Billy Smith



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Profile

Trained **5,500+** law enforcement officers and military personnel.

- Delivered instruction for **20+** years.
- Providing training nationwide.
- Developed **dozens** of advanced tactical training programs.

Recognized as **three-time** DOE Instructor of the Year.

Core Competencies

Training Needs Assessment

- Curriculum Design
- Curriculum Implementation
- Program Leadership
- After Action Review
- Instructor Development Interagency Training
- Use of Force Instruction
- Standard Operating Procedures
- Project Management

Certification

- USPSA Range Officer Certification
- U.S. Department of Energy/NNSA (BIT) Basic Instructor Training
- U.S. Department of Energy/NNSA (FICP) Firearms Instructor Certification Program
- U.S. Department of Energy/NNSA Advanced Weapons Certified
- Designated Marksman Basic
- Designated Marksman Advanced
- Rifles Only Designated Marksman level 1&2
- Strategos International Low Light Instructor
- Tiger Swan Instructor Certification
- Point Blank Low Profile Concealed Carry Course
- MRDS Handgun Instructor
- FLETC Small Arms Instructor
- Intermediate Use of Force Instructor

Professional Experience

10/2026 Present

SMITH GROUP, LLC- Owner/Founder

Firearms Instruction: Develop and deliver firearms and tactical training for law enforcement and military personnel.

Course Development: Design advanced firearms, low-light, night vision, CQB, vehicle, rural, and urban tactical training programs.

Business Management: Oversee business operations, client relationships, contracts, scheduling, and marketing.

1/2004 Present

U.S. DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY– Lead Firearms Instructor

Firearms Instruction: Develop and deliver basic and advanced firearms instruction for Department of Energy Federal Agents and Nuclear Couriers. Co-author advanced handgun, carbine, and tactical training programs while preparing agents for operational assignments and mission readiness.

Use of Force Training: Serve as Lead Physical Training and Intermediate Use of Force Instructor by providing instruction in defensive tactics, grappling, striking, handcuffing, baton techniques, and officer safety. Develop physical conditioning programs that improve operational performance and readiness.

Advanced Tactical Training: Design and conduct advanced marksmanship programs covering close quarters combat, rural and urban team movement, vehicle engagements, and operational readiness exercises that strengthen tactical proficiency and decision-making.

Multi-Agency Instruction: Provide specialized instruction for the U.S. Marshals Service and numerous federal, state, and local law enforcement agencies throughout Arkansas, Oklahoma, Texas, and Louisiana while supporting joint training initiatives and operational preparedness.

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UNITED STATES ARMY- Infantry

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