

# Securing Your Identity

Be invisible and take privacy to the extreme in the interest of officer safety

## Course Details

Host by: New Mexico HIDTA

Location: 2450 Lakeside Drive, Bldg. A Las Cruces, NM

Dates: 09/21/2017 to 09/22/2017, 8am - 4pm

Cost: \$420.00, \$450.00 or \$475.00 (depending on registration date) Includes training manuals, access to online materials, case examples

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## Course Highlights

Securing Your Identity will help establish your own strategy for disappearing from public view. Students will learn to make communications private, internet connections anonymous, computers hardened, identity guarded, purchases secret, accounts secured, and home address hidden.

## Who Should Attend

This class is designed for any investigator or detective. No technical background is required. Previous students have included investigators, detectives, supervisors, officers, and support staff.

## Material Requirements

Students should bring a laptop with Internet capabilities.

## Agenda

### Day One

1. Basic Security Protocols
2. Configure web browsers for optimal security
3. Prepare anonymous communications for data removal techniques
4. Assess your current level of exposure through public resources
5. Conduct a complete self-background check to identify vulnerabilities
6. Properly secure all important online accounts

### Day Two

1. Completely remove historic social network activity
2. Remove personal information from online data brokers
3. Properly secure your credit, SSN, and IRS information
4. Obtain credit cards, prepaid cards, and virtual cards in an alias name
5. Establish an alias for daily use, for covert use, or anonymous purchases
6. Obtain a completely anonymous cell phone and service plan



### Instructor: M.A. Drew

M.A. Drew is a Detective in one of our Nation's largest cities assigned to high profile cases that often require covert investigative skills. He investigates crimes involving narcotics, gangs, adult & child sex crimes, human trafficking, and Internet crimes against children (ICAC Task Force). As an open source intelligence analyst and computer forensics and cyber-security specialist, he utilizes these skills to assist in criminal and private investigations of all types. He is a veteran investigator at his agency, and forever a proud United States Marine with overseas deployment experience. First and foremost, Mr. Drew is a privacy and security advocate with a passion for teaching digital operational security and identity management solutions. His classes are available Nationwide to law enforcement, military organizations, and select groups in the private sector. Mr. Drew provides resources on his blog (<https://hidingfromtheinternet.com>) which covers a variety of privacy & security related topics.



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