

Irene Barath

Irene Barath is a full-time instructor of the Ontario Police College and has been employed in that capacity since September of 1998. Irene was hired as a firearms instructor but has facilitated training as the evidence coordinator for the Basic Constable Training Program and now focuses her training on Senior and Special Courses. She is the Team Leader of the Criminal Investigations Training Unit and her current responsibilities involve the co-ordination and delivery of training in the areas of sexual assault investigations and the investigation of offences against children. In addition Irene currently facilitates training for recruits on stress management including critical incident stress and career management for senior investigators.

Irene acts as the liaison for the other members of the five person Criminal Investigations Training Unit who coordinate and facilitate training in the following areas:

- Homicide
- Interviewing and Interrogation
- Search and Seizure
- Fraud Investigation
- Major Case Management
- Power case Training
- Drug Investigation including Clan Lab Safety
- General Investigation Training.

Prior to taking a full time position at the Ontario Police College Irene was a serving police officer with the Peel Regional Police for 15 years. Her service include assignments to both uniform and investigative responsibilities as well as a two year secondment to the Ontario Police College where she facilitated training with recruits in both academic and physical skills areas.