

# Training Announcement 2026

## MANAGING CRIMINAL INVESTIGATIONS

A 16 HOUR CLASS FOR CHIEFS OF POLICE AS WELL AS THOSE ASSIGNED AS SUPERVISORS OR COMMANDERS OVER CRIMINAL INVESTIGATIONS FUNCTIONS, THIS COURSE FOCUSES ON CID ORGANIZATIONAL STRUCTURES, STAFFING OPTIONS, CID GOALS AS WELL AS CASE HANDLING AND MANAGEMENT METHODS.

### Hosted by the Kilgore Police Department

Wednesday-Thursday. September 16-17, 2026 8am-5pm

### Location

Ronnie Moore Training Center

909 N. Kilgore

Kilgore, Texas 75662

### All Proceeds Benefit the

### Texas Police Chiefs Association Foundation

*Tuition: \$370 per student*

### REGISTER ON-LINE AT

[www.texaspolicechiefs.org](http://www.texaspolicechiefs.org)

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### The Instructor

Dan Zientek began his career in law enforcement in 1991 as a Texas peace officer. While in Harris County, he was promoted to Sergeant, working the streets as part of patrol, the DWI task force, and investigations. holds an associate degree from Lone Star College, a Bachelor of Science in Criminal Justice from Sam Houston State University, and a Master of Science degree from Sam Houston State University in Criminal Justice Leadership and Management. Currently Dan is Enrolled in the Doctorate of Leadership Studies at Louisiana State University - Shreveport.

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