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Okaloosa County Sheriff's Office And Okaloosa County Corrections Graduates Among Class 33 of the Florida Leadership Academy

(Left to right below): Sgt. John Merchant - Okaloosa County Sheriff's Office
Sgt. Donald "DJ" Folley - Okaloosa County Sheriff's Office
Sgt. Jeremy Gilbert - Okaloosa County Sheriff's Office
Sgt. Matthew Abbott - Okaloosa County Sheriff's Office

Leroy V. Huyghue, III - Okaloosa County Corrections
Lisa Roper - Okaloosa County Corrections



PENSACOLA, Fla. — The Florida Criminal Justice Executive Institute announces the graduation today of 31 first-line supervisors from the Florida Leadership Academy. The graduates represent criminal justice agencies from across the state and serve in leadership roles within their agencies. Seminar participants met for four weeks at the Pensacola Police Department in Pensacola, Fla. Graduates learned skills necessary to support the needs of their agencies and the community as they prepare for future challenges.

The goal of the Florida Leadership Academy is to prepare first-line supervisors in criminal justice organizations to exemplify the character and integrity expected of criminal justice professionals, and to examine the various components necessary to being an efficient leader.

The Florida Criminal Justice Executive Institute, established within the Florida Department of Law Enforcement and affiliated with the state university system, was established in 1990 by the Florida legislature to address the need for an innovative and multi-faceted approach to the education and training of criminal justice professionals.

Congratulations to the 31 graduates of the 33rd Florida Leadership Academy.

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