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Track 1

Training Sessions Presented by Sworn Law Enforcement Officers and Ph.D Computer Scientists

Track 2

Lawful Interception, Digital Forensics and Mobile Signal Intercept Training Sessions

Track 3

Social Media, DarkNet and Cyber Security Monitoring Training Sessions

ISS World North America Exhibit Hours

Tuesday, November 17, 2026

11:00 AM-6:00 PM

Wednesday, November 18, 2026

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ISS World North America 2026 Agenda at a Glance

Tuesday, November 17, 2026

8:45-9:00 AM

Welcoming Remarks

- Tatiana Lucas, ISS World Program Director, **TeleStrategies**

9:00-9:30 AM

Top Ten Challenges Facing Law Enforcement and the Government Intelligence Community and Who at ISS World North America Has Solutions

- Dr. Jerry Lucas, President, **TeleStrategies**

Track 1

Training Sessions Presented by Sworn Law Enforcement Officers and Ph.D Computer Scientists

*Note: Sessions in this track are only open to all attendees unless marked otherwise.

Tuesday, November 17, 2026

9:35-10:20 AM **SESSION A**

Proxies and VPNs: Identity Concealment and Location Obfuscation

- Charles Cohen, Vice President at **NW3C**, the **National White Collar Crime Center**, Professor in Practice Criminal Justice, **Indiana University** and Retired Captain, **Indiana State Police**

9:35-10:20 AM **SESSION B**

Understanding 5G/5GA/6G LI for Investigators

- Matthew Lucas (Ph.D, Computer Science), VP, **TeleStrategies**

10:25-11:10 AM **SESSION A**

Tor, onion routers, Deepnet, and Darknet: An Investigator's Perspective

- Charles Cohen, Vice President at **NW3C**, the **National White Collar Crime Center**, Professor in Practice Criminal Justice, **Indiana University** and Retired Captain, **Indiana State Police**

10:25-11:10 AM **SESSION B**

AI Technology Basics and LEA Use Cases

- Matthew Lucas (Ph.D., Computer Science, VP, **TeleStrategies**

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Tor, Onion Routers, Deepnet, and Darknet: A Deep Dive for Criminal Investigators

- Charles Cohen, Vice President at **NW3C**, the National White Collar Crime Center, Professor in Practice Criminal Justice, Indiana University and Retired Captain, Indiana State Police

1:00-1:45 PM **SESSION B**

Generative AI Use Cases and Capabilities for Law Enforcement and Intelligence Agencies

- Matthew Lucas (Ph.D., Computer Science, VP, TeleStrategies

1:50-2:35 PM **SESSION A**

Cellular Handset Geolocation: Investigative Opportunities and Personal Security Risks

- Charles Cohen, Vice President at **NW3C**, the National White Collar Crime Center, Professor in Practice Criminal Justice, Indiana University and Retired Captain, Indiana State Police

1:50-2:35 PM **SESSION B**

Agentic AI—Deployment Options and Approaches

- Matthew Lucas (Ph.D., Computer Science, VP, TeleStrategies

3:35-4:20 PM **SESSION A**

Ultra-Wideband Geolocation and Cyber OSINT

- Charles Cohen, Vice President at **NW3C**, the National White Collar Crime Center, Professor in Practice Criminal Justice, Indiana University and Retired Captain, Indiana State Police

4:25-5:00 PM **SESSION A**

Collecting Evidence from Online Social Media: Building a Cyber-OSINT Toolbox

- Charles Cohen, Vice President at **NW3C**, the National White Collar Crime Center, Professor in Practice Criminal Justice, Indiana University and Retired Captain, Indiana State Police

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8:30-9:15 AM

Unmasking the Dark Web: Myth vs Reality

- Todd G. Shipley, CEO, **Dark Intel**, and CoAuthor of, *Investigating Internet Crimes: An Introduction to Solving Crimes in Cyberspace* and retired investigator, Reno NV, Police Department

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9:20-10:05 AM

Inside TOR: Tracing the Onion

- Todd G. Shipley, CEO, **Dark Intel**, and CoAuthor of, *Investigating Internet Crimes: An Introduction to Solving Crimes in Cyberspace* and retired investigator, Reno NV, Police Department

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11:15 AM-12:00 PM

Bitcoin & Beyond: How Digital Money Powers Hidden Markets

- Todd G. Shipley, CEO, **Dark Intel**, and CoAuthor of, *Investigating Internet Crimes: An Introduction to Solving Crimes in Cyberspace* and retired investigator, Reno NV, Police Department

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1:30-2:15 PM

Fieldcraft in the Shadows: Safely Engaging the Dark Web

- Todd G. Shipley, CEO, **Dark Intel**, and CoAuthor of, *Investigating Internet Crimes: An Introduction to Solving Crimes in Cyberspace* and retired investigator, Reno NV, Police Department

