QUALIFIED INTELLIGENCE WORK ON THE INTERNET

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How is intelligence work done on the Internet? How can Internet information be used to pre-empt, prevent and investigate different crimes? The Police Education at Växjö University has together with Blekinge Institute of Technology developed a course in how to perform qualified intelligence work on the Internet.

In 2006 the Swedish government gave new directives to the police authorities, which led to a change of focus from reactive and event-controlled to proactive and intelligence-led policing. Other authorities have followed the same course of development. This means that competence development is necessary within the framework of how to conduct active and qualified intelligence work on the Internet.

The course is offered as commissioned education and comprises the equivalent of 10 weeks' full-time study, but is run on a half-time basis and gives 15 higher education credits (ECTS) in Criminology. The course is partly conducted as web-based distance teaching and partly via physical meetings. The meetings take place every third week and last for three days.



TECHNOLOGY

This module comprises computer studies, software, Internet structure, network technology, crypto technology as well as IT and information security. It also includes knowledge of various programming languages used for creating websites and communicating on the Internet.

PROCESSING AND ANALYSIS

The module contains methods and models for processing and analysis as well as technical aids such as databases and software.

INFORMATION GATHERING

This module includes various techniques and methods for gathering both passive and active information and for documentation. It is linked to the technology module and to some extent to the law module, making these modules partly integrated.

LAW

The module deals with national and international law relevant to the operative work as well as handling information.

Contact us if you want to know more!

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The course is run in cooperation between Växjö University and Blekinge Institute of Technology.

A COURSE FOR YOU?

The course aims primarily at officials within the Police Service, the Security Service, Swedish Customs, the National Economics Crimes Bureau, the Coast Guard, the Prosecution Authority, the Prison and Probation Service, the Tax Agency and the Armed Forces.







