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Greetings IALEIA Members:

As IALEIA President, it is my pleasure to announce that the IALEIA Professional Certification Program is now available. As you may know, the program has undergone a complete revision during the past year and has recently received formal approval by the IALEIA Board. While the detailed Professional Certification process is available for review on the IALEIA website (ialeia.org), highlights for your convenience are provided as follows:

- The entry phase of the program is a *classification* of Basic Analyst.
- The Basic Analyst classification requires;
 - IALEIA membership,
 - Current employment as an analyst or intelligence function, and,
 - Successful completion of a 40-hour basic intelligence course.

Note: The Basic Analyst classification is not that of a Certified Analyst status.

- After completion of five years of applicable employment a person may apply to become a Certified Analyst.
- The person must be an IALEIA member, complete the application and receive a passing mark on the professional certification examination.
- Upon successful completion, the individual is awarded the designation of a Criminal Intelligence Certified Analyst (CICA).
- Lifetime Certified status is available after 15 years applicable employment.

Changes to the Certification Program were brought about to more accurately reflect the knowledge, skill sets and abilities of those individuals that receive the IALEIA designation of CICA. In addition, the designation is a reflection of the intelligence profession for which it was intended.

Applications for the various levels are available on the website. Members may apply to take the certification exam on Monday, May 3, 2010 at the convention in Orlando.

On behalf of the Professional Certification Committee, I thank you for your patience over this past year and invite you to engage in the IALEIA Professional Certification Program.

Very Sincerely,

Ritchie A. Martinez, C.C.A.
President