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# 2016 ILEA Summer Conferences

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# Building Trust in our Middle Eastern Communities and Countering Radicalization

June 30

## Who Should Attend?

This course is designed for law enforcement professionals at the supervisory and command level.

## Tuition

ILEA is pleased to offer this Summit tuition-free. There is a mandatory charge of **\$20.00** per person to cover lunch.

## TCOLE Credit

Law enforcement personnel attending this course are eligible for six (6) hours of Texas Commission on Law Enforcement (TCOLE) credit.

## Overview

Using the backdrop of current events, this important one-day summit presented by the Department of Homeland Security will address perceptions about communities ripe for radicalization (including Arabs, Arab Americans, Muslims, and Muslim Americans) and will discuss the radicalization process using notable examples.

Participants will leave with proven strategies for improving communication and understanding between Middle Eastern communities and law enforcement professionals

All sessions will be delivered in a non-threatening manner allowing plenty of time for questions and discussion.

Topics will include:

- Differences between Arabs and Muslims both domestically and globally
- Radicalization
- Black flags used by AQ, ISIL and other affiliates
- Exploration of naming conventions, nicknames and transliteration
- Perceptions and misperceptions derived from popular culture
- Background on Islam and its belief system
- Social and behavioral norms
- Overview of the Arab world geography
- Discussion on suspicious appearance and behavior

# Police and Family Conference

July 30-31

## Who Should Attend?

Law enforcement personnel and their spouses, or their special person of significance.

## Tuition

\$25\* per Couple  
\$15\* per Individual

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## Overnight Accommodation

Hyatt Place Dallas/Plano  
3100 Dallas Parkway  
Plano, Texas 75093  
972.378.3997

We are pleased to offer a group rate of \$94 plus applicable fees/taxes. To receive special pricing, mention group name: CAILAW / ILEA – Police and Family Conference. Please make your reservation by 7/14/2016.

## Overview

With the goal of strengthening all personal relationships in the law enforcement community, this gathering promises two days of enlightenment, education, and the opportunity for personal and professional growth.

This conference is not intended to turn bad relationships into good ones. Instead, it is designed to provide insights, experiences and strategies that will assist law enforcement practitioners and their significant others — whether dating or married — in making good relationships even stronger.

Topics will include:

- Transformational Conversation exercise
- The Five Love Languages
- Preventing Relational Sabotage
- Emotional Truthfulness and Cordial Hypocrisy
- Seminars on Financial Management for Law Enforcement Families

## Facilitators

- **Catherine J. Nanton, M.A.**, Professor, Fanshawe College, Ontario, Canada
- **Colin Nanton**, Chaplain, Woodstock Police Service, Ontario, Canada

Our guest facilitators, Colin and Catherine Nanton, are both former police officers and have over thirty years of relationship building and communications experience.

# Contemporary Issues and Ethics Conference

The State of Ethical Policing: Use of Force, Community Investment and Rebuilding Trust

Aug 15-17

## Who Should Attend?

- | Sworn and civilian public safety leaders
- | Criminal justice researchers and academicians
- | Public safety trainers and academy managers

## Tuition

Tuition includes all instruction and handouts. Lodging and meals are excluded.

- | \$0 ILEA Alumni Members
- | \$0 ILEA Ethics Center Organizational Member Rep
- | \$149 ILEA Member or ILEA Ethics Center Individual Member
- | \$199 Non-Member



*“Excellent diversity of topics. There are so many issues affecting law enforcement and this conference touches upon many of them.”*

— Past participant

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## Overview

Recently, several incidents across our nation have led many in the public to challenge police legitimacy. Thus, public perceptions that justice is meted out in an unfair or biased manner continue to haunt our profession. As a result, police organizations today are currently under consent decrees more than at any other time in our history. Therefore, we as forward thinking law enforcement professionals must examine what factors have contributed to this situation and determine what our profession can do to reverse this trend.

This conference will examine issues of Use of Force, Ethical Decision Making, Civil Rights, and Executive Leadership as they relate to improving community relations through procedural justice; transparency and effective service oriented policing. This conference will also offer tangible examples from agencies that “got it right” during and after major incidents, as we put a spotlight on success stories in law enforcement and lessons learned.

Sessions will include:

### THE STATE OF ETHICS IN AMERICAN POLICING

- **Ronald W. McBride**, Chair, IACP Professional Standards and Ethics Committee, and Chief (Ret.), Ashland Police Department, Ashland, Kentucky

### CONDUCTIVE ENERGY DEVICES: ARE THEY WORTH IT?

- **Howard E. Williams, Ph.D.**, Texas State University, San Marcos, Texas

### INTEGRITY... NO RIGHT WAY TO DO A WRONG THING!

- **James W. Dodson**, Commander (Ret.), Odessa Police Department, Odessa, Texas

### THE BALTIMORE EXPERIENCE: LESSONS LEARNED FROM THE DISTURBANCE OF 2015

- **Anthony W. Batts**, Former Police Commissioner, Baltimore Police Department, Baltimore, Maryland

### CIVIL RIGHTS LAWSUITS: AVOIDANCE TIPS FROM A CIVIL RIGHTS ATTORNEY

- **Kenneth L. Riggins**, The Law Office of Kenneth L. Riggins, Indianapolis, Indiana

### AVOIDING CONSENT DECREES: LESSONS LEARNED

- **Alejandro (Alex) del Carmen, Ph.D.**, Executive Director, School of Criminology, Criminal Justice and Strategic Studies, and Professor, Tarleton State University, Fort Worth, Texas and Federal Monitor at U.S. District Court for the Eastern District of Louisiana, New Orleans, Louisiana

### THE GARLAND EXPERIENCE: INCIDENT AT THE DRAWING THE PROPHET ART EXHIBIT AND CONTEST

- **Captain John Atkins**, SWAT Commander, Garland Police Department, Garland, Texas

### TRANSPARENCY AND COMMUNITY TRUST: THE ARLINGTON EXPERIENCE

- **Will Johnson**, Chief, Arlington Police Department, Arlington, Texas
- **Senior Pastor Wm. Dwight McKissic, Sr.**, Cornerstone Baptist Church, Arlington, Texas

## ILEA Alumni Members Attend Tuition-Free!

In addition to tuition-free conference participation, we also invite our Alumni member to attend the ILEA Alumni Association Luncheon and the Annual Business Meeting. Both events will be held during the conference and present opportunities for networking and fellowship.

Dues are just \$25 per year. Not already a member? Contact [ilea@cailaw.org](mailto:ilea@cailaw.org) to join.



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*“ILEA has benefited me for more than 30 years. My career would be significantly less had ILEA not been in existence.”*

- Past participant