2024 WESTERN REGIONAL
JOINT THREAT ASSESSMENT TRAINING
MAY 15 & 16, 2024
As heard by millions in his widely viewed TED Talk, Aaron Stark will share about his violent childhood, his struggles with mental health, access to guns, and why he eventually did not end up committing violence in 1996.

**Mr. Todd & the Mob: How a Reference to Pop Culture Increased the Threat in an Exceptional Case**

Bryan Flannery

10:45-12:00pm

**Cross-Cultural Considerations in BTAM**

Glenn Sandford, CTM & Bev Baligad, JD

1:00-2:00pm

**Cracked Fear-View Mirror: A Case of Fear-Based Threat Management Strategies as Triggers to a Last Straw**

Matt Talbot, PhD, CTM & Ashlee Heavrin

2:15-3:15pm

**A Solo Practitioner's Journey: Mastering High-Risk Stalking in Evolving Corporate Seas**

Jameson Ritter, CPP, PSP, PCI, CTM

3:25-4:25pm

**Closing Remarks**

4:25-4:30pm

**Reception/Networking**

4:30pm
MALCOLM MCGUIRE, MA, CFE

HASSLE ON THE HILLTOP: A UNIVERSITY CASE STUDY
MALCOLM MCGUIRE, MA, CFE
10:45-12:00pm
THURSDAY, MAY 16TH
CARRIE ACKERMAN, JD, RACHAEL FROST, HOLLY RYAN, & KELLY SAYRE
9:05-10:35am
PANEL DISCUSSION:
TRAUMA VS. THE THREAT LADIES CLUB
CARRIE ACKERMAN, JD, RACHAEL FROST, HOLLY RYAN, & KELLY SAYRE
9:05-10:35am
BREAKE/NETWORKING
10:35-10:50am
LUNCH PROVIDED
12:00-1:30pm

OPENING REMARKS
8:45-9:05am

BREAKOUT SESSION 1
1:30-2:30pm

TRACK A
IT COULD NEVER HAPPEN HERE, WHY THERE’S A NEED FOR THREAT ASSESSMENTS WITHIN HIGHER EDUCATION
SAMANTHA SHAFFER, M.S. & MATT DEURMEIER

TRACK B
UNRAVELING THE THREADS: A CASE STUDY OF ELIZABETH WETTLAUFER AND THE OVERLOOKED PRE-INCIDENT INDICATORS IN LONG-TERM CARE FACILITIES
DENISE KOSTER, LLM, Lic. PI, CTM

BREAK/NETWORKING
2:30-2:40pm

BREAKOUT SESSION 2
2:40-3:45pm

TRACK A
STRENGTH IN SMALL TOWNS: USING RESILIENCE AND CONNECTION TO CREATE EFFECTIVE SCHOOL BASED BEHAVIORAL THREAT ASSESSMENT PROGRAMS
ADAM SCATTERGOOD, LMHC, CTM

TRACK B
MITIGATING BLIND SPOTS IN ASSESSING STALKING BEHAVIORS: A CASE STUDY EXPLORATION
MARIYA DVOSKINA, PSY.D, CTM

CLOSING REMARKS
3:45-4:00pm