



STATE OF SOUTH DAKOTA  
**LAW ENFORCEMENT STANDARDS AND TRAINING COMMISSION**  
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**BASIC CERTIFICATION COURSES:**

Law Enforcement Basic Certification Course.....Pierre.....August 23 – November 19, 2021  
Law Enforcement Basic Certification Course.....Pierre.....November 29, 2021 – February 25, 2022  
Law Enforcement Basic Certification Course.....Pierre.....March 7 – June 3, 2022

**911 BASIC CERTIFICATION COURSES:**   \*\*Optional EMD Courses Available-See below\*\*

911 2 Week Basic.....Pierre.....June 7 – 18, 2021  
911 2 Week Basic.....Pierre.....September 27 – October 8, 2021  
911 2 Week Basic.....Pierre.....February 28 – March 11, 2022  
911 2 Week Basic.....Pierre.....June 6 – 17, 2022  
911 2 Week Basic.....Pierre.....September 26 – October 7, 2022

**ADVANCED TRAINING COURSES:** \*GRANT/OTHER COURSES - please mail applications to hosting agency indicated.

Criminal Interdiction.....Pierre.....March 29 – 31, 2021  
DWI Detection & Standardized FST Instructor Development.....Pierre.....April 5 – 9, 2021  
\*Basic Police Motorcycle Operator .....Sioux Falls .....April 26 - May 2, 2021  
Instructor Development-Telecommunicators & 911 .....Pierre.....May 3 – 7, 2021  
Street Sergeant Evidence-Based First Line Supervisor.....Online .....May 3 – 7, 2021  
ARIDE .....Sisseton.....May 5 – 6, 2021  
\*Police Motorcycle Refresher.....Sioux Falls .....May 10 & 11, 2021  
\*Police Motorcycle Refresher.....Sioux Falls .....May 12 & 13, 2021  
Instructor Development.....Sioux Falls .....June 14 – 18, 2021  
D.A.R.E. Instructor Course .....Pierre.....June 14 – 25, 2021  
School Sentinel.....Pierre.....June 14 – 25, 2021  
Marksmanship Matters Defensive Pistol.....Pierre.....June 28 – July 2, 2021  
Vehicular Homicide Investigation for Patrol Officers . Pierre **DATE CHANGE**.....September 22 – 24, 2021

*This is the 2021-2022 tentative schedules of training courses offered by Law Enforcement Training. If you are interested in attending any of the schools, contact us at (605) 773-3584 and mail applications to Law Enforcement Training, 1302 E. Hwy 14, Pierre, South Dakota 57501 or fax (605) 773-7203. Reservations to attend these courses should be made no later than **45 days** prior to the course.*

**LAW ENFORCEMENT BASIC CERTIFICATION COURSE**

This is a course that all officers are required to attend within 1 year from their hire date. All applicants must submit the 4 page L.E.S. form along with 2 blue FBI Applicant fingerprint cards.

**Domestic Violence/Sexual Assault Training:** The SD Network against Family Violence and Sexual Assault offers training to law enforcement on responding to domestic violence, sexual assault, and/or stalking calls. This training is FREE! The training is provided by a law enforcement officer, a prosecutor and an advocate. The training team will come to your jurisdiction at NO CHARGE. The only things you have to provide are a place to hold the training and the people. The team does everything else. The training can be customized to meet your time schedule and topic needs. Please contact Jackie Goosen at 605-731-0041 for more information or to set up training.

**911 2-WEEK BASIC**

This is an 80 hour course that all dispatchers are required to attend within 1 year of their hire date. All applicants must submit the Basic 911 4 page form along with 2 blue FBI Applicant fingerprint cards. To obtain these forms, call (605) 773-3584.

\*\*There will be optional 3 day EMD courses in addition to the 911 2-Week Basic Courses. The following is the schedule and which vendor will provide the training at no cost to the 911 basic students.

