



Law Enforcement Training Advisory Commission

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40-Hour Firearms Instructor Course

Funded in the Partnership with the Illinois Law Enforcement Training and Standards Board

DATE: June 29-July 3, 2026

TIME: 8:30am – 4:30pm

LOCATION: Springfield Police Academy – 3501 Color Plant Rd. Springfield, IL

INSTRUCTORS: Bruce Liebe & Team

NON-MEMBER FEE: \$400.00

Meets Illinois Mandates: Civil Rights (0.50hrs), Const. Use of LE Authority (2.00hrs), Procedural Justice (4.00hrs), Legal Updates (1.00hrs), De-escalation Techniques (16.00hrs + 7.00hrs Scenario), Officer Safety Techniques Including Cover, Concealment, and Time (10.00hrs + 3.00hrs Scenario)

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COURSE OVERVIEW: A 40-hour training course to provide instructor candidates with the core skills to train entry level personnel on essential pistol skills and conduct sustainment training for their agency. The curriculum maintains a major focus on instructor traits and teaching abilities, with numerous student teaching exercises in the classroom and range operations. Topics expand to low light training and more progressive skills to provide a well-rounded aptitude to conduct continuing training. Candidates will also be versed in related legal concerns regarding use of force and instructor liability.

The course concludes with a daylong graded student teaching exercise simulating an in-service training date. Candidates prepare written lesson plans and conduct individual blocks of instruction with a live fire range session. Each presentation is graded by peers and the course instructor. Candidates also complete a written test and firearms proficiency course of fire.

STUDENTS REQUIRED TO BRING:

- Eye and Ear Protection
- Notepad and Pen
- Flashlight/Weapon Light
- Duty Pistol + (3) Magazines
- Range Training Uniform
- Ammo – (700) Rounds Minimum
- Duty Belt
- Cleaning Kit

TO REGISTER: Email registration to register@letac.org. You may also fill out and submit our online registration form through the website at www.letac.org or call 217-726-7014 to register by phone.

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FIREARMS INSTRUCTOR PRE-TEST - HANDGUN

Takes place at 7 yards; has 4 parts; has a 6 second par time for every part

15 rounds total: 2 Pistol Magazines Loaded 13 & 3.

13 round magazine loaded first.

PART 1: Start from compressed ready. On Timer: 6 rounds into target. (6 rounds / 6 rounds total)

PART 2: Start from HOLSTER, On Timer: Draw and Fire 4 rounds. (4 rounds / 10 rounds total)

Part 3: Start from HOLSTER, On Timer: Draw Primary hand only and fire 2 rounds. (2 rounds / 12 rounds total)

PART 4: (Set up round in chamber with empty magazine in gun) Start from Holster. On Timer: 1 round, EMERGENCY LOAD, 2 round. (3 rounds / 15 rounds total)

POSSIBLE 15/15 INTO SCORING BOX.

ALL SHOTS MUST BE ON SHEET OF PAPER.

ANY SHOT OVER TIME IS -1, SUBTRACTED FROM THE FINAL SCORE

MINIMUM PASSING SCORE AFTER ANY DEDUCTIONS IS 11/15 (In Scoring Box)

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