

# R.L. Oatman & Associates, Inc.

Executive Protection Training

Vancouver, Canada

January 25 & 26, 2010

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This course is designed to cover the fundamental skills and procedures required to provide personal protection to executives in the corporate or government setting, members of private families, celebrities or any other prominent individuals in need of professional protection services.



The two-day program is intended for the full range of student interest, from entry-level to seasoned practitioners. It will benefit those persons seeking to start a protection profession, as well as those veterans who desire an intensive refresher course.

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- Learn the fundamentals of executive protection's underlying philosophies and the mind-set that drives both the protection specialist and a professional protection program
  - Understand what it takes to succeed in this highly specialized profession, and how to prepare for an entry-level position
  - Develop the benchmarks of a thorough advance survey and participate in a table top exercise
  - Know what is meant by the "choreography of protection" and understand its critical significance
  - Review residential, work place and transportation security elements and current, real-world issues
  - Learn the fundamentals and the nuances of domestic and international travel security



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- Examine transportation security issues and the bullet-resistant vehicle
- Learn counter-surveillance techniques and their application to modern executive protection methods
- Learn the methods of Managing and Directing an Executive Protection Detail

### DAY ONE

#### **NEW! Emergency Extraction of the Principal**

In a global economy, business opportunities sometimes lie in dangerous locales. Extracting a protectee from a dangerous place requires careful planning in advance and complex maneuvers on-site.

#### **Executive Protection Orientation**

This introduction dispels the negative view of the bodyguard and introduces the concept of the executive protection specialist.

#### **Threat Assessment**

The foundation of all protection programs is the formulation and analysis of the data and intelligence needed to establish a framework for the development of the protective effort.

#### **Advance Procedures**

The critical stage of protection is the advance. Receive an in-depth analysis of the advance survey, pre-departure preparations, etc. A tabletop exercise allows students to decide up on, provide for, and properly execute the advance.

#### **Choreography of Protection**

Learn the proper positioning required to support the concentric theory of protection

#### **Counter-surveillance**

Learn techniques that support the protective effort by *watching the watchers*.

### DAY TWO

#### **NEW! Working with Foreign Security Providers**

Learn how to develop a network of foreign security contacts so as to avoid the pitfalls and challenges that can affect the principal's security.

#### **NEW! Detecting Armed Adversaries**

Learn the characteristics of the Armed Gunman by being able to tell if a person is carrying a concealed weapon. How do you tell whether an armed person is a friend (law enforcement) or foe?

#### **Transportation Security**

Focus on automobile security – selecting the right vehicle, examining limitations and advantages, securing vehicles against attack, and conducting a proper search. Bullet-resistant vehicles and their components will also be covered.

#### **The Lone Gunman**

Understand the thinking and behavior of individuals who have attacked or approached prominent public figures in the United States and then discuss protective intelligence strategies.

#### **Managing and Directing an Executive Protection Program**

With its 24 hour operations, unpredictable conditions, multiplicity of details, and life and death stakes, executive protection shares many characteristics with the military and law enforcement professions. Examine the most critical leadership behaviors and how a good leader performs.

## Robert L. Oatman, CPP

R. L. Oatman & Associates, Inc., President  
Towson, Maryland



Robert L. Oatman is one of the preeminent providers of executive protection in the United States. His firm, R. L. Oatman & Associates, Inc. has provided Executive Protection risk assessments, consultation, operations, and training around the world since 1989. The firm specializes in developing detailed protection plans for the top executives of *Fortune 500* companies, as well as for private families. In addition, the firm operates an Executive Protection training school near its headquarters in Towson, Maryland.

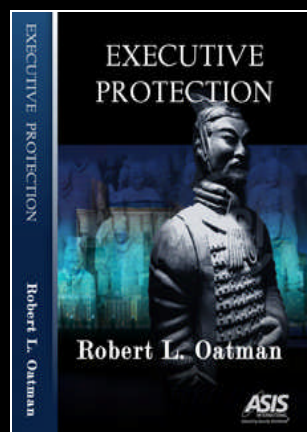
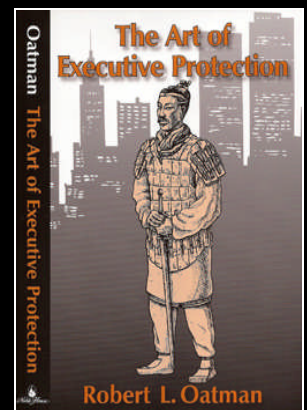
Mr. Oatman is the author of *Executive Protection: New Solutions for a New Era* (Noble House, 2006) and *The Art of*

*Executive Protection* (Noble House, 1997); the Executive Protection chapter in the industry standard *Protection of Assets Manual* (ASIS International, 2004); and numerous articles in *Security Management* magazine. He is also co-author of *You're the Target: Coping with Terror and Crime* (New World Publishing, 1989).

His experience includes overseas Executive Protection Service to NBC during the Olympics in 1988, 1992, 1996, and 2000. Mr. Oatman was director of protective operations at the Limited Brands, Inc., 1992-1997. Earlier, he served with the Baltimore County Police Department, retiring as major, chief of detectives. He trained with the United States Secret Service and supported dozens of high-level operations, including visits from presidents Nixon, Ford, Carter, Reagan, and Bush. Mr. Oatman holds a B.S. degree in criminal justice from the University of Baltimore and is a graduate of the FBI National Academy and the Federal Executive Institute.

In 2003, Mr. Oatman received the FBI Director's Award for Exceptional Service in the Public Interest.

**AS AN ADDED BONUS ALL STUDENTS WILL RECEIVE MR. OATMAN'S LATEST PUBLICATION, *EXECUTIVE PROTECTION – RISING TO THE CHALLENGE* (ASIS, 2009).**



**PROGRAM INFORMATION**

Program Contact: **Lions Gate Investigations Group**, Scot Filer: 604-684-7753, or [scotfiler@lgig.ca](mailto:scotfiler@lgig.ca)

Hours of instruction: 8:00 A.M. – 5:00 P.M.

Fees: \$577.50 Canadian Dollars per person\* (PIABC member price) \$627.50 if not a member of PIABC

**Does not include hotel costs**

Registration fee includes continental breakfasts and a cocktail reception on January 25, 2010. Also included are three publications: *The Art of Executive Protection*.....Noble House, \$27.95, *Executive Protection New Solutions for a New Era* ..... Noble House, \$29,95, and *Executive Protection – Rising to the Challenge* , ASIS, 2009, \$38.00. Total Value, \$95.90.

**PROGRAM VENUE INFORMATION**

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**CERTIFICATES:** Students will receive a certificate of completion at the conclusion of the program. In addition, students will receive continuing education credits from A.S.I.S. International.

**REGISTRATION FORM**

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**PAYMENT INFORMATION:** Amount Due: **\$577.50 (PIABC member) or \$627.50 (Non-member) Canadian Dollars**

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