June 21 – 23, 2021 .....	EMD Priority Dispatch
October 12 – 14, 2021 .....	EMD Power Phone
March 14 – 16, 2022 .....	EMD Priority Dispatch
June 20 – 22, 2022 .....	EMD Power Phone
October 11 – 13, 2022 .....	EMD Priority Dispatch

**Emergency Medical Dispatch (EMD) Certification Course:** EMD will provide communication techniques that will enable the dispatcher to have a direct impact on the successful outcome of a medical emergency and to provide an overview of medically-proven methods of gathering the most pertinent information in the least amount of time, while determining the severity and urgency of the call for medical assistance. And here is the link to the course description on our web site:

<https://www.powerphone.com/dispatchu/emergency-medical-dispatch/>

**Priority Dispatch EMD:** Advanced EMD training through the IAED will help you master emergency medical dispatching on the front lines. You will learn how to handle difficult callers, identify the correct Chief Complaint, assign needed resources, effectively communicate between responders and callers, and provide life-saving support. This is hands-on training with real-life examples, exciting audiovisual tools, and instructors who have spent years in EMS as dispatchers and responders.

### **\*\*TERMINAL OPERATOR COURSES**

**Every second Tuesday of the month Law Enforcement Training will host a NCIC Limited Access Course in Pierre. This course is 3.5 hours in duration. Course will begin at 10:00 am and finish up after lunch at 2:00 pm. Interested persons must send in the one page Terminal Operator application and two sets of finger print cards. If you are an LEO, finger print cards should be on file in LET, therefore no need to resend. Any questions please call 773-3584.**

\*3.5 HR Limited access course is required for any person operating or having access to the SDLETS/NLETS/NCIC (teletype) system through a regular or mobile data terminal. This course is designed for those who do limited queries such as driver's licenses or criminal histories.

\*24 HR Full access course is required for any persons who have full access to the SDLETS/NLETS/NCIC (teletype) system and do more in-depth queries and entries.

By Federal Law any person who operates a terminal that has access to the NCIC system must be certified. Please forward a Terminal Operator Application, which can be accessed from our web-site, along with 2 sets of finger print cards to Law Enforcement Training.

### **CRIMINAL INTERDICTION**

Date: March 29 – 31, 2021

Location: Pierre

#### ***Meals & lodging at Law Enforcement Training***

Instructor, Greg Goltz is a long time veteran trooper with a large Midwest state police agency. He is the instructor for his agency in Criminal Interdiction/Patrolling and has instructed Criminal Interdiction/Patrolling to thousands of law enforcement officers and their agencies from all over the United States. Greg is a veteran Police Service Dog handler, Firearms Instructor and Team Leader for SWAT. He also worked very successfully in undercover operations purchasing illegal drugs of all kinds. While working in the Uniform Division he has seized millions of dollars in United States currency and literally thousands of pounds of contraband all while making normal traffic stops that he turned into Criminal Interdiction arrests.

He created his own business known as **CRIMINALaddiction Inc.** and now travels all over the United States putting on seminars about these topics of: Interdiction, Search and Seizure, Concealment (advanced) and much more. He is a declared Expert witness in both the State and Federal court systems and actively testifies about this subject matter. He has received numerous awards for his Interdiction efforts and the training he provides, and currently has several "record size" seizures.

He also has made presentations about this subject matter to several Governors. Greg is also responsible for very important case law that better enables officers to do this work including the now important United States v. Morgan, Walker, Jones. He still works the road in the Uniform Division and still actively pursues these criminals during his everyday encounters. He also still works with other officers who have had tremendous success using these techniques. Join him, as he wants to spread his knowledge of catching "bad guys" and learn firsthand from individuals who are out there every day working the "ins and outs" of criminal interdiction.

**Course Objectives:** Students will see first-hand how Criminal patrol techniques can yield large and small drug and other type arrests from traffic stops and other legal contacts with people of society regardless of age, sex, race, gender or any other class or designation. These students will learn about the growing number of drugs they may see in their area and how to battle them. The students will learn how to put these legal techniques into place with these types of contacts after completing the class.

