



# **International Police Association – US Section**

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## **INVITATION to NOMINATION**

### **The 4<sup>th</sup> Young Police Officer Police Seminar Green Bay, Wisconsin – USA 11 June – 16 June 2017**

To all National Sections,

The United States Section of the IPA is pleased to open up nominations from our IPA member sections for attendees of the 4<sup>th</sup> World Police Seminar to be held in Green Bay, Wisconsin – USA from 11 June – 16 June 2017.

We are requesting that national sections support us in making our seminar a success, and ask that the national sections advertise the seminar to their eligible members and assist us in the selection process by determining those they wish to represent them. It is hoped that we can attract a total of approximately 55 international participants representing at least 30 different member countries.

Serving officers who are not usually afforded the ability to travel abroad through their agency, commonly due to their junior status or budget constraints, should be encouraged to apply. The majority of the attendees in the past seminars were under the age of 35. The member nominee must also be a member of his or her IPA Section since 2015 (or prior). We hope to attract membership from this age group in order to provide the officers much-needed training that they may not otherwise get in their home areas.

Attendees of the seminar will be required to share accommodations (two persons per room of the same gender). The seminar will contain a variety of training topics and training methods to present the material including simulation firearms training, scenario-based training, computer simulator training. As a result of the training topics some of this training will require the participants take part in a variety of police activities that will require an adequate level of physical fitness to successfully and safely complete the training.

We would appreciate advertising to commence as soon as possible and include the following details:

Location: Green Bay Wisconsin – United States of America

Theme: Policing In An Ever-Changing World

Topics to include:

- Cybercrime
- Emergency response to active shooters
- Sovereign citizens
- Current drug trends
- Emergency motor vehicle operation
- Defensive tactics
- Current technology trends in law-enforcement (Drones, Social Media and Police)
- And much more!!

Although the seminar will have an emphasis on policing in the United States we will take time in each sessions to seek input from the participants to compare how their respective agencies would handle similar matters, thereby having open communications so that all of the attendees can benefit from the discussion and materials presented. **The entire seminar will be conducted in English.**

We are requesting that all nominations from National Sections be submitted to the United States Section by 15 November 2016. Please forward your nominations(s) to the email address listed below as soon as selections have been made.

We also request that each section interested in sending participants, where possible, submit two applicants ranked in order of priority from their membership. We ask that the successful applicants names be submitted by the national sections with the following details:

- Last Name / Surname, First Name, Middle Name
- Date of Birth
- Gender – Male or Female
- Attendee's agency / IPA Local Section
- Contact email of the applicant

Once we have received the nominations we will advise the successful applicants and the respective sections of their acceptance and further seminar material will be provided to those participants. This information will include travel details that will assist in the planning and logistics of their travel to attend.

Submitted names not initially selected for participation will be held in a reserve group of persons in the event of the selected participant's withdrawal, or additional spots being offered.

The IPA has found that through participation in these types of seminars officers have a more global view of law enforcement and the International Police Association. With this experience we hope to see these members become more actively involved within their sections of the IPA upon their return and ensure the future of the organization.

There are no participation fees for participants. Most meals, accommodations, course attendance, and activities have been fully funded by the IEC and external sponsors. The only cost at this stage for participants will be the cost of travel to and from Green Bay, Wisconsin – United States, and in some instances there is the need for the attendee to provide funds for the purchase of a few meals during some of the social events, and travel during the event. Each attendee should bring approximately \$200 US (for some meals and other personal purchases).

Proof in insurance coverage through your employer must be submitted prior to your arrival to the training event.

If you would like further information, please contact me directly at the contact information provided below.



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