SEMINAR PROGRAMME 2027

Seminar No. 27 | 05

ASP Instructor Certification (AIC) Course incl. OC Instructor Certification (OCIC)

Monday, 22 – Thursday, 25 March 2027



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SEMINAR CONTENT

The ASP Instructor Certification Course is an intensive, hands-on training programme designed for professionals who wish to instruct others in the safe and effective operational use of the ASP tactical baton and handcuffs. The course also includes the OC Instructor Certification.

Participants learn practical defensive and restraint techniques that can be acquired efficiently, practised systematically and maintained confidently beyond the course. The focus is not only on mastering the techniques themselves, but also on developing the skills needed to teach and demonstrate them clearly and professionally.

Upon successful completion of the course, participants will be qualified and prepared to instruct other personnel in the operational use of ASP equipment covered by the programme.

TARGET GROUP

The course is aimed at law enforcement, corrections and other authorised security professionals who are responsible for operational or use-of-force training. It is particularly relevant for police defensive-tactics and operational-skills instructors, academy trainers, public-order and intervention-unit instructors, firearms trainers with broader tactical responsibilities, and personnel nominated to become instructors in the use of batons, handcuffs and OC spray.

REQUIREMENTS

Participants should have relevant operational experience and preferably an existing training or instructional role. A suitable level of physical fitness and flexibility, along with active participation in all practical exercises and scenarios, is required. Participation requirements: This is a physically demanding course involving intensive practical exercises and scenario-based training. Participants must have an appropriate level of physical fitness and flexibility and be willing and able to take an active part in all practical scenarios.

COURSE LEADERS AND SPEAKERS

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AT A GLANCE

Start / End	Start: Monday, 22 March 2027, 09:00 End: Thursday, 25 March 2027, 16:30
Language	English
Fee	IPA/IBZ members – early bird until 31.01.2027 **349 €** IPA/IBZ members from 01.02.2027 **399 €** Standard / authorities **519 €** *Package price incl. single room and full board · Member price also available with IBZ membership (€40/year)*
Registration	Register online via the booking portal
Terms of participation	www.ibz-gimborn.com/teilnahmebedingungen

DAILY PROGRAMME

DAY 1 Monday, 22 March 2027

TIME	PROGRAMME	SPEAKER
08:30 – 09:00	**Welcome to the conference center management to Gimborn, introduction of the seminar chair, and seminar agenda incorporating the opportunities to organize discussions and exchanges outside of the official seminar programme.** General housekeeping comments	**IBZ Team**
09:00	**Transfer to the gym**	
09:30 – 16:30	**Daily session including lunch break Introduction / Registration Instruction in Technique and Drills (Baton) Physical/Practical Session** – Stance - Combat & Interview - Check / Redirect / Cover – - Closed Mode Strikes – - Open Mode Strikes – - Drills	**Seminar chairperson NN**
16:30	**Transfer back to IBZ**	
17:00 – 19:00	*Free time: sports activities, discussions*	
19:00 – 19:45	*Evening meal*	

DAY 2 Tuesday, 23 March 2027

TIME	PROGRAMME	SPEAKER
08:30	**Transfer to the gym**	
09:00 – 16:30	**Daily session including lunch break Instruction in Technique and Drills (Restraints)** Check / Redirect / Cover and Cease to exits Principles of Lock and Lock Principles of Pop, Place, Pull, Push Restraint drills Instruction in Technique and Drills (Flashlight) Triple P Light Check Painting Integrated Drills	**Seminar chairperson** **NN**
16:30	**Transfer back to IBZ**	
17:00 – 19:00	*Free time: sports activities, discussions*	
19:00 – 19:45	*Evening meal*	

DAY 3 Wednesday, 24 March 2027

TIME	PROGRAMME	SPEAKER
08:30	**Transfer to the gym**	
09:00 – 16:30	**Daily session including lunch break** Teach-Back session: Group Teach-Backs Individual Teach-Backs Written test Integrated drills	**Seminar chairperson** **NN**
16:30	**Transfer back to IBZ**	
17:00 – 18:00	*Free time*	
18:00	**BBQ**	

DAY 4 Thursday, 25 March 2027

TIME	PROGRAMME	SPEAKER
09:00	**Transfer to the gym**	
09:15 – 12:15	**Daily session including lunch break** The history and science of OC/pepper spray Portation and presentation of OC canisters Body mechanics and movement, with and without pepper spray “3D” concept—Distract, Disorient, Disable Defensive tactics and force progression, from empty hands to tools-in-hand Subject control and handcuffing Principles of instruction/teachbacks Safety and recovery measures	**Seminar chairperson** **NN**
12:15	**Transfer back to IBZ**	
12:15 – 13:15	*Lunch*	
13:15 – 16:00	**TBA** *incl. 15-minute break*	**NN**
16:00 – 16:30	**Feedback and seminar evaluation**	**Course leader** **IBZ management**
from 16:30	**Departure**	