## Martin V Tucker

Martin V. Tucker is a Sergeant with the Spokane County Sheriff's Office. He has been a law enforcement Officer for 22 yrs. He worked in the uniformed patrol division for 11 yrs. During that time, he became an PTO, helping train many new hire deputies over 8 years.

Martin received his Instructor Development Certificate from the Washington State Criminal Justice Training Commission in 2008. Martin taught in-service training as a patrol procedures instructor, and continued to make himself available for instructing purposes.

Martin spent 3 years working as a detective working in property crimes. He was promoted to Sergeant and returned to work Patrol for another 3 years.

In November 2013, Martin transferred to the Training Unit and has remained there, ever since. In the Training Unit, Martin implemented adult based learning theories, Reality Based Training etc. into the Sheriff's Office in-service training. Martin oversees 50 instructors in 10 different areas of training. With the assistance of another Sergeant, Martin oversees a Field Training Officer (FTO) program of 20 FTOs. Martin works closely with the Command Staff, to make sure the mission statement of the Sheriff's Office is met as it pertains to training.

In 2018, Martin and several other key members of the Sheriff's Office, developed and implemented a pre-academy curriculum for newly hired deputies. Martin facilitates several classes, including Interactions and Perceptions, and a 40-hour Tactical Social Interaction class.

In 1992, Martin earned a Bachelor of Science in Business Administration, with emphasis on Human Resource Management, from Eastern Washington University, Cheney WA.