

Biosecurity Operations Course

The **Biosecurity Operations Course** is a course that is a thorough CI examination of the vulnerabilities of U.S. bio scientists and technical personnel and how our foreign adversaries or non-state groups target them. Senior CIA operations officers discuss the proven techniques used to pursue scientific targets through various means. The elements of direct approaches and commercial approaches, the perils of scientific conferences, and appropriate CI defenses are covered in addition to a realistic three-part operational exercise, which pits student teams under the guidance of senior operational mentors against a realistic scientific target and CI threat. The Biosecurity Course (3 Day version) can accommodate up to 35 students, either federal employees or cleared contractors. The course is at the SECRET level. The Biosecurity Operations Course can accommodate up to 35 students, either federal employees or cleared contractors.