

**MARTYN LINTON****SME: CRIMINAL STREET GANGS | UNITED KINGDOM**

Martyn came from a disadvantaged background and at aged 12/13 became a member of a low level street gang in England, UK. He was successfully diverted from the life aged 16 and has gone on to have a successful law enforcement and training career.

Martyn has worked inside and outside of London in the UK. As a uniform law enforcement officer he proactively targeted gang crime and this continued when he became a Detective where he investigated serious and complex crime including gang crime, exploitation and human trafficking. He has patrolled and trained with members of US law enforcement.

Martyn became involved in training and joined the International Police Association's Police Educators Group where he taught law enforcement professionals from across the world on gangs and exploitation.

He expanded into training in the private sector where he developed and delivered training to UK based professional agencies such as the National Health Service, Her Majesty's Prison Service, Safeguarding Agencies, Probation and Charities.

His work has resulted in commendations for gang and exploitation related criminal investigation and a national award for his outstanding contribution to national security and public safety.

Martyn has founded and operates The Linton Consultancy Ltd, a UK based training company that specialize in gangs and exploitation training for professionals along with other subjects. He is passionate about teaching those working with vulnerable people to avoid or escape making the mistakes he made.

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