Joint Training Initiative

Demystifying AI in Law Enforcement, Public Safety and Security Organizations

MAY 21, 2025 - 9:00am to 12:00pm

NM HIDTA Training Room
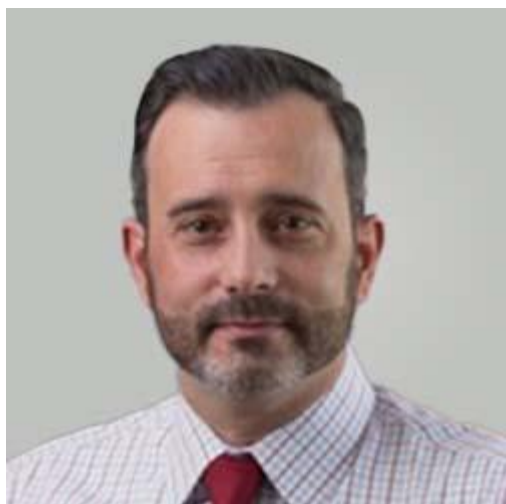**555 S. Telshor Blvd, Suite 200**
Las Cruces, NM 88012

This presentation will discuss the actual vs. perceived capabilities of Artificial Intelligence and its uses in modern Law Enforcement, Public Safety and Security Organizations.

I.   Introduction
II.   The Challenge of Big Data
III.   Using Artificial Intelligence to Gain Insights from Big Data
IV.   What is AI
V.   The Evolution of AI
VI.   Examining existing AI Technologies to Assist Law Enforcement
VII.   Types of AI analysis
VIII. Responsible use of AI
IX.   AI to Answer Important Law Enforcement Questions
X.   What AI is not
XI.   Leadership Decisions for AI in Public Safety Organizations
XII.   AI Implementation Planning
XIII. Training Implications of AI
XIV.   12 Step Plan for Successful AI Implementation in Police Organizations

This presentation will then wrap up with a presentation of the METIS AI Augmented Intelligence Platform.

Register Here - Free!

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Dr. Lestrange, is an experienced global leader, responsible for overseeing all business operations for METIS Intelligence North America. This includes strategic planning, business development, marketing, product innovation and public relations functions as well as the establishment of key lateral and joint business partnerships.

He is also a Research Fellow at the Future Policing Institute – Center on Policing and Artificial Intelligence and a course developer and adjunct professor at Tiffin University's PhD in Global Leadership and Change Management program and Indiana Tech's MBA programs specializing in Leadership Studies, Organizational Assessment and Design, Emergency Management, Sustainability, and Strategy.

Prior to joining METIS, he served the U.S. Government in multiple leadership roles, including Senior Agency Official to the U.S. Council on Transnational Organized Crime, created by the President to develop "whole of government" solutions to complex national challenges.

He retired two years ago as Division Chief of Public Safety and National Security for Homeland Security Investigations (HSI) Headquarters, where he provided global agency-wide executive oversight for multiple interdiction, investigation, and intelligence units; as well as agency programs, inter-agency operations and technology initiatives including the strategic development of an AI driven, big data analytics framework across the nine (9) agencies that made up the DHS Security and Law Enforcement Portfolio.