



International Human Trafficking Training Solutions

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Laster Global Consulting and Investigative Services International have joined forces to provide Cross-Agency Trafficking in Persons Training.

Bridging the Gap between Law Enforcement & Victim Service Providers

HONOLULU, HAWAII, August 8, 2009 - In the years that this group's members have worked in their respective fields, they have seen a substantial disconnect between Human Trafficking victim service providers, law enforcement and respective agencies. In response to this, *Laster Global Consulting* and *Investigative Services International* have formed a new joint venture – **International Human Trafficking Training Solutions (IHTTS)**. As part of this new venture, IHTTS offers a Cross-Agency Trafficking in Persons Training Group comprised of trainers from law-enforcement and victim service provider backgrounds. IHTTS trainers are certified in the DOJ Train-the-Trainer program as well as bring an extensive knowledge base and seasoned experience from their respective fields.

The two driving forces behind IHTTS have an extensive track record when it comes to the challenges from both the victim and law enforcement end of Human Trafficking. Dottie Laster, President of Laster Global Consulting and Executive Director of Million Kids (www.millionkids.com) an expert in the field of Human Trafficking and Frederick Coward, President of Investigative Services International, a retired Special Agent of the FBI and Assistant Legal Attaché to the American Embassy in Japan.

Laster emphasized, "We feel our group provides a team and training program that can help bridge the gap between all agencies involved in HT cases. Our training program not only offers basic HT education but provides a cross-agency approach which supports the OFFICE TO MONITOR AND COMBAT TRAFFICKING IN PERSONS and TVPA standards of: Punishment, Protection, Prevention and Partnership."

The **2009 Trafficking in Persons Training Program** covers: Sex Trafficking, DMST (Domestic Minor Sex Trafficking), Child Sex Trafficking, Child Sex Tourism (CST), Commercial Sexual Exploitation of Children (CSEC), Involuntary Domestic Servitude, Labor Trafficking (Forced Labor, Bonded Labor, Migrant Debt Bondage).

Basic and advanced training services are offered as well as consultation to assist agencies and organizations in developing/expanding Human Trafficking training initiatives.

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