



# Basic Training for Street Gang Investigators

April 8–11, 2014 • Bismarck, North Dakota

## Who Should Attend

This training is offered to sworn officers from North Dakota. This training will provide basic, entry-level training to officers:

- Newly assigned to work with street gangs.
- With limited experience, but little formal training in street gang investigations.
- From small agencies for whom street gang investigation is an assigned, but additional, duty.

*This is a specialized curriculum for law enforcement officers who encounter gangs on the street.*

## Registration

There is no registration fee. This training is made possible through funding from the Bureau of Justice Assistance (BJA), Office of Justice Programs, U.S. Department of Justice. Class size is limited to 45 attendees. We reserve the right to limit the number of attendees from each agency to ensure that the maximum number of North Dakota agencies is represented. Register online at <http://s.iir.com/gang040814>.



The deadline for registration is Friday, March 21, 2014. Once your registration is received and accepted, a staff member from the National Gang Center (NGC) will e-mail or fax a confirmation memo. For security reasons, only those individuals having a confirmed advance registration will be admitted to the training, and no registrations will be accepted on-site. Law enforcement credentials will be required at check-in. Training check-in will begin at 7:30 a.m. on April 8. The training schedule is 8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. on April 8–10 and 8:00 a.m. to 1:30 p.m. on April 11.

## Training Location

UND Center for Family Medicine  
Ritter-Bush Auditorium, Fourth Floor  
701 East Rosser Avenue  
Bismarck, ND 58501

Overnight accommodations may be available at the government rate of \$83, plus tax, at the Radisson Bismarck Hotel at 605 East Broadway Avenue, Bismarck, ND 58501, (701) 255-6000. **Travel, lodging, and per diem expenses are the responsibility of the attendee.**

## Cohosted by

- Bismarck Police Department
- Mid-States Organized Crime Information Center®
- Midwest Gang Investigators Association
- United States Attorney's Office, District of North Dakota

## Instructors

Experts, many with national recognition in the subject area, will provide instruction. A regional overview of gangs will be provided by local gang authorities.

## Course Topics

- **Gangs 101**—basic information necessary to understand street gangs
- **Regional Gang Overview**—specific information about active regional and local gangs
- **Gang Intelligence**—the intelligence process and the role of gang investigators in the process
- **Interviewing Gang Members**—intelligence gathering through everyday contact with gang members on the street
- **Gangs and the Internet**—use of the Internet as a tool for gathering intelligence on local gangs
- **Gang Suppression**—strategies and tactics that have been effective in suppressing gang activity
- **Gang Investigations**—unique nature of gang investigations and gang crime scenes

## Questions?

For questions regarding registration, call (800) 446-0912, extension 287. Accommodations will be made for individuals with disabilities as defined by the Americans with Disabilities Act (ADA). Contact NGC for further information.

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A 3½-Day Training / No Registration Fee

