



TRAINING NOTICE – PLEASE POST IN CENTRAL LOCATION

Social Media Investigations for Patrol Officers & MDTs
Hosted by:
Renton (Seattle), WA Police Department

Social media has become a staple in the lives of hundreds of millions of people around the globe. Companies and brands such as Facebook, Twitter, MySpace, YouTube, and Google+ have found their way into the daily routines of most of us as we share pictures, videos, and statuses with the rest of the world. Subscribers to social media websites feed such information into a data mining machine 24 hours a day – becoming a wealth of information available to law enforcement. However, detectives and support personnel don't usually work around-the-clock. Effectively monitoring cyberspace for criminal activity must involve patrol officers who have access to mobile data terminals (MDTs) within their patrol cars.

Law enforcement has utilized MDTs for many years, but few agencies harness their power to conduct social media investigations. Mobile applications and internet browser add-ons such as the LEOTTA Snap! App can easily make the MDT a powerful crimefighting tool.

In Social Media Investigations for Patrol Officers / MDTs, students will engage in hands-on training in the use of social media analytical tools for recovering evidence from open source data mediums such as social media providers and on-line commerce sites. Officers will learn how to be ingrained in the use of such tools for successfully gathering evidence from the confines of their mobile, four-wheel office.

Students will be introduced to the LEOTTA Snap! App – Social Network Analysis Platform Application – an advanced web browser plug-in for Firefox and Internet Explorer. The Snap! App provides officers several tools for conducting on-line searches and advanced analytics retrieval. The Snap! App also provides tools for conducting live capture of evidentiary data involving suspected social network web pages, messages, and screen shots while logging such captures for follow-up by investigators or analysts. Legal compliance tools for records preservation requests as well as a database for common contact information of legal compliance officers for electronic communication service providers is also available.

Course Requirements: Students are required to bring a laptop or notebook computer configured with Windows Vista, Windows 7, Windows 8, Mac OS X, or Linux operating systems. The student must have full privileges to the use of the computer – including the ability to install software and applications within the operating system. Each student computer must have the ability to access a 802.11 b/g/n Wi-Fi network in an unrestricted or unfiltered nature as well as standard 10/100/1000 Ethernet connectivity. Please contact LEOTTA if clarification is required on these class specifications.

Date & Time: December 4, 2013
8:00 a.m. - 4:00 p.m.

Location: Renton Fire Station Training Facility
1900 Lind Ave. SW
Renton, WA 98057

Cost: \$100

Instructor: Jack M. Hall

Register online at:

www.leotta.co

Select "Course Catalog," then course
"SN-102"

