



J.E. Judd & Associates Inc.

FORENSIC INTERVIEWING COURSE – COST : \$675.00

This program is designed to provide law enforcement , security officers and those who assist them with a systematic and scientific methodology that enables them to detect deception from the physical behavior of crime victims, witnesses, and suspects, maximize the quantity and quality of information obtained from these persons, and significantly enhance the interview and interrogation process.

This is a *3 Day* program that provides you with techniques you can use immediately to solve the real-world problems that daily confront law enforcement personnel. Once trained, you will know not only how to psychologically control the interview process, but how to use a variety of methodologies to obtain valuable information from eye witnesses and suspects while decreasing confabulation. Additionally, you will learn the latest methods for detecting deception through both verbal and nonverbal clues. You will then be shown how to use these powerful techniques to create a unique interrogation plan that is specifically designed to appeal to an individual offender's personality and values.

Presented in a comfortable, non-threatening environment that permits both individualized coaching and group instruction, the training takes a "learn-by-doing" approach that gives you many opportunities to actually perform the tasks associated with the interview and interrogation process. You'll also be taught techniques of effective listening, how to enhance victims' and witnesses' memories (and your own memory!), how to detect both confabulated memories and/or deception, and how to develop a scientifically-based, systematic approach to criminal interrogation. This format of instruction allows for not only a highly-interactive exchange between you and the facilitator, but offers unique opportunities for group interaction and collaboration. Translation: You'll learn a lot and have fun, too!

Here's What You Will Learn

This course will provide you with an arsenal of techniques you can use to effectively increase communication and eyewitness information, detect deception, and obtain legally admissible confessions. You will also learn how to develop and customize specialized interviewing and interrogation plans based upon your knowledge of the individual suspect as well as the offense itself.



We will demystify essential professional skills involving common Operational Issues like:

- ❖ **How To Use Effective Statement Analysis Techniques To Determine Who Is Telling The Truth And Who Is Lying**
- ❖ **How To Develop A Dynamic Interviewing Plan**
- ❖ **How To Know Exactly When And Where A Subject Is Editing A Story And How To Get Them Back To The Truth**
- ❖ **How To Effectively Control The Interviewing Process**
- ❖ **How To Conduct A Cognitive Interview**
- ❖ **How To Use The Cognitive Interview To *DOUBLE* The Amount Of Details Remembered By A Witness, While Reducing The Amount Of Confabulated And/Or Inaccurate Recall**
- ❖ **How To Develop Critical Listening Skills**
- ❖ **Dealing With The "*I DON'T REMEMBER*" Response**
- ❖ **Understanding The Effects The Interviewing Process Has On A Witness's Memory**
- ❖ **Improving *YOUR OWN* Memory**
- ❖ **How To Develop Bonding Methods To Avoid Witness Contamination**
- ❖ **How To Discover Hidden Motives And Reasons For A Suspect's Deception So *THEY* Believe You Can Actually Read Their Mind**
- ❖ **How To Develop A Systematic Approach To The Interrogation Of Criminal Suspects**
- ❖ **Make Them *WANT* To Confess! How To Tailor-Make Interrogation Themes That Will Appeal To The Individual Suspect**
- ❖ **How To Improve *YOUR* Investigative Confidence**



You Should Attend If:

- ❖ Your duties require you to assist in such investigations .
- ❖ You may be required to interview victims, witnesses, or suspects at crime scenes .
- ❖ Your job involves interviewing, taking complaints and/or requests from the public
- ❖ You are a major crimes investigator, private sector investigator, sex crimes investigator, or attend crime scenes and evaluate the credibility of people.
- ❖ You are employed by a prosecution unit and are required to evaluate victims, witnesses, suspects, and/or evidence.

The instructor for this course is:

John Kaster

John is a professional polygraphist. The RCMP recognized his polygraph expertise and noted teaching abilities and appointed him as Manager of the World Renowned Canadian Police College's Polygraph Training School in Ottawa, Ontario. As such, he was responsible for ALL police polygraph training throughout Canada. In addition to this polygraph duties, John is a noted expert and trainer in the fields of cognitive interviewing, statement analysis, and interrogation.

John has conducted interviewing, interrogation, and statement analysis courses for both American and Canadian law enforcement and security officers. Within the United States he has also served as a consultant in the investigation of major crime cases for the New Hampshire State Police, Vermont State Police, and Greenwich Police Department. He has also consulted for the London Police Department, Waterloo Regional Police, Metropolitan Toronto Police, Ontario Provincial Police, and the Canadian Security and Intelligence Service within Canada.

John is an internationally recognized authority in his field. John has also presented his interviewing, interrogation, and statement analysis courses to police officers in the Czech Republic, Slovakia, and Bolivia.