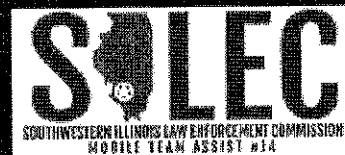


ILLINOIS ADVANCED SEARCH AND SEIZURE

for Law Enforcement Supervisors

Tuesday, October 7, 2025 - Fairview Heights PD -
10027 Bunkum Rd, Fairview Heights, IL - 8:00 am - 4:00 pm



The Illinois Advanced Search & Seizure course is a comprehensive program specifically designed for Illinois law enforcement professionals who aspire to be proactive and legally defensible in their actions. Through fast-paced instruction, we use real-world case law to explain the intricacies of searches and seizures in federal and Illinois courts.

The course is divided into several modules, beginning with a thorough understanding of the Fourth Amendment and its key principles. We then delve into the requirement of state action and what constitutes a Fourth Amendment search and seizure. Finally, we cover the legal issues surrounding the most commonly used searches and seizures by police officers, including citizen-consensual encounters, apparent authority to consent to search, investigative detentions, and more. The approach is high-energy and interactive, ensuring that students remain engaged and motivated throughout the course. Upon completion, all students will receive the Search & Seizure Survival Guide, which will serve as a valuable reference for future use.

Attending this course is an opportunity to equip yourself with the skills and knowledge needed to make legally defensible decisions in search and seizure situations. The outcome will be reduced liability for yourself and your agency and officers who possess the requisite knowledge to provide the highest level of service to the communities they are sworn to protect.

Free Training - Networking Lunch Included

This training is certified by the ILETSB for the following law enforcement mandates: Procedural Justice (1.0 hrs); Legal Updates (3.0 hrs); Human Rights (0.5 hrs); Const. Use of LE Authority (1.0 hrs); Civil Rights (1.0 hrs)

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John Wiehn is an attorney and Legal Instructor with Blue to Gold Law Enforcement Training. John has been training law enforcement officers for over a decade; he is committed to increasing officers' safety through their understanding of case law and its real-world application. John's professional endeavors have provided him the opportunity to learn with thousands of officers across the nation.

Before teaching search and seizure full-time, John was a Certified Peace Officer in the State of Arizona. Based on his education, background and experience, John has been able to assist multiple police department legal advisors, as well as instruct at all three Arizona police academies on such topics as Constitutional Law, Interviewing and Questioning, Search & Seizure, Criminal Law, and scenario-based tactical decision-making.

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