

Social Media: From Intelligence to Evidence

Law Enforcement Officers who attend this class will learn how to proactively use Social Media and the Internet to gather intelligence, track suspects, identify gang members, conduct drug investigations and enhance all types of investigations. The course instructs how to gather evidence displayed or hidden in social media and other sites, as well as investigating and preempting violence. Methods will be provided on how to protect the officer's real identity on social media; establishing a safe and thorough undercover persona through social media; conducting undercover investigations through the Internet and social media; and using these resources as a tool and an enhancement for a variety of law enforcement and investigative operations.

**Attendees are encouraged to bring a laptop, notebook computer or tablet to this class – but recent model smart phones should also be sufficient.*

Course Instruction Includes:

- Open-Source Intelligence for Law Enforcement
- Navigating the Internet and Social Media for Law Enforcement
- Using the Internet and Social Media for Intelligence Gathering
- Gathering Criminal Intelligence from Social Media and the Internet
- Going Undercover on Social Media
- Identifying Threats and Violence through the Internet and Social Media
- Tracking Protester Activity through Social Media
- Tracking Missing Persons, Criminals, and Others
- Cell Phone Apps used by Criminals, Gangs and Terrorist
- Cell Phone Apps and Technology used Against Law Enforcement
- Smart Phone Utilization during Law Enforcement Investigations
- Doxing techniques
- Increasing Officer Safety, and much more!

Date: Aug 15th-16, 2024

Time: 8 AM to 4 PM

Location: Gardner Police Department 16540 S. Moonlight Road Gardner, KS 66030

Tuition Fee: \$325.00

To Register, go to: <https://homefrontprotect.com/SocialMedia081524>

INSTRUCTOR: Detective Steve Owens (**Ret.**) currently served with the Lancaster City Police Department in the Violent Crimes Unit. He was also a Task Force Investigator with the FBI Capital City Violent Crime Task Force. His primary responsibilities included the acquisition of electronic evidence as well as gathering and disseminating intelligence from social media. Detective Owens holds both A and B certifications under Pennsylvania's Wiretap Act. He is a court recognized expert in Cellular Telephone Records Analysis and Mapping. Det Owens is a trained Cellebrite Certified Operator and Cellebrite Physical Analyzer, conducting and analyzing cellular telephone extractions in his role. He has completed training with the FBI in cellular telephone mapping as well as the FBI Digital Imaging and Video Recovery Team (DIVRT).

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