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**THE INTERNATIONAL
INTELLECTUAL PROPERTY
CRIME INVESTIGATORS
COLLEGE**



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WELCOME TO IIPCIC

The International Intellectual Property (IP) Crime Investigators College (IIPCIC) is a fully interactive online training facility that aims to equip investigators with the skills necessary to effectively combat transnational organized IP crime. The INTERPOL Illicit Goods and Global Health Programme works in cooperation with Underwriters Laboratories, Inc. to deliver this important crime-fighting tool.

IIPCIC aims to:

- ▶ **Provide** IP crime professionals with evidence of specialist awareness and learning on the subject of transnational organized IP crime.
- ▶ **Deliver** leading-edge training that meets international standards and allows IP crime investigators from any discipline to quickly identify other certified investigators.
- ▶ **Facilitate** cooperation between the public and private sectors in the fight against IP crime.
- ▶ **Ensure** all public and private sector IP Crime Investigators have a common understanding of the problems facing them; are aware of each other's competencies and roles; know what intervention strategies and tactics work; and, are better able to work together in partnership in enforcement operations.

IIPCIC'S GLOBAL OUTREACH

Law enforcement personnel from more than 600 public sector agencies in over 150 countries have registered to take our online IP crime training courses. To cater for such a global audience, modules are available in a number of languages including Arabic, English, French, Portuguese, Spanish and Mandarin. For the most up-to-date list of available languages, please visit www.iipcc.org.



WHAT TOPICS ARE COVERED?

- ▶ **Introductory Level (Modules 1-7)** - Investigators who successfully complete this level will have a greater understanding of IP crime and will be able to identify typical IP crime cases and initiate actions to undertake counterfeiting and piracy investigations.
 1. Introduction to intellectual property crime
 2. Introduction to intellectual property crime investigations
 3. Introduction to intellectual property crime economic consequences
 4. Introduction to effective partnerships in combatting IP crime
 5. Introduction to organized crime funding and IP crime
 6. Introduction to INTERPOL and INTERPOL's IP crime programme
 7. Introduction to the health & safety consequences of intellectual property crime

- ▶ **Intermediate Level (Modules 8-14)** - Investigators who successfully complete this level will be able to investigate transnational organized IP crime cases and provide specialist advice to colleagues.
 8. Internet piracy and combatting online criminals in the 21st century
 9. Integrated IP crime law enforcement strategies
 10. Working with the private sector
 11. How to disrupt, dismantle and deter street level organized IP crime
 12. Protecting trade secrets
 13. Establishing a dedicated IP crime law enforcement capability
 14. Investigation and evidence gathering

- ▶ **Advanced Level (Modules 1-8)*** Our Advanced Course examines investigating online piracy and counterfeiting in detail to provide students with the knowledge and skills required to successfully lead and manage online criminal investigations.
* For Law Enforcement Only
 1. Structure of the Internet
 2. Online platforms
 3. Methods of connection to suspects
 4. Information available to online investigators
 5. Online distribution of counterfeit goods
 6. Online distribution of pirated digital content
 7. Investigating online infringement
 8. Digital crime scene management

- ▶ **Specialized Curriculum for Customs Officers on Intellectual Property Rights Enforcement (Modules 1-8)** - This online training series provides customs officers and other law enforcement personnel from around the world with the knowledge they need to confidently approach the detection and interdiction of illicit goods crossing international borders.



LAW ENFORCEMENT ACCESS TO TRAINING

All law enforcement IP crime investigators including police, customs officers and appropriate regulatory body representatives are able to take the training without charge.

To register for a free online user account:

1. Go to www.iipcc.org and follow the instructions for Law Enforcement.
2. When creating an account, please use your official work e-mail address. Personal e-mail addresses will not be recognized.

IIPCIC TRAINING CERTIFICATE

On successful completion of the 14 Introductory and Intermediate level modules, students can download and print their IIPCIC Certificate endorsed by INTERPOL certifying that they have "successfully completed a course of professional studies on the investigation of transnational and organized intellectual property (IP) crime." A certificate is also available for the Advanced Level modules.

FREQUENTLY ASKED QUESTIONS

- ▶ Which devices can I use to view the course?

The IIPCIC modules are available for viewing on computers and mobile devices such as laptops, iPads and phones.

- ▶ How long do the courses take to complete?

Each module takes between 30 and 90 minutes to complete. Plan an average of 14-20 hours to complete the full 14-module bundle and another 15 hours to complete the Advanced Level.

- ▶ I am from the private sector. Can I access the IIPCIC course?

Yes. Investigators from the private sector can take the Introductory and Intermediate Levels (14 modules) for a fee. For pricing information or to purchase access, please visit www.iipcc.org and follow the instructions for Private Sector.

- ▶ Where can I learn more about IIPCIC?

For more information, visit www.iipcc.org

WHO SHOULD TAKE THIS ONLINE TRAINING?

Our online training courses provide specialist knowledge on transnational organized IP crime. They are aimed at all law enforcement officials, regulatory authorities and private sector investigators who are committed to the fight against illicit trade and intellectual property crime.

INDUSTRY SPECIFIC MODULES

IIPCIC is continually working with industry groups and stakeholders to provide law enforcement with access to the latest information about the various IP-related challenges that industry faces. Our Industry-Specific Modules are designed to supplement the core 14-module IIPCIC course. Upon registration, law enforcement will automatically be provided with free access to the Industry-Specific Modules, including:

- ▶ Understanding and addressing the trade of illicit medical products
- ▶ Investigating audiovisual Internet piracy
- ▶ Schneider Electric APC counterfeit training
- ▶ Levi's brand counterfeit product training
- ▶ Understanding and addressing the illicit tobacco trade
- ▶ Identifying and addressing counterfeit Bordeaux wines
- ▶ UL anti-counterfeiting operations law enforcement training

For the full list of available Industry-Specific Modules, please visit www.iipic.org.

These modules are for law enforcement only, however, if you are from the private sector and would like to commission a module specific to your industry, please contact info@iipic.org.



ABOUT INTERPOL

INTERPOL is the world's largest international police organization. Our role is to assist law enforcement agencies in our 192 member countries to combat all forms of transnational crime. We work to help police across the world meet the growing challenges of crime in the 21st century by providing a high-tech infrastructure of technical and operational support. Our services include targeted training, expert investigative support, specialized databases and secure police communications channels.

ABOUT UNDERWRITERS LABORATORIES

Underwriters Laboratories (UL) is a public charity and not-for-profit company focused on advancing UL's global safety mission of building safer living and working environments. UL promotes safe working and living environments for all people through research, standards development, education & advocacy. UL is committed to working with stakeholders and dedicates significant resources to help combat intellectual property (IP) crime on a global basis.

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