

#### THE AMERICAN INSTITUTE FOR THE ADVANCEMENT OF FORENSIC STUDIES (AIAFS) presents

# *Psychology of Killing: Serial Homicides, Public and Domestic Mass Murders, Family Homicides, & Mysoped Murders*

Presenter: Eric Hickey, Ph.D.

Date: Friday, January 24<sup>th</sup>, 2020

#### Training Description

This professional practice training is a psycho-behavioral analysis of killing designed especially for law enforcement, forensic psychologists, attorneys, social workers, marriage and family therapists, victim specialists, victim advocates, and mental health practitioners interested in the psychological motivations and behavioral characteristics of offenders who kill their victims. The scope, definitions and variations in both stranger and domestic killing are explored through case analysis and current data. Participants will learn to distinguish typologies of killers, including parents and children who kill as well as mass and serial murderers and sadistic mysopeds. Understanding levels of psychopathy or mental illness associated with killing will help participants appreciate the consuming nature of this crime. Through lecture, discussion and case review, the etiology and psycho-behavioral analysis of homicide are explored. Participants will examine motivations of killers, victim-offender relationships and levels of psychopathology. Special attention is given to motivations and weapons selection used in cases of domestic homicides. Current data will be examined involving filicides, mass murders, military murders, parricide and murders committed by mysopeds. Cultural and religious motivations are discussed from a global perspective. Best practices for homicide prevention are explored.

#### **Training Objectives**

- 1. Examine motivations for murder & personal capacity for killing
- Explore the psychology of serial & mass murders: mental Illness & mental disorders
- Explore psycho-social stressors, psychopathology, behavioral dynamics, and attachments related to family homicides: filicides, parricides and siblicides
- 4. Understand the psychology of child abuse including neglect, physical abuse, and sexual abuse of children ending in death
- Explore specific behavioral dynamics and motivations of mysopeds
- 6. Examine Best Practices for intervention and prevention of homicides

#### Time: 8:30am - 4:00pm 6.0 CEUs Presenter Biography

Eric Hickey, Ph.D., is a professor and core faculty member in Walden University's Forensic Psychology graduate program. As the former Dean of the California School of Forensic Studies at Alliant International University and Professor Emeritus at California State University, Fresno, Dr. Hickey has taught many courses involving the psychology of crime. Some of the topics explored include serial and mass murder, criminal paraphilia and sexual predators, crime scene investigations, psychopathy and criminal personalities, arson and fire-setting, threat assessment and risk management, school and workplace violence prevention and victimology. He has also taught seminars at several universities and colleges, as well as for jail and prison staff trainings and supervises theses and dissertations involving forensic psychology. Dr. Hickey has considerable field experience working with the criminally insane, psychopaths, sex offenders and other habitual criminals. He consults with private agencies and testifies as an expert witness in both criminal and civil cases involving sex crimes against children and adults, criminal paraphilia, stalking, homicide, domestic violence and serial crimes. A former consultant to the FBI's UNABOM Task Force, Dr. Hickey assists local, state, and federal law enforcement in training and investigations as well as assisting in the review of cold case files. His seminars for law enforcement and mental health practitioners focus on profiling, investigation, classification and prevention of sex crimes, arson, robbery, homicide, stalking, workplace violence and domestic terrorism. He has worked with California's Peace Officer Service Training (POST) in developing course material and job aids for investigators. Dr. Hickey has also provided Independent Contractor services for Robson Forensics, Atrium Services; ForensisGroup and Avante Behavioral Health.

## LOCATION:Mall of America, Parkview Meeting and Event Center, 5204 Center Court Bloomington, MN 55425COST:\$99.00 (Individual Rate)

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