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# Save the Date

**February 26-27, 2025**

February 25, 2025—the IACP will be Hosting  
a Hospitality Room from 7pm—9pm

**Location:**

Thelma Keller Convention Center  
1202 N. Keller Dr.  
Effingham, IL 62401  
(217) 347-5115

**Speakers:**

**John Iannarelli –FBI Retired**  
**Kristy Siefkin**  
*Cybersecurity-Terrorism and Media Rela-  
tions for Law Enforcement*

**Silouan Green**  
*Mental Health, Peer Support, and Suicide  
Prevention for Law Enforcement*

**Register Online:**

<https://silec.wufoo.com/forms/z1qchgye1lnip1p/>

**Seating Limited to 400**

## **ATTENDEE REGISTRATION INFORMATION**

### **ONLINE REGISTRATION:**

Registration will be through an online website again this year. Select the link below & fill in the form for EACH person that is attending. If you cannot register online, please contact Darci Clossen at the SILEC Office -618-277-1550 or [darci@silec.org](mailto:darci@silec.org). On-site registration will not be available.

### **REGISTRATION FEE:**

Attendee registration cost for the 2025 Summit is \$85.00 per person for the 2-day conference. Each person attending needs to fill out a registration form. \*Registration fees include meals, breaks, and entry to the Hospitality Room.\*

With the online registration format, we are allowing for Debit/Credit Card payments. You will receive an electronic receipt from PayPal to the email provided.

You may also register online and pay with a mailed in check. Please make check payable to:

**SILEC (Southwestern Illinois Law Enforcement Commission) - FEIN# 37-0924954**

Checks can be mailed to:

**Attn: Amy Eggemeyer  
SILEC  
2300 West Main St., Suite D-100  
Belleville, IL 62226**

**Registrations will not be taken after February 4, 2025**

**CANCELLATION POLICY:** No refunds will be made after February 12, 2025

### **FOLLOW THIS LINK:**

**CLICK HERE TO HEAD TO OUR REGISTRATION WEBSITE:**

<https://silec.wufoo.com/forms/z1qchgye1lnip1p/>

## **LODGING:**

**Summit Attendees will need to make their own hotel reservations. To receive the special rate, make sure to mention the block code “CJS”. The cut-off date is Feb. 4th, 2025.**

**Some nearby hotels are below:**

**Multi Award Winning Holiday Inn-** 1301 Avenue of Mid-America, Effingham, IL 62401

Phone: 217-540-7777. CONTACT: Kerrie Burtis - Email: [hisaleseffingham@gmail.com](mailto:hisaleseffingham@gmail.com)

\$130.00 special approved state rate plus room tax = (\$145.60 per night inclusive of room tax)

**\*\*\*To make a reservation online, follow the link below:**

<https://www.holidayinn.com/redirect?>

[path=hd&brandCode=HI&localeCode=en&regionCode=1&hotelCode=MTOEF& PMID=99801505&GPC=VIP&cn=no&viewfullsite=true](https://www.holidayinn.com/redirect?path=hd&brandCode=HI&localeCode=en&regionCode=1&hotelCode=MTOEF&PMID=99801505&GPC=VIP&cn=no&viewfullsite=true)

You **MUST** put in “CJS” as the group block code with the date(s) of stay for the discounted rate.

**Country Inn & Suites-** 1200 N Raney St., Effingham, IL 62401. Phone: 217-540-5555. CON-

TACT: Kimberly Crafton - Email: [craftonkimberly3@gmail.com](mailto:craftonkimberly3@gmail.com) \$110.00 plus room tax = (\$122.10 per night inclusive of room tax)

**Holiday Inn Express-** 1604 W. Fayette Ave., Effingham, IL 62401 217-994-9948 CONTACT: **Arpit Shah** <[arpitshah@hieffingham.com](mailto:arpitshah@hieffingham.com)> Rates pending

[This is a direct booking link that you distribute to the group with the \\$159.99 plus tax rate.](#)

## **HANDOUTS:**

**There will be NO handouts this year on site other than the agenda. A link for digital copies of handouts will be available at a later date.**

**For more information call or email:**

**David Hayes: 618-979-9845**

**[dave@silec.org](mailto:dave@silec.org)**

# 2025 Southern Illinois Criminal Justice Summit- Agenda

*“Building on Professionalism”*

## Tuesday – February 25, 2025

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Illinois Association of Chief's of Police

Hospitality Night

7:00 pm – 10:00 pm

## Wednesday – February 26, 2025

Summit Registration 7:00am – 8:30am

8:15 am – Opening Ceremonies

### Posting of the Colors

Illinois State Police Honor Guard

### National Anthem

### Invocation

Pastor Ben Godard

### Welcome

**Mayor Mike Schutzbach**

City of Effingham Illinois

**United States Attorney Rachelle Aud-Crowe**

United States Attorney's Office – Southern District of Illinois

**– Special Agent in Charge**

FBI – Springfield Illinois Division

**Paul Petty – Manager of In-Service Training**

Illinois Law Enforcement Training & Standards Board

**Director Brendan Kelly**

Illinois State Police

**Cybersecurity for Law Enforcement & Terrorism Awareness**

**9:00am - 12:00pm**

***John Iannarelli* – S/A FBI Retired**

**LUNCH 12:00pm – 1:00pm**

**Media Relations for Law Enforcement**

**1:00pm – 4:00pm**

***John Iannarelli* – S/A FBI Retired**

***Kristy Siefkin* – CEO, Kristy Siefkin Communications**

**Legislative Updates**

**4:00pm – 5:00pm**

***Kenny Winslow* – Executive Director - IL Association of Chief of Police**

***John Millner* – Lobbyist - IL Association of Chiefs of Police**

**Hospitality Night**

**Open 6:30pm – 12:00am**

**Sandwich & Appetizer Buffet from 6:30-8:30pm**

**Sponsored by Southern Illinois Police Chiefs Association**

**Entertainment by “The Geriatrics”**

**Paul Booe, Warren Wagner, Harry Fry, & Steve Evans**

**Thursday – February 29, 2025**

**Mental Health, Peer Support, and Suicide Prevention for Law Enforcement**

**8:30am – 11:30am**

***Silouan Green* – Author/Manhattan Institute**

**LUNCH 12:00pm – 1:00pm**

**Mental Health, Peer Support, and Suicide Prevention for Law Enforcement**

**1:00pm – 3:00pm**

**3:00pm**

**Closings & Drawings**

**THANK YOU 2025 SUMMIT CONTRIBUTORS & COMMITTEE!**

**Accuracy Firearms – Effingham, IL**

**City of Effingham, IL**

**GLOCK, Inc.**

**Koerner Distributing**

**Ray O’Herron Co., Inc.**

**Illinois Association of Chiefs of Police Mobile Team Units- 13, 14, & 15**

**Illinois State Police**

**Illinois Law Enforcement Alarm System**

**Illinois Law Enforcement Training & Standards Board**

**Southern Illinois Police Chiefs Association**

**United States Attorney’s Office- Southern District of Illinois**