



Join APCO International and get connected to a larger community that understands your needs as a public safety communications professional and industry leader.

PUBLIC SAFETY PRACTITIONER - INDIVIDUAL MEMBERSHIP

Individual membership is available to those personnel who staff, manage, design, construct, install, command or operate a public safety communications center and supporting information systems. Applicants must be an employee, retiree, volunteer, or a contractor of a governmental entity providing the described services. There are 2 types of individual membership (Full & Associate) allowing you to choose which best fits your needs. Public sector employees may select from Full or Associate member categories, based on their individual needs.

Group Membership

APCO's Group Membership has 4 levels, allowing agencies to offer benefits to ALL of their communications employees, not just a select few. With several different levels, we will be able to provide you with the level of membership that best fits your ENTIRE organization.

Commercial Membership

APCO commercial membership connects you with decision makers in the public safety communications industry. Becoming a member of the Association of Public-Safety Communications Officials (APCO) International brings you the best opportunities for networking and building your business by putting information and important resources at your fingertips. Commercial membership is also available as individual and group. Commercial group also has four levels.

Select the level of membership most applicable to your company size and submit the Commercial Group Membership Application, being sure to include the designated primary contact for the group. APCO's Membership Department will process the application and will provide the primary contact with online access to login and designate the company's staff members as Commercial Group Members (there's no need to send us the names). Select link below for membership levels:

<https://www.apcointl.org/apco-membership.html>

Membership Information

Member Type	3/1/2016	3/1/2017
Associate	2,437	2,361
Full Member	5,079	4,366
Full Group Members	4,252	4,939
Online Group Members	10,626	13,210
Commercial	586	538
Commercial Group Members	70	95
Total Number of Members	23,050	25,509
Total Number of Group Agencies	697	800
Commercial Group	19	31

Upcoming Important Dates to Remember

- [Scholarship applications](http://www.apcointl.org/scholarships) process closes March 31, 2017.
- [PSAP Award nominations](http://www.apcointl.org/awards) process closes April 1, 2017
- [Committee sign ups](#) closes April 1, 2017
- [National Public Safety Telecommunicator Week](#) begins April 9, 2017



SURVEY SAYS

The Membership Benefits Task Force wants to hear from you!

Please complete this brief survey and let us know what benefits are important to you, and if you have recommendations to help improve your APCO membership experience:

www.surveymonkey.com/r/RYMWMLL



Scholarships Available for the CPE Program

Do you know that dollars from the Silent Key and CAC Scholarship Program can be used for APCO's [Certified Public-Safety Executive \(CPE\) Program](#)? That's right. So, if you are interested in becoming a CPE during the next year -- but need financial support to do so -- be sure to [complete your scholarship application](#) before March 31. The next CPE sessions begin July 5, 2017 and January 3, 2018.



2017 Florida APCO-NENA Training Conference



Registration Open!
Florida APCO/NENA
Conference
May 21-24, 2017

See our website for the details.

<http://www.apco-florida.org/>

Register before **April 1, 2017** to receive early bird special pricing of \$150.00

We Hope To See You There !

- Florida APCO-NENA Training Conference will be held at the Daytona Beach Hilton on May 21 – 24, 2017
- Pre and Post Conference classes included in your registration fee!
- Free pre-conference CISM (Critical Incident Stress Management) course
- Free post-conference class on 5/25/17 "Ripped from the Headlines"



2017 Pennsylvania APCO Conference



2017 Pennsylvania APCO Conference – Lancaster, Pennsylvania

The Pennsylvania Chapter of APCO International is proud to announce their 2017 PA APCO Conference! The conference will be held April 2- 5, 2017, at the Best Western Premier Eden Resort in Lancaster, Pennsylvania.

Vendor Booths and Conference Sponsorships are available!

Visit www.paapco.org for additional info!

2017 Washington Public Safety Communications Conference



2017 PSCC PUBLIC SAFETY COMMUNICATIONS CONFERENCE

"THE SUMMER CONFERENCE"

June 27-30, 2017
3 Rivers Convention Center
Kennewick, WA

Conference theme
"911 The COMM in the Storm"

Early Bird Prices (\$25.00 off the regular registration rate) until May 20th!

www.regonline.com/wapsc for attendee registration

www.regonline.com/psccvendors for vendor registration

www.waapconena.org WA APCO-NENA website

2017 APCO Western Regional Chapter Conference

Join your fellow Public Safety Professionals from the Western States
at one of the premier learning and networking events for 2017!!



