

JONATHAN ZITZMANN, MS, MPA, CPM

CURRICULUM VITAE

EDUCATION

Texas A&M University Commerce

Master of Science in Applied Criminology

Area of Concentration: Criminal Justice Management

GPA: 3.8

Sam Houston State University

Master of Public Administration

Area of Concentration: Criminal Justice

GPA: 4.0

University of Houston Downtown

Bachelor of Applied Arts and Sciences in Criminal Justice

Area of Concentration: Organizational Behavior

GPA: 3.5

Blinn College

Associates of Applied Science in Law Enforcement Technology

Area of Concentration: Law Enforcement, Policy Academy

GPA: 3.7

GRADUATE COURSEWORK

CJ 501 Seminar in Policing and Law Enforcement

CJ 530 Seminar in Criminology

CJ 531 Issues in Criminal Law and Courts

CJ 568 Seminar in Corrections

CJ 520 Criminal Justice Administration and Management

CJ 577 Criminal Justice Planning and Evaluation

CJ 583 Criminal Justice Policy

CJ 597 Counter Intelligence

CJ 575 Research Methods in Criminal Justice

CJ 576 Data Analysis and Interpretation

CJ 59 Research Literature and Techniques

CRIJ 6396 Legal Aspects of Criminal Justice Management

PADM 5381 Dynamics of Public Administration

PADM 5383 Program Evaluation

PADM 5384 Organizational Theory and Behavior

PADM 5386 Human Resource Management

PADM 5387 Public Budgeting and Finance

PADM 5388 Ethics in Government

PADM 5389 Public Management

POLS 5377 Scope and Methods of Political Science

CERTIFICATIONS

Texas Master Peace Officer License, Texas Commission on Law Enforcement (TCOLE)
Certified Public Manager, Arizona State University
School of Police Staff and Command, Northwestern University

ACADEMIC EXPERIENCE

Texas A&M University Commerce

Adjunct Faculty

Responsible for providing instruction and on-demand assistance with content for undergraduate criminal justice courses. Engage students during the learning process and provide student-centered approaches to instruction. Provide timely feedback and evaluation/assessment on assignments and issues that might affect student success. Deliver classroom, blended/hybrid and/or online course instruction in regular or accelerated formats, utilizing innovative techniques to engage students and meet their learning needs. Participate in creating and maintaining a positive learning environment that fosters student success. Utilize student metrics/data to aid individual students regarding progress and evaluation of course activities. Work with struggling students by providing them with one-to-one support. Ensure course materials are maintained, updated, finalized and ready/complete for subject area each term. Participate in departmental and program reviews and with members of the advisory committee(s) and program staff regarding curriculum materials for the subject area, individual student needs, and any other program areas, as needed.

COURSES TAUGHT

CJCB 302 - 21st Century Policing

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

Harris County Constable's Office, Precinct 4

Captain

Sworn law enforcement captain responsible for supervising the day-to-day operations of the North Patrol Division totaling 100 square miles and a population of 170,000. Supervises 115 subordinate deputies, investigators, corporals, sergeants, and lieutenants. Directs, coordinates and reviews assignments and projects; assesses and secures proper staffing levels; and coordinates activities with stakeholders. Attends regional meetings, provides training opportunities for deputies, and manages major crime scenes and investigations. Supervises specialty units such as the Special Operations Unit and the K9 Unit.

Harris County Constable's Office, Precinct 4

Lieutenant

Sworn law enforcement lieutenant responsible for coordinating the operational activities of the East Patrol Division which was comprised of 53 square miles and a population of 75,000. Prepared and addressed crime statistics; established meaningful ways to reduce crime; evaluated strategies and made adjustments as required. Attended regional meetings, provided training opportunities for deputies and managed major crime scenes. Supervised the work of 41 subordinate deputies, corporals, and sergeants. Supervised the operational activities of the Special Operations Unit. Worked with community HOAs and utility districts to increase contract patrol personnel by 20%.

Harris County Constable's Office, Precinct 4

Sergeant

Sworn law enforcement sergeant assigned to the Central Patrol Division and the Special Operations Unit. Presided over roll calls, attended regional meetings, provided training opportunities for deputies and managed major crime scenes. Directly supervised investigations involving organized crime, prostitution, delivery of narcotics and domestic violence. Directly supervised and participated in the enforcement of traffic laws. Developed operation plans to

combat the delivery and manufacture of narcotics and safely execute warrants. Directly supervised investigations involving major crimes such as armed robberies, car-jackings and auto-theft. Directly supervised and participated in the enforcement of traffic laws.

