



# *CROSS BORDER VIOLENCE*

**WEDNESDAY, MARCH 7, 2012**

**0830 - 1730**

**Bob Hope Theatre – MCAS Miramar, Building 2242**

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**\* SWORN LAW ENFORCEMENT ONLY \***

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Violent kidnappings, torture, and killings have become commonplace in the evolution of drug trafficking organizations. Today's criminal enterprise activities pose new challenges to law enforcement on both sides of the border.

FBI SSA Eric Drickersen presently supervises the Cross Border Violent Task Force (CBVTF), which is comprised of multiple local and federal agencies. The CBVTF originated out the need to address the increased cartel violence, specifically cartel kidnappings. SSA Drickersen was previously assigned to the Los Angeles Division, where he was assigned to a drug squad targeting Mexican and Colombian organizations. He was later transferred to Puerto Rico, where he continued to work Colombian and Caribbean trafficking organizations. In 2007, he was promoted to Border Liaison Officer at the FBI San Diego field office. SSA Drickersen worked on dozens of kidnapping cases while serving as a Liaison Officer and helped establish existing protocols for addressing the complex investigations. SSA Drickersen has also instructed kidnapping investigation courses in several countries and throughout the US.

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