



# TYBEE ISLAND TRI-STATE POLYGRAPH CONFERENCE ITINERARY

## INSTRUCTORS



Mr. Steve Duncan is a former President of the Georgia Polygraph Association (GPA) and the American Polygraph Association (APA). He retired from the Georgia State Patrol and spends his time as a guest lecturer and instructor for the APA and the American International Institute of Polygraph (AIIP). He is a valuable member of the polygraph community and we are pleased to have him instructing and attending the Tri-State conference this year. Mr. Duncan will be presenting on the APA Standards of Practice and Emergency Services Pre-employment Testing.



Mr. Mark Handler is the current Editor for the American Polygraph Association publication and is highly considered to be a leader in the field of polygraph research. He is a former law enforcement polygraphist and is a polygraph and credibility assessment instructor. He has written and co-authored approximately 70 peer-reviewed articles pertaining to credibility assessment. We are very fortunate to have Mr. Handler as one of our talented and knowledgeable instructors for this year's conference. Mr. Handler will be providing instruction regarding ESS-Multinomial scoring, Countermeasure Research, and Understanding Base Rates & Reducing Inconclusive Results.



Ms. Erika Thiel is a Board Member with the APA and serves as the Chair of the APA PCSOT Committee. She is a licensed clinical therapist and polygraph program manager, specializing in Post-Conviction Sex Offender Testing (PCSOT). Ms. Thiel will be leading instruction on the latest PCSOT trends and recommendations, the PCSOT model, advances in PCSOT testing, and trauma-related issues in PDD.

DAY 1

WEDNESDAY, SEPT 29<sup>TH</sup>

**Mr. Mark Handler**

08:00-09:45 Countermeasure research (2 hours)  
09:45-10:00 Break  
10:00-11:45 Understanding base rates and reducing inconclusive results (2 hours)  
11:45-13:00 Lunch  
13:00-14:45 ESS-Multinomial update (2 hours)  
14:45-15:00 Break

**Mr. Steve Duncan**

15:00-16:45 Emergency Services Pre-employment testing (2 hours)

DAY 2

THURSDAY, SEPT 30<sup>TH</sup>

**Ms. Erika Thiel**

08:00-09:45 Advances in PCSOT testing (2 hours)  
09:45-10:00 Break  
10:00-11:45 Trauma-related issues in PDD (2 hours)  
11:45-13:00 Lunch  
13:00-14:45 Updates on current and future PCSOT model (2 hours)  
14:45-15:00 Break

**Mr. Steve Duncan**

15:00-16:45 APA Standards of Practice (2 hours)  
16:45-17:45 **GPA member business meeting**

DAY 3

FRIDAY, OCT 1<sup>ST</sup>

**Mr. Mark Handler**

08:00-11:45 Case review, discussion, Q&A, and scoring exercise (4 hours)

**Thank you for coming and safe travels!**

# Tri-State Polygraph Conference

Hotel Tybee September 29<sup>th</sup> - October 1<sup>st</sup> 2021



Group Rates (subject to 14% tax & \$5 per night GA hotel/motel tax)

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