

# Washington, DC



## END VIOLENCE AGAINST WOMEN INTERNATIONAL

*A professional training organization*

# International Conference on Sexual Assault, Domestic Violence, and Engaging Men & Boys



March 22-24, 2016  
Washington Hilton  
Washington, DC

Join fellow law enforcement personnel, prosecutors, victim advocates, judges, parole and probation officers, medical personnel, faith community members, educators and others in this three-day conference highlighting promising practices and emerging issues in sexual assault, domestic violence, and engaging men and boys.

Register online at [www.evawintl.org](http://www.evawintl.org)



## Highlights

Just some of the sessions you can look forward to attending include:

- *Working Together Across Differences: Building Alliances to Engage Men & Boys*
- *Strangulation: What Emergency Care Providers Need to Know*
- *Strengthening Military-Civilian Community Partnerships to Respond to Sexual Assault*
- *No More "Just the Facts Ma'am" - A Revolution in Trauma-Informed Responses in Sexual Assault Cases*
- *Digital Malice and Deception: The Cyber Arms of Interpersonal Violence*
- *Linking Systems of Care for Children and Youth*
- *Beyond the Burning Bed: What Does Justice Look Like for a Victim of Abuse Who Commits A Crime Against an Abuser?*
- *Using Telemedicine to Improve the Care of Sexual Assault Victims*
- *Reimagine Sexual Violence Prevention Education: Taking Educator Skills from Good to Great*
- *Playing "50 Shades of Grey"*
- *The Collision Course Between Mental Illness and Sexual Assault: What Does It Mean?*
- *Turning the Case Upside Down - Rethinking the Art & Science of Suspect Interviews*
- *From "DNA Backlogs" Toward a Brighter Future: Addressing the Problem with Comprehensive and Strategic Approaches*
- *College Men's Perceptions of Affirmative Consent, Coercion and Sexual Violence: Research Findings and Implications for Policy and Practice*
- *Restoring the Balance in Criminal Justice: Handling Issues that Arise When Victims Hire Lawyers and / or Exercise Their Rights*
- *Using an Alternate Light Source in Forensic Nurse Examiner Programs: Recent Research*
- *Wraparound Victim Legal Assistance Network Project: Providing Holistic Legal Services to Victims of Crime*
- *Establishing Partnerships with Professional, College and High School Sports to End Violence Against Women*

## Agenda at a Glance:

### Tuesday – March 22, 2016

**8:00-8:30** Welcome - Dave Cohen  
**8:30-9:15** Award Presentations  
**9:15-10:15** Plenary I - *It's No Joke: The Cultural Acceptability of Stalking*  
**10:15-10:45** Break  
**10:45-12:00** Plenary II - *The Neurobiology of Sexual Assault*  
**12:00-1:00** Lunch - Provided  
**1:00-2:30** 8 Concurrent Breakouts  
**2:30-3:00** Break  
**3:00-4:30** 8 Concurrent Breakouts  
**4:45** Meet the Author: Jon Krakauer  
**4:45-6:00** 1 Evening Session

### Wednesday – March 23, 2016

**8:00-8:30** Opening Remarks  
**8:30-10:00** Plenary I - *Leadership & Liability Lessons Learned: Domestic Violence, Sexual Assault and Stalking*  
**10:00-10:30** Break  
**10:30-12:00** Plenary II - *Lessons from Death Row: How Violence Emerges from Vulnerability*  
**12:00-1:00** Lunch - Provided  
**1:00-2:30** 8 Concurrent Breakouts  
**2:30-3:00** Break  
**3:00-4:30** 8 Concurrent Breakouts  
**4:45-6:00** 3 Evening Sessions

### Thursday – March 24, 2016

**8:15-9:45** 8 Concurrent Breakouts  
**9:45-10:15** Break  
**10:15-11:45** 8 Concurrent Breakouts  
**11:45-12:45** Lunch - Provided  
**12:45-1:00** Announcements  
**1:00-2:15** Plenary I - *Sexual Predators: What We Don't Know - We REALLY DON'T KNOW*  
**2:15-2:45** Break  
**2:45-4:00** Plenary II - *"Reading" Victims and Judging Credibility - Best Practices in Promoting Victim-Centered Prosecution*  
**4:00-4:30** Closing Remarks

## Plenary Speakers

Jeffrey Bucholtz, Director,  
We End Violence

Rebecca Campbell, PhD, Professor,  
Department of Psychology,  
Michigan State University

Elizabeth Donegan, Sergeant, Sex  
Offender Apprehension and  
Registration Unit Supervisor,  
Austin Police Department

Tom Tremblay, Chief (Ret), Burlington  
Police Department

Mark Wynn, Lt (Ret), Nashville Police  
Department

Wendy Patrick, J.D., PhD, Deputy  
District Attorney, Sex Crimes and  
Stalking Division, San Diego County  
District Attorney's Office

David Lisak, PhD, Forensic Consultant

## Awardees

Visionary Award:  
Dr. Rebecca Campbell

Professional Impact Award:  
Sergeant Shawn Saunders

Media Excellence Award:  
Jon Krakauer

## Pre-Conference Track - March 21, 2016

This year we will offer an incredible opportunity to participate in a *SART Interactive Scenario: From the Crime Scene to the Courtroom*. This optional, one-day training will take place the day before the main conference starts.

