

TACTICAL CONFERENCE

RANGE MASTER

2016

Schedule at a Glance...

March 11-13,

Memphis, Tennessee

Click the trainers' names for detailed bios and course descriptions.

<u>FRI</u>	800	830	900	930	1000	1030	1100	1130	1200	1230	1300	1330	1400	1430	1500	1530	1600	1630	1700	1730
Classroom A	Police-Citizen Contacts (Weems)				Lessons from Recent Trials (Ayoob)				Violent Acts and Actors (Aprill)				Optimizing Classroom Instruction (Johnson)							
Classroom B					Dry Fire Practice Regimen (Werner)				Gaming the Streets (Kulcsar)				Low Light Equipment (Givens)							
Outdoor Pistol Range	Recoil Mitigation (Sharp)								AIWB Skills (Keepers)											
Outdoor Rifle Range					Ladies Only Range Session (Bigley)															
Frangible Range #1 (indoors)	Managing the "Don't Shoot" (Lindenman)				Managing the Entangled Fight (Burch)															
Frangible Range #2																				

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Classroom A	Street Encounter Skills, Part 1 (Murphy)				Secrets of Highly Successful Gunfighters (Bolke)				Urban Insurgency (Topper)											
Classroom B	Optimizing Classroom Instruction (Johnson)				Defining the Threat (Givens)				Metro-Tactical (Thomas)				Defining the Threat (Givens)							
Outdoor Pistol Range	The Snub Revolver as a Back-Up Gun (Haggard)				Street Encounter Skills, Part 2 (Murphy)															
Outdoor Rifle Range	Defensive Carbine / Snap Shooting (Heame)				Recoil Mitigation (Sharp)															
Frangible Range #1 (indoors)	Escaping Common Restraints (Ellifritz)				Tactical Folding Knife Essentials (Fuller)				Experiential Learning Lab (Southnarc)											
Frangible Range #2																				

<u>SUN</u>	800	830	900	930	1000	1030	1100	1130	1200	1230	1300	1330	1400	1430	1500	1530	1600	1630	1700	1730
Classroom A	Lasers, Red Dots, Iron Sights (Rehn)				FBI Research: The Deadly Mix (Heame)				Active Shooters: An Overview (Givens)				Urban Insurgency (Topper)							
Classroom B	Common Training & Safety Errors (Farnam)				Lessons from Recent Trials (Ayoob)				Int'l Terrorist Ops (Holschen/Greco)				Dry Practice: Evidence-Based (Heame)							
Outdoor Pistol Range	AIWB Skills (Keepers)				Building Highly Successful Gunfighters (Bolke/Dobbs)															
Outdoor Rifle Range	Shotgun Fundamentals (Givens/Givens)				The Snub Revolver as a Back-Up Gun (Haggard)															
Frangible Range #1 (indoors)	Tactical Medicine for the Armed Civilian (Causey)																			
Frangible Range #2 (indoors)	Emergency Disarms (Hayes)				Emergency Disarms (Hayes)															

PLEASE NOTE: To ensure safety and courtesy for all instructors and attendees, late admissions will not be allowed for any training blocks.

FRIDAY



POLICE-CITIZEN CONTACT



J. Lee Weems

Friday | 8am to 10pm | Classroom A

Lee Weems is the Chief Deputy for a Sheriff's Office in Georgia. He has served as a patrol officer, field training officer, detective, and supervisor in state and local agencies; and he also teaches as an adjunct instructor at the Georgia Military College. He will discuss rights of citizens; powers and authority of police; and how to safely interact with the police in traffic stops, investigative stops, and other citizen-police interactions. www.ProficientStrategies.com



LESSONS FROM RECENT TRIALS



Massad Ayoob

Friday | 10:15am – 12:15pm | Classroom A

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VIOLENT ACTS AND ACTORS: A Conceptual and Practical Overview



Dr. William Aprill

Friday | 12:30pm – 2:30pm | Classroom A

Dr. Aprill is a former law enforcement officer, a master class shooter, and an experienced forensic psychologist. He has spent years refining a detailed curriculum about the psychology of crime and teaches law-abiding citizens how to best de-select themselves as potential victims. This is important information for anyone concerned about personal security.

www.MDTSTraining.com/william-aprill/



OPTIMIZING CLASSROOM PRESENTATIONS: Quick and Easy Tips



Tiffany Johnson

Friday | 3pm - 5pm | Classroom A

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Developing a **DRY FIRE PRACTICE REGIMEN**