2017 APCO Western Regional Conference

TRAINING SESSIONS

Frontline Operations

GIS/IT

Supervision & Management

General/Special Interest

Technology

P.O.S.T. Training

APRIL 10-13, 2017 in Ontario, California

For more information go to www.APCOWRC2017.org or www.cpra.org

2017 Wisconsin APCO / NENA Conference

2017 W I P S C O M
Spring Conference & Trade Show
A Partnership of WI-NENA / WI-APCO



Thin Gold Line

May 14—17, 2017
Wisconsin Dells
Kalahari Resort



Visit <http://www.wipscom.org/index.html> for more details

2017 Indiana NENA / APCO Conference & Expo

DISPATCHER

ADAMS ALLEN BARTHOLOMEW BENTON BLACKFORD BOONE BROWN
 CARROLL CASS CLARK CLAY CLINTON CRAWFORD DAVIESS DEARBORN
 DECATUR DEKALB DELAWARE DUBOIS ELKHART FAYETTE FLOYD
 FOUNTAIN FRANKLIN FULTON GIBSON GRANT GREENE HAMILTON
 HANCOCK HARRISON HENDRICKS HENRY HOWARD HUNTINGTON
 JACKSON JASPER JAY JEFFERSON JENNINGS JOHNSON KNOX KOSCIUSKO
 LAGRANGE LAKE LAPORTE LAWRENCE MADISON MARION MARSHALL
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 OHIO ORANGE OWEN PARKE PERRY PIKE PORTER POSEY PULASKI
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 VANDERBURGH VERMILLION VIGO WABASH WARREN WARRICK
 WASHINGTON WAYNE WELLS WHITE WHITLEY.....
 INDIANA 9-1-1 The Thin Golden Glue That Holds It All Together...

The Calm Voice That Gives Hope

Indianapolis Marriott East, 7202 East 21st St. Indianapolis IN 46219

Pre-Conference APRIL 17 & 18

Conference April 19-21, 2017

Register at INNENA.org

2017 The Atlantic Chapter Conference & Exposition



The Atlantic Chapter Conference & Exposition

October 21-25, 2017

at the Samoset Resort, Rockport, ME

2017 Louisiana Chapter APCO/NENA Symposium



2017
Symposium

Horseshoe
Bossier City

711 Horseshoe Blvd
Bossier City, LA 71111

[Book a Room](#)

April 3-5, 2017



The Louisiana Chapter of APCO International

is proud to announce

2017 LA APCO/NENA Symposium!

The symposium will be held April 3- 5, 2017, at the Horseshoe Casino and Hotel in Bossier City, Louisiana.

Visit laapco.org/symposium for additional info!

Nebraska Chapter APCO/NENA 2017 Conference

Nebraska APCO-NENA Conference

October 23-25, 2017

Cornhusker Marriott, Lincoln Nebraska



*All Hands On Deck
For
Next Gen*

2017 APCO/NENA CONFERENCE

Call for Papers & Exhibitors

Visit us at www.neapconena.org

North Carolina APCO 2017 Telecommunicator Training Symposium



2017

**TELECOMMUNICATOR
TRAINING SYMPOSIUM**

April 9-11, 2017 | Greensboro, NC

**Mark your calendars now for the
2017 Telecommunicator Training Symposium!**

Visit www.tcsymposium.org for more information

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204 CENTREPOINT DRIVE
GREENSBORO, NC



NC APCO 2017 Telecommunicator Training Symposium is looking for submissions for presenters for this wonderful training event. Please visit the TC Symposium website at:

<http://symposium.ncapco.org/> to submit your presentation.

Registration will be open soon for this event.

APCO Institute Schedule

Visit the APCO Institute Site for the most up-to-date course information!