**Students will also learn of the incredible advanced concealment places in land vehicles that smugglers and other people involved with drugs hide the drugs, weapons and currency.**

**After attending:** Each student attending will have been provided the instruction to: Learn the History of contraband saturation into the U.S. and how over time the trends and patterns have shifted; Identify legal traffic stops; Identify the conversational questions and concealed interviews during the encounter; Identifying indicators; Detect that some terrorists networks are tied to drugs and how to stop them; Requesting Consent legally; Identifying search and seizure laws especially search incident to

arrest, probable cause, consent and other legal techniques; Properly using K-9's and the case law pertaining to their deployments; Identify how be more officer safety conscious; How actual search techniques should escalate; Locating hidden contraband in very sophisticated compartments; Identify Cover loads; What to do after criminal activity or contraband is located; Documenting these arrests properly; How Controlled deliveries can develop into more arrests and the perks with them; Recognize Escort/Decoy Vehicles and the awareness with them needed; Identify Currency seizure procedures and how they benefit your agency....**AND MORE**

### **NHTSA DWI DETECTION AND STANDARDIZED FIELD SOBRIETY TESTING (SFST) INSTRUCTOR DEVELOPMENT COURSE.**

Date: April 5 – 9, 2021

Location: Pierre

***Meals & lodging at Law Enforcement Training***

This training will provide attendees with the appropriate procedures and tutoring skills needed to conduct the DWI Detection and Standardize Field Sobriety Testing (SFST) course approved by the National Highway Traffic Safety Administration.

Prerequisite(s):

- Attendees must have successfully completed the NHTSA DWI Detection and Standardized Field Sobriety Testing (SFST) course.
- To become certified attendees will be required to pass the NHTSA written examination and demonstrate proficiency in teaching and demonstrating the administrative procedures for the standardized field sobriety tests.
- Attendees are required to bring a laptop computer with a USB port.

Maximum number of students: Twenty (20). Course Length – 40 hours

### **\*BASIC POLICE MOTORCYCLE OPERATOR COURSE**

Date: April 26-May 7, 2021

Location: **Law Enforcement Center, 320 W. 4th St., Sioux Falls, SD**

This 80-hour course is for new Police Motorcycle Officers to prepare them for operation of police motorcycles in an enforcement and traffic control environment. At the conclusion of training, each participant will be able to safely operate a police motorcycle in enforcement and traffic control duties on public roadways and off-road conditions. There is no charge for the course. Lodging and Per Diem for South Dakota Officers is provided through LET. Students for this course do need to furnish their own motorcycle. The "Operator" course is not a beginner's course, and is designed for officers that have previous riding skills. **Departments that would like to certify new officers or start a new Motor Program are encouraged to contact Officer Chad Gillen to register for the class or for more information.**

### **INSTRUCTOR DEVELOPMENT – TELECOMMUNICATORS/911 STAFF**

Date: May 3 – 7, 2021

Location: Pierre, SD

Time: 8:00AM to 5:00PM (Requires outside hours to complete assignments)

***Meals & lodging at Law Enforcement Training***

Application: <http://atg.sd.gov/docs/Training%20Application.pdf>

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*This course will count as continuing education for approved firearms instructors under South Dakota state administrative rule 2:01:06:17.05.*

This is an interactive course designed to prepare individuals to determine training needs, and then develop, implement, and evaluate meaningful training for their department. Attendees learn the key to effective training is to focus on their trainees and prepare to meet those needs.

Pre-class articles and a journal will be provided to students before the class. Students will produce two final projects. The first project will be a non-Law Enforcement topic lesson plan and presentation. The second project will be a Law Enforcement topic lesson plan prepared to the same standards as the first project, developed by student groups and furnished to all students on completion.

