

ECLAT Resources and The Topeka Police Department presents:

21st Century Policing: Building Trust and Legitimacy

Following some recent negative high profile events involving police officers from across the country, the national conversation has turned to the concept of “public trust of police”, and topics like police legitimacy, procedural justice, and bias free policing, de-escalation, and reform have once again come to the forefront of the discussion. Elected officials, the media, community activists, and many every day citizens keep demanding not only that police be held accountable for their actions, but also better training, policies, and procedures in order to rebuild trust. Many of the proponents of the aforementioned topics also are demanding police reform and that police agencies conform to the recommendations put forth by the Presidential Task Force on 21st Century Policing report. This course will explore the above topics, and students will learn how they relate to the service law enforcement agencies provide to the community. This course is designed to be a proactive tool, in order to prevent potential situations that could create a public and community relations problem for your organization.

Course Topics:

- Familiarize students with the concepts of police legitimacy, public trust, procedural justice, bias free policing, and de-escalation.
- Provide students with relevant, real life incidents and analyze them through the lenses of the above concepts.
- Discuss the Presidential Task Force on 21st Century Policing report and its impact in modern day policing.
- Understand the importance of legitimacy, and how it helps in building trust with the communities served.
- Discuss procedural justice, its 4 pillars, and how to adopt this mentality in every day operations and interactions both internally and externally.
- Plus much more!

Date: Oct 14th, 2019 **TIME:** 8 AM to 5 PM

Location: Topeka Police Department Training Facility /Nickel Armory 2722 SW Topeka Blvd., Topeka, KS 66611

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Instructor: Luis Soler is a 21 year law enforcement veteran. He served as the Chief of Police for the City of Woodland, CA between 2017 and 2019. Soler also served as Chief of Police for the City of Crowley, Texas between 2013 and 2017, where he also served as a Lieutenant prior to his appointment as chief. Soler served with the City of Austin, Texas Police Department, where he served as an officer, senior police officer, and field training officer, adjunct instructor, police corporal/detective, and acting sergeant. In addition to currently running his consulting and training business, ECLAT Resources, Soler serves as a national senior instructor for the FBI LEEDA where he teaches supervisory, command, and executive level leadership courses to agencies of all sizes across the nation. Chief Soler is a Certified Public Manager, holds a Bachelor’s Degree in Business Management from Cornell University, and a Master’s Degree in Law Enforcement Management from Aspen University. He is a graduate of the 373rd Session of the Northwestern University School of Police Staff and Command, the West Point Leadership Academy, the 2010 session of the Southern Police Institute’s Chief Executive Leadership Program, the 37th Session of the University of Arkansas Criminal Justice Institute’s Executive Management Institute, and the FBI LEEDA trilogy series.