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WHAT'S AHEAD FOR PHYSICAL NANOTECH SECURITY?

By James E. McDonald



Attendees at the Annual Security Expo listened intently to Dr. Theodore Lyszczarz's presentation

Nanotechnology is rapidly becoming an interdisciplinary field. Biologists, chemists, physicists and engineers are all involved in the study of substances at the nanoscale. This fascinating topic was discussed by Dr. Theodore Lyszczarz during his opening presentation on *The Impact of Nanotechnology on Security* at the ASIS Boston Chapter's Security EXPO 2011.

Dr. Lyszczarz is the Assistant Group Leader of the Chemical, Biological, and Nanoscale Technologies Group at MIT Lincoln Laboratory at Hanscom Air Force Base. This group brings together physicists, chemists, biologists, and electrical engineers to research problems in chem-bio defense, diagnostic and forensic analysis, and sensors and signal processing. [READ MORE ON PAGE 8](#)



CHAIRPERSON'S MESSAGE

This year's Security Expo on April 27th was a fantastic experience. We were fortunate to have many top-notch presenters, including Dr. Theodore Lyszczarz speaking on the impact of nanotechnology on security, Dr. James McGee on school shootings and workplace violence, and two internationally renowned motivational speakers, Lt. Col. Rob "Waldo" Walderman on peak performance, and Greg Blake on how to re-ignite, re-engage, and retain talent in tough times. These sessions were inspiring, and we have received a lot of great feedback about them and our state-of-the-art exhibits.

It also was wonderful to see so many of you at our March 17th joint meeting with IAHS at the beautiful State Street Corporation. We were a bit hesitant to hold a meeting on St. Patrick's Day, but our attendance that night put any concerns to rest. Boston Police Commissioner Ed Davis was a fantastic speaker and humorously relayed the positive impact private security has had on his career. Special thanks to Commissioner Davis, Steve Baker, and his staff for making it such a memorable evening. [READ MORE ON PAGE 2](#)

TREASURER'S REPORT**MARCH 2011**

Previous Month Balance	\$41,588.86
Income This Month	\$62,726.56
Sub Total	\$104,315.42
Expenses This Month	\$52,031.68
Current Balance	\$52,283.74

ORDINARY INCOME/EXPENSE**INCOME**

EXPO 2011 Income	\$18,275.00
Interest	.40
Meeting Income	\$3,946.70
Raffle Income	175.00
Total Income	\$22,397.10

EXPENSE

Bank Charge	
• Bank Charge AMEX	\$124.44
• Bank Charge - Other	\$1,427.40
Total Bank Charges	\$1,551.84

EXPO 2011 Expense	\$1,665.00
Meeting Expense	\$3,490.58
Newsletter Expense	\$1,000.00
Web Site	\$1,829.64
Total Expenses	\$11,682.06

Net Ordinary Income	\$10,715.04
Net Income	\$10,715.04

ACCOUNT BALANCES

Primary Checking	\$37,194.27
Internet Account	\$8,587.76
Manning Fund	\$1,077.08
Goodman Fund	\$8,587.76
Total	\$52,284.11

*Legislative Update***WHAT'S HAPPENING ON BEACON HILL AND CAPITOL HILL**

By ASIS Boston Legislative Liaison Dick Parry, CPP, CISM

Local Legislation: Attached is a list of the bills before the Joint Committee on Public Safety and Homeland Security. Since Massachusetts legislative bills were assigned as late as March 15th, the hearing schedule has not been arranged. Bill texts can be found at <http://www.malegislature.gov>.

Federal News: Sen. Herb Kohl (D-WI) of the Senate Judiciary Committee has introduced legislation to revise the Economic Espionage Act of 1996. The bill focuses on penalties rather than on preventive measures and is viewed by the Senator as a "springboard" for discussion and future legislation rather than a finished product. In other words, the process is just beginning. *To see details on the Kohl Bill, please click [here](#).*

On the Move: Changes are afoot in the office of State Sen. James E. Timilty (D-Walpole), Chair of the Public Safety and Homeland Security Committee. Matt Moran, who you may know has been the Senator's Chief of Staff, has taken a new position in the Executive Office of Public Safety, and Rob McLaughlin has taken over as the Senator's new Chief of Staff and will be handling the public safety portfolio for him.

CHAIRPERSON'S MESSAGE, CONTINUED FROM PAGE 1

Upcoming events include a joint meeting on May 19th with the International Lodging Safety and Security Association (ILSSA). This meeting will be held at the Doubletree Suites in Boston and will feature Mike O'Neil, President of MSA Security. Mike brings a wealth of information from his current position with MSA Security and as the former head of Counterterrorism for the NYPD.