The concept for the second project is to make law enforcement lesson plans, relevant to something they will soon instruct, so they can take them home and use in the near future, as well as making them available to more officers and increase agencies ability to develop their own lesson plans.

Topics include: adult learning, strategies for using Multiple Intelligences, Emotional Intelligences, and Blooms Taxonomy to increase participant learning, training needs assessment, instructional methods, Problem Based Learning, instructional objectives, course outlines, lesson plan development, testing & evaluation, presentation techniques, student presentations, and development of a training lesson relevant to each individual's future teaching assignments.

This course is presented by Gerri Ann Eide. Gerri Ann Eide: I attained my BS in Agriculture Education & Agricultural Journalism and MEd in Career & Technical Education from South Dakota State University. I am a leadership and educational trainer with 20 years of experience. Through the years, I've attended exceptional, challenging educational training sessions that forever changed my knowledge and perceptions. But like many of you, I have also attended boring, poorly executed trainings I forgot as I left the room. I gained nothing and was utterly frustrated about the waste of time. I'm dedicated as a trainer to helping others learn and implement effective educational and facilitation techniques. Through GANE Leadership Consulting, I tailor the training to meet the specific needs of attendees, growing their effectiveness as leaders, facilitators and trainers. Training in Emotional Intelligences, Multiple Intelligences, adult learner needs, and Problem Based Learning continually come into play as I guide individuals to teach and facilitate exceptionally

## **STREET SERGEANT®: EVIDENCE-BASED FIRST-LINE SUPERVISION TRAINING**

**Date:** May 3 - 7, 2021, Online

**Provider:** The Dolan Group – *(we held this course in January and it was well received by SD attendees)*

***Five-day first-line supervisory course critical for both new and experienced public safety supervisors committed to leading from the front.***

No public safety organization can function without well trained first-line leaders. **The first-line supervisor is the most influential position within the organization.** Their role, therefore, demands strong leadership, self-confidence, competence, management skills, and an understanding of how to influence their subordinates, the organization, and the community.

This training utilizes existing research findings on effective field leadership and management within law enforcement agencies to provide tools for success for first line supervisors. Attendees will be introduced to the fundamentals of first line leadership, personnel management, coaching techniques to improve officer performance and confront officer misconduct—all with an emphasis on **what successful leaders do to improve morale and organizational effectiveness.**

### **Course Objectives:**

- Evidence-based police field leadership
- Performance coaching
- Creating a motivated workplace and improving morale
- Confronting undesirable field performance
- *Making discipline stick* for the benefit of the team member and community
- Legally confronting toxic employees
- Ethical police leadership
- Supervisor liability

## **ARIDE**

**Date:** May 5 – 6, 2021

**Location:** Sisseton

Sisseton is hosting an ARIDE Class May 5-6. Application deadline is April 2<sup>nd</sup> and they can be sent to me, Sgt. Isaac Kurtz, SDHP, [Isaac.Kurtz@state.sd.us](mailto:Isaac.Kurtz@state.sd.us) or call 605-367-5700 or 605-480-3361

## **\*POLICE MOTORCYCLE REFRESHER COURSES**

**Date:** May 10 & 11, 2021 or May 12 & 13, 2021

**Location:** Law Enforcement Center, 320 W 4<sup>th</sup> Street, Sioux Falls, SD

This 16-hour “Refresher” course is for any officer that has successfully completed the 80-hour “Operator” course or its equivalent. The topics covered are cone patterns, braking, off-road skills and team-riding. There is no charge for the course. Lodging and Per Diem for South Dakota Officers is provided through LET. Students for this course do need to furnish their own motorcycle. **Departments that would like to certify new officers or start a new Motor Program are encouraged to contact Officer Chad Gillen to register for the class or for more information.**

