

Dottie Laster

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EVENT ORGANIZERS INFORMATION

Thank you for your interest and/or commitment to scheduling Dottie Laster and Laster Global Consulting to speak at your upcoming event or training.

Human Trafficking: What the Public Needs to Know

“Sex traffickers frequently target vulnerable people with histories of abuse and then use violence, threats, lies, false promises, debt bondage, or other forms of control and manipulation keep victims involved in the sex industry.”.....Polaris Project

- **Dottie Laster**, a nationally recognized expert in the field of human trafficking, has been trained by the Department of Justice to educate law enforcement, businesses and organizations on human trafficking and has been the architect and leader of human trafficking task forces and coalitions in many cities in Texas and California.

“In the United States of America The Trafficking Victims Protection Act of 2000, enhances pre-existing criminal penalties in other related laws, affords new protections to trafficking victims and makes available certain benefits and services to victims of severe forms of trafficking.”.....HumanTrafficking.Org

- **Dottie Laster**, the Anti-Trafficking Coordinator for the Bernardo Kohler Center, is an accredited representative recognized by the Bureau of Immigration to practice immigration law. In the United States, 5000 T-visas are made available every year. In 10 years, just over 1500 have been granted. During her career she has been directly and indirectly responsible for the rescue and service of over 200 victims of trafficking in the United States.

“According to the Trafficking Victims Protection Act any government contractor whose employees, sub contractors, or their employees engage in human trafficking will lose all government funding.”.....Laster Global

- **Dottie Laster** was appointed an original member of the U. S. Attorney's Human Trafficking Rescue Alliance, a human trafficking task force often noted as a model for the nation. As a part of this task force, she trained over 5,000 police officers and worked directly with adult and child victims.

Due to the new PROTECT Act any US citizen who has sex with a minor while abroad may be prosecuted federally upon their return to the United States.

- **Dottie Laster** and Laster Global Consulting provide project development, consultancy, and training resources in domestic and international trafficking. The strong multi-disciplinary team has an established track record of helping victims of trafficking and developing anti-trafficking programs with law enforcement, universities, faith-based, and non-profit organizations.

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Suggested Topics for Interviews, Keynotes, Workshops and Events:

- The Long Island Serial Killer: Targets of Coercion
- Shattered Families: The Impact of Human Trafficking
- Fraud and Human Trafficking
- The Prosecutor, The Advocate and the Investigator
- A Culture of Violence: What is it Doing to Our Children?
- Why are Victims Reluctant to Report?
- Working With Victims for Reintegration

Important Questions:

- How long would you like the training to last, this will allow Dottie to prepare accordingly. She can do a 1 day workshop or 2 day extensive training session, or speak for an allotted time.
- How many people do you expect to attend?
- What is the professional background of the audience?
- What are your budgetary considerations? If you need ideas on how to meet the financial aspect, we are happy to work with you as the organizer.
- What dates do you have in mind so we can block them out on her schedule?
- What is your location and the location of the venue where she will be training?

Pricing Structure for Training Events

The following lays out pricing structure and requirements. Your participants will receive the best training in the country with one of the nation's leading human trafficking experts who has worked in the arena on all levels. The information received will be beneficial to your audience, as well as to the victims they serve.

Training fees are \$1000 per training day, plus expenses, including travel, hotel accommodations, meals, and ground transportation. The training will last from 4-6 hours per day depending on event schedule.

Speaking fees are variable according to location from San Antonio, Texas, and should be negotiated in advance. Please keep in mind that Dottie Laster works for the victims pro bono, draws no salary, but must meet her expenses for each event.

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Payment Requirements:

- In order to schedule a specific date, we require a 50% non-refundable deposit of the speaker/training fee, with the balance due 10 days before the scheduled event.
- All travel and hotel arrangements are the responsibility of the event planner and should be secured no later than 10 days before the event.
- We require a speaker/training agreement, if you do not have one, we will provide one for you to sign along with Dottie Laster.

Suggestions for Funding Trainings or Speaker Fees:

Should funding be a concern we highly recommend that you contact local businesses, corporations, churches or organizations that would be willing to help sponsor your event or an individual in order that the price remain affordable to the participants.

- Grant writing
- Corporate Sponsorships
- Local business sponsorships
- Organization fundraiser
- Church sponsorships
- Per Person fee to attend

We hope this information is helpful to you as the event planner. More than anything, we wish your event to be a success, especially in the sense that with the information learned will allow more activists to be present on the frontlines of fighting human trafficking nationally and globally, and more victims will be served in a professional manner.

For further information or fee negotiation, please contact:

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