Mark your calendars for two important events in June. Our Public Safety Luncheon is on June 9th at the Lantana in Randolph with special guest speaker, Chief Philip Mahoney, Woburn Police Department. During this luncheon, we will present our Chapter's Ewers Award and the second annual Local Hero Award. Nomination forms for the Local Hero Award will be sent out shortly. On June 16th, our annual Manning Golf Tournament will tee off at Wayland Country Club.

I hope you found the 2011 Security Expo as rewarding as I did. Send me an email and let me know what captured your attention about it.

Sincerely,



Jennifer Goba, CPP



Code of Ethics

Aware that the quality of professional security activity ultimately depends upon the willingness of practitioners to observe special standards of conduct and to manifest good faith in professional relationships, ASIS adopts the following Code of Ethics and mandates its conscientious observance as a binding condition of membership in or affiliation with ASIS:

ARTICLE I

A member shall perform professional duties in accordance with the law and the highest moral principles.

Ethical Considerations

- 1-1 A member shall abide by the law of the land in which the services are rendered and perform all duties in an honorable manner.
- 1-2 A member shall not knowingly become associated in responsibility for work with colleagues who do not conform to the law and these ethical standards.
- 1-3 A member shall be just and respect the rights of others in performing professional responsibilities.

ARTICLE II

A member shall observe the precepts of truthfulness, honesty, and integrity.

Ethical Considerations

- 2-1 A member shall disclose all relevant information to those having a right to know.
- 2-2 A "right to know" is a legally enforceable claim or demand by a person for disclosure of information by a member. This right does not depend upon prior knowledge by the person of the existence of the information to be disclosed.
- 2-3 A member shall not knowingly release misleading information, nor encourage or otherwise participate in the release of such information.

ARTICLE III

A member shall be faithful and diligent in discharging professional responsibilities.

Ethical Considerations

- 3-1 A member is faithful when fair and steadfast in adherence to promises and commitments.
- 3-2 A member is diligent when employing best efforts in an assignment.
- 3-3 A member shall not act in matters involving conflicts of interest without appropriate disclosure and approval.
- 3-4 A member shall represent services or products fairly and truthfully.

ARTICLE IV

A member shall be competent in discharging professional responsibilities.

Ethical Considerations

- 4-1 A member is competent who possesses and applies the skills and knowledge required for the task.
- 4-2 A member shall not accept a task beyond the member's competence nor shall competence be claimed when not possessed.

ARTICLE V

A member shall safeguard confidential information and exercise due care to prevent its improper disclosure.

Ethical Considerations

- 5-1 Confidential information is nonpublic information, the disclosure of which is restricted.
- 5-2 Due care requires that the professional must not knowingly reveal confidential information or use a confidence to the disadvantage of the principal or to the advantage of the member or a third person unless the principal consents after full disclosure of all the facts. This confidentiality continues after the business relationship between the member and his principal has terminated.
- 5-3 A member who receives information and has not agreed to be bound by confidentiality is not bound from disclosing it. A member is not bound by confidential disclosures of acts or omissions that constitute a violation of the law.
- 5-4 Confidential disclosures made by a principal to a member are not recognized by law as privileged in a legal proceeding. In a legal proceeding, the member may be required to testify to information received in confidence from his principal over the objection of his principal's counsel.
- 5-5 A member shall not disclose confidential information for personal gain without appropriate authorization.

ARTICLE VI

A member shall not maliciously injure the professional reputation or practice of colleagues, clients, or employers.

Ethical Considerations

- 6-1 A member shall not comment falsely and with malice concerning a colleague's competence, performance, or professional capabilities.
- 6-2 A member who knows, or has reasonable grounds to believe, that another member has failed to conform to Code of Ethics of ASIS should inform the Ethical Standards Council in accordance with Article VIII of the Bylaws.

