeff was Chief of the Felony Review Division, and was the First Assistant State's Attorney for the Lake County (Illinois State's Attorney's Office).

Member Tuition: None

Non-Member Tuition: \$750.00

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*** FULL *** ~~32 Hour Instructor Development Course~~

Romeoville Police Department

1050 West Romeo Road, Romeoville, IL. 60446

Tuesday – Friday; February 28 – March 3, 2023

8:00 am till 4:00 pm

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

- Cultural Competency 3.0 hours
- Procedural Justice 2.0 hours

Course Description: This new 32 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, Illinois State Police and Lt. Chris Collins with Kane County Sheriff's Department

Member Tuition: None

Non-Member Tuition: \$600.00