

# 2018 NIC Agenda - Draft Version

Sunday, April 29, 2018		Location
12:00 - 20:00	<b>Registration</b>	Salon B
13:00 - 17:00	<b>DIAP/EPIC Instructor Recertification (DIAP/EPIC Instructors Only)</b> Presenter: <i>DIAP/EPIC Personnel</i>	Vail Ballroom
15:00 - 16:00	<b>Ethics in Criminal Patrol</b> Presenter: <i>Branson Perry; Trooper - Oklahoma Highway Patrol / DEA TFO</i>	Salon C & D
16:00 - 17:30	<b>A California Perspective Into Registration Deception &amp; Drug Trafficking</b> Presenter: <i>Ted Peterson; Deputy - Riverside County Sheriff's Office, California</i>	Salon C & D
18:30 - 20:30	<b>Legal Cannabis Warehouse Grows &amp; Extraction Lab Tours</b> Presenter: <i>Buddy Boy Brand Dispensaries (Off-Site Event With Transportation Provided)</i>	Sign-up Required
18:30 - 20:30	<b>Welcome Reception Hospitality Event</b>	Salon E
Monday, April 30, 2018		Location
06:30 - 07:45	<b>Late Registration</b>	Salon B
08:00 - 09:30	<b>Opening Ceremonies</b> Presenter: <i>Posting of Colors: Colorado State Patrol Honor Guard &amp; Michael Collins Pipes And Drums</i> <i>National Anthem: Joe Everson</i> <i>Opening Prayer: Gene Hise - NIC Chaplain</i> <i>Welcome Remarks: Doug Wright - National Criminal Enforcement Association</i> <i>Welcome Remarks: Joe David - Desert Snow</i> <i>Welcome Remarks: Matthew Packard; Colonel - Colorado State Patrol</i> <i>Welcome Remarks: Tony Garcia; Director - South TX HIDTA / DHE</i> <i>Welcome Remarks: Nicholas Metz; Chief - Aurora Police Department</i> <i>Welcome Remarks: Robert White; Chief - Denver Police Department</i> <i>Welcome Remarks: George Brauchler; District Attorney - 18th Judicial District</i> <i>Conference Events &amp; Expectations: David Frye &amp; Doug Wright</i>	Salon C & D
09:30 - 10:00	<b>Morning Break</b> **Complimentary refreshments in vendor area**	Salon E
10:00 - 11:30	<b>Passenger Vehicle Interdiction (Part 1)</b> Presenter: <i>Mike Tamez; Agent - Kingsville Police Department, TX / El Paso Intelligence Center (EPIC)</i>	Salon C & D
11:30 - 13:30	<b>Lunch &amp; Additional Training Opportunities</b>	Attendees On Own
11:30 - 13:30	<b>Hidden Compartment Demonstrations</b> Presenter: <i>Colorado State Patrol</i>	Outdoors
12:15 - 13:15	<b>Combating Human Trafficking via Interdiction Stops &amp; Industry Collaboration</b> Presenter: <i>Kendis Paris - Truckers Against Trafficking</i>	Salon B
12:15 - 13:15	<b>The Payment Card Smuggling Epidemic</b> Presenter: <i>Jack Williams - Electronic Recovery &amp; Access To Data (ERAD)</i>	Salon C & D
12:15 - 13:15	<b>How To Utilize The "CARFAX Tools For Investigations" To Generate Case Leads</b> Presenter: <i>Elena Castor - CARFAX</i>	Salon A
13:30 - 15:00	<b>Crime On The Border</b> Presenter: <i>Howard Buffett; Sheriff - Macon County, Illinois &amp; Brian Byers - Award Winning Radio Host &amp; Heidi Heitkamp - United States Senator, North Dakota</i>	Salon C & D
15:00 - 15:30	<b>Afternoon Break</b> **Complimentary refreshments in vendor area**	Salon E
15:30 - 17:00	<b>Commercial Vehicle Interdiction (Part 1)</b> Presenter: <i>Stacey Arnold Yerkes; Trooper (ret) - Ohio State Highway Patrol / DIAP</i>	Salon C & D
17:05 - 17:15	<b>Announcements &amp; Raffles</b>	Salon C & D
17:15 - 19:00	<b>Vendor Reception / Hospitality Event &amp; Award Presentation</b> <i>Numerous Awards Will Be Presented</i>	Salon E
20:00 - 22:00	<b>Hospitality &amp; Networking Event</b> **3 Comedians from 20:30 - 22:00**	Salon E

Tuesday, May 1, 2018		Location
08:00 - 09:30	<b>Breakout 1: High in Plain Sight: Current Drug Trends and Concealment</b> Presenter: <i>Jermaine Galloway - Boise Police Department, Idaho (ret) / Tall Cop Says Stop</i>	Salon A
