



**STATE OF CONNECTICUT**  
**DEPARTMENT OF EMERGENCY SERVICES AND PUBLIC PROTECTION**  
**Police Officer Standards and Training Council**  
**Connecticut Police Academy**

To: Connecticut Chiefs of Police  
Connecticut Police Training Officers  
Connecticut State Police Resident Troopers  
Connecticut State Police Training Academy

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Subject: **Advanced Interview & Interrogation Techniques**

**Prerequisite:** BOWMAC Basic Interview and Interrogation course or a credible 3 to 5-day Basic Interview and Interrogation Course. Submit proof of attendance with registrations.

Tuition: **\$200.00**

### **COURSE ANNOUNCEMENT**

The Department of Emergency Services and Public Protection, Police Officer Standards and Training Council's Field Services Training Division, is offering a five-day (5) training seminar titled "**Advanced Interview & Interrogation Techniques.**" The training session is scheduled for **April 10-14, 2023**, from 8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m., at the Connecticut Police Academy, 285 Preston Avenue, Meriden, CT. The course will be presented by BOWMAC Educational Services/RSI, Inc.

The program is designed to refresh investigators in the basic skills of interviewing and provide a review of basic strategy and structure of interview and interrogation with a focus on what motivates the person being interviewed and how to capitalize on it. The program will provide students with proven strategies to enhance rapport with suspects, victims, and witnesses. The course includes "hands-on" practice through a series of lectures, video exercises and role playing.

#### **Day One:**

- Orientation, Introduction of Course and Instructors
- Assessment of Participant Needs
- Review of Basic Course
- Physiological Responses
- Truth and Deception
- Lunch
- Representational Systems of Communication
- Modalities
- Seven Phases of Interrogation



Lunch may be purchased at nearby restaurants. Professional, business attire required.

**Training Officers:** Please be sure to include your department email address and the **email AND POST ID of the student to be enrolled** on all applications to assure prompt communications of all in-service training matters.

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