## INSTRUCTOR DEVELOPMENT

Date: June 14 - 18, 2021

Location: Sioux Falls

The blueprint of this course is for the student who desires to become a creative instructional facilitator. During this forty-hour itinerary, students will learn the importance of creativity and innovation in the classroom. They will prepare and facilitate instruction on a **law enforcement topic** of their choice for final evaluation purposes. In addition, the student will learn about leadership, emotional intelligence, multiple intelligence, effective communication, and role of the facilitator. Group discussions will include lesson plan and course objective development, training aids, effective communication, instructional design, adult learning methodologies, and development of assessment tools. Students should be prepared to engage in various activities, discussions, impromptus and fun. Each student should be prepared to bring any materials needed for their certification presentation. This course is time intensive and homework will be assigned. Alice Leffler is the instructor for this course. Pre-course assignments will be furnished to successful applicants for this course.

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Alice Leffler is a retired Sergeant from the Louisville Metro Police Department after having served 28.5 years. She has served in many capacities including patrol and COP officer, K-9 handler, MDT project manager, platoon sergeant, helicopter pilot, academy instructor and supervisor. Alice's areas of instruction include cultural awareness, ethics, leadership, organizational leadership, instructional development and problem based learning. In addition to serving as a Sergeant, Alice has also functioned as a national consultant in the field of instructional development, curricula design, problem based learning for instructors and PBL implementation in academies.

Sergeant Leffler holds a Bachelors of Science degree (Cum Laude) in Christian Social Ministries, and a Master's of Arts in Organizational Leadership. She is a graduate of the 108th Administrative Officers Course at the Southern Police Institute. She is also a graduate of the Indiana Law Enforcement Academy as well as the B.E.E from the Kentucky Department of Criminal Justice Training. She has attended the Kentucky Department of Criminal Justice Training Instructors Development Course, The Federal Bureau of Investigation's Instructional Development Course, Problem Based Learning for Police Instructors, PBL Curricula Design Course, and the Canadian Facilitation Course.

She currently resides in Louisville, Kentucky with her two sons and is employed by Humana Corporation as a Contemporary Strategic Learning Consultant in the areas of leadership and team development.

## MARKSMANSHIP MATTERS - DEFENSIVE PISTOL 1- 4

Date: June 28 – July 2, 2021

Location: Pierre, SD

Time: 8:00AM to 5:00PM (additional work outside classroom hours may be required)

*Student meals & lodging at Law Enforcement Training*

### Pistol 1 Description

**Pistol 1 is a classroom lecture in which the following subjects will be taught:**

- The 4 “Universal Safety Rules”
- Firearms Safety in the Home
- Range Rules and Procedures
- Chamber Checking and Condition Checking Handguns (why, when and how)
- The Mission of the Handgun (which is generally misunderstood)
- Handgun Types and Selection
- Basic Ballistics and Ammunition Selection
- Holster and Accessory Selection
- Why Marksmanship Matters
- The Seven Elements of Handgun Marksmanship
- The Principles of Personal Defense
- The Mental Color Code of Preparedness
- How to Avoid Dangerous Situations

### Pistol 2 Description

**Pistol 2 will be conducted on a range.**

**Pistol 2 is conducted with dummy ammunition only, NO LIVE ROUNDS.**

**Equipment will be checked.**

**Students will be required to complete a written test on firearms safety which will be submitted on day 2.**

## **The following subjects will be taught in Pistol 2:**

- Presentation to the Guard Position
- Presentation to the Target
- Close Contact Firing Position
- The guard position
- Safe and Correct Holstering
- Chamber and Condition Checking
- The Safest and Most Efficient System for Loading and Unloading
- The Seven Elements of Handgun Marksmanship
- Trigger Reset
- Three Types of Combat Reloading
- Breaking Tunnel Vision
- Immediate Action for Clearing Type One, Type Two and Type Three Malfunctions

