



The time is now!!

Have you registered for the **Arizona Association of Crime Analysts Inaugural Training Conference?**

Monday, October 16, 2006 through Wednesday, October 18, 2006

Dobson Ranch Inn - Mesa, Arizona

"On the Scene and Behind the Screen: the Analyst's Role" is an exciting 2.5 day conference with diverse speakers and training topics, offering something for everyone - from the seasoned veteran analyst to the newbie.

Register today <http://www.aacaonline.org/conference2006/registration.html>!

KEYNOTE SPEAKERS

Keynote speakers, training sessions & presenters are anticipated as of October 2006 and are subject to change

Scott Decker, Ph.D., *Professor and Chair, Arizona State University Criminal Justice and Criminology Department.* Dr. Decker earned his Ph.D. in Criminology from Florida State University. His research interests include criminal justice policy, gang violence and juvenile justice. His most recent book, *International Handbook of Juvenile Justice*, will be published by Springer in September, 2006.

Brian Gray, *Unit Supervisor, Riverside County Sheriff's Department.* Brian has more than ten years of experience in crime analysis and has trained analysts from all over the Southwest. He has served as coordinator of crime analysis response teams and as a program manager, bringing his expertise in the area of computer applications in crime analysis. He received his B.A. in criminal justice from California State University, Fullerton.

Mike Watkiss, *Award-winning reporter, News Channel 3.* Mike has covered many of the major stories of this generation and has crisscrossed the globe in pursuit of the news. He reported from Ground Zero shortly after the attack on the World Trade Center. He covered the 2000 presidential election crisis from Palm Beach, Fla. He was in the streets of Los Angeles during

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the Rodney King riots and reported from the epicenter following the deadly North Ridge earthquake. Watkiss was one of the first reporters at the crime scene the morning the bodies of Ron Goldman and Nicole Brown Simpson were discovered. He has an undergraduate degree in anthropology from Stanford University and also holds a master's degree in journalism from Columbia University in New York.

Ron Shreves, LT., LASD RET. – Ron retired in 2003 as a Detective Bureau Commander after 33 yrs. with the L.A. Co. Sheriff's Dept. He currently teaches Administration of Justice Courses in the California State College system. Ron has participated in and managed many covert operations from the very simple to the extremely complex and has shared that knowledge with law enforcement professionals from around the country. In 2003, he founded Crunch Time Consultant Services to provide distinctive, specialized training to law enforcement professionals and other public safety officials.

Conference GIVEAWAYS each day Books, AACA shirts, mugs, mouse pads!

Bring your business cards!!



Corona Solutions Hospitality Suite on Monday, October 16



AACA Happy Hour at T.G.I. FRiDAY'S on Tuesday, October 17

PRESENTATIONS

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- **Advanced Analytical Techniques using Microsoft Excel** by Leonard Leedy (**Hands-On Computer Training**)
- **Anti-Terrorism Awareness** by Dan Elting and Jim DeLung
- **Applying Criminal Behavior to Analytical Functions** by Greg Cooper and Mike King
- **Applying the Analyst's Perspective to the Investigative Process** by Camie King and Daphne Sawyer
- **CASE Analysis Tools for ArcGIS** by Sean Bair, CMAP (**FEATURED class! - Hands-On Computer Training**)
- **Basic Crime Analysis Through Mapping** by Bryan Hill and Nancy Ziegler
- **Chronic Offender List** by Constance A. Kostelac, Cindy Lucas and Ann Lorillard
- **Communication, Cooperation, and Coordination** by Greg Cooper and Mike King
- **Conducting Police Department Citizen Surveys: From Survey Design to Data Analysis** by Mary Anders
- **Creating a New Crime Analysis Unit - Suggestions and Planning for the Future (Panel Discussion)** by Bryan Hill, Moderator
- **Crime Analysis Charting - Basic Concepts and Analytical Charting - It's More Than Circles and Squares** by David McClocklin
- **Crime Stat III - Journey to Crime Analysis, Hotspots and More** by Bryan Hill (**Hands-On Computer Training**)
- **Geographic Profiling in the Phoenix Police Department** by Sgt. Brandon Huntley and Det. Ben Vermillion
- **Hotspot Research** by Noah Fritz, CMAP (**FEATURED class!**)
- **Information Management of High Profile Criminal Incidents** by Leonard Leedy
- **Introduction to Statistics** by Jamie Price and Danelle DiGiosio, CMAP (**FEATURED class!**)
- **Long Term Covert Operations and the Crime Analyst** by Ron Shreves
- **Marketing Your Crime Analysis Unit** by Brian Gray
- **Put Me in Chief, I'm Ready to Play; Sincerely Your Crime Analyst** by Ron Shreves
- **Redistricting & Resource Allocation (Panel Discussion)** by Karen L. Kontak and Constance A. Kostelac
- **Regional Data Sharing Benefits and Processes at Work (Panel Discussion)** by Bryan Hill
- **Spatial Analysis Tools and Techniques Using ArcGIS** by Beth Tulanowski, ESRI instructor (**FEATURED class! - Hands-On Computer Training**)
- **Statistics, Sexual Assault, Sociopathy, and Psychopathology** by Melissa Del-Colle, LMSW
- **Temporal Analysis of Crime** by Dan Helms, CMAP (**FEATURED class!**)
- **Using a Tactical Bulletin Maker** by Det. Ben Vermillion & Jack Bowman
- **Using ArcGIS Modelbuilder** by Beth Tulanowski, ESRI instructor (**FEATURED class!**)

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