	<b>Breakout 2: Passenger Vehicle Interdiction (Part 2)</b> Presenter: <i>Mike Tamez; Agent - Kingsville Police Department, TX / El Paso Intelligence Center (EPIC)</i>	Salon C & D
	<b>Breakout 3: NSP's Approach to Decoy/Escort Vehicles, Train &amp; Bus Interdiction</b> Presenter: <i>Rob Pelster; Trooper - Nebraska State Patrol (NSP) &amp; Thomas Meola; Sergeant - NSP</i>	Salon B
	<b>Breakout 4: Criminal Patrol - Winning Roadside</b> Presenter: <i>Chris Owen; Major - Illinois State Police / Drug Interdiction Assistance Program (DIAP)</i>	Silverton/Breckenridge
	<b>Breakout 5: DHE Analyst Colloquium (Part 1)</b> Presenter: <i>Anthony Buccola; National Analyst - Domestic Highway Enforcement (DHE)</i>	Vail Ballroom
09:30 - 10:00	Morning Break <b>**Complimentary refreshments in vendor area**</b>	Salon E
10:00 - 11:30	<b>Breakout 1: High in Plain Sight: Current Drug Trends and Concealment</b> Presenter: <i>Jermaine Galloway - Boise Police Department, Idaho (ret) / Tall Cop Says Stop</i>	Salon A
	<b>Breakout 2: Commercial Vehicle Interdiction (Part 2)</b> Presenter: <i>Stacey Arnold Yerkes; Trooper (ret) - Ohio State Highway Patrol / DIAP</i>	Salon C & D
	<b>Breakout 3: Combating The Heroin Epidemic That Is Plaguing Our Communities</b> Presenter: <i>Lance Carlson; Sergeant - Orange County Sheriff's Office, Florida</i>	Silverton/Breckenridge
	<b>Breakout 4: Consensual Encounter Interdiction</b> Presenter: <i>Ben Dollar; Special Agent - Texas DPS &amp; Chad Lerner; Detective - Decatur PD, Illinois</i>	Salon B
	<b>Breakout 5: DHE Analyst Colloquium (Part 2)</b> Presenter: <i>Anthony Buccola; DHE National Analyst</i>	Vail Ballroom

	Lunch & Additional Training Opportunities	Attendees On Own
11:30 - 13:30	<b>Hidden Compartment Demonstrations</b> Presenter: <i>Colorado State Patrol</i>	Outdoors
	<b>CSP Haz-Mat Demo - The Testing Of Unknown Drugs</b> Presenter: <i>Colorado State Patrol</i>	TBD
12:15 - 13:15	<b>The Payment Card Smuggling Epidemic</b> Presenter: <i>Jack Williams - Electronic Recovery &amp; Access To Data (ERAD)</i>	Salon C & D
12:15 - 13:15	<b>Canine Problem Solving</b> Presenter: <i>AJ Vargas - Custom Canine Unlimited</i>	Salon B
12:15 - 13:15	<b>Unmanned Aircraft (UAS) For Modern Interdiction</b> Presenter: <i>Joshua Brown; President - Icarus Aerospace Inc.</i>	Salon A
<b>EAST to WEST Corridor &amp; Networking Sessions</b>		
13:30 - 15:00	<b>I-90, I-94, I-84, I-82 and nearby interstates, highways, cities, etc.</b> <i>Moderated by Representatives from DHE &amp; NIC</i>	Salon A
	<b>I-80, I-70, I-15 and nearby interstates, highways, cities, etc.</b> <i>Moderated by Representatives from DHE &amp; NIC</i>	Salon B
	<b>I-40, I-20, I-10, I-85 and nearby interstates, highways, cities, etc.</b> <i>Moderated by Representatives from DHE &amp; NIC</i>	Salon C & D
15:00 - 15:30	Afternoon Break <span style="float: right;">**Complimentary refreshments in vendor area**</span>	Salon E
<b>NORTH to SOUTH Corridor &amp; Networking Sessions</b>		
15:30 - 17:00	<b>I-5, Rt 99 and nearby interstates, highways, cities, etc.</b> <i>Moderated by Representatives from DHE &amp; NIC</i>	Salon A
	<b>I-25 and nearby interstates, highways, cities, etc.</b> <i>Moderated by Representatives from DHE &amp; NIC</i>	Salon C & D
	<b>I-35, I-44, I-45, I-55, I-29 and nearby interstates, highways, cities, etc.</b> <i>Moderated by Representatives from DHE &amp; NIC</i>	Salon B
	<b>I-75 and nearby interstates, highways, cities, etc.</b> <i>Moderated by Representatives from DHE &amp; NIC</i>	Vail Ballroom
	<b>I-95 and nearby interstates, highways, cities, etc.</b> <i>Moderated by Representatives from DHE &amp; NIC</i>	Silverton/Breckenridge
