



Course Announcement

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Enhanced Exercise Design: Conduct and Evaluation

<u>DATE:</u>	August 23-26, 2011
<u>Location:</u>	Monterey County Office of Emergency Services 1322 Natividad Road Salinas, CA. 93906
<u>Description:</u>	4 day/ 32 hour course
<u>Course Description:</u>	Eligible for 3 quarter units of college credit/ DHS # CA-017-PREV
<u>Prerequisites:</u>	FEMA IS 120.a, <i>An Introduction to Exercises & The Homeland Security Exercise Evaluation Program (HSEEP) Course (Desired Prerequisites)</i>

Description: For over 3 decades CSTI has been the leader in the area of emergency response exercise design training. Currently, CSTI has embarked on a new practical exercise design course which encompasses the HSEEP Mobile Training Course (G-146), FEMA's IS-120 A (Intro to Exercises), FEMA's IS-139 (Exercise Design), and CSTI Enhanced Exercise Design Course. This hybrid course focuses on the unique emergency services exercise needs of governmental & private entities. This course utilizes the HSEEP Mobil Field Course Methodology, Concepts, and terminal/enabling objectives to develop, conduct, and evaluate a Table Top and Functional Exercise as a TEAM. The Enhanced Exercise Design: Conduct and Evaluation (EEDCE) course can be used as an elective course for individuals seeking to complete the California Emergency Management Agency's **Emergency Management Specialist Training Certificate Program**. The focus of the training is to provide the **best practices** as it relates to exercise design and development of an exercise design team. The course includes:

- **Establishing the Exercise Team**
- **Organizing the Design Team**
- **HSEEP Doctrine & Systems**
- **Design and Implementation of a discussion based and operational exercise**
- **Constructing an Exercise Plan**
- **Evaluating Exercises (EEG)**
- **Review Exercise Program**

Tuition FREE: This course is funded by the Emergency Management Performance Grant (EMPG) which provides tuition-free training for CA State/Local First Responders and CA Emergency Management Agencies. Most non-profit agencies that are affiliated with the California Mutual-Aid Response System are also eligible. Federal employees are welcome to attend EMPG-funded courses for free, in limited numbers, if space is available. You will be placed on stand-by and will be notified two weeks prior to class start date of availability. Members of private industry are generally required to pay the cost-recovery tuition rate unless documentation that verifies you are sponsored by a CA Emergency Management Agency is provided. Please contact the Course Registrar for information on cost-recovery tuition rates.

Registration: Apply online at: <http://w3.calema.ca.gov/PrepareTrain/Public/Registrar.nsf/wf?OpenFrameSet>. If you need a hardcopy application, please contact the registrar at (805) 549-3536 and one will be faxed or emailed to you. An information packet and map will be sent 4-8 weeks prior to the course. For registration questions call the Registrar Kayla Mikel at (805) 549-3536, Kayla.Mikel@calema.ca.gov or for course content, contact the Course Manager Michael Brady at (805) 549-3548, Michael.Brady@calema.ca.gov.