1:30-2:15 PM **SESSION A**

Unmasking Hidden Evidence: Metadata & EXIF for Digital Investigators

- Charles Cohen, Vice President at **NW3C**, the National White Collar Crime Center, Professor in Practice Criminal Justice, Indiana University and Retired Captain, Indiana State Police

2:30-3:15 PM **SESSION A**

Push Tokens in Criminal Investigations: Tracing Digital Footprints & Uncovering Evidence

- Charles Cohen, Vice President at **NW3C**, the National White Collar Crime Center, Professor in Practice Criminal Justice, Indiana University and Retired Captain, Indiana State Police

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2:30-3:15 PM

Web Bugs & Covert Tech: Tracing the Invisible

- Todd G. Shipley, CEO, **Dark Intel**, and CoAuthor of, *Investigating Internet Crimes: An Introduction to Solving Crimes in Cyberspace* and retired investigator, Reno NV, Police Department

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Piercing the Veil: Identifying Anonymous Actors

- Todd G. Shipley, CEO, **Dark Intel**, and CoAuthor of, *Investigating Internet Crimes: An Introduction to Solving Crimes in Cyberspace* and retired investigator, Reno NV, Police Department

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Understanding the Implications of Online Social Media for OSINT During Critical Incidents

- Charles Cohen, Vice President at **NW3C**, the National White Collar Crime Center, Professor in Practice Criminal Justice, Indiana University and Retired Captain, Indiana State Police

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Vulnerability Research Tooling for the Agentic AI Era

- Presented by Zealot Labs

10:25-11:10 AM

Mission Intelligence: Transforming Investigations with Multi-Agent AI

- Presented by Penlink

1:00-1:45 PM

The 5G-Ready Cyber Intelligence Monitoring Centre: Centralizing Lawful Interception, Electronic Surveillance and Investigative Analytics

Use cases and demonstration.

- Presented by AREA

1:50-2:35 PM

Amplified Intelligence: Merging OSINT with Evidentiary Data for more Efficient Investigations

- Presented by Penlink

3:35-4:20 PM **SESSION A**

Time-Critical Digital Forensics: Finding the Evidence That Matters Before It's Too Late

- Presented by Detego

3:35-4:20 PM **SESSION B**

Beyond Traditional Interception: Solving Encrypted Communication challenges with Integrated Cyber Intelligence

- Presented by AREA

4:25-5:00 PM **SESSION A**

Following the Actor: From a Single Selector to a Cybercrime Ecosystem

- Duncan Edwards, Senior Investigator, SpyCloud

Open to All Attendees

4:25-5:00 PM **SESSION B**

Forensic Audio in Real Noisy Environments: Enhancement, Speech Extraction and Evidential Limits

Technical workshop and case examples

- Presented by AREA

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8:30-9:15 AM **SESSION A**

Revealing Intelligence Hidden Behind Encrypted Apps

Use cases and demonstration

- Presented by AREA

8:30-9:15 AM **SESSION B**

One Shared Number, One Thousand Identities: Investigating Fraud at Scale

- Presented by SpyCloud

11:15 AM-12:00 PM **SESSION A**

Staying Ahead of Privacy and Regulatory Changes With Location Intelligence

- Jason Sarfati, Chief Privacy Officer & VP Legal, Venntel

11:15 AM-12:00 PM **SESSION B**

Amplified Intelligence: Merging OSINT with Evidentiary Data for more Efficient Investigations

- Presented by Penlink

1:30-2:15 PM

Operational AI in Lawful Interception and Forensics: What Works Today, What Must Stay Controlled

Open questions for the near future

- Presented by AREA

2:30-3:15 PM

One Investigation, Many Sources: Validating CDRs, Live LI, Mobile Forensics and Field Data in a Single AI-Assisted Intelligence Platform

Use cases and demonstration.

- Presented by AREA

Track 3

Social Media, DarkNet and Cyber Security Monitoring Training Sessions

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From Open Source to Actionable Intelligence—Integrating OSINT, AI, and Investigative Workflows

- Presented by Carahsoft

10:25-11:10 AM

DarkOwl DarkMark - Darknet Marketplaces— Enhancing intelligence for Law Enforcement and National Security Investigations

• Presented by **DarkOwl**

1:00-1:45 PM

Following the Digital Breadcrumbs— Disrupting Criminal Networks Across Social, Dark Web, and Crypto

• Presented by **Carahsoft**

1:50-2:35 PM

Leveraging OSINT Tools for Cross-Border Narcotics Investigations

• Presented by **Kaseware**

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9:20-10:05 AM **SESSION A**

From Tip to Takedown: Unifying OSINT, Case Management, and Multi-Agency Data Sharing in One Investigative Platform

• Presented by **AREA**

9:20-10:05 AM **SESSION B**

Early Warning in the Digital Domain— Identifying Threats Before They Become Incidents

• Presented by **Carahsoft**

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