17:05 - 17:15	Announcements & Raffles	Salon C & D
17:15 - 18:30	<b>Informal Peer Counseling</b> Presenter: <i>Dr. Kathy Thomas - EMDR Therapist, Oklahoma &amp; Gene Hise - Police Chaplain, Virginia</i>	Vail Ballroom
18:30 - 20:30	<b>Legal Cannabis Warehouse Grows &amp; Extraction Lab Tours</b> Presenter: <i>Buddy Boy Brand Dispensaries (Off-Site With Transportation Provided)</i>	Signup Required
19:00 - 22:00	<b>Downtown Denver Excursion - Night of Networking &amp; Hospitality</b>	Downtown Denver

Wednesday, May 2, 2018		Location
08:00 - 09:30	<b>Breakout 1: Protecting The Canine Profession</b> Presenter: <i>Scott Klappenback; Reserve Lieutenant - Orange County Sheriff's Department, California</i>	Vail Ballroom
	<b>Breakout 2: Passenger Vehicle Interdiction (Part 2)</b> Presenter: <i>Mike Tamez; Agent - Kingsville Police Department, TX / El Paso Intelligence Center (EPIC)</i>	Salon A
	<b>Breakout 3: Consensual Encounter Interdiction</b> Presenter: <i>Ben Dollar; Special Agent - Texas DPS &amp; Chad Larner; Detective - Decatur PD, Illinois</i>	Salon B
	<b>Breakout 4: From The Roadside To The Front Door - Controlled Deliveries</b> Presenter: <i>Branson Perry; Trooper - Oklahoma Highway Patrol / DEA TFO</i>	Silverton/Breckenridge
09:30 - 10:00	Morning Break <b>**Complimentary refreshments in vendor area**</b>	Salon E
10:00 - 11:30	<b>Breakout 1: Protecting The Canine Profession</b> Presenter: <i>Scott Klappenback; Reserve Lieutenant - Orange County Sheriff's Department, California</i>	Vail Ballroom
	<b>Breakout 2: Courtroom Testimony - From The Road To The Stand</b> Presenter: <i>Joe David; Trooper (ret) - California Highway Patrol (ret)</i>	Salon A
	<b>Breakout 3: Combating The Heroin Epidemic That Is Plaguing Our Communities</b> Presenter: <i>Lance Carlson; Sergeant - Orange County Sheriff's Office, Florida</i>	Silverton/Breckenridge
	<b>Breakout 4: Characteristics Of Weapon Concealment</b> Presenter: <i>Richard Hobson - Metropolitan Police Department, Washington DC (ret) / VALOR</i>	Salon B
11:30 - 13:30	<b>Lunch &amp; Additional Training Opportunities</b>	Attendees On Own
	<b>Hidden Compartment Demonstrations</b> Presenter: <i>Colorado State Patrol</i>	Outdoors
12:15 - 13:15	<b>Discussion On The Legalization Of Marijuana From Industry &amp; LE Perspective</b> Presenter: <i>Pat Witcher - Buddy Boy Dispensaries &amp; Colorado Marijuana Enforcement Division</i>	Salon A
12:15 - 13:15	<b>Emotional Self Defense for Law Enforcement</b> Presenter: <i>Dr. Kathy Thomas - EMDR Therapist, OK</i>	Vail Ballroom
12:15 - 13:15	<b>Developing Successful Canine Deployments</b> Presenter: <i>AJ Vargas - Custom Canine Unlimited</i>	Salon B
13:30 - 15:00	<b>Breakout 1: Aurora Theater Shooting - Lessons Learned (Part 1)</b> Presenter: <i>Jad Lanigan; Lieutenant - Aurora Police Department, Colorado</i>	Vail Ballroom
	<b>Breakout 2: Commercial Vehicle Interdiction (Part 2)</b> Presenter: <i>Stacey Arnold Yerkes; Trooper (ret) - Ohio State Highway Patrol / DIAP</i>	Salon A
	<b>Breakout 3: Characteristics Of Weapon Concealment</b> Presenter: <i>Richard Hobson - Metropolitan Police Department, Washington DC (ret) / VALOR</i>	Salon B
	<b>Breakout 4: Criminal Patrol - Winning Roadside</b> Presenter: <i>Chris Owen; Major - Illinois State Police</i>	Silverton/Breckenridge
15:00 - 15:30	Afternoon Break <b>**Complimentary refreshments in vendor area**</b>	Salon E
15:30 - 17:00	<b>Breakout 1: Aurora Theater Shooting - Lessons Learned (Part 2)</b> Presenter: <i>Jad Lanigan; Lieutenant - Aurora Police Department, Colorado</i>	Vail Ballroom
	<b>Breakout 2: Courtroom Testimony - From The Road To The Stand</b> Presenter: <i>Joe David; Trooper (ret) - California Highway Patrol (ret)</i>	Salon A