Claude Werner

Friday | 10:15am – 12:15pm | Classroom B

Claude Werner, a/k/a the “Tactical Professor,” is a highly experienced trainer and champion competitor, formerly the chief instructor at the prestigious Rogers School. He has devised an extremely thoughtful and well researched methodology for enhancing one’s handgun skills through specifically directed dry fire practice. TacticalProfessor.wordpress.com



GAMING THE STREETS



Eve Kulcsar

Friday | 12:30pm – 2:30pm | Classroom B

Eve is a Rangemaster-certified firearms instructor who joined the [RTAP program](#) in 2014. She has trained with Tom and Lynn Givens, Craig Douglas (a.k.a. Southnarc) of Shivworks; William Aprill of Aprill Risk Consulting; and Paul Sharp of Sharp Defense. She has also successfully completed training at Rogers Shooting School in Ellijay Georgia. She will take a look at using competition shooting to enhance your street survival skills. www.RokaArms.com



Evolution of Low-Light Equipment and **FLASHLIGHT-ASSISTED SHOOTING**



Tom Givens

Friday | 3pm – 5pm | Classroom B

Tom has now been working in firearms instruction for nearly forty years. He started Rangemaster in 1996 and has trained over 45,000 students over the years, including law enforcement officers, military personnel, and private citizens. This seminar offers a detailed look at how flashlights and associated gear have evolved over the past hundred years and how that evolution has affected historical and modern flashlight-assisted shooting techniques.

www.Rangemaster.com



RECOIL MANAGEMENT



Paul Sharp

Friday | 8am – 10am | Outdoor Pistol Range

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www.SharpDefense.me



AIWB SKILLS



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LANDIES-ONLY RANGE SESSION



Lori Bigley **Friday | 10:15am – 1:15pm | Outdoor Rifle Range**

Lori is a Rangemaster-certified instructor who teaches as part of the [RTAP program](#). She will be leading a three-hour live fire block on defensive handgun skills, strictly for female attendees. Participants will need a handgun, holster, at least one spare magazine, eye and ear protection, and 200 rounds of ammunition. www.Rangemaster.com



Managing the “DON’T SHOOT YET” SCENARIO



Larry Lindenman **Friday | 8am – 10am | Frangible Range #1**

Larry retired as a Lieutenant with the Illinois State Police, where he worked in Narcotics and SWAT for many years. He will cover the vital topic of how to safely cover and control suspects who are dangerous enough to need to be covered at gunpoint, but not shot... yet. This is crucial but often overlooked information, important to anyone who carries a gun.

www.PointDrivenTraining.com



Managing the Entangled Fight: SURVIVING THE CLINCH



Cecil Burch **Friday | 10:15am – 12:15pm | Frangible Range #1**

Cecil is a world-ranked martial artist and trainer from Phoenix, AZ. He has been pursuing his passion for martial arts since he was 16, studying Shotokan, Kenpo, Tae Kwon Do, Jeet Kune Do and Brazilian Jiu-Jitsu, among other disciplines. He has also been a firearms enthusiast all his life, studying under Jeff Cooper, Louis Awerbuck, Chuck Taylor, SouthNarc, Tom Givens, Kyle Lamb, Larry Vickers, and many others. He will cover basic grappling techniques for the entangled fight. This is a hands-on, actively physical class. www.iacombatives.com

SATURDAY



STREET ENCOUNTER SKILLS:

Part 1 (Classroom Intro)



John Murphy

Saturday | 8am – 11am | Classroom A

John is a former Marine who now works for the Department of Defense. For over ten years, he has also trained private citizens in firearms and personal defense. His extended instructional block will be presented in two parts. [Part 1](#) is three hours of interactive classroom instruction using surveillance videos from street robberies, business hold-ups, and other violent encounters to highlight criminal pre-assault behavioral indicators, show the physiological impact of stress in self-defense situations, and debunk some of the myths of ballistic performance. [Part 2](#) is live-fire range work, where students will practice applying the skills covered in the morning classroom session with an emphasis on awareness, avoidance, de-escalation, and decisiveness.

www.FPFTraining.com



Secrets of HIGHLY SUCCESSFUL GUNFIGHTERS

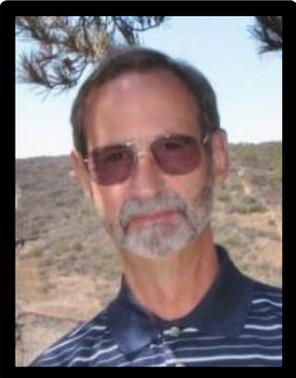


Darryl Bolke

Saturday | 11:30am – 2:30pm | Classroom A

Darryl Bolke retired from a 20-year law enforcement career in southern California due to injuries sustained during a violent on-duty confrontation. He was a firearms instructor and armorer for the Special Weapons and Tactics Team for 17 years and the primary instructor for all firearms systems used by his agency. He will be discussing some of the training principles that allowed LAPD Metro Division and similar units to have truly outstanding battle records on the street.

