



# CHATHAM COUNTY POLICE DEPARTMENT

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## **IADLEST Nationally Certified Instructor Program (INCI)**

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### **RE: Tony Slayden's Biography**

#### **IADLEST:**

Tony is a rural Oklahoma City area native who grew up involved in sports and community groups. After playing basketball in his first two years of college, Tony found his passion to be working in the mental health field until joining the Police Academy in 2012. Tony was a certified peace officer in Oklahoma until moving to Georgia in 2016. He enrolled in the Savannah Technical College certified peace officer program and became a two-state-certified peace officer, reigniting his passion for completing his higher education. Tony has been employed with the Chatham County Police Department since the demerger from the Savannah Police Department in January 2018. He is a ranked Sergeant in the Office of Professional Standards (Internal Affairs) and Training after spending two years in the Criminal Investigations Division and two years as a Field Training Officer Supervisor. Tony, enrolled at Georgia Southwestern State University as a Senior, will finish his bachelor's degree in criminal justice on December 14, 2023, with high honors, and will begin his Master of Science in Criminal Justice degree at Georgia Southern University. Tony's long-term goals include making rank as Captain over the Office of Professional Standards and using his education to elevate his experience to obtain the distinction of Chief of Police.