MAY**9 - 12**

APC II: Practical Applications
Doubletree Guest Suites
Charleston, SC

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ROI - How to Successfully Sell
Security to Management
Charleston, SC

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Webinar:
Proactive Surveillance Operations

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Joint ASIS Boston –
International Lodging Safety and
Security Association Meeting
Doubletree Suites, Boston

19-20

PSP Review
Westin Westminster
Denver, CO

23-25

Managing Your Physical Security
Program
Hyatt Regency Boston
Boston, MA

23-26

Crisis Management: Introduction
to Plan Development with Guided
Exercises
Hyatt Regency Boston
Boston, MA

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Webinar:
Role of Private Sector Security in
Protecting Children

JUNE**1-2**

Securing the Pharmaceutical
Supply Chain - Manufacturer to
Customer
Louisville, KY

6-8

Facility Security Design
The Grand Hotel
Minneapolis, MN

7-10

Business Concepts for the Effective
Security Manager
Boston, MA

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**ASIS Boston Public Safety
Luncheon & Awards Ceremony**
Lantana, Randolph, MA

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**ASIS Boston Annual Manning
Golf Tournament**
Wayland Country Club
Wayland, MA

20-23

All New! APC III: Functional
Management
Intercontinental The Barclay
New York, NY

20-24

Resilience Management Systems
Lead Auditor Course
Alexandria, VA

27-30

Effective Management for Security
Professionals
Madrid, Spain

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Webinar:
Security Guards and Technology:
Working Together

JULY**4-8**

Resilience Management Systems
Lead Auditor Course
Castle Oud-Poelgeest
Oegstgeest, Netherlands

11-12

Executive Protection
The Westgate Hotel
San Diego, CA

11-13

Organizational Resilience:
A Holistic Approach to Security,
Preparedness, and Continuity
Management
The Westgate Hotel
San Diego, CA

11-14

Physical Security: Advanced
Applications & Technology
Westin Denver Downtown
Denver, CO

13-14

Conducting Corporate
Investigations
The Westgate Hotel
San Diego, CA

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PUSHING IT UP FOR PEAK PERFORMANCE

By Marty Partnaude, CPP, OSHA10

Strapped in and ready for take-off, the audience at *Peak Performance: Being the Wingman* enjoyed a great session with Lt. Col Rob “Waldo” Walderman. One of the most dynamic leadership speakers the chapter has had the pleasure to host, Waldo drew from a rich reservoir of real life and US Air Force experience on 40 combat missions as he presented fascinating business analogies and tales of growth.

Waldo engaged the audience with numerous thought-provoking questions such as:

- Who’s backing you up?
- Who are your wingmen?
- Can you identify what makes you a trusted partner?

His video footages added an entertainment element to his message and engaged and entertained the audience. By half way through his presentation, he had the whole room cheering “Push it up!” on his command.

Many attendees commented that they related to Waldo’s experiences and his examples provided “real life” motivation. It was a super session!



Lt. Col Rob “Waldo” Walderman drew from experiences with 40 USAF combat missions for his Security Expo presentation about *Peak Performance*.



CPP Member Profile: William E. McLaughlin, III

CERTIFICATION IS VALUABLE FOR EXPERIENCED SECURITY SUPERVISOR

William E. McLaughlin, III, entered the security industry 15 years ago when he joined the Massachusetts General Hospital (MGH) Department of Police, Security and Outside Services. While steadily climbing the ranks within the department, he also maintained an active role as a Reserve Police Officer for the Newbury Police Department. The exposure to both public and private security work made a lasting impression. Today, Bill states that his public service greatly influenced his understanding of the vast complexities within the private security industry.

A graduate of Curry College with a degree in Criminal Justice, Bill currently holds the position of shift supervisor for MGH Police, Security and Outside Services. His wide-ranging responsibilities include managing 25 employees and participating in numerous initiatives such as Active Shooter Response, Emergency Preparedness, and Protective Intelligence and Threat Assessment. Bill also played an integral part in the creation of an in-depth patrol analysis tool for the Department’s use.

While developing his management career, Bill has cultivated many extracurricular interests through active participation in ASIS International, the Narcotic Officers Association and the East Coast Gang Investigators Association. He also has presented numerous times to his department on recognizing gang affiliations and the effect of gang violence in the workplace.

Bill’s contributions have been widely acknowledged throughout his tenure at MGH. He has received several “Partners in Excellence” awards, and an “Excellence in Action” award for his role in handling a very high profile incident.

A strong advocate for improving one’s skills through continuous training, Bill took his own advice recently and earned his CPP certification in April 2011. The new credential has been a valuable addition to his long list of qualifications.

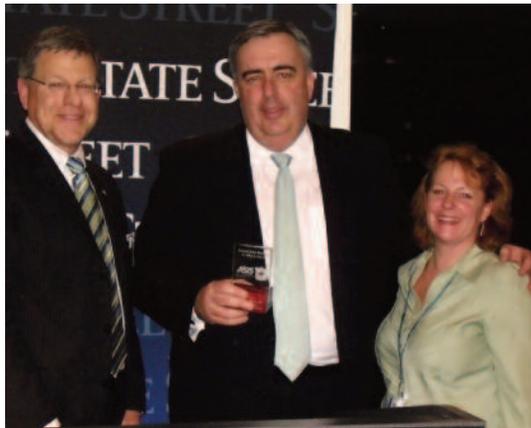
“Once I fully understood the importance of CPP certification, I knew that if I was going to be a security industry leader, I needed to earn this credential and become part of this prestigious group,” he said. Congratulations, Bill, on passing your CPP!