<http://HardwiredTacticalShooting.com>



URBAN INSURGENCY, Crime, and the American Heartland



Martin Topper

Saturday | 3pm – 5pm | Classroom A

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DEFINING THE THREAT



Tom Givens

Saturday | 10:15am – 12:15pm | Classroom B

This is a lively lecture on how to set up your personal training regimen, or a training program for private citizens and off-duty law enforcement personnel. We will examine the differences between military, on-duty law enforcement, and private citizens' defensive paradigms and how to maximize the benefits from limited training resources. www.Rangemaster.com



METRO-TACTICAL



Julie Thomas

Saturday | 12:30pm – 2:30pm | Classroom B

Julie is a Rangemaster-certified instructor and an experienced shooter. In addition to training with Tom and Lynn Givens, she has also trained extensively with Craig Douglas and now teaches as part of the [RTAP Program](#). She will be discussing living, working, and visiting urban areas while maintaining your personal safety and security.



DEFINING THE THREAT



Tom Givens

Saturday | 3pm – 5pm | Classroom B

This is a repeat of one of Tom's most popular seminars, for those who can't make the morning session. Tom explains how to set up a personal training regimen or a training program for private citizens and off-duty law enforcement personnel. The lecture will explore the differences between the defensive paradigms for the military, for on-duty law enforcement, and for private citizens. Tom also discusses ways to maximize benefits with limited training resources.

www.Rangemaster.com



THE SNUB REVOLVER

As a Backup Gun (BUG)



Chuck Haggard

Saturday | 8am - Noon | Outdoor Pistol Range

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STREET ENCOUNTER SKILLS:

Part 2 (Range Application)



John Murphy

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DEFENSIVE CARBINE HANDLING

And Snap Shooting



John Hearne

Saturday | 8am - Noon | Outdoor Rifle Range

John is a federal law enforcement officer and a firearms trainer for his agency, as well as a Rangemaster-certified advanced instructor. This course will expose students to some of the techniques featured in the book, *Carbine and Shotgun Speed Shooting: How to Hit Hard and Fast in Combat*, by Steve Moses (unfortunately, Steve will be unable to attend due to an unexpected death in the family). Participants will need a carbine and three magazines, eye/ear protection, a ball cap, and 200 rounds of ammunition. www.Rangemaster.com



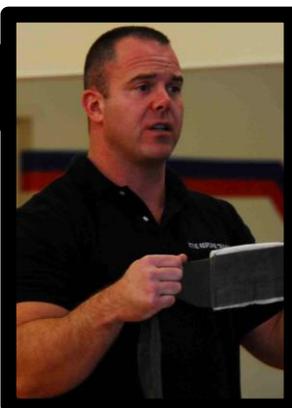
RECOIL MANAGEMENT



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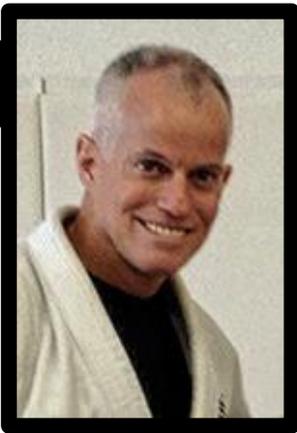
ESCAPING COMMON RESTRAINTS



Greg Ellifritz

Saturday | 8am – 10am | Frangible Range #1

Greg is a career LEO in Ohio, an instructor at the Tactical Defense Institute, a self-defense blogger, and a well-known independent trainer. With home invasions and kidnappings becoming more and more common, basic knowledge of how to escape from handcuffs, zip ties, ropes, and other commonly used methods to restrain victims could be a life-saver. This course is hands-on. www.ActiveResponseTraining.net



TACTICAL FOLDER ESSENTIALS



Fletcher Fuller Saturday | 10:15am – 12:15pm | Frangible Range #1

Fletcher is a highly trained and experienced law enforcement trainer with the Collier County Sheriff's Office in Florida. He is the lead use-of-force trainer for a department with 900 sworn personnel, and he has experience in patrol and gang units. This is a two-hour hands-on block dealing with effective deployment of the defensive folding knife. Protective training gear will be provided. Feel free to bring your own drone/training knife. Absolutely no live weapons will be allowed in the training area. [www. www.BrazilianJiuJitsuNaples.com](http://www.BrazilianJiuJitsuNaples.com)



