“It didn’t take long for me to notice and appreciate that the Academy was managed by a highly competent and motivated Bates College security staff.”

NECSOTA Graduates include officers from:

- Allegheny College, Pennsylvania
- Ashburnham Police Department, Massachusetts
- The American University in Bulgaria, Bulgaria
- Bard College, New York
- Bates College, Maine
- Bowdoin College, Maine
- Bucknell University, Pennsylvania
- Coate Rosemary Hall, Connecticut
- Colby College, Maine
- Colgate College, New York
- College of New Rochelle, New York
- Connecticut College, Connecticut
- Cushing Academy, Massachusetts
- Deerfield Academy, Massachusetts
- Dwight-Englewood, New Jersey
- Fairfield University, Connecticut
- Fredrick Community College, Maryland
- George Fox University, Oregon
- Historic Deerfield, Massachusetts
- Hotchkiss School, Connecticut
- Husson College, Maine
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Dear Colleagues:

On behalf of New England Campus Security Officer Training Academy (NECSOTA) team, it is my distinct pleasure to announce the Academy Class of 2007: for a tenth consecutive year we will be offering our outstanding experience in training leaders in the field of campus security. The Academy this year will take place on June 17-23, 2007, and will be kindly hosted by Bates College in Lewiston, Maine.

Over the last 9 years, NECSOTA has firmly established itself as the paragon in its field: from its inaugural year that first welcomed its students back in 1998, it has now fully developed into a modern training entity widely praised for its professionalism and exceptional quality of instruction, and is currently setting the standards for campus security training. It has not only excelled on the national level, but is now also steadily extending its outreach and acquiring international dimensions as well. NECSOTA’s philosophy and standards have set us apart from all other campus security training formations, and all of our graduates, whether new officers or experienced veterans, have walked away with newly found knowledge and skills, as well as a new satisfaction in their jobs.

The Academy curriculum is constantly being reviewed and updated to reflect the latest developments in the field of campus security, and we are thus able to offer high quality instruction and up-to-date courses dealing with current situations for the benefit of our students. Topics of instruction include but are not limited to: fire safety; crime prevention and analysis; hate crimes; report writing, interviewing and complaint procedures; understanding cultural diversity; community relations; community problem solving; officer safety; introduction to executive protection; bomb recognition and suspicious packages; gang recognition; and drug recognition. A series of exercises held in between the classes and other activities aim at fostering and promoting of networking and building esprit de corps.

The cost of attending the academy this year is $845.00. This fee covers instruction, room and board, class materials, an academy polo shirt, an academy pin and certificate upon graduation, as well as five Continuing Education Units (CEU’s) awarded by Bates College.

The deadline for registration is May 13, 2007. As we anticipate the class to fill quickly, we encourage you to apply early, and are looking forward to welcoming you on campus.

Sincerely,

Paul Menice
Academy Director

Directions

The College is located approximately three miles from Maine Turnpike Exit 13 (Lewiston Exit). Northbound travelers: take Exit 13 and turn left onto Alfred A. Plourde Parkway at the stop sign at the end of the off ramp. Southbound travelers: take Exit 13 and bear right onto Plourde Parkway. Continue on Plourde straight to stoplight at intersection of Plourde and Pleasant; continue on Plourde .6 miles to stoplight at Webster Street. Turn left onto Webster and travel 1 mile to stoplight at Farwell Street. Turn right onto Farwell and follow .6 miles to stoplight. Continue straight across intersection onto Russell Street and follow signs for NECSOTA.

If you have questions, please contact:

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Register early!

The New England Campus Security Officer Training Academy will be filled on a first-come, first-served basis. Please complete this form and return to:

Bates College
Office of Special Projects
163 Wood Street
Lewiston, Maine 04240-6016

Name__________________________________________ (as it will appear on your certificate)
College or University________________________________________
Department__________________________________________
Work Address________________________________________
City________________________________________________
State_________________Zip Code____________________
Daytime telephone________________________________________
E-mail______________________________________________
Fax________________________________________________
Name__________________________________________ (as it will appear on your name tag)
Years of experience____________________________________
Number of guests attending________________________________
Luncheon and graduation________________________________
Male or female (for housing purposes)_______________________
Polo shirt size__________________________________________
Payment (fee is $845)
Check enclosed (please make payable to Bates College/NECSOTA)
Please bill my institution, referencing our purchase order number______________________ (Note: we cannot bill your institution without a PO number)
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“I have definitely walked away with knowledge I can use on the job as well as on the street.”