



AAPP 2026 SEMINAR SCHEDULE



Harrah's Atlantic City Atlantic City, NJ

Sunday, May 3, 2026

TIME	TOPIC	INSTRUCTOR	ROOM
1:00p - 5:00p	Registration	AAPP Board of Directors	Wildwood Registration Desk
5:15p - 5:45p	Worship Service	Barry Cushman, AAPP Chaplain	Wildwood 20
6:00p - 8:00p	President's Reception	AAPP Board of Directors	Wildwood 1-4 & 30

Monday, May 4, 2026

TIME	TOPIC	INSTRUCTOR	ROOM
6:15a – 7:30a	Registration	AAPP Board of Directors	Wildwood Registration Desk
8:00a – 9:00a	Opening Ceremony, Welcome and Special Announcements	AAPP Board of Directors	Wildwood 14-17 & 27
9:00a - 12:00p	From First Impression to Confession-Ethical Influence in Investigative Interviewing	Brad Beeler, Special Agent with the Army-CID	Wildwood 14-17 & 27
By appointment*	QC One on One Confidential Chart Review Bring your own Charts	Dale Austin	Wildwood 21
12:00p - 1:00p	Lunch-on your own	N/A	N/A
1:00p - 5:00p	From First Impression to Confession-Ethical Influence in Investigative Interviewing	Brad Beeler, Special Agent with the Army-CID	Wildwood 14-17 & 27



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Tuesday, May 5, 2026

TIME	TOPIC	INSTRUCTOR	ROOM
8:00a - 12:00p	Preemployment Strategy - From Pretest to Successive Hurdles (3 hours)	Dan Caputo, Arizona DPS	Wildwood 14-17 & 27
8:00a -12:00p	Polygraph Criminal and Employment Law Current Trends	Amy E. Hott and Everett Byrant, Maryland Assistant Attorney General	Wildwood 23 & 29
By appointment*	QC One on One Confidential Chart Review Bring your own Charts	Dale Austin	Wildwood 21
12:00p - 1:00p	Lunch-on your own	N/A	N/A
1:00p - 5:00p	LEPET and Federal ESS	Alan Pietkiewicz, Retired Pennsylvania State Police	Wildwood 14-17 & 27
1:00p - 5:00p	Polygraph Ethics (2 hours) Personality Disorders in the Polygraph Room (2 hours)	Chris Campbell, Special Agent North Carolina	Wildwood 23 & 29
5:30p - 8:30p	AAPP Special Event <i>Harrah's Pool After Dark</i> (pool with be closed to swimming)	AAPP Board of Directors	Pool

Wednesday, May 6, 2026

TIME	TOPIC	INSTRUCTOR	ROOM
7:30a - 9:30a	AAPP Annual Business Meeting	AAPP Board of Directors	Wildwood 23 & 29
9:30a -11:30a	Axciton	Axciton	Wildwood 25 & 26



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9:30a -11:30a	Lafayette Instrument Company/Limestone Technologies	Lafayette/Limestone	Wildwood 14-17 & 27
9:30a -11:30a	Stoelting	Stoelting	Wildwood 23 & 29
9:30a - 12:00p	Volunteer Study Participation (limit of 25) You must pre-register!	J. Patrick OBurke Polygraph Institute	Wildwood 18-19
*By appointment only.	QC One on One Confidential Chart Review Bring your own charts!	Dale Austin	Wildwood 21
11:30a -1:00p	AAPP Awards Luncheon	AAPP Board of Directors	Wildwood 28
1:00p -5:00p	Polygraphs and Examiners; a Psychological Perspective	Dr. Darren Higginbotham	Wildwood 23 & 29
1:00p -5:00p	From the Chair to the Courtroom	Tiffany Franzosi Watson/Tim Heliin, Michigan State Police	Wildwood 14-22 & 27

Thursday, May 7, 2026

TIME	TOPIC	INSTRUCTOR	ROOM
8:00a -12:00p	ICAC testing	Rob Soop	Wildwood 10-13 & 28
8:00a -12:00p	Profiles of Child Sexual Predators	Alicia McShane, FBI Special Agent-Behavioral Analysis Unit	Wildwood 14-22 & 27
12:00p - 1:00p	Lunch-on your own	N/A	N/A



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1:00p -5:00p	Single Issue Screening Test (SIST) and Pre-Employment Outcome Confidence	Chip Morgan	Wildwood 10-13 & 28
1:00p - 5:00p	Quality Control - A Refresher on the Basics	Adam Barton	Wildwood 14-22 & 27

Friday, May 8, 2026

TIME	TOPIC	INSTRUCTOR	ROOM
8:00a - 12:00p	The New Generation of Polygraph - Exploring Legalization of Drugs, Technologies' Impact on Applicants, and the Evolving World of Countermeasures	Tracy Hoover, Sergeant-Chicago Police Department	Wildwood 10-13 & 28
8:00a - 12:00p	Infanticide Case Study	Cam Hawrish, Retired Edmonton Police Service, Member Polygraph Examiner	Wildwood 14-22 & 27
12:00p - 1:00p	Lunch-on your own	N/A	N/A
1:00p - 5:00p	Variance, Base Rates, and Successive Hurdles-What you Need to Know for Screening Tests	J. Patrick OBurke Polygraph Institute	Wildwood 10-13 & 28

NOTE: Although seldom done, the AAPP reserves the right to change class times, topics and speakers without advanced notice