



## US Averaging 10 Mass Shootings Each Week in 2021, ISC West to Conduct Active Shooter Training

The statistics are grim. The U.S. has experienced nearly 200 mass shootings in 2021 so far, for an average of about 10 a week, according to the Gun Violence Archive. In just the last two months, fatal shootings in workplaces have made headlines in Atlanta, Boulder, Colo., Green Bay, Wisc., Indianapolis, and Orange, Calif.

Security professionals are responsible for preparing plans to deal with active shooters, and the threat of those scenarios increases each year. Environments in which they can learn best practices and network with experts and peers to share information on those events were limited in 2020. But ISC West returns as an in-person event to Las Vegas this summer (July 19-21 at Sands Expo), and several sessions will address active shooter scenarios.

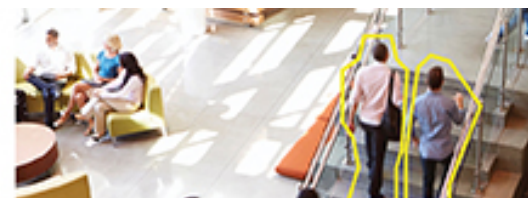
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### **SIA Launches New Cybersecurity Certification**

The Security Industry Association (SIA) announced this month that they will be launching a new certification in cybersecurity.

The certification was developed with support from PSA Security Network and Security Specifiers and is called the Security Industry Cybersecurity Certification (SICC)

SIA officials say earning the SICC demonstrates a high level of competence in physical, cyber and information security.

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### **Closing the Physical Security Gap: Best Practices for Integrating Access Control with Turnstiles**

Are you aware of one of the largest gaps in an organization's physical security plan? While access control systems (ACS) can approve or deny entry into a building, when integrated with swinging doors, an organization is liable for the catastrophic consequences of unauthorized entry. To close the gap, more and more Fortune 500 companies are integrating their ACS with security entrances, like turnstiles and security revolving doors. A new whitepaper outlines best practices for integrating these two technologies for a seamless physical security solution that keeps intruders out.

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## **Featured White Paper**

### **Understanding the PoC Ecosystem: Push-to-Talk over Cellular, Push-to-Talk over Wi-Fi, and unified PoC, Wi-Fi and LMR platforms**

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Security Professionals need radio communications without limitations on coverage areas or bandwidth for streaming bodycam video. Hytera PoC radios and bodycams and the Hytera HALO Push-to-Talk over Cellular system provides reliable onsite Wi-Fi and nationwide cellular coverage over high-bandwidth LTE networks.

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### *ISC News Quarterly Virtual Event*

**Wednesday, June 23 | Protecting Critical Infrastructure**

Focusing this quarter's theme on **Protecting Critical Infrastructure**, join us for our second quarterly virtual event taking place on **Wednesday, June 23**. Effective attacks on critical infrastructure can cause a cascading impact to the lives of thousands -- or even millions -- of human beings, potentially disabling and dismantling communities, entire cities and even the entire nation for days, weeks and months on end. During this event, you will hear from leaders in the security industry discussing the latest technologies being introduced into the critical infrastructure sector. Save your seat and [sign up to know when registration opens](#) for this half-day event!

Our next quarterly virtual event agenda will mimic the following format:

**12:00 PM – 12:40 PM ET:**

Keynote Session

Featuring: Dr. David Mussington, Executive Assistant Director for

**2:00 PM – 2:40 PM ET:**

Product Training & Case Study Session\*

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**3:00 PM – 3:40 PM ET:**

Product Training & Case Study Session\*

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Themed Discussion Group Chat

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