Shooters will be evaluated for their eligibility to continue to Pistol 3

### **Pistol 3 Description**

**Pistol 3 is conducted on a live fire range.**

- Students will review and practice all the manipulation skills learned in Pistol 2.
- Instructors will shoot and check all handguns for point of aim vs. point of impact.
- Diagnostic Trigger Drill 1 will be used to learn or verify correct sight alignment and sight picture.
- Diagnostic Trigger Drill 2 will be used to learn correct trigger control and trigger reset.
- Diagnostic Trigger Drill 3 will verify correct sight picture while proper trigger control is applied.
- Diagnostic Trigger Drill 4 allows the instructor to “physically monitor” the students trigger control.
- The correct technique for “skip loading” handguns will be explained and demonstrated.
- Skill loading drills will be conducted.
- **The “Coach Pupil” method of instruction will be utilized during Pistol 3**
- **Each participant will learn to teach the skip loading system to others**
- Class Debriefing.

Shooters will be evaluated for their eligibility to continue to Pistol 4

### **Pistol 4 Description**

- All manipulation skills learned in Pistol 2 and Pistol 3 will be reviewed and practiced.
- “Skip Loading Drills” will be used to allow the student to practice the elements of marksmanship learned in Pistol 1-3.
- The ratio of live rounds utilized in the skip loading drills will be increased as the elements of marksmanship are learned.
- **The “Coach Pupil” method of instruction will be utilized during Pistol 4.**
- Diagnostic Trigger Drill 5 will be used to learn “Flash Sight Picture”.
- Diagnostic Trigger Drill 6 will be used to learn “Compressed Surprise Break”.
- Skip loading will be incorporated into the following drills
- Multiple target drill
- “Failure to Stop Drill”
- Hostage taker drill
- Recommendations will be given for future practice and training
- Shooters will be evaluated for their eligibility to attend the Intermediate Pistol Course
- Class Debriefing
- Graduation
- Certificates

Stacey Mudgett attended and graduated from the rigorous Rio Hondo Police Academy in 1997. She was then hired by LAPD and graduated from the LAPD Police Academy in 1998. She worked patrol and other assignments in the crime ridden streets of South-Central Los Angeles. She completed nearly 11 years of service with the LAPD. Stacey was one of the only LAPD Officers who was a member of both the “Urban Police Rifle Cadre” and the “Tactical Slug Shotgun Cadre.”

Stacey is a Gunsite Academy graduate. She is an NRA certified Range Safety Officer, and an NRA Rifle, Pistol and Personal Safety Instructor. Stacey was a California Post Certified Law Enforcement Rifle Instructor. She has taught firearms classes for civilians and law enforcement officers in four states over the past 12 years. Stacey has competed in more than 60 shooting



matches and has earned many honors. Stacey is a Utah Concealed Firearms Permit Instructor.

In 2009 Stacey received a Citizen's Commendation for her part in training and certifying three Officers as Glock Firearms Instructors for the Saratoga Springs, Utah, Police Department. Stacey and her husband, Larry Mudgett have coauthored numerous articles on firearms training and other related subjects.

Stacey and Larry are the owners of and instructors for "Marksmanship Matters" conducting defensive firearms training in Utah County.

Larry Mudgett has been training with firearms as a martial art since the age of 17. "The father of modern weapon craft," Jeff Cooper, was Larry's friend and mentor for 36 years. Larry also trained and instructed with World Champion Combat Shooter Ray Chapman for several years. Larry had the privilege of training with or competing with all five of the original "Combat Pistol Masters" as designated by Jeff Cooper.

Larry was an Infantry Light Weapons Sergeant in the First Air Cavalry Division in Vietnam in 1967/1968. He participated in numerous fights including the battle of Tam Quan which historians describe as one of the 10 bloodiest battles of the Vietnam War. His military decorations include the Bronze Star, the Purple Heart, the Air Medal, the Army Commendation Medal for Heroism and the Combat Infantryman's Badge.

Larry joined the LAPD in 1969 and served for nearly 35 years. He was a member of the well-known LAPD SWAT team for 14 years where his duties included Entry Team, Sniper, Hostage Rescue Instructor, Tactics Instructor and Chief Firearms Instructor. He was also assigned to guard three U.S. Presidents and numerous foreign heads of state.