EXPERIENTIAL LEARNING LAB



Craig Douglas ("Southnarc") Saturday | 1pm – 4pm | Frangible Range #1

Craig Douglas retired as a Captain in a Gulf Coast Sheriff's Office where he worked narcotics and SWAT operations for many years. He has an enormous amount of training and experience exposing students to stressful, relevant, and valuable force-on-force scenarios with trained role-players and hit-marking cartridges. This will be an excellent opportunity to participate in and observe others reacting to live, thinking, moving opponents in real-life circumstances.

www.ShivWorks.com

SUNDAY



LASERS, RED DOTS, & IRON SIGHTS



Karl Rehn Sunday | 8am – 10am | Classroom A

In addition to being a well-known trainer and a USPSA Grand Master and IDPA Master, Karl is employed as a research scientist. He obtained a grant to conduct some actual research on the advantages of various optical sighting systems on defensive handguns, and he will present his findings in this training block. The results may surprise you. www.KRTraining.com



FBI RESEARCH: THE DEADLY MIX



John Hearne Sunday | 10:15am – 12:15pm | Classroom A

John is a federal law enforcement officer and a firearms trainer for his agency, as well as a Rangemaster instructor. He has a master's degree in Criminal Justice as well as a broad range of training and experience in the subject. John will go over recent FBI research into the circumstances of law enforcement officers' murders and those offenders who kill officers. This information has broad implications for anyone who goes armed. www.Rangemaster.com



ACTIVE KILLERS: AN OVERVIEW of Current Research and How It Affects You

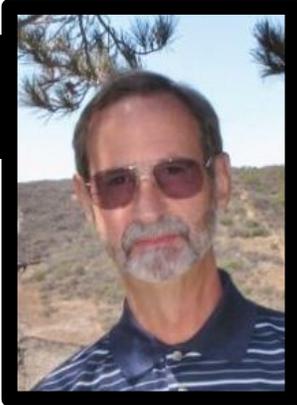


Tom Givens

Sunday | 12:30pm – 2:30pm | Classroom A

Information from various government and open sources will be examined, along with case histories of several well-known, and not so well-known active shooter/spree killer episodes in the United States. Get the facts, rather than the biased crap the main stream media offers.

www.Rangeamster.com



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LET'S NOT SHOOT OURSELVES: Common Errors in Safety and Training



John Farnam

Sunday | 8am – 10am | Classroom B

John is one of the deans of modern defensive shooting training. As president of Defensive Training International, he has personally trained thousands of federal, state, and local law enforcement personnel as well as military personnel and private citizens in the serious use of firearms. He has also authored four books on the subject of defensive firearms training and tactics. John will discuss ways to conduct relevant, realistic training without undue and unnecessary risk. www.defense-training.com



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INTERNATIONAL TERRORISM: An Update of Operations and Tactics



**John Holschen
and Gary Greco**

**Sunday | 12:30pm – 2:30pm
Classroom B**



Gary is a recently retired career officer from the U.S. intelligence community. He specialized in counter-terrorism with service in Lebanon, Panama, Somalia, Bosnia, Africa, Iraq, and Afghanistan. In his last assignment, he served as the Senior Intelligence Advisor to the Commanding General Joint Special Operations Command. He has been heavily involved in firearms and tactics training for many years and is a founding member of a self-supported training and study group in the Washington, DC area comprised of local law enforcement, federal agents, military personnel, U.S. intelligence professionals, and concerned citizens that have now trained together on a monthly basis for over twenty years.

John served for over 20 years in the Special Operations and Intelligence branches of the U.S. Army. He is a former US Army Special Forces Weapons Sergeant, Intelligence Sergeant and Special Forces Medic. John was a Senior Instructor at the JFK Special Warfare School and was the Master Combatives Instructor for the 1st Special Forces Group. John was one of the first persons to provide an expert analysis of modern international terrorist tactics from the point of view of their implications to private citizens and law enforcement officers here in the United States.

Gary and John will discuss current trends in international terrorism and the operational techniques, tactics and procedures (TTPs) used in their attacks. They will focus on the HOW (and not the WHY) of recent terrorist attacks in order to better understand their operations and explore potential countermeasures from a boots-on-the-ground perspective. www.InsightsTraining.com, www.kiernan.co/gary-greco

DRY PRACTICE: An Evidence-Based Approach



John Hearne

Sunday | 3pm – 5pm | Classroom B

John is a federal law enforcement officer and a firearms trainer for his agency, as well as a Rangemaster instructor. He has a master's degree in Criminal Justice and a broad range of training and experience in the subject. In this block, John will discuss the neuro-physiology of dry practice as well as its practical application — based on current, quantitative research.

