



American Council on Criminal Justice Training

As a business manager or Human Resource Officer, you may have several questions regarding our organization. The following are the most frequently asked questions about our offer of free public safety education and training:

What does the ACCJT do?

The ACCJT is a non-profit public safety education and training organization. We provide free public safety presentations and training courses to educational institutions, members of the general public, private businesses, private and public organizations, and for profit and non-profit corporations. Also, we provide free or low cost criminal justice training.

Who provides the instruction?

All of our Public Safety Education Instructors are full-time, former, or retired police, corrections, or parole/probation officers. Criminal Justice officers deal with crime, hostility, and violence throughout their workday. Consequently, criminal justice officers are experts on public safety issues and strategies. Our instructors bring real world application and experience to our public safety presentations and training courses.

What is your public safety education curriculum based on?

Our public safety-training curriculum contains the same information, techniques, and strategies as taught to criminal justice officers at their training academies or during their in-service investigative and survival skills training. For example, the techniques and strategies that are offered in our "Effectively Dealing with Hostility and Violence in the Workplace" presentation are the very same techniques and strategies taught to officers at the Oregon Public Safety Academy to defuse hostility and protect themselves from violence while on patrol or providing security in the correctional facility. The techniques taught in our "Self Defense Tactics for Women" training course are the same self defense techniques that are taught to and used by officers in over eight hundred criminal justice agencies nationally and internationally.

How is the public safety education program funded?

The ACCJT is funded through private donations, business and corporate sponsorships (donations), and foundation grants. There is no cost to any person, group, business, organization, or corporation for our public safety education training.

How do I get public safety education training for my employees?

All you have to do is request it. Furthermore, the employee's family members may attend the training if appropriate. To schedule a presentation or training course for your employees, contact Jennifer Gambill, our Oregon PSE Donation Coordinator (541) 310-9320 or jgambill@accjt.org.

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What does my business or corporation receive for sponsoring the ACCJT Public Safety Education Program?

Your business or corporation will receive credit and recognition for providing every public safety presentation or training course given within your city, county, metro area, or state – depending on the sponsorship option you choose.

As a business sponsor, what are my sponsorship options?

As a business sponsor you have four different sponsorship packages to choose from:

Bronze Business Sponsorship - Your business receives recognition and credit for sponsoring every public safety presentation or training course that is offered in your **local community** within the following twelve-month period. This acknowledgement is incorporated into the Power-Point presentation and includes a verbal recognition of your sponsorship of the training.

Silver Business Sponsorship - Your Business receives recognition and credit for sponsoring every public safety presentation or training course offered in your **local community** within the following twelve-month period in the PowerPoint presentation. Furthermore, your business is listed as a sponsor on the “Safety Tip Sheet” that the seminar participants receive.

Gold Business Sponsorship - Your business receives recognition and credit for sponsoring every public safety presentation or training course that is offered in the **metro area or region** within the following twelve-month period. This acknowledgement is incorporated into the Power-Point presentation and includes a verbal recognition of your sponsorship of the training.

Platinum Business Sponsorship - Your business receives recognition and credit for sponsoring every public safety presentation or training course offered in the **metro area or region** within the following twelve-month period in the PowerPoint presentation. Furthermore, your business is listed as a sponsor on the “Safety Tip Sheet” that the seminar participants receive.

As a corporate sponsor, what are my sponsorship options?

As a corporate sponsor, your company has two sponsorship options. First, your corporation can choose one of our four standard in-state sponsorship packages. Or, your corporation can choose to sponsor presentations to specific target groups.

Bronze Corporate Sponsorship - Your corporation receives recognition and credit for sponsoring every public safety presentation or training course that is offered to businesses and organizations statewide within the following twelve-month period. This acknowledgement is incorporated into the PowerPoint presentation and includes a verbal recognition of your sponsorship of the training.

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Silver Corporate Sponsorship - Your corporation receives recognition and credit for sponsoring every public safety presentation or training course that is offered to businesses and organizations statewide within the following twelve-month period in the PowerPoint presentation. Furthermore, your corporation is listed as a sponsor on the "Safety Tip Sheet" that the seminar participants receive.

