### SHERRY BLACK EDUCATION FOUNDATION

"TO ENRICH LIVES THROUGH THE TRANSFER OF KNOWLEDGE TO HELP SOLVE CRIMES."

- > Overview of Crime Assessment
- >Instructor backgrounds
- >Key elements
- > Fundraising Opportunities
- **Partnerships**

On November 30th, 2010, Salt Lake City businessman Earl Black entered the shop next to his home to discover that his wife, Sherry, had been the victim of a homicide. Beaten and stabbed to death with no obvious motive, Sherry's murder quickly became the subject of a major police investigation that sadly remains unsolved to this day.



### HOMICIDE STATISTICS

> Over 240,000 unsolved homicides in the United States since 1980

Clearance rate is 64%

#### VIOLENT CRIME STATISTICS

- ➤ 2015 46% of violent crimes were cleared by arrest or exceptionally cleared
- > 54% of Aggravated Assaults cleared
- > 37.8% Rapes cleared

This course is an introduction to the tools used in analyzing probative evidence. This type of evidence is divided into three categories: physical, direct and circumstantial. By evaluating the presence or absence of this evidence, it is possible to establish a recognizable pattern of criminal behavior. The first part of the course will examine the theoretical basis of crime assessment and the roles played by Criminological and Psychological continuums. This will be followed by exploring the key roles that power and anger play in crime behavior. The final phase of the course involves discussing applied methods used in identifying the perpetrators of a given crime.

By the end of the course, attendees should be able to adopt a systematic approach to understanding the motives (both implicit and explicit), methods, and opportunities behind committing criminal offenses. They should also understand four major crime sub-types; namely, Power-Assertive, Power-Reassurance, Anger-Retaliatory, and Anger-Excitation. Using this knowledge, attendees should understand the primary crime factors associated with these crime types and be able to apply this understanding to real-life cases. The course itself provides instruction through lectures, reading assignments, and case studies.

#### RICHARD WALTER

- Recently a scholar-in-residence at the OSU Graduate School of Forensic Sciences
- ► 22 years as a prison psychologist with the Michigan Department of Corrections
- Works with police as a consultant on current and cold cases.
- International expert on crime assessment, profiling and risk evaluation

#### RICHARD WALTER

- Consulted in the United States, Great Britain, Australia and Hong Kong
- Lectures to law enforcement and academic groups on murder sub-types and signature aspects of interpersonal and workplace violence
- Co-Founder of the Vidocq Society

#### PATRICK ZIRPOLI

- Retired from the Pennsylvania State Police
- Supervisor of the Criminal Investigation Assessment Unit
- Pennsylvania Amber Alert Coordinator
- Created courses that have been taught to law enforcement agencies and related groups throughout the United States and internationally.

#### PATRICK ZIRPOLI

- > Subject matter expert for the PA State Police in:
  - > crime assessment
  - >criminal behavior
  - > equivocal death analysis
  - > cold cases
  - > staged crime scenes
  - > sexual assault

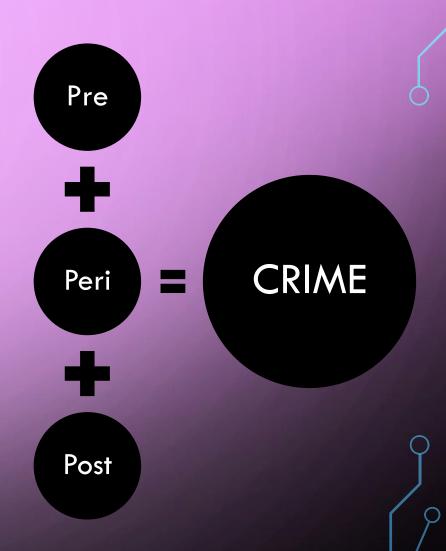
# THE COURSE

- First Three Day's
  - >8:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m.
  - > Educational portion

#### THE PROCESS OF CRIME

#### Crime occurs in three stages

- > Pre-Crime
- > Peri-Crime
- > Post-Crime

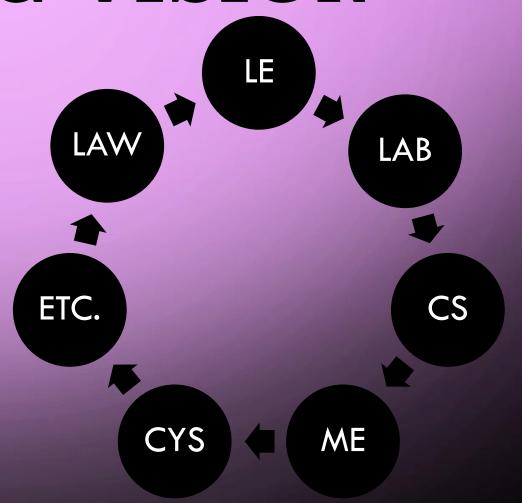


# CONSULTATION

- > Last Two Days
  - >8:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m.
  - > Case review

# TRAINING VISION

- Not limited to just Unsolved Homicide
- >Train locally
- >All partners



# COST

- The cost for an attendee is \$200.00
- A scholarship program exists

# LOCATIONS

- > LE Training Centers
- College Campus
- > Hotel Conference Center

### PARTNERSHIP

- Local program assists in securing location
- Meals (Lunch and Breaks)
- Identifying possible donation resources and sponsors
  - A member of the foundation will fly in to meet with the sponsors

### PARTNERSHIP

- > Local programs assist with onsite registration
- Conference registration and case submission will be through the website
- > All training materials are provided
- Raffle items are accepted

## PARTNERSHIP

Money raised will be shared between the participating non-profit organizations

### BENEFITS

- >Offers sound investigative training
- > Builds working relationships
- > Promotes Crime Stoppers in the Community
- > Case Consultation

# QUESTIONS?