



LDAA Winter Training

HUMAN TRAFFICKING & HIGHWAY INTERDICTION

Date

December 14-16, 2022

Location

New Orleans Marriott Warehouse
Arts District
859 Convention Center Blvd.
New Orleans, LA 70130
(504) 613-2888

Price

Free

Open to

Louisiana prosecutors &
law enforcement

Accommodations

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\$157/night + tax*

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Tuesday, November 22, 2022.

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AGENDA

WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 14

10:30-5:30 REGISTRATION

12:45-1:00 WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

The Honorable Bridget A. Dinvaut, LDAA President
District Attorney, 40th Judicial District, Reserve, LA
Mr. Loren M. Lampert, Executive Director
Louisiana District Attorneys Association, Baton Rouge, LA
The Honorable Beth Mizell, Senator, State of Louisiana
Senate District 12, Franklinton, LA

1:00-2:30 SESSION #1

HUMAN TRAFFICKING SESSION

(1.50 CLE CREDITS)

(Gravier Ballroom A-C)

Why Human Trafficking Victims Are Different

(Join us for a presentation on why human trafficking victims do not always act the way we expect "victims" to act, and why we need to change our practices to address issues of trauma, as well as address the role of early contact from law enforcement, prosecutors, victim assistance coordinators (VACs), human trafficking service providers, and peer-to-peer specialists in strengthening cases for prosecution. The Director of the Anti-Human Trafficking initiative at Empower 225 and survivor specialist will explain why trauma-informed care should guide our interactions and interviews with victims of human trafficking.)

Ms. Alliece Cole, Director of Anti-Human Trafficking Initiative
Empower225, Baton Rouge, LA
Ms. Michelle Johnson, Survivor Specialist
Empower225, Baton Rouge, LA

2:30-2:45 BREAK

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2:45-3:45 **SESSION #2** **(1.00 CLE CREDIT)**
HUMAN TRAFFICKING SESSION (Gravier Ballroom A-C)
Massage Parlor Investigations
 Lt. James Cooper, Narcotics/Hotel & Motel Interdiction/DELTA Task Force
 East Baton Rouge Sheriff's Office, Baton Rouge, LA
 Sgt. Leigh Rice, Narcotics Division
 East Baton Rouge Sheriff's Office, Baton Rouge, LA

3:45-4:00 **BREAK**

4:00-5:30 **SESSION #3** **(1.50 CLE CREDITS)**
HUMAN TRAFFICKING SESSION (Gravier Ballroom A-C)
Roadside Stop Investigations
(In Human Trafficking and Interdiction cases the roadside interviews can make or break an investigation. This session will focus on techniques and how to interpret what you see and hear.)
 Lt. Chad Gremillion, Troop E
 Louisiana State Police, Alexandria, LA

5:30-6:30 **SOCIAL HOUR**

THURSDAY, DECEMBER 15

8:00-5:15 **REGISTRATION**

8:15-9:45 **SESSION #4** **(1.50 CLE CREDITS)**
HUMAN TRAFFICKING SESSION (Gravier Ballroom A-C)
Building a Human Trafficking Case for Trial
(Just like Human trafficking victims are all unique, so are all human trafficking cases. They present unique obstacles and challenges when preparing for trial. Two veteran prosecutors will tell you what you need to build a human trafficking case.)
 Mrs. Jennifer Voss, Assistant District Attorney
 24th Judicial District, Gretna, LA
 Ms. Laura Schneidau, Assistant District Attorney
 24th Judicial District, Gretna, LA

9:45-10:00 **BREAK**

10:00-11:30 **SESSION #5** **(1.50 CLE CREDITS)**
HIGHWAY INTERDICTION SESSION (Gravier Ballroom A-C)
Passenger Car Interdiction
(This session will focus on Passenger Vehicle Interdiction tactics and trends.)
 Master Trooper Leon Defelice, DEA Task Force
 Louisiana State Police, Lafayette, LA

11:30-1:00 **LUNCH (on your own)**

1:00-2:30 **SESSION #6** **(1.50 CLE CREDITS)**
HIGHWAY INTERDICTION SESSION (Gravier Ballroom A-C)
Passenger Car Concealments
(What type of concealments are used in passenger vehicles and how do you spot them? This session will answer these questions and more.)
 Master Trooper Leon Defelice, DEA Task Force
 Louisiana State Police, Lafayette, LA

2:30-2:45 **BREAK**

- 2:45-4:15** **SESSION #7** **(1.50 CLE CREDITS)**
HUMAN TRAFFICKING SESSION (Gravier Ballroom A-C)
A Birdseye View: A New Statewide Care Coordination Model
 Dr. Dana Hunter, Director
 Governor's Office of Human Trafficking Prevention, Baton Rouge, LA
 Ms. MaryKate Andrepont, Program Manager
 Governor's Office of Human Trafficking Prevention, Baton Rouge, LA
 Ms. Linsey Bernard
 Governor's Office of Human Trafficking Prevention, Baton Rouge, LA
- 4:15-4:30** **BREAK**
- 4:30-5:30** **SESSION #8** **(1.00 CLE CREDIT)**
HIGHWAY INTERDICTION SESSION (Gravier Ballroom A-C)
Dark Web Investigations
(Hear the latest information on Dark Web Investigations from the Louisiana Bureau of Investigation.)
 Mr. David Ferris, Supervisory Special Agent
 Internet Crimes Against Children Commander of Louisiana
 Louisiana Bureau of Investigation, Cyber Crime Unit, Baton Rouge, LA
- Evening** **(On your own)**

FRIDAY, DECEMBER 16

- 8:00-12:30** **REGISTRATION**
- 8:15-9:30** **SESSION #9** **(1.25 CLE CREDIT)**
HIGHWAY INTERDICTION SESSION (Gravier Ballroom A-C)
Asset Forfeiture 101
(For this session its back to basics. All the things you ever wanted to know and the stuff you never knew you needed.)
 Mr. David Wheeler, Assistant District Attorney
 24th Judicial District, Gretna, LA
- 9:30-9:45** **BREAK**
- 9:45-10:45** **SESSION #10** **(1.00 CLE CREDIT)**
HIGHWAY INTERDICTION SESSION (Gravier Ballroom A-C)
Search and Seizure
(Find out from a former law enforcement officer and Search and Seizure expert what the 4th Amendment really means.)
 Mr. C. Scott Courrege, Esq.
 Dué | Guidry | Piedrahita | Andrews | L.C., Baton Rouge, LA
- 10:45-11:00** **BREAK**
- 11:00-12:00** **SESSION #11** **(1.00 CLE CREDIT)**
HIGHWAY INTERDICTION SESSION (Gravier Ballroom A-C)
Money Laundering and Cryptocurrency
(Money laundering cases can be complex and confusing and who really understands cryptocurrency? Two Special Agents with the Louisiana Bureau of Investigation will demystify these topics and answer your questions.)
 Special Agent Robert "Rob" Chadwick III, Special Agent
 Louisiana Bureau of Investigation, Baton Rouge, LA
 Special Agent Jedd Faulk, Special Agent
 Louisiana Bureau of Investigation, Baton Rouge, LA
- 12:00** **ADJOURN**