

Defensive Training Concepts Instructors

Lynn Freshly

Lynn is a full time police lieutenant for a small city in NE Ohio. He has over 25 years of law enforcement experience and has been a firearms instructor since 1987 and has certifications from OPOTA. Lynn is the SWAT Team Commander for his department's tactical team and has attended most major shooting schools in the country including, Gunsite, Chapman Academy, HK International Training Division, USMC Scout Sniper, US Army Special Forces Advanced Marksmanship, FBI Basic and Advanced Sniper, Jerry Barnhart, Rob Leatham and Ron Avery. He has completed over 40 firearms related training courses and is also a part-time instructor for the Tactical Defense Institute (www.tdiohio.com) in Southern Ohio. At TDI he instructs classes in handgun, shotgun, tactical rifle, precision rifle and tactics.

Dave Conner

Dave is a full time firefighter/medic for a small city in NE Ohio. He has over 25 years experience instructing firearms. His firearms training started in the US Navy where he was a weapons specialist, armorer and small arms technical advisor while serving as a Gunner's Mate in a support role with a Naval Special Warfare unit where he attended many shooting and weapons schools. After being honorably discharged he joined the US Army National Guard and was a tank commander, weapons instructor and reconnaissance team leader. He is a Tactical Medic for his city's SWAT team and instructs the team in weapons and tactics. Dave is a NRA Certified Instructor and Range Safety Officer.