

PHARMACEUTICAL DRUG INVESTIGATIONS - PATROL

This tuition-free, 8-hour Multijurisdictional Counterdrug Task Force Training course is for patrol law enforcement, new detectives and regulatory investigators providing a concise overview concerning the scope of the problem, the types of crimes that may be encountered, awareness of associated evidence, interview techniques and documentation to further an investigation for a successful prosecution.

Course Topics Include:

- The Scope of Drug Abuse
- Commonly Abused Pharmaceuticals
- Interview Techniques for Pharmaceutical Crimes
- Pharmaceutical Crimes and Scams
- Medicine Fentanyl vs. Street Drug Fentanyl
- Prescription Drug Monitoring Program (PMP)

March 19, 2026
8 a.m. to 5 p.m.

Hosted by the
DeKalb County Sheriff's
Office and Northeast
Alabama Community
College
****NO COST****

Tuition Free thru MCTFT!
Training provided through the
Florida National Guard
Counterdrug Training Program

Instructor Dan Zsido retired as a lieutenant from the Pinellas County Sheriff's Office in Florida after 40 years of service in law enforcement with an extensive background in narcotic investigations. He was the commander of the Narcotics Division comprised of the Pinellas Initiative with the Central Florida HIDTA, Strategic Interdiction, Tactical, Diversion and Technical Operations. Mr. Zsido has held various assignments and positions during his career as an investigator, trainer and supervisor in Patrol Operations, SWAT, FTO, Street Crimes Unit, Community Policing and Narcotics. He was selected to establish and supervise a Strategic Diversion Task Force and developed a nationally recognized multi-agency entity that investigated pharmaceutical crimes such as doctor shopping, prescription fraud, drug trafficking organizations, rogue pharmacies and pill mill criminal enterprises. Mr. Zsido serves as the Training & Education Director for the National Association of Drug Diversion Investigators (NADDI) providing impactful narcotic trends awareness training to law enforcement, corrections, probation and parole, regulatory investigators, healthcare practitioners, schools, community groups, anti-drug coalitions, HIDTAs and the National Guard. Further details about Mr. Zsido are available on LinkedIn [\(22\) Dan Zsido | LinkedIn](#)



Register at:

http://cpsireg.spcollege.edu/og_register.aspx?26167

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Rainsville, AL 35986

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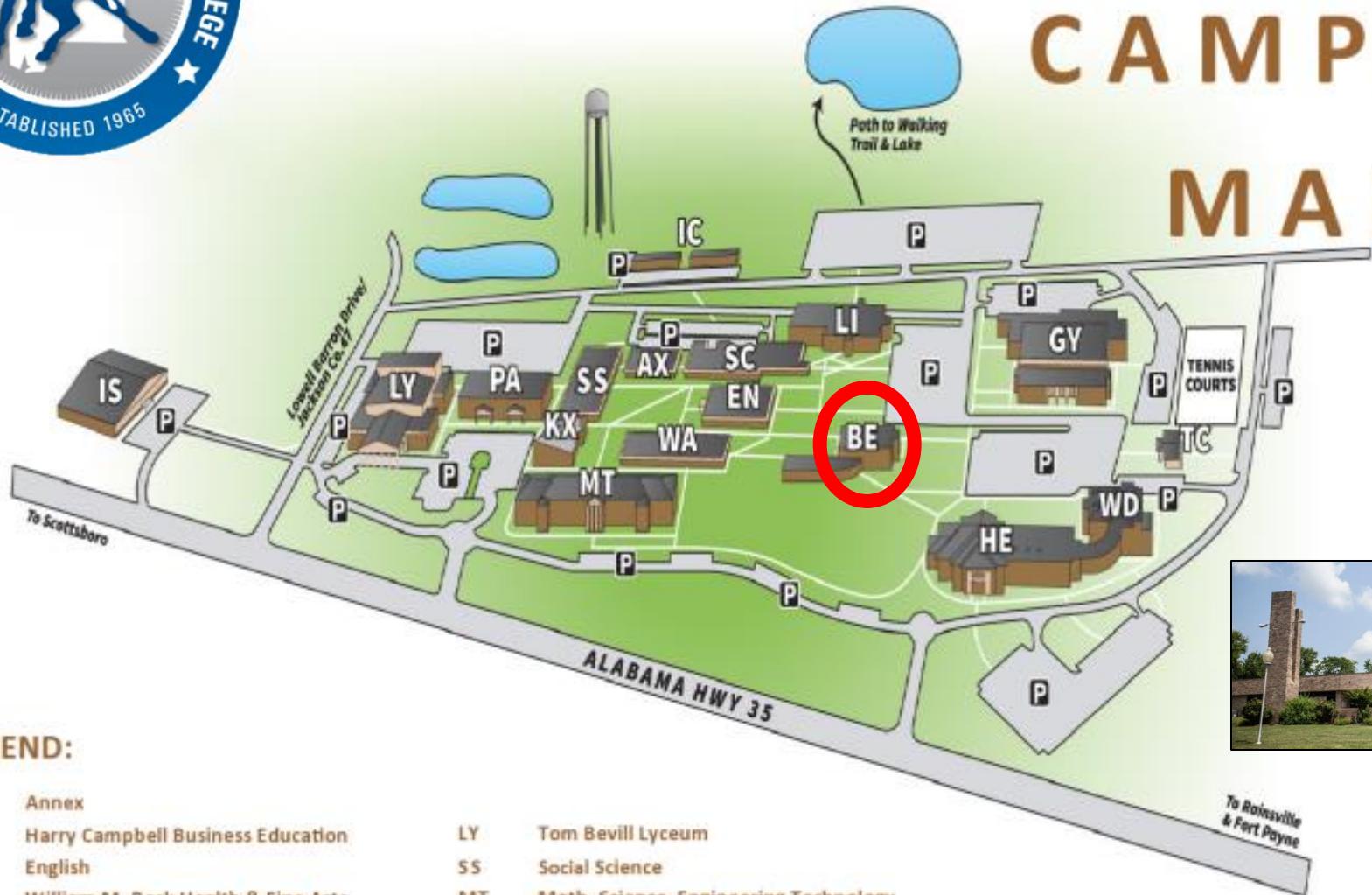
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138 Alabama Highway 35, Rainsville, AL 35986

Business Education, 1st Floor, Room 204 - DO NOT PARK IN ANY SPACES WITH RED CURBING

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CAMPUS MAP



LEGEND:

AX	Annex	LY	Tom Bevill Lyceum
BE	Harry Campbell Business Education	SS	Social Science
EN	English	MT	Math, Science, Engineering Technology
GY	William M. Beck Health & Fine Arts	PA	Charles M. Pendley Administration
HE	Health Education & Technology Center	SC	Student Center
IC	Industry Training Center	TC	Technology Center
IS	Industrial Systems Technology	WA	George C. Wallace Administration
KX	E. R. Knox Science	WD	Workforce Development
LI	Cecil B. Word Learning Resources Center		

P = Parking