



ALDEMAN & Associates LLC Presents

Using Social Media for Guns and Gangs Investigations

Hosted by Southbridge Police Department Massachusetts

This one-day training is open to all sworn Law Enforcement officers, corrections, detectives, probation and parole officers, and intelligence analysts looking for techniques in how to enhance their investigations.

Social Media has revolutionized how humanity communicates, conducts legitimate and nefarious business, while portraying a false image of oneself for personal gain. This communication behemoth has provided many benefits to society. Unfortunately, it has also been hijacked by questionable actors who troll this communication medium to destroy lives and propagate their illegal activities. Law enforcement entities have failed to capitalize on the potential that social media offers to assist officers in furtherance of criminal investigations such as suspect identification, methods of criminal activities, criminal associates, and areas of operation.

Upon the completion of this course, attendees will have the ability to identify suspects and criminal networks operating in their geographical area of employment. Identify associates, drug suppliers, distributors and customers who can become potential confidential informants. During this block of instruction, you will be provided techniques on how to successfully utilize social media, and all its ills, to identify and curb gang violence, firearms related offenses, human trafficking and smuggling among many other crimes.

DATE: January 23, 2026

TIME: 9:00 AM to 4:00 PM

Location: Wellsworth Hotel & Conference Center 14 Mechanic St. Southbridge, MA 01550

Registration fee: \$225.00

Contact us by email for group rates of 5 or more.

To register go to: <https://aldemanassociates.com/index-4.html>

INSTRUCTOR:

Detective Christopher Duff - Detective Christopher Duff is a seven-year veteran of a large Metropolitan police department. He is currently assigned to the Firearms Investigation Unit. In this capacity Detective Duff's primary function is to suppress gang violence and firearms related offenses utilizing numerous investigative techniques specializing in social media-based investigations. He has led and testified in numerous social media-based investigations leading to successful convictions.

Detective Duff is a 12-year Veteran of the United States Army and is currently serving with the State of Vermont Army National Guard.

Detective Joseph Levesque – Detective Joseph Levesque is a 10-year veteran of a large Metropolitan police department in Massachusetts. He is currently serving in the Firearms Investigation Unit. In this capacity Detective Levesque's primary function is to suppress gang violence and firearms related offenses utilizing numerous investigative techniques specializing in the use of social media. He has led or participated in hundreds of social media-based investigations that have led to successful convictions in Commonwealth of Massachusetts courts.

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