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# ASIS CHICAGO NEWSLETTER

THE ASIS CHICAGO CHAPTER'S  
MONTHLY NEWSLETTER

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# Holiday Party

DECEMBER 15, 2022 | 11:00 AM

HARRY CARRAY'S STEAKHOUSE

## AGENDA

11:00AM-12:00PM: Registration & Networking

12:00PM - 1:30PM: Lunch & Annual Meeting

1:30PM-2:00PM: Gift Exchange

**Register by December 7th! | Cash Bar Only**

### MEMBERS

\$70.00 (No Parking)

\$75.00 (+ Parking)

### NON-MEMBERS

\$80.00 (No Parking)

\$85.00 (+ Parking)



# ASIS CHICAGO ANNUAL MEETING

12-15-2022

11.00AM - 02.00PM

33 W. Kinzie Street, Chicago, IL 60654

## OUR SPEAKERS



**MATT MARAVILLA**

ASIS Chicago Chapter  
Chairman



**JASON SIKORA**

ASIS North American  
Board of Directors

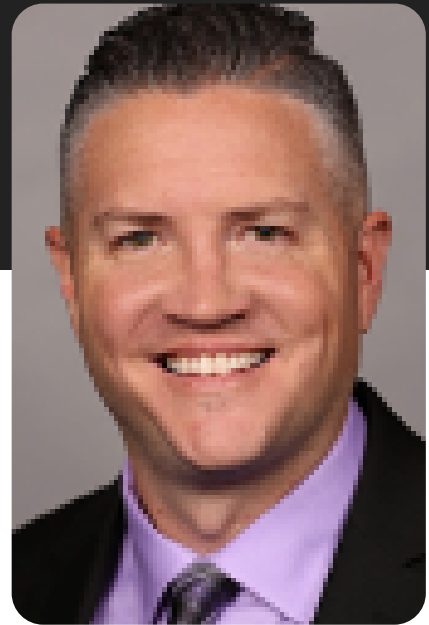
## About

Join your fellow ASIS Chicago members to hear about the state of the Chicago Chapter and what's in store for 2023. Further news and updates will also be provided on behalf of ASIS International.

# CHATTING WITH THE CHAIR

**MATT MARAVILLA**

ASIS Chicago Chapter Chairman



Just a reminder we are winding up 2022 with our annual Holiday Party on Thursday, December 15, 2022 at Harry Caray's Italian Steakhouse - River North, 33 West Kinzie Street, Chicago, IL 60654. Registration ends Wednesday, December 7, 2022.

I want to take a moment to thank all our Officers, Chairs, Chapter Volunteers and most importantly our various Guest Speakers who have made 2022 another smashing success.

We are in the process of lining up for 2023 another great lineup of Guest Speakers and topics as well as other events - our Annual Golf Outing and upcoming NextGen/Women in Security events. Our Military Liaison, Jason Ortiz, is working on a Military Outreach event for those who are ending their service in the military so look for details on that event as well. Stay tuned to the newsletter and our web announcements on these and other exciting upcoming events.

Wishing you and yours a happy Holiday Season and a healthy New Year.

See you at the Holiday Party.

*Matt Maravilla*





# ASIS International News and Updates

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## Jason Sikora, CPP -- ASIS North American Board of Directors

Jason Sikora is a Security Professional with over 15 years of industry experience, currently serving on the ASIS North American Board of Directors and as Director of Sales, Midwest for Allied Universal Security Services.

In his role as Director of Sales, Jason is responsible for functions related to business development, marketing, sales, contract negotiation, strategic partnerships, corporate social responsibility initiatives, coaching, process improvement and team building. Prior to his role in sales, Jason served as Director of Security & Life Safety for facilities ranging in size from 500,000 to 2 Million square feet in both Downtown Chicago and throughout the suburbs.

Jason has previously held the role of ASIS Assistant Regional Vice President of Region 2C. He is an active member of the Communications Committee for BOMA Chicago, the Emergency Preparedness committee of BOMA International. He also serves as the Chair for the National Affiliate Member Committee for BOMA International. As a previous ASIS Chicago Young Professional's Liaison, Jason founded the highly successful networking and education group Young Professionals & Emerging Leaders in Security (YPELS). Beginning in 2018, he served as the Co-Chair of the Host Committee for ASIS International's 2019 Global Security Exchange where he coordinated local volunteer activities, philanthropic initiatives, and assisted with logistical planning of the global conference when it was hosted in Chicago.

Jason is a past recipient of the Chairman's Award through the Illinois Security Professionals Association for his contributions to the Illinois security industry, and was a national finalist for the 2019 Outstanding Young Professional of the Year Award through ASIS International. He was also selected as a finalist for the BOMA Chicago Affiliate Member of the Year award in both 2019 and 2020, the latter of which he was selected as the winner. He is board certified in Security Management as a Certified Protection Professional (CPP) through the ASIS International Professional Certification Board.

# New Format, Same Great Content

Starting January 2023, our award-winning *Security Management* will be fully digital. After hearing from the ASIS International community, it was clear that moving to this format was the best way to honor the evolving preferences of our members, as well as demonstrate our ongoing commitment to remaining agile and mobile into the future—so you have access to the latest news, trends and insights that matter most right at your fingertips.

The content itself hasn't changed—only the format.

Each article will be accessible online separately, making it easier than ever to share content directly with your colleagues and network. In January 2023, ASIS members will have access to an exclusive bookmarking feature, enabling you to build a library full of articles you find especially valuable. And because the magazine will now live on a dynamic digital platform, readers can access *Security Management* articles at their convenience, on any device, anywhere.

