



NORTH CAROLINA COMMUNITY COLLEGE SYSTEM

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RSVP Needed ASAP

To: Senior Continuing Education Administrators
North Carolina Community College System

From: Mickey Biggs, Criminal Justice Training Specialist
Tracy McPherson, Director, Public Safety Training Programs
North Carolina Community College System

RE: **Impartial Policing: Free Regional Train-the-Trainer Courses** (Registration Required)

On June 5, 2020, the State Board of Community Colleges (SBCC) approved special funding in support of law enforcement training at all 58 community colleges on topics such as de-escalation, relationship-based policing, and community interaction. This funding is intended to support the already strong training partnerships colleges have with local agencies across the state.

Impartial Policing Regional Train-the-Trainer Events in July and August

As a first step, State Board funds will provide for regional train-the-trainer courses on **Impartial Policing** at four community colleges in July and August, as listed below. Each college is encouraged to send up to two instructors to this free two-day training, with some funds being available for travel reimbursement as outlined. **We request that each college's Senior Continuing Education Administrator work with the appropriate Law Enforcement Training Manager(s) at each college to identify appropriate instructors to send to this train-the-trainer event**, and then have one person submit the college's RSVPs via the link below. Details are attached.

Registration link: <http://icldnc.com/impartial-policing-train-the-trainer-course/> (2 participants per college)

- July 13-14 Wake Tech CC - Public Safety Education Campus
- August 3-4 Craven CC-Bosch and Siemens Advanced Manufacturing Center
- August 5-6 Randolph CC-Continuing Education and Industrial Center
- August 10-11 Western Piedmont CC-Higher Education Center

Ongoing Community Colleges Impartial Policing Training in the Community

Once college instructors have been trained through these events, colleges are encouraged to work with local law enforcement agencies to offer this content to align with local needs using course number **CJC--5046 Impartial Policing** (*course pending approval at the July 2020 SBCC meeting*). Participants in these regional instructor training events will be provided with books, presentation slides, online-content access, and related resources to use when offering this course in the community. The currently authorized registration fee waiver for law enforcement officers will apply to this new course, per current waiver guidelines.

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Additional Details

Impartial Policing Train-the-Trainer Course (Two-Day Event; 8 a.m. – 5 p.m. each day)

This course is sponsored by the North Carolina Community College System to support North Carolina's law enforcement officers in accessing tools and training necessary to engage effectively within their communities. The NC Community College System is sponsoring this "train the trainer" course to enable professional development and training for Law Enforcement educators across the state. This training is the first step in an on-going effort to support colleges and partners in offering rigorous training on topics such as de-escalation, relationship-based policing, and community interaction that will allow colleges to provide broad access to the latest training and methods.

Training Provider: Dr. Mitch Javidi, North Carolina Public Safety Leadership Academy

- **No registration fee** – each college may send up to two (2) law enforcement instructors to this train-the-trainer opportunity.
- **Travel reimbursement is available** up to \$120 per participant for up to 2 participants per college. Additional funds may be available for travel costs in excess of \$120 dependent on any remaining funds from original requests.
- Colleges should process travel reimbursements for staff based on their normal practice and request reimbursement of up to \$120 per participant from Wake Tech CC **by September 15, 2020**. *Wake Tech CC will reimburse colleges and not individual participants.*
- **Please send reimbursement requests to:**
Wake Technical Community College, 9101 Fayetteville Road, Raleigh, NC 27603
Attn: Marla Tart (mltart@waketech.edu)

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In light of COVID-19, please bring a mask, as it may be required by the host college or related state directive.

July 13-14, 2020 Wake Tech CC - Public Safety Education Campus

321 Chapanoke Rd, Raleigh, NC 27603

<https://www.waketech.edu/about-wake-tech/campuses-centers/public-safety-education-campus>

August 3-4, 2020 Craven CC-Bosch and Siemens Advanced Manufacturing Center (AMC)

800 College Court, New Bern, NC 28562

<http://cravencc.edu/campus-maps/>

August 5-6, 2020 Randolph CC-Continuing Education and Industrial Center

413 Industrial Park Ave, Asheboro, NC 27205

<https://www.randolph.edu/campus-locations-maps/asheboro-campus.html#continuing-education-and-industrial-center>

August 10-11, 2020 Western Piedmont CC-Foothills Higher Education Center

2128 South Sterling Street, Morganton, NC 28655

<https://www.wpcc.edu/campusmaps/fhec/page1.htm>

Questions regarding this training opportunity should be directed to Tracy McPherson (mcpherstont@nccommunitycolleges.edu) or Mickey Biggs (biggsm@nccommunitycolleges.edu).