Larry was the Chief Firearms Instructor for the LAPD's elite Metropolitan Division for more than a decade. In 1990 Larry was unanimously selected as the Metropolitan Division Officer of the Year.

In 1991 Larry transferred to the Police Academy where he served for 13 years as the Training Division Chief Firearms Instructor. He was responsible for the training of 10,000 LAPD Officers. He was awarded the LAPD Meritorious Service Medal for his commitment and achievement in providing the finest firearms instruction in LAPD history.

Since 1878, 49,000 Men and Women have worn the badge of the LAPD. Larry was the 7th Officer in the history of the LAPD to be awarded the medal of valor twice. He was also one of only 39 Officers to ever shoot a perfect score on the LAPD Advanced Combat Pistol Course (Bonus Course) which he accomplished not once but three times. During his LAPD career Larry received 9 major awards and more than 100 commendations.

During his 47 years of teaching firearms he has trained the USMC Recon, the USMC Special Operations Training Group, Department of Energy SWAT Teams, the LAPD SIS, the California Highway Patrol Special Response Team and SWAT Officers from numerous agencies. He has taught for the U.S. State Department and has also trained SWAT teams from several foreign countries.

Larry is an accomplished competitive shooter, a six-time Gunsite Academy Graduate, an NRA instructor, a Utah CFP Instructor, a Law Enforcement Instructor and was a Gunsite Academy Range Master for 9 years. He has written and published numerous articles on firearms, competitive shooting and firearms training. Larry has qualified in Superior Court as an expert witness on firearms and firearms training. He has also qualified as an expert witness on Firearms and Tactics for LAPD administrative hearings.

Larry and his wife Stacey are the owners of and instructors for "Marksmanship Matters" in Utah, where they teach Defensive Pistol, Rifle, Shotgun, Predator Defense and other related classes.

## **VEHICULAR HOMICIDE INVESTIGATION FOR PATROL OFFICERS**

Date: September 22 – 24, 2021

Location: Pierre

### ***Meals & lodging at Law Enforcement Training***

The purpose of this class is to work with patrol officers across the state to improve the investigation process of Vehicular Homicide/Battery cases. These cases can be very complex and have numerous moving parts. It is important to be able to correctly identify the information put before you at scene so that appropriate action can be taken. This can include the different types of evidence (whether it be from the vehicle, roadway, environment, or driver), elements of the crime for successful prosecution, legal process to ensure what is collected does not get thrown out, the history of the subject over the last 24 hours, and many others. The importance of involving the right people at the right time will be stressed. Over the three days of training the individuals knowledge of these cases will be refreshed/renewed to be able to present the facts from the event. This includes events leading up to the crash, evidence collection all the way through a successful court prosecution.



# ARIDE Class Application

(Advance Roadside Impaired Driving Enforcement)

## APPLICATION TO ATTEND ARIDE

Course Date and Location \_\_\_\_\_

Name \_\_\_\_\_  
(Last) (First) (Middle) (Please print or type)

Date of Birth \_\_\_\_\_ Circle: M or F Law Enforcement Service \_\_\_\_\_ yrs. \_\_\_\_\_ Mos.

Email address \_\_\_\_\_ Cell Phone # \_\_\_\_\_

Name of Department \_\_\_\_\_ Phone # \_\_\_\_\_

Department Mailing Address \_\_\_\_\_  
Address City Zip

I request that you accept this nominee as the official representative of the Law Enforcement Agency headed by me. I do hereby agree that this representative will abide by all such rules and regulations pertaining to classroom and will have mandatory 100% attendance. Any serious breach of same may result in the dismissal of the violator. **Application should be made no later than 30 days prior to the course.**

Due to the nature of some of the training offered, enrollment in a school may be limited. **Please do not assume that the applicant has been accepted for this school until you have received official confirmation from the DECP State Coordinator.**

