

# Advanced CPTED

## Crime Prevention Through Environmental Design



CPTED, Crime Prevention Through Environmental Design, has as its basic premise that the proper design and effective use of the physical environment can lead to a reduction in the incidence and fear of crime, thereby improving the quality of life. CPTED stretches back to the late 1960s with its ideals and practices carried forward in the 1970s by police officers and security professionals. This is not a new idea, for in 1968 the President's Commission on Law Enforcement and Administration of Justice published "The Challenge of Crime in a Free Society" which recommended: "The police should formally participate in community planning in all cities." Then in 2000, the National Institute of Justice published "Problem-Oriented Policing: Reflections on the First 20 Years" which stated: "Problem-orientated policing has reinforced the concept of CPTED. CPTED has allowed police officers and others who make design decisions to view crime control from an entirely new perspective other than law enforcement."

**Advanced CPTED training covers:** Plan review concepts including lighting, landscaping, circulation systems, building placement, and land use compatibility. Mixed use developments, gated communities, high density residential, re-development projects, financial institutions, transportation, land use tools-conditional use permits/variances, environmental impact reports, obtaining support for CPTED programs, and civil litigation/liability issues will also be addressed.

*Knowledge and understanding of Basic CPTED principles preferred.*

**Presenters: R. Bruce Ramm, MPA & Randy Atlas Ph.D.,AIA, CPP**

Bruce Ramm has 33 years of CPTED experience as a police officer and consultant to government. He has taught CPTED courses/seminars in the Western U.S. for 29 years, including 3 years at Cal State University, Fullerton. Some of his long term clients include Irvine Police Department and Tustin Police Department. In 1983, while a police officer at Orange Police Department, he was recognized as one of the runner-ups for IACP Police Officer of the Year for his work in CPTED. Mr. Ramm is a charter member of the California Crime Prevention Officers Association. He has qualified in superior court as an expert in CPTED and has a Masters in Public Administration.

Dr. Randy Atlas is America's only architect / criminologist and a nationally recognized trainer and author on CPTED for what was the National Crime Prevention Institute, now known as the Institute of Community Security and Public Safety (ICSPS). He has conducted over 200 workshops and seminars on CPTED and Critical Infrastructure Protection around the world and has uniquely combined the fields of architecture, security, and criminology. He is a member of the Florida Design out Crime network, the International CPTED Association, a member of the International Society of Crime Prevention Practitioners, the American Institute of Architects, and the International Association of Counterterrorism and Security Professionals. Dr. Atlas is a Certified Protection Professional (CPP) from ASIS, and an appointed member of the Security Architecture and Engineering Council, and an appointed member of the National Fire Protection Association (NFPA) Premises Security Committee.

- Date:** Tuesday, Wednesday, & Thursday  
April 22 - 24, 2008  
(Pre-registration required)
- Time:** 8:00 a.m. – 4:30 p.m.
- Where:** Energy & Technology Center  
6301 S Street, Sacramento  
Rubicon Room
- Fee:** \$25 for SMUD customers,  
\$150 for non-SMUD  
customers. Continental  
breakfast and lunch included.
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