	<b>Breakout 3: NSP's Approach to Decoy/Escort Vehicles, Train &amp; Bus Interdiction</b> Presenter: <i>Rob Pelster; Trooper - Nebraska State Patrol (NSP) &amp; Thomas Meola; Sergeant - NSP</i>	Salon B
	<b>Breakout 4: From The Roadside To The Front Door - Controlled Deliveries</b> Presenter: <i>Branson Perry; Trooper - Oklahoma Highway Patrol / DEA TFO</i>	Silverton/Breckenridge
17:30 - 18:30	Exclusive Pre-Banquet Reception for Vendor Night Award Recipients & Their Guests	Salon C & D
18:30 - 19:00	Banquet Doors Open & Awards Banquet Reception	Salon C & D
19:00 - 21:30	<b>Awards Dinner &amp; Banquet</b> <b>**Dinner provided at no cost to attendees**</b> Presenter: <i>Colorado State Patrol</i> <i>HSI Bulk Cash Smuggling Center</i> <i>Desert Snow</i> <i>Rocky Mountain HIDTA Awards</i> <i>National Criminal Enforcement Association</i>	Salon C & D
21:30 - 23:30	Hospitality & Networking Event	Salon E

Thursday, May 3, 2018		Location
08:00 - 08:30	<b>El Paso Intelligence Center (EPIC) - Overview</b> Presenter: <i>Mario Rodriguez; Officer/Training Coordinator - El Paso Intelligence Center, Texas</i>	Salon C & D
08:30 - 09:00	<b>Homeland Security Investigations (HSI) National Bulk Cash Smuggling Center - Overview</b> Presenter: <i>Jeff Weeks; Intelligence Research Specialist - National Bulk Cash Smuggling Center</i>	Salon C & D
09:00 - 09:30	<b>Domestic Highway Enforcement (DHE) - Overview</b> Presenter: <i>Tony Garcia; Director - South TX HIDTA &amp; Michael Synders; National Coordinator - DHE</i>	Salon C & D
09:30 - 10:00	Morning Break <b>**Complimentary refreshments in vendor area**</b>	Salon E
10:00 - 11:30	<b>War On Drugs And Marijuana Legislation</b> Presenter: <i>Tom Gormon; Director - Rocky Mountain HIDTA</i>	Salon C & D
<b>Lunch &amp; Additional Training Opportunities</b>		Attendees On Own
11:30 - 13:30	<b>Hidden Compartment Demonstrations</b> Presenter: <i>Colorado State Patrol</i>	Outdoors
12:15 - 13:15	<b>Interdiction Case Studies</b> Presenter: <i>Moderated by Chris Romine; Trooper - Colorado State Patrol</i>	Salon C & D
12:15 - 13:15	<b>Hotel/Motel &amp; Parcel Interdiction</b> Presenter: <i>Greg Morgan; Sergeant - Hamillton County Sheriff's Office</i>	Salon A
13:30 - 15:00	<b>Stories From Officers Who Survived Deadly Encounters</b> <b>The Sikh Temple Massacre - August 2012</b> Presenter: <i>Brian Murphy; Lieutenant (ret) - Oak Creek Police Department, Wisconsin</i>	Salon C & D
15:00 - 15:30	Afternoon Break <b>**Complimentary refreshments in vendor area**</b>	Salon E
15:30 - 17:00	<b>Stories From Officers Who Survived Deadly Encounters</b> Presenter: <i>Tony Lopez JR; Sergeant - Denver Police Department</i> <i>Daniel Brite; Detective - Douglas County Sheriff's Office</i>	Salon C & D
17:05 - 17:15	Announcements & Raffles	Salon C & D
17:15 - 18:30	<b>Informal Peer Counseling</b> Presenter: <i>Dr. Kathy Thomas - EMDR Therapist, Oklahoma &amp; Gene Hise - Police Chaplain, Virginia</i>	Vail Ballroom
18:30 - 20:30	<b>Legal Cannabis Warehouse Grows &amp; Extraction Lab Tours</b> Presenter: <i>Buddy Boy Brand Dispensaries (Off-Site With Transportation Provided)</i>	Signup Required
19:00 - 22:00	Hospitality & Networking Event	Salon E
Friday, May 4, 2018		Location
08:00 - 09:30	<b>How To Conduct A Successful Criminal Interdiction Traffic Stop</b> Presenter: <i>David Frye; Deputy - Seward County Sheriff's Office, Nebraska</i>	Salon C & D
09:30 - 10:00	Morning Break <b>**Complimentary refreshments in vendor area**</b>	Salon E
10:00 - 11:30	<b>Street Level Criminal Interdiction</b> Presenter: <i>Jason Cokinos; Deputy Commander - Montgomery County Police Department, MD</i>	Salon C & D