<http://apcointl.com/training-and-certification.html>

Course Name	Dates / Time	Location	Contact:
Active Shooter Incidents for Public Safety Communications 2 nd Ed, #45648	April 14, 2017 8:00 am – 5:00 pm	Ontario Convention Center 2000 E Convention Center Way Ontario, CA 91764	California Public Safety Radio Association Scott Espindola sespindola@sbcasd.org Ph. (909) 356-3854
Communications Training Officer, 5 th Edition #45592	March 27 - 29, 2017 8:00 am – 5:00 pm	Wilmington Public Safety Center 1 Adeleaide St Wilmington, MA 01887	Wilmington Public Safety Dispatch Cory Swift cswift@wilmingtonma.gov Ph. (978) 658-5071
Communications Training Officer, 5 th Edition #45349	April 4 - 6, 2017 8:00 am – 5:00 pm	Maricopa County Sheriff's Office – Training 2627 S. 35th Ave. Phoenix, AZ 85009	Maricopa County Sheriff's Office Kristin Godbehere K_godbehere@MCSO.Maricopa.gov Ph. (602) 876-4511
Communications Training Officer, 5 th Edition Instructor #44479	April 24 - 28, 2017 8:00 am – 5:00 pm	Public Safety Administration Peoria Rm 8351 W Cinnabar Ave Peoria, AZ 85345	Peoria Police Department Anje Reimer Anje.Reimer@Peoriaaz.gov Ph. (623) 773-7011
Customer Service in Today's Public Safety Communications Center #45118	March 27, 2017 8:00 am – 5:00 pm	City Hall 112 S. Chauncey St. Columbia City, IN 46725	Columbia City Communications Dept Amie LaRue alarue@columbiacity.net Ph. (260) 248-5121
Customer Service in Today's Public Safety Communications Center #45647	April 10, 2017 8:00 am – 5:00 pm	Ontario Convention Center 2000 E Convention Center Way Ontario, CA 91764	California Public Safety Radio Association Scott Espindola sespindola@sbcasd.org Ph. (909) 356-3854
Disaster Operations and the Communications Center #44996	April 18, 2017 8:00 am – 5:00 pm	Desoto County Sheriffs Dept 3091 Industrial Dr. W Hernando, MS 38632	Desoto County Sheriffs Dept Fred Leviton fleviton@desotocountymys.gov Ph. (662) 469-8599
Disaster Operations and the Communications Center #44997	April 19, 2017 8:00 am – 5:00 pm	Desoto County Sheriffs Dept 3091 Industrial Dr. W Hernando, MS 38632	Desoto County Sheriffs Dept Fred Leviton fleviton@desotocountymys.gov Ph. (662) 469-8599
Emergency Medical Dispatch (EMD) 5.3 #45849	March 20 - 23, 2017 8:30 am – 4:30 pm	South Attleboro Fire Department 1476 West Street South Attleboro, MA 02703	Attleboro Police Department Captain Brett Poirier bpoirier@attleboropolice.org Ph. (508) 222-1212 Ext. 2143
Emergency Medical Dispatch (EMD) 5.3 #44749	May 8 - 11, 2017 8:30 am – 4:30 pm	South Attleboro Fire Department 1476 West Street South Attleboro, MA 02703	Attleboro Police Department Captain Brett Poirier bpoirier@attleboropolice.org Ph. (508) 222-1212 Ext. 2143

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From the Member and Chapter Services Committee

Dear APCO Officers and Members,

The Member and Chapter Services Committee (MCSC) supports the membership at the chapter level by building relationships with chapter leaders. Each MCSC member is assigned to represent Chapters and throughout the year they maintain information flow with the chapter leaders. We are here to keep APCO members informed of association policies, governance guidelines, and other APCO programs. Just as important, we push issues from the local level to the APCO leadership level. We work for the people and strive to make sure you receive all that you can from your APCO membership.

MCSC members work diligently to get program questions or information out to the local chapters, gather the needed feedback, and get answers back to the APCO organization. We share information about programs, training, and initiatives supported by APCO International as well as upcoming events through the monthly MCSC e-Newsletter.

MCSC works to build relationships among chapter leaders through training classes and webinars hosted during the year. We also assist the APCO organization staff to provide chapter leader training and workshops at the annual conference. But, we need your help to make these things happen. You can assist us by:

- Keeping your Chapter officer list up-to-date with APCO headquarters.
- Submitting information about upcoming events or programs in your Chapter for the e-Newsletter.
- Keeping the contact information of your MCSC representative handy so if you have questions or need anything you can call on us to help.
- Participating in chapter officer calls, webinars, and training so that you are up-to-date with the current information.
- Letting your MCSC representative know who to contact in order to get information about your chapter if the President of your Chapter is not the primary contact person..
- Looking for the monthly e-Newsletter and providing us with feedback through your chapter.

We are very fortunate to have members on the MCSC who support APCO and are willing to volunteer their time to make sure that APCO can meet its vision to strengthen our communities by empowering and educating public safety communications professionals. As a committee, we look forward to continuing to work with you!

Sincerely,

Member and Chapter Services Committee