

CALIFORNIA NARCOTIC OFFICERS' ASSOCIATION

Ethics in Narcotics Enforcement

Tuesday, March 11th, 2025

0800-1700

Location: WSIN 1825 Bell St, Suite 205 Sacramento, CA 95825

Description: Narcotics enforcement presents some of the most complex legal issues in law enforcement for both peace officers and prosecutors. With the world of narcotics, individuals can be confronted with difficult and compromising decisions that can impact an investigation, a prosecution, a career, and a life. These situations involve complex ethical issues. This class is designed for anyone involved in narcotics enforcement (analysts, prosecutors, peace officers) in how to handle these ethical issues and make the correct decision. This topic is not often addressed until after the results of a bad decision. Topics will include policies and best practices, informant issues, search warrant writing issues, Brady and discovery issues, court and privileges, and other cases considerations that could impact a case and/or career.

INSTRUCTOR: Matt De Moura, Yolo County Deputy District Attorney, has been a prosecutor since 2011, and has handled gang, firearms, narcotics, Three Strikes, and homicide cases as a trial attorney. He has extensive experience with grand jury, wiretaps, and search warrants at the federal and state levels. He is currently cross designated as a Special Assistant United States Attorney with the Sacramento Organized Crime Drug Enforcement Task Force (OCDETF) Strike Force handling large scale drug trafficking and money laundering cases. He serves as a HIDTA Initiative Commander where he also teaches on narcotics, firearms, ethics, court, and search warrants. He is an Academy instructor and teaches for CNOA. He writes for CDAA, as well.

Fee: \$40.00 for current CNOA members and \$60.00 for non-members. The class fee will be accepted during sign-in on the day of the class. Checks are to be made out to "CNOA Region II." If pre-paying for the class by check, please mail to WSIN, 1825 Bell St, Suite 205, Sacramento, CA 95825, Attn: CNOA. If paying with cash, please have the exact amount.

CNOA membership applications will be available for those wishing to join. Registration: Registration begins at 0730 hours with class starting by 0800. To register, please go to www.cnoa.org and register through the online process. If you have questions regarding the training, contact Erin Horn at <u>ehorn@wsin.riss.net</u> or George Negrete at <u>gnegrete@sjgov.org</u>.

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