Separate registration required - see [www.evawintl.org](http://www.evawintl.org) for details



# Registration

**Register and pay by December 1, 2015  
and save \$100 off the full conference fee!**

**\$445** – Payment received by **December 1, 2015**

**\$495** – Payment received by **February 1, 2016**

**\$545** – Payment received after **February 1, 2016**

**\$395** – Full Time Student Registration (must submit valid ID at time of registration)

## Hotel & Travel Information

### Washington Hilton

1919 Connecticut Ave., NW, Washington DC

Phone: (202) 483-3000

**Reservations: 1-800-HILTONS**

[www.washingtonhilton.com](http://www.washingtonhilton.com)

### Conference Room Rates:

- \$229.00 + taxes and fees per room/per night. A deposit equal to one night's stay is required
- To obtain our conference room rate, reservations must be made by February 19, 2016, using the special 4-digit **Group Code "EVAW"**
- Visit our conference details web page for a link to the hotel reservations group page

### Transit Information:

The Reagan National Airport is located 6 miles from the Washington Hilton. Below are typical rates:

Super Shuttle	\$14.00 USD
Taxi	\$19.00 USD

The Dulles International Airport is located 27 miles from the Washington Hilton. The Metrorail is available. Learn more and plan your trip at [www.wmata.com](http://www.wmata.com).

Super Shuttle	\$29.00 USD
Taxi	\$55.00 USD

**NOTE:** Fares quoted are approximate, subject to change and based on one-way transportation.

**Parking:** \$41 (Garage)  
\$49 (Valet)



Only registrations received WITH PAYMENT by the cutoff date qualify for an early bird discount. You may use a purchase order to register, but full payment must be received by the applicable cutoff date to qualify for the early rate. Submit your paperwork early so you can take advantage of this offer! Unfortunately, if your agency will not pay until after you have attended or until after the cutoff date, you will not qualify for a discounted rate.

### CONFERENCE FEES INCLUDE:

- 3 days of training with leading national experts
- 3 continental breakfasts and coffee breaks
- 3 lunches
- Electronic course materials

**GROUP DISCOUNT** available for teams of 5 or more; the 5<sup>th</sup> registration is free.

**CANCELLATION AND REFUND REQUESTS** must be received by February 19, 2016. An administrative fee of \$100.00 applies to all refunds. Refund and cancellation requests must be made in writing and e-mailed to [Jessica@evawintl.org](mailto:Jessica@evawintl.org), or faxed to 774-404-7108.

**NO REFUNDS WILL BE GIVEN AFTER FEBRUARY 19, 2016.**

**CONTINUING EDUCATION** is available for nurses and social workers for a \$25 fee. For other disciplines, we encourage you to submit your certificate of attendance along with our agenda, abstracts and speakers' biographies to pursue continuing education.

**NOTE:** This is a professional conference dealing with sensitive and sometimes difficult subject matter that may not be appropriate for untrained individuals. We are mindful that some individuals may have a difficult time with the subject matter, including those with a history of victimization. This is especially true because the content of workshop discussions cannot always be anticipated in advance. Please keep this concern in mind as you consider participating in this conference.

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# EVAWI a professional training organization



## VISION STATEMENT

We envision a world where gender-based violence is unacceptable, where perpetrators are held accountable, and victims receive the compassion, support, and justice they deserve.

## MISSION STATEMENT

We inspire and educate those who respond to gender-based violence, equipping them with the knowledge and tools they need to support victims and hold perpetrators accountable. We promote victim-centered, multi-disciplinary collaboration, which strengthens the response of the criminal justice system, other professionals, allies, and the general public -- making communities safer.

## Quotes from Conference Attendees

*EVAWI remains the best training available.*

- Victim Advocate

*I had a lightbulb moment when the comparison between officer involved shootings and sexual assault investigative interviews was made. We give our folks [law enforcement] 24-72 hours to "settle" before an interview, but expect a SA victim to rattle off specifics immediately and in order... Thank you, I get it!*

- Law Enforcement

*Excellent. This really makes me want to learn more and will motivate me to do more.*

- Forensic Examiner

*This training helped me to realize to change the perspective in evaluating certain sexual assault cases. Instead of doing a victim-focused investigation, try a defendant-centered investigation.*

- Prosecutor

*I am so impressed by the work you and your staff do to prepare for this conference so I thought I'd write and say so. And re the agenda, I need to clone myself immediately. The conflicts for me - especially on Tuesday afternoon - are overwhelming. SO much good stuff, I wish I could be everywhere. Congratulations on passing the 1,200 attendees mark.*

- Attorney

*Great information: Act / Believe / Empower!!! Never forget why we / I do what I do and work together.*

- Victim Advocate

*Law Enforcement Leadership must attend at least one EVAWI Conference in their career to view the real picture of violence against women. EVAWI is the real picture of domestic violence worldwide.*

- Law Enforcement

*This will help me in my role as a victim advocate in a military setting to assist survivors in understanding what to expect. And I can speak to the level of professionalism and compassion in this field.*

- Victim Advocate

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