

SCIENCE BASED INTERVIEW TRAINING

Training Purpose:

This interview and interrogation training delivers a flexible approach optimizing interactions during victim and witness interviews, suspect interrogations, informant debriefings, and community engagements.

Through a subject-oriented approach, science-based interviewing has been shown to create a space for engagement that both increases the likelihood that the interviewee will choose to participate in a meaningful manner and substantially increases relevant information yield.

Instructors:

Wayne Thomas is a graduate of Oxford University and holds degrees in chemistry and psychology. A research psychologist with 29 years of operational experience, he spent the first 12 years of his career as a U.K. police detective, specializing in the investigation of serious and organized crime and the use of covert policing methods. This was followed by 17 years as a U.K. government intelligence officer working in counterterrorism investigations around the world. He works in collaboration with U.K. and U.S. agencies to train interviewers and investigators in these interview techniques.

Dr. Loraë Roukema has worked in the realm of education for the past 30 years and is currently a Professor of Education at Campbell University in North Carolina (USA). Dr. Roukema has been involved with the FBI's High-Value Detainee Group (HIG) from its inception, assisting in designing the initial science-based interview courses, as well as performing professional development functions. Most recently, Dr. Roukema has worked in support of law enforcement agencies and departments within the New York City and Los Angeles Police Departments where she tailors curriculum and assists in training coaches and instructors in science-based interview courses.

Coaches:

California Law Enforcement Investigators that have employed Science Based Interview in real world cases.

OCTOBER 10-14

OCTOBER 17-21

Sponsored Agencies:



Dates:

October 10-14

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Sheriff's Office

200 Industrial Drive, Placerville

October 17-21

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2929 Richardson Drive, Auburn

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