Harris County Constable's Office, Precinct 4

Deputy Constable

Sworn law enforcement deputy constable assigned to the North Patrol Division. Responded to emergency and non-emergency calls-for-service, conducted traffic enforcement, participated in community policing efforts, participated in local and regional task forces, investigated criminal offenses, arrested fugitives and wanted individuals, attended training seminars, proactively patrolled assigned geographic area.

Madisonville Police Department

Assistant Chief of Police

Sworn law enforcement assistant chief of police responsible for the day-to-day operations of all police department functions. Maintained good working relationships with other departments and managers within the City of Madisonville and cultivated good working relationships with federal, state, and other local law enforcement agencies to advance the goals of the Madisonville Police Department and the City of Madisonville. Assumed the position of incident commander during all major incidents and major events in the City of Madisonville. Acted as the public information officer for the MPD and maintained positive relationships with local and regional media outlets. Actively participated in regional committees such as the Criminal Justice Advisory Committee, Homeland Security Advisory Committee, and Madison County Emergency Management Committee. Implemented 21st century policy and procedures that are recognized as "Best Practices" by the Texas Police Chief's Association.

Madisonville Police Department

Lieutenant

Sworn law enforcement lieutenant responsible for the day-to-day operations of all sworn law enforcement activities of the police department. Implemented a structured field training program that exceeded state and national standards. Founded and supervised the Madisonville Police Department Crime Reduction Unit to focus on targeted enforcement efforts. Implemented and oversaw the addition of the first Crime Scene Unit to the Madisonville Police Department. Successfully taught courses to police officers regarding the use of TASERS and employee performance evaluations. Field Training Coordinator (FTC) with a staff of three training officers responsible for training and developing probationary police officers through a six-phase, 20-week training program.

Madisonville Police Department

Corporal

Sworn law enforcement corporal responsible for a squad of police officers. Directly supervised investigations involving organized crime, prostitution, delivery of narcotics, and domestic violence. Directly supervised and participated in the enforcement of traffic laws. Established a reputation for continuously handling increasing responsibilities by earning promotion to the rank of lieutenant, outperforming other individuals in the department.

Madisonville Police Department

Police Officer

Sworn law enforcement officer assigned to the Patrol Division. Responded to emergency and non-emergency calls-for-service, conducted traffic enforcement, participated in community policing efforts, participated in local and regional task forces, investigated criminal offenses, arrested fugitives and wanted individuals, attended training seminars, proactively patrolled the City of Madisonville.

PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT

Texas Commission on Law Enforcement (TCOLE) Certified Training: Northwestern University School of Police Staff and Command, FBI-LEEDA Trilogy, Police Executive Development Program - Penn State University, Field Training Officer, Command Staff Leadership, Incident Command Leadership, Task Force Leadership, Master Peace Officer, Financial Literacy Training for Police Managers, Budgets for Police Managers, Advanced Public Information Officer, Police Ethics and Cultural Diversity Training, Weapons of Mass Destruction (WMD) Response for Police Managers, Internal Investigations for Police Managers, Property and Evidence, Advanced Supervisor Liability Reduction Response to Active Shooters, Effective Employee Evaluations Training Mental Health Officer, Crisis Intervention Sexual Assault/Family Violence Investigator, Criminal Investigations, Death Investigations, Officer Involved Shooting Investigations, TASER Instructor Certification, Certified Homeland Protection Professional.

AWARDS AND HONORS

Officer of the Year, 2012, Madisonville Police Department
Officer of the Year, 2013, Houston 100 Club
Magna Cum Laude, Blinn College
Academic Recognition Award, 2014, Texas Commission on Law Enforcement
Trilogy Award, 2016, FBI Law Enforcement Executive Development Association
Dean's List, University of Houston Downtown
Special Operations Unit Citation, 2018, Harris County Precinct 4 Constable's Office
K9 Division Unit Citation, 2019, Harris County Precinct 4 Constable's Office
Constable Commendation, 2019, Harris County Precinct 4 Constable's Office
Graduation Keynote Student Speaker, 2019, Arizona State University Certified Public Manager Program
General Graduate Student Scholarship, 2020, Sam Houston State University
Special Operations Unit Citation, 2020, Harris County Precinct 4 Constable's Office
Captain of the Year, 2020, Harris County Precinct 4 Constable's Office

MEMBERSHIPS

Lone Star College Law Enforcement Academy TCOLE Advisory Board, 2021 - Current
Lone Star College Law Enforcement Academy Director Search Committee, 2021
Houston 100 Club Law Enforcement Awards Selection Committee, 2013 – 2015
Justice of the Peace and Constable Association of Texas, 2015 – Current
Texas Municipal Police Association, 2012 – Current
Alpha Phi Sigma, National Criminal Justice Honor Society, 2018 - Current