

GONZALO VIVAS

BIOGRAPHY

Gonzalo Vivas began his Law Enforcement career in corrections. He worked as a correctional officer for two years. He then obtained his peace officer license in 1999. He worked several years in Patrol Services where he obtained experience in tactical operations and patrol supervision. Gonzalo has been employed with the Williamson County Sheriffs Office since February, 2004. Gonzalo was assigned to the Traffic Enforcement Division where he investigated automobile accidents, "Hit and Run" style collisions, and enforced traffic laws until transferring to the Training unit to become a full time instructor.

He has obtained certification as an Intermediate Accident Investigator, TCLEOSE Instructor, Firearms Instructor, as well as Basic and Advance Special Weapons and Tactics operator. Gonzalo is also a Certified Swift water Rescue technician and Rescue Boat operator.

Gonzalo's current specialty Instructor certifications include, Close Quarter Combat, Pepper-ball (less-than lethal munitions), Centurion Control Stick, and "A.L.E.R.R.T" Instructor. His Training ranges from Defensive tactics to Tactical Operations.

Gonzalo's current lateral duties included Team leader of the Williamson County Sheriff's Office Special Mission Team. He is also a member of the Swift Water Rescue Team for the Sheriff's Office.

Gonzalo's current Association memberships include, the Texas Tactical Police Officer Association, National Tactical Officers Association, and the Williamson County Sheriffs Deputies association.