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BUILDING HIGHLY SUCCESSFUL GUNFIGHTERS



**Wayne Dobbs
and Darryl Bolke**

**Sunday | 12:30pm – 4:30pm
Outdoor Pistol Range**



This is a live-fire follow up to Darryl's lecture the previous day. Participants will shoot some of the training drills Wayne and Darryl use in their training program and then shoot some of the qualification courses Los Angeles area agencies have used with outstanding field success. Participants will need a handgun and holster as carried every day; eye and ear protection and a ball cap; and 200 rounds of ammunition. www.HardwiredTacticalShooting.com

DEFENSIVE SHOTGUN FUNDAMENTALS



Tom and Lynn Givens

Sunday | 9am – 11am | Outdoor Rifle Range

Tom and Lynn givens have built Rangemaster Firearms Training Services into the nation's premier source for defensive pistol and long gun training. In 2015, they conducted 36 classes in 14 different states; and so far they are booked to teach in sixteen different states in 2016. Tom and Lynn have often said that while the shotgun is one of the most effective and versatile weapons available to the average private citizen or police officer, it is also the least understood and most under-utilized. This live-fire block will cover the fundamental tenets governing effective use of the shotgun as a defensive weapon system. Students will need a pump action shotgun (such as a Remington 870 or Mossberg 500 series), about 50 to 75 rounds of birdshot, and eye and ear protection. We will have a few loaner guns on hand.



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PLEASE NOTE:

No one will be admitted once a training block has begun. Late arrivals are very disruptive and could present a safety issue in some classes, so they will not be allowed. This policy will be strictly enforced. Thank you for your cooperation and understanding.



TACTICAL MEDICINE For the Armed Civilian



Caleb Causey

Sunday | 9am - Noon | Frangible Range #1

Caleb is an experienced medic who operates Lone Star Medics in Texas. During this block of instruction, students will learn how and when to appropriately identify and treat immediate life-threatening injuries sustained during a violent altercation. Students will be presented with several different field medical products and methods for carrying them as part of their everyday carry (EDC). This will include minimal lecture and as much hands-on skills practice as possible. There is no special equipment required for this class and there are no prerequisites either. This will be geared towards the layperson with little to no formal medical training, but healthcare professionals are encouraged to attend as well. www.LoneStarMedics.com



EMERGENCY DISARMS



Marty Hayes

**Sunday | 9am – 11am and 2pm – 4pm
Frangible Range #2**

The ability to disarm someone who sticks a gun in your face or to aggress upon an active shooter and disarm him (or her) is a critical skill to understand and master. We cannot guarantee mastery of the discipline in a two-hour class, but at least we can give you the understanding. Students will learn and practice with dummy guns (bring your own red or blue gun if you have one). Both handgun disarms and long gun disarms will be covered. Course material based upon the Lindell Method of Weapons Retention and Disarming, the leading system taught to law enforcement since 1976 through the National Law Enforcement Firearms Training Center. Marty Hayes is a three-time certified instructor and has been teaching this discipline to his students at The Firearms Academy of Seattle since 1991.

www.FirearmsAcademy.com, www.ArmedCitizensNetwork.org

SO, JUST WHAT IS RTAP ANYWAY???

As the owners of Rangemaster Firearms Training Services and founders of the annual Tactical Conference, Tom and Lynn Givens are proud to have such an impressive array of experienced trainers in their midst. But of course, the tried-and-true veterans of this industry will not be able to train forever. In order to ensure that students of personal defense have access to quality instruction for decades to come, Tom and Lynn started a new initiative in 2014 called the Rangemaster Trainers Apprenticeship Program, or RTAP. Spearheaded by Lynn Givens, RTAP is designed to embrace today's rising stars and mold them into tomorrow's best and brightest personal defense instructors. The 2015 Conference introduced the first three promising RTAP instructors, and they have all been welcomed back to present new training segments at the 2016 Tactical Conference. Whenever you see the RTAP logo next to a trainer's name, that means the person has been tapped! Please be sure to give those presenters a heartfelt "Attaboy!" (or "Attagirl!") and encourage them to continue gaining experience as highly-competent firearms trainers.

www.RANGEMASTER.com

See you next year!

Thank you for supporting the Rangemaster 2016 Tactical Conference!