

# East Central Illinois Mobile Law Enforcement Training Team

## MTU #13

### Course Announcement



**Identifying and Intercepting School Violence Through Cyber-Investigations**

**January 21st-23rd, 2025**

**0830-1630 Hrs**

**Denny Stewart Training Center**

**3121 Dewitt Avenue**

**Mattoon, Il.**

Submit enrollment to:

Registration form at

[www.mtu13.com](http://www.mtu13.com),

[ecimlett@gmail.com](mailto:ecimlett@gmail.com)

#### **Observed Mandates**

**Include:**

**Civil Rights**

**Const. Use of LE Authority**

**Crisis Intervention**

**Lead Homicide investigator**

The goal of this training is to empower school administrators and Law Enforcement how to gather digital evidence against the aggressor so they may find out who the perpetrator is and take action immediately after the comment or posting is made by the aggressor. The LEO and/or School Administrator will learn the fundamentals of investigating social media and internet related crimes that deal with domestic terrorism. We will use the Electronics Communications Privacy Act (ECPA) to our advantage in identifying the person responsible for posting the online threats BEFORE the shooter has the opportunity to kill our children.

The phenomenon of the school shooter in our schools is at an all-time high. With the advent of depression, bullying and suicidal tendencies as a result, first responders in our schools and police departments must be trained to handle these situations with immediacy and great sensitivity. The goal MUST be to identify and intercept the criminal activity before the school shooter is able to take action. There are times when a student presents an incident of rage and a wanton disregard for human life by conspiring to make themselves famous through death and destruction. However, many students, school administrators and/ or LEO minimizes the comments and postings of the school shooter. We often train our youth "If you see something, say something." It is what Schools and Law Enforcement do with that information that may predict the outcome.

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## Cost is FREE!

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Enforcement Training Center

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Mattoon, Il. 61938

## Who Should Attend?

Campus & Local Law Enforcement and SROs, Higher Ed and K-12: Administrators, Threat Assessment Teams, Legal Counsel, Social Workers, Counselor, and Psychological Services.

Register at [MTU13.com](http://MTU13.com)

Law enforcement and school officials must know how to proactively respond to online threats of school violence and mass shootings, especially when there is "Leakage" threatening students, the public, and school personnel. Being trained to identify the perpetrator immediately provides law enforcement and school officials the ability to act quickly and effectively to reduce the threat of school shootings and other forms of violence.

### Training Objectives:

- Why it is important NOT to disregard information given to LEO or school officials.
- What the term "Leakage" means and how we can interpret the information.
- Learn free and open source online investigative tools into social networks and App generated phone numbers.
- Learn to identify and collect cyber evidence to identify suspects.
- Learn the three-step process in investigating internet crimes.
- Learn the importance of Preservation, Exigent Circumstances, and Search Warrants.
- Learn how to obtain IP's, screen names, screen captures, and email headers.
- State laws: Terrorist Threat, Falsely Making a Terrorist Threat, Swatting, and Causing a Catastrophe.
- Suspect search warrant, arrest, interrogation, and mental health evaluation.
- Examine a successful cyber-crime case study investigation from start to finish.

### **Instructor: Richard Wistocki**

Detective Richard Wistocki (Ret.) has been a law enforcement officer for 30 years, with 28 years at the Naperville Police Department, and spending his last 22 years at Naperville as an Internet Crimes Investigator. Wistocki has been a SWAT operator/sniper for the past 22 years and is a founding member and an affiliate member of the Illinois Attorney Generals High Tech Crimes Bureau (ICAC). He is a Cyber Trainer for the National Association of School Resource Officers (NASRO) and is an instructor for the Department of Justice and various Law Enforcement Mobile Training Units and POST units across the United States. Wistocki is also the creator of the Illinois Sexting Law, Exploitation of a Child Online, Swatting and the new State of Illinois School Resource Officer Mandatory Certification Law.