



ASIS Las Vegas Chainlink

October 2008

EDITOR'S CORNER

There are several articles of interest in this month's Chainlink. It's chapter election time again, and Joe McDonald discusses the upcoming elections.

The chapter CPP Review class will be held in a few weeks (12 & 13 November), and there's information on that upcoming event.

Lastly, there's information from International about the ASIS Student Writing competition.

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October Meeting

LOCATION: Tuscany Suites and Casino
Marilyn's Cafe
255 E. Flamingo Road

DATE: Thursday October 16, 2008

TIME: 11:30 AM Networking

COST \$10.00

This Month's Speaker

No information available at press.

Chapter Elections

The Las Vegas Chapter of ASIS International is taking nominations for Chapter Leadership Positions for the 2009 calendar year.

The positions of Chairman, Vice-Chairman, Secretary and Treasurer are open.

Volunteer leadership at the Chapter level is probably one of the most important positions to hold within ASIS. From the President, Board of Directors, Regional Vice Presidents and on-down, these Chapter positions are held in high esteem, with understanding and deep appreciation. Please make a difference and consider one of the open positions. From my own experience, the positions take up about 2 hours a week of calls and emails (most of which is conversing with like-minded security professionals helping others through policy, training or personnel issues).

Nomination process:

- You can nominate yourself.

- If you are nominating another, please confirm with that person prior to making the nomination.
- Send me an email with your nomination and the associated position.
- Nominations are limited to those ASIS members in good standing who are members of the Las Vegas Chapter
- Those who have held positions in the past, are welcome to run again
- Nominations will be accepted until **17 October 2008** (*Steve Baker*).
- Elections will be held from 01 November to 30 November 2008 (*Steve Baker*).

The Chapter needs to complete the election by 1 December 2008. The new officers must be ready to be installed at the December Meeting.

If you have questions, please feel free to call or email me at the below numbers.

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ASIS Las Vegas Chapter CPP Review Program

November 12-13, 2008

The Las Vegas Chapter of ASIS International in conjunction with the ASIS Gaming and Wagering Counsel are presenting a two day Certified Protection Professional (CPP) review program. Join the 10,000 individuals that have earned the CPP certification.

Individuals seeking certification are encouraged to attend. The course will cover the material outlined in the eight domains of knowledge developed by the Professional Certification Board (PCB) of ASIS International for the CPP exam.

Participants will review and discuss material in each of the domains including practice questions written in a format to familiarize them for the exam. During the course, participants will take several short quizzes and one practice exam in order to prepare them for the testing process.

For detailed information and eligibility on taking the CPP exam see the ASIS International web site under certification or go directly to the following link:
www.asisonline.org/certification/cpp/index.xml

Full course registrants will receive the ASIS CPP Study Guide (\$100 value).

Enrollment:

Please contact us ASAP to register. Participants will receive documents for review prior to the course.

To reg

ister send payment and the following student information to:

ASIS Las Vegas - 060
P. O. Box 20277
Las Vegas, NV 89112

- Full Name
- Employer
- Telephone
- Email

Current email address is crucial, as we will send all communications via the internet.

Full Course Tuition: \$125.00

Students from 2006 and 2007 desiring to repeat w/o textbook \$50

Current CPP desiring a refresher w/o textbook \$50

This event will be hosted at the Flamingo Hotel and Casino.

www.ASIS-LasVegas.org

from ASIS International

ASIS Student Writing Competition

In cooperation with the ASIS Council on Academic Programs in Colleges and Universities, the ASIS Foundation's Student Writing Competition rewards students who write an academic report between 3,000 and 6,000 words on an issue relevant to the security and asset protection field. The competition is open to any undergraduate or graduate student enrolled in a college or university during all or part of the 2008 academic year. Doctoral candidates are not eligible.

Further information may be found on the ASIS International Web site at:

<http://www.asisonline.org/education/studentwritingcompetition.pdf>

Committee Chairs

We need reports from each of the committee on their activities. Each committee has a specific area of responsibility. We need to know what you have achieved in the first half 2008 and what activities you have planned for the remainder of the year. There are several committees that have not yet responded this year. Let's meet our obligations.

Newsletter Submissions

We are transitioning the newsletter responsibilities to Walt Quering. In order to make Walt's job a little less painful we need all items emailed to him no later than the Thursday prior to the meeting. If you can get your article to him earlier in the month it would be appreciated. Walt can be reached at wquering@hotmail.com

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For your donation you will receive notice in the Chainlink, the opportunity to display your product or service at the meeting, and the gratitude of the chapter treasury. See Glenda for additional information.