Law Enforcement Training Advisory Commission



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2025 FALL SUMMIT

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

DATE: *November 3-4, 2025* **TIME:** *8:00am – 4:00pm*

LOCATION: Northfield Inn, Suites & Conference Center, 3280 Northfield Drive, Springfield, IL 62702

INSTRUCTIORS: Caliber Press – LT. Jim Glennon

NON-MEMBER FEE: \$0.00

Illinois mandates for each class are under the title.

MTU#10 is happy to announce we have partnered with Caliber Press for our 2025 Fall Summit. The focus of this year's conference will be to provide officers with the skills needed to recognize and interpret the behaviors of people they encounter. This benefits officer safety with respect to identifying potential pre-attack behaviors and deception, as well as recognizing potential opportunities for de-escalation. The first day of the summit focuses on reading and interpreting the behaviors of people; the second day emphasizes communication and de-escalation skills.

Day #1: Reading People; Decoding Body Language and Criminal Behaviors – De-escalation Techniques (4hrs), Officer Safety Techniques, Including Cover, Concealment, and Time (4hrs), & Officer & Youth Interaction (4hrs)

Day #1 discusses how to assess the emotional and physical state of a person. Are they dangerous? Are they in need? Are they emotionally or physically in crisis. Are they perpetrators or victims? The focus is on developing the ability to read people which can facilitate controlling, redirecting and influencing their behavior. Reading People allows officers to better evaluate body language by accurately reading conscious and unconscious cues, spotting lies and detecting true deception.

Day #2: Tactical Communication for the Street Officer – Cultural Competency (2hrs), Procedural Justice (2hrs), Deescalation Techniques (2hrs), & Officer Safety Techniques, including Cover, Concealment, and Time (2hrs)

Day #2 focuses on advanced communication skills, conflict resolution and de-escalation tactics. Officers will learn how to interact, read people, predict behavior, de-escalate and resolve conflict. Many principles of this program are based on Lt. Jim Glennon's Best Selling Book, "Arresting Communication: Essential Interaction Skills for Law Enforcement". Glennon will discuss the truths of human interaction, the stages of interaction, tactical considerations, and recognizing opportunities to mitigate use of force.

- If you are interested in staying at Northfield Inn & Suites, please call 217-523-7900 and let them know you are with Law Enforcement Training as we have a block of rooms held.
- Breakfast and lunch will be provided for both days, as well as coffee, tea and water.
- Register today to hold your spot!!!!