Erika Barros of Allied Barton Security shared a smile with ASIS Boston Law Enforcement Liaison Co-Chair Harold Murphy.



March meeting attendees included (from l) Pam Perini, Vin Calderone, Richard Garrity, Scot Barry and Eleonora Tumbiolo.



(From l) Sporting St. Patrick's Day green at the IAHS-ASIS Boston joint meeting on March 17th were (from l) IAHS Chairman Robert (Bob) Ryan, guest speaker Ed Davis and ASIS Boston Chairperson Jenn Goba.

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Nominate a Local Hero!

Do you know a "Local Hero?" If you do, it's time to acknowledge that person by nominating him or her for the 2nd Annual ASIS Boston Local Hero Award.

This award recognizes individuals who have gone above and beyond the call of duty or reasonable expectation, and demonstrated some specific, identifiable act of heroism. Nominations must be received by Saturday, May 21st. The awards luncheon will be on Thursday, June 9th, at Lantana in Randolph.

Don't wait. Send your nomination to Jennifer Goba at jgoba@partners.org. Be sure to include your name, contact information and reasons why your nominee deserves to be a "Local Hero."

Members react to the recent ASIS Boston Security Expo

"Again, this event produced high quality sessions, new vendor product & service information and networking opportunities. It remains a great value."

"The motivational session with "Waldo" was fantastic."

"The energy and quality in this event rival other years."

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Certified Fraud Examiner Calendar

MAY

16-17

Interviewing Techniques for
Auditors
Louisville, KY

JUNE

12-17

22nd Annual ACFE Fraud
Conference & Exhibition
San Diego, CA

JULY

11-12

Professional Interviewing Skills
Detroit (Novi), MI

18-21

Principles of Fraud Examination
Austin, TX

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IAHSS Upcoming Events

JULY

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2011 Region 5 Symposium: "Do
You Feel Safe in an Unsafe Way?"
Cedars Sinai Medical Center

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2011 Region 5 Symposium : "Do
You Feel Safe in an Unsafe Way"
Stanford University Medical Center

Learn more at www.iahss.org

PHYSICAL NANOTECH SECURITY
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In order to understand the unusual world of nanotechnology, we needed to get an idea of the units of measure involved. As Dr. Lyszczarz explained, a centimeter is one-hundredth of a meter, a millimeter is one-thousandth of a meter, and a micrometer is one-millionth of a meter, but all of these are still huge compared to the nanoscale. A nanometer (nm) is one-billionth of a meter, smaller than the wavelength of visible light and a hundred-thousandth the width of a human hair.

Dr. Lyszczarz explained how nanotechnology is linked to improvements in electronic data processing and storage, materials and in health and safety.

In the area of data processing, nanotechnology can influence tomorrow's devices. They will continue to be smaller, faster, and able to hold increasing amounts of information such as fingerprint or facial data. This may allow quicker identification, better forensics and more powerful analytics.

As materials go, clothing material treated with nanotechnology can be engineered to do almost anything — repel liquids, resist wrinkles, dry fast, and breathe. Instead of using topical treatments which eventually wear off, the chemicals in nanotechnology actually form a molecular bond with the fabric. In the area of material detection and identification, nanotechnology can enhance the capability of explosive and chemical weapon detection devices by enabling sensors to detect very small amounts of chemical vapors.

Dr. Lyszczarz's message came with a warning. Since some elements at the

nanoscale behave differently than they do in their bulk form, there is concern that some nano-particles could be toxic. His discussion touched on food tampering and silver nanotechnology.

Some people also worry that nano-particles are so small, they could easily cross the blood-brain barrier or membrane that protects the brain from harmful chemicals in the bloodstream. If we plan on using nano-particles to coat everything from our clothing to our highways, we need to be sure that they won't poison us.

The importance of nanotechnology is being noticed at many levels, and the U.S. federal budget for FY'2011 includes a \$1.76 billion funding request for nanoscale science engineering R&D in 15 federal departments and agencies.

I hope you all had a chance to meet Dr. Lyszczarz and hear his talk. What a great way to begin the 2011 Security Expo.



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