



**2025 Southeastern Crime Stoppers Association Annual Training Conference
Schedule of Events
March 1st – 6th**

**Saturday
March 1st** 4:00 – 5:00 PM **SECSA Board of Directors Meeting** – Chippewa Suite

**Sunday
March 2nd** 2:00 – 5:00 PM **Check-In & Conference Goody Bag Pick-up** – Hotel Lobby

6:00 – 8:00 PM **Welcome Reception** – Pulaski
(Light hors d'oeuvres & drinks included)

8:00 – 10:00 PM **Nightly Networking** – Hospitality Suite

Event Locations:

Opening Ceremony, Training & Open Board Meeting – Cumberland* *Banquet – Harborview

Welcome Reception & Monday Lunch – Pulaski

**Monday
March 3rd** 8:00 – 9:00 AM **Late Check-In & Conference Goody Bag Pick-up** – Hotel Foyer

9:00 – 10:00 AM **Opening Ceremony / Welcome** – Honor Guard, Chaplain, Chatham
County Sheriff Coleman, SECSA President
Introductions of New Attendees & SECSA Board of Directors

10:00 – 10:15 AM **The US Playing Card Company** – Nikki Singson, Vendor

10:15 – 10:30 AM Break

10:30 – 11:00 AM **Savannah-Chatham Crime Stoppers, GA** – Matthew Britsch, Executive
Director

11:00 – 12:00 PM **Human Trafficking** – Kate Templeton, Tharros Place, GA

12:00 – 1:00 PM NETWORKING LUNCH – Lunch provided – Pulaski Room

1:00 – 2:00 PM **BOD Training** – Kathy Keeley, Consultant, Nonprofit Fixers, GA

2:00 – 2:15 PM Break

2:15 – 3:15 PM **BOD Training** – Kathy Keeley, Consultant, Nonprofit Fixers, GA

3:15 – 3:30 PM Break

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7:00 – 10:00 PM **Nightly Networking** – Hospitality Suite

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Tuesday March 4th	9:00 – 10:30 AM	Social Media 101 – Nina Innsted, Podcast Host & Missing Persons Advocate
	10:30 – 10:45 AM	Break
	10:45 – 11:00 AM	Social Media 201 – Nina Innsted, Podcast Host & Missing Persons Advocate
	11:00 – 12:00 PM	Promoting Program as Coordinator/PIO – Coordinators Trish Route, SW Florida Crime Stoppers & Nicole Hodskins, Emerald Coast Crime Stoppers, FL
	12:00 – 1:30 PM	Lunch on your own
	1:30 – 2:30 PM	Grants & Funding – Karen O’Bryan, FL Office of Attorney General Asst. Bureau Chief & Kelly McLaren, FL Association of Crime Stoppers President
	2:30 – 2:45 PM	Break
	2:45 – 3:00 PM	SC Funding – Anna Bailey, Coordinator & Helen Westmoreland, President, SC Crime Stoppers Council
	3:00 – 4:30 PM	Things to Consider – Website Security, Additional Topics TBD
	7:00 – 10:00 PM	Nightly Networking – Hospitality Suite
Wednesday March 5th	9:00 – 10:00 AM	Investigative Tools: The Deck Podcast / Season of Justice – Sgt. Kendall Cash, Anderson County Sheriff’s Office, SC & Coordinator Jamie Lazar, Anderson Area Crime Stoppers, SC
	10:00 – 10:15 AM	Break
	10:15 – 11:00 AM	The Deck Podcast – Madison Cavalchire, Investigative Reporter, audiochuck
	11:00 – 11:15 AM	Break
	11:15 – 12:00 PM	Season of Justice Grant in Action – Coordinator Nicole Hodskins, Emerald Coast Crime Stoppers, FL; President Kelly McLaren, Florida Association of Crime Stoppers
	12:00 – 12:30 PM	OPEN BOARD Meeting of Members, All Conference Attendees Invited EXECUTIVE BOARD ONLY Meeting Immediately Following
	12:30 – 5:30 PM	Free Time for All Other Attendees, Lunch on Your Own
	6:00 – 9:00 PM	AWARDS BANQUET – Awards Presentation, Swearing-In of New Board of Directors, Challenge Coin drawing/silent auction (Banquet included)
	9:00 – 11:00 PM	Nightly Networking – Hospitality Suite
Thursday March 6th		Check-out

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