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**SERIES #1:
SENIOR FRAUD**

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**DISCUSSION & INSIGHT IN
THIS 5-PART SERIES - FEATURING SPECIAL
AGENTS FROM THE FBI PHOENIX DIVISION!**

- **9/14/22:** Senior Fraud
- **9/23/22:** Combating Terrorism:
FBI Citizens Academy "Sneak Peek"
- **10/19/22:** Human Trafficking
- **11/9/22:** Panel discussion in honor of
Veteran's Day
- **12/14/22:** Holiday Scams

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September

14th

Senior Fraud

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Join Us For An Informative Community Outreach Series!

Wed. 9/14/22: Senior Fraud | Speaker: FBI SA Martin Hellmer

Each year, millions of elderly Americans fall victim to some type of financial fraud or confidence scheme, including romance, lottery, and sweepstakes scams, to name a few. Seniors are often targeted because they tend to be trusting and polite. They also usually have financial savings, own a home, and have good credit—all of which make them attractive to scammers. Once successful, scammers are likely to keep a scheme going because of the prospect of significant financial gain. Learn more from FBI Special Agents on the common fraud scams, how to protect yourself, how to report, and what resources are available to you.

Fri. 9/23/22: FBI Citizens Academy "Sneak Peek" | Speaker: FBI ASAC Phil Bates

The FBI leads the federal government's continued efforts to combat terrorism and targeted violence while upholding the constitutional rights of all Americans. ASAC Bates will review the current threat environment including how partnerships in the community are key to successful intelligence gathering, investigation and disruption of these threats.

Did you know that the FBI Phoenix Division is the first city to start the FBI Citizens Academy in 1993? The FBI created this to increase community outreach by teaching business, community and spiritual leaders in Phoenix, Tucson and Flagstaff how they protect and serve our citizens. This "sneak peek" of just one of many different topics you can learn about in the 7 weeks of classes. Find out about the application process from Agents and Staff who will be present to answer questions.

Wed. 10/19/22: Human Trafficking | Speakers: SSA Mary Gleason, Victim Specialist Sarah Lynne Vasquez

Human trafficking is the illegal exploitation of a person. Anyone can be a victim of human trafficking, and it can occur in any U.S. community—cities, suburbs, and even rural areas. The FBI works human trafficking cases under its Crimes Against Children and Human Trafficking program. We take a trauma informed, victim-centered approach in investigating these cases. The FBI investigates:

Sex trafficking, Labor trafficking, and Domestic servitude. The most effective way to investigate human trafficking is through a collaborative, multi-agency approach with our federal, state, local, and tribal partners. Hear from a panel of subject matter experts who will break down human trafficking and what the FBI specifically investigates, as well as learn what to look out for, and what resources are available for victims and/or bystanders. This kicks off our raising community awareness on human trafficking

Wed. 11/9/22: Veterans Dinner | Speakers: SA Brittany Stephenson & SA Daniel Johnson

Please join us to honor and celebrate admirable Military Veterans who have dedicated their lives to serving our country. A panel of Military Veteran, FBI Special Agents, will convene to discuss their experiences, how serving translates to serving in the community and in our families, and their journey to the FBI.

Wed. 12/14/22: Holiday Scams | Speaker: TBD

Every year, thousands of people become victims of holiday scams. Scammers can rob you of hard-earned money, personal information, and, at the very least, a festive mood. When shopping online during the holiday season, or any time of year, always be wary of deals that seem too good to be true. Do your part to avoid becoming a scammer's next victim and connect with FBI subject matter experts to learn the ins and outs of holiday scams, holiday safety tips, how to report, and the resources available to you.

About the FBIPCAA - We are a 501c3 separate and apart from the FBI. Our members are graduates of the FBI Citizens Academy and our purpose is to help the FBI Phoenix Division with community outreach and continuing education. Learn more by visiting our website: FBIPCAA.org