



*Florida Gang Investigators Association
Training Department*

Florida Gang Specialist
(Intermediate – Law Enforcement)
Certification Course



Course Description



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FLORIDA GANG SPECIALIST CERTIFICATION (INTERMEDIATE – LAW ENFORCEMENT)

The goal of this course is to provide the investigator with the knowledge and strategies to vigorously target, investigate, and prosecute members of criminal street gangs. A series of practical exercises will be utilized to demonstrate techniques that can be applied to a criminal investigation. Participants will be required to listen to recorded telephone calls, decipher gang graffiti, etc to come to the conclusion that an arrest warrant can be obtained for a suspect in a crime.

This course is designed for the practicing Criminal Street Gang Investigator. This course will develop an understanding of gang graffiti and terminology utilized by gang members in their communications with each other. This understanding will facilitate the investigation of a scenario-based incident.

Course Objectives:

- Identify, document and debrief gang members
- Analyze and interpret gang graffiti and terminology
- Analyze and interpret evidence of gang activity at a crime scene
- Locate and utilize resources available to a law enforcement officer to assist in this type of investigation
- Obtain a Probable Cause arrest warrant for a target in an investigation