Gold Corporate Sponsorship - Your corporation receives recognition and credit for sponsoring every public safety presentation or Training Course that is offered to businesses and organizations statewide within the following twelve-month period in the PowerPoint presentation. Your corporation is listed as a sponsor in all "Safety" Tip Sheets that the seminar participants receive. Furthermore, your corporation will be listed as a corporate sponsor in the Student Handbooks that can be downloaded off our website at no charge to the seminar attendees. The ACCJT offers a Student Handbook for each public safety education presentation.

Platinum Corporate Sponsorship - Your corporation receives recognition and credit for sponsoring every public safety presentation or training course that is offered to businesses and organizations within the following twelve-month period in the PowerPoint presentation. Your corporation is listed as a sponsor on all "Safety Tip Sheets" and downloadable Student Handbooks. Furthermore, your business is listed as a corporate sponsor on our website.

Target Group Sponsorship

Your corporation may choose to sponsor a presentation or a series of presentations to a specific target group or groups. The following is a list of businesses, organizations, and institutions that the ACCJT targets for specific presentations and trainings:

- Dental/Medical Offices
- Realtor Offices
- Retail Stores
- law Firms
- Hospitals
- Government Agencies
- Child Care Centers
- Corporations
- Retail Malls
- Colleges

As an alternative, your corporation may select your own specific target group. Or, you may choose to sponsor a single community presentation or a series of community presentations.

Bronze Target Group Sponsorship - Your corporation receives recognition and credit for sponsoring every public safety presentation or training course that is offered to a specific targeted business(s) or organization(s) within the **metro area** in the PowerPoint presentation. Furthermore, your corporation is listed as a sponsor on the "Safety Tip Sheet" that the seminar participants receive.

Silver Target Group Sponsorship - Your corporation receives recognition and credit for sponsoring every public safety presentation or training course that is offered to a specific targeted business(s) and organization(s) conducted **statewide** in the PowerPoint presentation. Furthermore, your corporation is listed as a sponsor on the "Safety Tip Sheets" that the seminar participants receive.

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Gold Target Group Sponsorship - Your corporation receives recognition as the sole sponsor of the public safety education presentation or training course to a **single** specific target group or organization. For example: The ACCJT provides the “Personal Protection Strategies for Women presentations” to the doctors, nurses, technicians, and their family members of a metro hospital. As a Gold Target Group Sponsor, your corporation is credited as the sole sponsor of the presentations.

Platinum Target Group Sponsorship - Your corporation receives recognition as the sole sponsor of the public safety education presentations or training courses to specific **(multiple)** target groups or organizations. For example: As a Platinum Target Group Sponsor, your corporation will be credited as the sole sponsor of the presentations to all the targeted hospitals in the metro area or within the state.

What other donation programs does the ACCJT offer?

The ACCJT has two additional donation programs. ***The Police Dog Donation Program.*** In this program the ACCJT works in partnership with the state’s law enforcement associations and the state’s association of mayors to identify a police department or sheriff department that lacks the funding to purchase, equip, and train a patrol or narcotics detection police dog. In addition to providing the police dog to the law enforcement agency, the ACCJT provides the required safety equipment to provide on-going training for the K9. Businesses and corporations who donate to this fund receive recognition of their support at the public Donation Ceremony.

The second additional donation program is the ***Peace Officer Memorial Fund.*** In collaboration with the state’s Chiefs of Police, Sheriff’s, and Peace Officers associations, the ACCJT selects an officer who has fallen in the line of duty to recognize and memorialize that officer for his or her ultimate sacrifice for public safety. Donations to this fund are used to provide criminal justice training seminars, instructor courses, and an annual conference in the fallen officer’s memory. In addition, the fund provides the surviving children of the officer with college scholarships. Businesses and corporations who donate to this fund receive recognition of their support at all the seminars, instructor courses, and at the annual conference.

How does my business or corporation make a donation to these additional programs?

You can donate on-line at our website: www.accjt.org. Or, contact your Oregon PSE Coordinator.

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