[Read the latest issue of \*Security Management\*](#)



“ ASIS has **reimagined Security Management** in a way that serves all its members in extremely useful ways. **Bravo!** As the profession is moving at lightning speed, it's comforting to know **resources** like Security Management **are there to help.** ”

Erwin van de Weerd, Area Security Manager Benelux,  
Global Physical Security, SAP Global Security

## ASIS Chicago Certified Protection Professional (CPP) Study Group



Greetings friends,

Planning for our 2023 ASIS Chicago Certified Protection Professional (CPP) Study Group is underway. Tentatively, our 2023 CPP Study Group will begin in February and run through April.

The Group is 8 weeks long and costs approximately \$210 for books and materials. Specific dates, times, locations, costs, and registration details will be posted online and forwarded to members during the first week of January 2023.

Paladin "Pj" Jordan, CPP  
Volunteer Certification Chair

### Give the Gift of Giving This Holiday Season

The ASIS Chicago Chapter in partnership with member Stephanie Gonzales is hosting a "**Holiday Care-Kit**" item drive for the local homeless population, and we need your **help!** To see a full list of items as well as examples please click on the 1st link. To sign up, please visit the 2nd link to see what items are still needed, and then email or call Stephanie to be added to the list. If you are interested in helping assemble and deliver the care-kits please mention it at that time.

Please bring your donations to the Holiday Party at Harry Caray's on Dec 15th. If that date doesn't work for you please contact Stephanie for other options.

Thank you for your help!  
(Email:sm.gonzales0@gmail.com) (Cell:720-725-7924)

# Welcome to the ASIS Chicago Chapter!



**Jaxon Taff:**  
Apex3 Systems

*"Thank you Jaxon for  
joining the ASIS Chicago  
Chapter!"*

*We appreciate your  
support and welcome you  
to ASIS!"*

# UPCOMING EVENTS

DEC.

15

11:00 AM - 1:30 PM

ASIS Chicago Holiday Party

Harry Caray's Italian Steakhouse -  
River North  
33 West Kinzie Street  
Chicago, IL 60654



JAN.

19

11:00 AM - 1:30 PM

ASIS Chicago January Meeting

Harry Caray's Italian Steakhouse -  
River North  
33 West Kinzie Street  
Chicago, IL 60654



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COMING SOON

ASIS Chicago (CPP)  
Study Group



JUL.

24

7:00 AM - 5:00 PM

2023 Dick Norwood  
Golf Outing

Ruffled Feathers Golf Club  
33 West Kinzie Street  
Chicago, IL 60654





# JANUARY

## CHAPTER SPEAKER

### EMERGENCY PREPAREDNESS POST-PANDEMIC

Thomas Henkey served six years as Senior Emergency Management Coordinator for the City of Chicago, where he was responsible for disaster planning and response, as well as special events, physical-security, infrastructure, transportation, and homeland security and antiterrorism analysis. Mr. Henkey also has 15 years of experience in a range of private-sector and nonprofit safety and security management roles. In 2017, publisher Elsevier released his new text Urban Emergency Management. He is currently the Director of Emergency Management for Titan Security Group, and an adjunct instructor at DePaul University's School of Public Service.

Mr. Henkey is a Certified Emergency Manager (CEM), a Certified Institutional Protection Manager, and a member of the International Association of Emergency Managers, the ASIS Cultural Properties Council, the Chicago Public-Private Task Force, and the Chicago Council on Global Affairs. He is the vice-chair of the Chicago Cultural Properties Security Group, as well as vice-chair of the BOMA-Chicago Preparedness Committee. Mr. Henkey holds undergraduate degrees from St. Louis University, and a Master's Degree in Emergency and Disaster Management from American Military University.

## Thomas Henkey, CEM

Thursday, January 19th, 2022

11:00AM - 2:00PM

Harry Caray's Italian Steakhouse

33 W. Kinzie St. Chicago, IL

"Emergency Preparedness  
Post-Pandemic"



Chicago  
Chapter



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Click "Pay ASIS International Dues" from drop down menu

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Click renew "My Personal Account" and verify information

Submit payment (\$234.00) and await receipt in your email inbox

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CHAPTER**

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Click "Pay Chicago Chapter Dues" from drop down menu

Click "Pay Local Dues"

Click "Add To Cart"

Submit payment (\$10.00) and await receipt in your email inbox

Your ASIS International and ASIS Chicago Chapter dues must be paid separately.

If you have any questions, please contact Membership at [kathy.macintosh@se.com](mailto:kathy.macintosh@se.com)

ASIS International  
Membership Registration  
(New Members)



ASIS International  
Membership Renewal  
(Existing Members)



ASIS Chicago Chapter  
Dues\* (New & Existing  
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### Women in Security Event Sponsor

To become a Women in Security event sponsor, go to the Tab on the left-hand side of the ASIS website and click on Women in Security. Scroll down to the bottom of the page. Click on 'Become a WIS Sponsor' and simply follow the prompts to support furthering the inclusion of women which strengthens the security profession and helps prevent conflict in a pragmatic way.

### NextGen Event Sponsor

To become a NextGen event sponsor, contact Essam Choudhary at [essamc@live.com](mailto:essamc@live.com) today!

### Chapter Sponsor

To become a Chapter Sponsor, go to the Tab on the left-hand side of the ASIS website and click on 'Become a Website Sponsor' today!