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Sexual Deviant Killers

DATE: March 26 – 27, 2025

MEETS IL MANDATES: Crisis Intervention (4 hrs.),
Human Rights (4 hrs.), Procedural Justice (4 hrs.)

TIME: 8:30 am – 4:30 pm Lead Homicide Investigator (16 hrs.)

LOCATION: Town & Country Inn and Suites – Embassy Room

110 N. 54th Street, Quincy, IL

INSTRUCTOR(S): Lawrence J. Simon, Psy.D., President, and Founder of LJS Training and Consulting Group, LLC

NON-MEMBER FEE: \$175.00

***NEW MATERIAL TO BE PRESENTED

Course Description:

This two-day course offers wide-ranging examination into the minds of convicted murderers and violent sex offenders whose primary motive is sex-related and who predominantly target women and children. The instructor is an author, Doctor of Psychology and served in various capacities as a consultant, utilized on task forces, including but not limited to bizarre sex crimes, cold case sexual assaults and high-profile serial homicides. Dr. Simon's post-secondary educational background and credentials, hands-on investigative research and years of practice trudging through the dark minds of the most unusual, violent, and deranged individuals makes this course unique. Specifically, this course emphasizes the psychology behind the crime while analyzing and interpreting true accounts and the disturbing viewpoints and motives of some of the most dangerous men behind bars, including inmates on death row. The instructor Dr. Simon probes the evolution and unsettling features of violent deviant pathology providing forethought and credible warning signs that include elusive topics such as necrophilia, cannibalism, criminal sexual sadism, war rape, voyeurism, bestiality, and serial lust murder. Throughout the course Dr. Simon makes use of numerous case samples, while incorporating various crime scene photos that depict multifarious features of sexual deviant pathology. Psychosocial histories and backgrounds of perpetrators will be presented and analyzed. The goal is to achieve a more comprehensive understanding of the overall mindset, fantasy facilitators examining the killers' signature, violent sex offender behaviors and etiologies will be studied with the goal of identifying warning signs, interviewing suspects, increasing effectiveness in search warrants and greater case preparation from inception to case closure. Although, extremely informative, due to its explicit nature this course is not intended for everyone and is primarily designed for those working in law enforcement, corrections, probation and parole that provides a glance into the darkest corners of humanity.

Non-Member Tuition:

\$175.00. Non-member tuition shall apply to State/Federal agencies and Local Law Enforcement agencies which are not members of MTU #9. Tuition will be invoiced to departments upon course completion. If a pre-registered student from a Non-Member agency fails to attend training, and the agency fails to provide advance notice within 7 days of the start date of that class, the agency will be invoiced the entire amount of the student's tuition. See Tuition Policy Here

No Shows/Cancellation Policy

West Central IL Criminal Justice Council-MTU #9 has instituted a No Show/Cancellation fee of \$50.00 to be invoiced to member/non-member agencies who do not provide sufficient notice of cancellations seven (7) days before start of class. This Fee will be invoiced within a week of an officer's absence from a training course in which he/she was registered. If an agency is unable to provide advance notice of its intent to cancel course registration because of circumstances beyond its control, the Director will have the discretion to waive this payment. Any requests to waive No Show/Cancellation Fee must be made to the Director in writing. (View Full Policy HERE)

<u>To Register</u>: Follow this link to Register: https://mtu9.org/page/3/register-now. If you experience problems or issues with registration, please email register@mtu9.org. ALL registrations must go through your Sheriff, Chief, or Training Officer.

This Course is certified and approved by the Illinois Law Enforcement Training & Standards Board