\_\_\_\_\_  
(Signature of Applicant)

\_\_\_\_\_  
(Department Head Signature)

\_\_\_\_\_  
(Title of Applicant)

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(Title)

\_\_\_\_\_  
(Date)

\_\_\_\_\_  
(Date)

**This application form must be completed in its entirety and forwarded to the Law Enforcement Training Office.**

Return this Application to:

Sgt. Isaac Kurtz  
5316 W 60<sup>th</sup> St. North  
Sioux Falls, SD 57107  
605-480-3361 Cell  
Email – [Isaac.Kurtz@state.sd.us](mailto:Isaac.Kurtz@state.sd.us)





## SOUTH DAKOTA DRUG RECOGNITION EXPERT SCHOOL APPLICATION



Name:  
Law Enforcement Certification Date:  
Mailing Address:  
Email address:

Agency:  
Current Assignment:  
Phone Number:

The Drug Evaluation and Classification (DEC) Program has received national acclaim for its success in identifying the drug-impaired driver. Officers trained as drug recognition experts (DREs) are frequently called upon to differentiate between drug influence and medical and/or mental disorders and their training is an extremely valuable tool in combating the adverse impact of drug- and alcohol-impaired driving in our communities.

The DRE School is extremely demanding. To receive certification as a DRE, two phases of training must be completed. The following summarizes each phase:

**ACADEMIC TRAINING:** This phase is typically conducted over nine days (72 hours). It includes courses in physiology, vital signs, standardized field sobriety testing (SFST), and extensive information on each of the seven categories of the drugs of abuse. The training includes three written examinations, an SFST proficiency examination and five written quizzes. Students must achieve a minimum of 80% on the three examinations, and must demonstrate proficiency in administering the SFST in order to progress to the certification phase.

**CERTIFICATION PHASE:** After successfully completing the academic portion, the students must complete the certification phase. It is the student's responsibility to complete the certification requirements within **six months** following the DRE School. These requirements include conducting a minimum of 12 drug influence evaluations while under the supervision of a DRE instructor; identifying subjects under the influence of three of the seven drug categories; and attaining a 75% toxicological confirmation rate. In addition, the student must maintain a progress log, rolling log and submit a curriculum vitae (CV). Finally, the student must pass a comprehensive final knowledge examination, and obtain the written endorsement of two certified DRE instructors.

DRE certification is valid for two years. In order to maintain certification, DREs must conduct a minimum of six evaluations every two years, submit an updated rolling log, an updated CV, and attend eight hours of approved recertification training.

**To be considered for DRE training, the applicant must meet the following criteria:**

- Must have a minimum of two years of law enforcement service
- Must have attended ARIDE Training
- Must be off probation with your agency
- Must be working in patrol with your agency
- Must be SFST trained and proficient in its use
- Must have a reasonable background and experience level of making DWI arrests.
- Must have an endorsement/recommendation from your local prosecutor.
- Must submit a minimum of two actual DWI arrest reports for review.

**To assist in the selection of quality personnel for the DEC Program, please complete the following information:**

Date of SFST training (Date): ☐ 16 hours ☐ 24 hours of training.

Date/Location of ARIDE Training:

Number of DWI arrests in the last 2 years:

Number of Search Warrant Affidavits:

**Summarize your prior assignments related to, or of interest to, the DEC Program:**

**Summarize your formal education, work or practical experience, and training that may be related to, or may be of interest to, the DEC Program (EMT training, college, etc.):**

**How do you expect DRE training to benefit you and your department?**

**Anything else who you think would assist in your selection as a DRE?**

**List DREs who would recommend you for DRE training: (They will be contacted if listed.)**

**List a local prosecutor who will recommend you for DRE training:**

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I have read the listed requirements and I recommend this officer for DRE training.

Supervisor Name:

Supervisor's signature:

Date:

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Commanding Officer's signature:

Date:

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