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The Chicago Chapter Member Newsletter



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TICKETS ON SALE UNTIL  
NOON ON DECEMBER 13TH



Chicago  
Chapter



**Seeking  
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Liaison  
Chair**



# ASIS CHICAGO CHAPTER 2021 HOLIDAY PARTY

## WHEN

December 16, 2021  
11:30 AM - 2:00 PM

## WHERE

Metropolitan Club  
Willis Towers

## TICKETS

\$80.00 Members  
\$90 Non-Members  
\$600 Table of Eight

## SPEAKERS



Matt Maravilla - ASIS Chicago Chapter Chairman  
speaking on the "State of the Chicago Chapter"

Eddie Sorrells, ASIS Global Board of Directors  
speaking on "ASIS International News and  
Updates"



## AGENDA



- 11:30am to 12:00pm.....Registration & Networking
- 12:00pm to 1:30pm.....Lunch & Annual Meeting
- 1:30pm to 2:00pm.....Gift Exchange

## RSVP

Tickets must be purchased by noon on 12.13.21  
Guests are always welcome  
NO WALK INS PERMITTED



# EDDIE SORRELLS, CPP, PSP, PCI

## ASIS Global Board of Directors ASIS International News & Updates

Eddie Sorrells, CPP, PSP, PCI, serves as Chief Operating Officer and General Counsel for DSI Security Services. Eddie began his career with DSI as a security officer over 30 years ago. Since that time, he has served in virtually every management position within the company.

Eddie has over 30 years of security experience and is a frequent speaker on topics such as workplace violence, physical security, employment law, workplace investigations, and other security and business topics. He has been a published author in Security Management Magazine, and has also been featured in national publications such as the Wall Street Journal and Security Management Magazine commenting on important issues concerning the private security industry.

Eddie released his first book in 2015: [Security Litigation: Best Practices for Managing and Preventing Security-Related Lawsuits](#). The book provides practical guidance and examples on how to deal with the most difficult legal issues that security executives face every day, while also exploring the key issues that occur before, during, and after a lawsuit.

He holds a BS degree from Troy University and a Juris Doctorate from Jones School of Law in Montgomery, Alabama. He is admitted to practice law in the State of Alabama and the United States District Court, Middle District of Alabama. He holds the CPP (Certified Protection Professional) Board Certification in Security Management, PSP Certification (Physical Security Professional), and PCI Certification (Professional Certified Investigator) He serves as a board member for NASCO (National Association of Security Companies), is a Past Chair of the Security Services Council and Community Vice President (CVP) for ASIS International. Starting in 2021 he serves on the ASIS International Global Board of directors. In 2020 he was named to IFSEC's Global influencers list for Security Thought Leadership.

# PALADIN "PJ" JORDAN, CPP

## CERTIFICATION CO-CHAIRPERSON



On the upcoming ASIS Chicago Chapter Study Group on  
February 12, 2022 - April 9, 2022 from 9 am - 11 am via Zoom

The ASIS Chicago Study Group uses a simple and effective exam prep technique and method. The Chapter's Study Group provides its attendees the opportunity to participate in an informal, practical, and educational learning environment via Zoom. The Study Group is effective because attendees interact directly with like-minded individuals who possess meaningful, security-related experience, knowledge, and expertise. Attendees also learn how to use the ASIS Protection of Assets (POA) Manual, Standards and Guidelines, and other source materials to prepare for the rigorous, stressful, and challenging examinations. Study Group Attendees discover new and effective study methods and techniques from others who have prepped for and passed their tests for the CPP, PSP, APPS and PCI. Attendees will also learn which techniques are less effective for passing the test as well.

### The ASIS Chicago Study Group's Method:

Each student attendee is assigned a security-related topic from the POA, and/or the Standards and Guidelines to present during the study group sessions by creating and presenting a 15 minute PowerPoint summary of their assigned topic to their fellow study group participants. Part of the presentation includes composing 20 questions and answers from their assigned topic to share with the participants. (Consider this a "potluck" version of building a test Q&A bank.)

What's the cost for this outstanding Study Group? Attendees who participate in the Study Group and complete their assigned topics receive copies of all Study Group materials (power points, practice questions and answers, tips, etc.). In order to participate, you must have your 2022 ASIS International and local Chicago Chapter dues paid. Local Chapter dues are \$20.

- Session 1: Saturday, February 12, 2022; 9-11a (First meeting)
- Session 2: Saturday, February 19, 2022; 9-11a
- Session 3: Saturday, February 26, 2022; 9-11a
- Session 4: Saturday, March 5, 2022; 9-11a
- Session 5: Saturday, March 12, 2022; 9-11a
- Session 6: Saturday, March 19, 2022; 9-11a
- Session 7: Saturday, March 26, 2022; 9-11a
- Session 8: Saturday, April 2, 2022; 9-11a
- Session 9: Saturday, April 9, 2022; 9-11a (Last meeting)

Registration for the Study Group opens January 2, 2022 via Eventbrite.com.

Look for more information about registration both in your email box and in the December/January newsletter. Any further questions, please email PJ Jordan at paladin@pjda.net.

# ANNOUNCEMENTS

## White Elephant Gift Exchange

To participate, please bring a wrapped \$20 gift. Each recipient will then receive a ticket and select a gift. No stealing or trading allowed.

## Holiday Party

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ASIS International & Local Chapter dues must be paid prior to registering on January 2, 2022 via Eventbrite.com

## ASIS Chicago Chapter Study Group

Every Saturday

9 am - 11 am

2/12/22 - 4/9/22

QUESTIONS? CONTACT PJ JORDAN  
PALADIN@PJDA.NET

### Reminder

Signing up a guest in StarChapter requires an email address.

Okay

# Seeking Military Liaison Chair

Must be current ASIS Chicago Chapter member and former military

- Identify and recruit military personnel for ASIS membership.
- Work with the chapter's program chair to develop military/public to private transition relevant education sessions.
- Apprise chapter leaders/members of Military Liaison Council produced resources.
- Assist with identifying mentors/protégés to participate in the chapter's mentoring program.

Interested? Please email Mary- [marytylus@comcast.net](mailto:marytylus@comcast.net)

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FINAL POA REMINDER →

## 2022

New Year brings in a new  
Protection of Assets



## CHAPTER DUES ONLY \$10



One of the best holiday gifts you can gift yourself- ASIS International membership. Members will be able to renew their 2021 INTERNATIONAL DUES beginning December 1, 2021. International Members on Auto-renew will have their dues taken from their method of payment. Non-auto renewal members will be sent invoices with dues payable by December 31, 2021.



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\$80

Members  
Tickets



**ASIS CHICAGO  
CHAPTER ANNUAL  
GOLF OUTING**

JUNE 24, 2022 • FRIDAY

**THE RUFFLED FEATHERS GOLF CLUB  
1 PETE DYE DRIVE, LEMONT, IL 60439**

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