



## Texas Association of Hostage Negotiators

### 25<sup>th</sup> Annual Training Conference

October 29, 2018 – November 2, 2018

Austin Texas

#### Monday October 29, 2018

**0730 to 0830 – Registration**

**0830 to 0900 – Opening Ceremonies**

**0900 to 1200 – Sgt. Joe Capece and Sgt. Chuck Crosby, Orlando Police Dept. -**

*present a case study about the June 12, 2016 mass*

*shooting at the Pulse Nightclub.*

**1200 to 1300 – Lunch**

**1300 to 1500 - FBI SA Mark Maxwell - Presents a case study about the January 2, 2016**

*Malheur National Wildlife Refuge, Harney County Oregon, Standoff.*

**1500 to 1700 – Detective Jason White, the Tulsa Police Department -Presents a**

*standoff case study regarding a March 2016, 16-hour standoff with an estranged husband in violation of a protective order and shots fired.*

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**Tuesday October 30,2018**

**0800 to 1000 - FBI SA Jacquelyn Hamelryck - case study on a kidnapping for drugs and testifying as a Negotiator.**

**1000 to 1200 - FBI SA Michael Howell - a case study on the 2009 Hosam Smadi, Dallas Fountain Place Sky Scraper Terror plot.**

**1200 to 1300 – Lunch**

**1300 to 1500 – Breakouts**

**Samantha “Sam” Horwitz USSS retired - Presentation about being in World Trade Center Tower 1 on September 11, 2011 and the PTSD she experienced afterwards.**

**Derek Gaunt – presents: Incident and Threat Level Assessment**

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**Wednesday October 31, 2018**

**0800 to 0900 - General Membership meeting and Election Nominations**

**0900 to 1200 – Joe Di Lillo, South Euclid Ohio PD** - *a case study on a August 1, 2017*

*Face to face standoff with a suicidal male in S. Euclid Ohio that became mobile with a surprise ending.*

**1200 to 1300 – Lunch**

**1300 to 1500 – Breakouts**

**Capt. Jeff Davis, Denton County SO and Ofc. Paul Keith, Little Elm PD** - *present a case study on a 2008 kidnapping for ransom of the heiress to the Fletcher Corn Dog Empire. What we did wrong and how it turned out right.*

**Stefany Hughes, State Commander of the Kentucky DOC HNT** – *Presents a lecture on Crisis Negotiations in a Corrections Setting.*

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**Thursday November 1, 2018**

**0800 to 1200 – Phil and Wendy Chalmers – Present “Homicide in America”, which**

*addresses the causes, warning signs and triggers of teen killers, school shooters, mass murderers and serial killers.*

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## **Friday November 2, 2018**

**0800 to 1200 – Larry Gordan, Dallas PD –** *Incident Debrief on the July 7, 2017 sniper in Downtown Dallas that killed four Dallas PD Officers and one DART Officer. Larry was tasked with negotiating with the sniper to buy time for an assault to terminate the threat that had already taken 5 officers’ lives.*

**1200 - ADJOURN –** Thank you for attending

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