

# Gang Culture & Supervision for Law Enforcement



**Know the Culture. Recognize the Connections.  
Document with Confidence.**



## Facilitated by Detective Craig Marquez

*30+ years in Public Safety*

*LAPD Detective Supervisor | Gang Investigations Expert*

- » California Gang Foundations & Trends
- » Gang Relationships & Structures
- » Identifiers, Symbols & Photographic Evidence
- » Officer Safety & Interagency Awareness
- » Local Street Gangs & Legal Foundations
- » Professional Interaction & Supervision Practices
- » Recruitment, Influence & Control
- » Documentation, Application & Collaboration

### DATE

Feb. 17, 2027

### TIME

8:00am - 5:00pm

### COST

\$195.00

### LOCATION

Marina Park  
1600 W. Balboa Blvd  
Newport Beach, CA 92633

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### COURSE DESCRIPTION

*Gang culture is constantly evolving, and law enforcement professionals need more than outdated identifiers to respond to today's gang-involved population. This dynamic, 8-hour STC-certified course, covers current California gang trends, structure and culture, evolving identifiers, street and prison gang dynamics, social media influence, recruitment strategies, officer safety, and the legal foundations of gang affiliation and documentation.*

*Through case studies, scenario-based exercises, and group discussion, participants learn to recognize gang indicators, distinguish objective observations from inference, apply California Penal Code §186.22, and produce accurate, defensible documentation. The course strengthens decision-making, professional communication, and interagency collaboration—preparing officers to respond safely, lawfully, and effectively to gang activity in the field.*