

Lt. Knut Grini & Lt. Geir Rye NORWEGIAN NATIONAL POLICE







DATE: Tuesday, January 28, 2025 TIME: 8AM – 12PM

**REGISTRATION CUT OFF DATE:**4PM, Tuesday, January 21, 2025

## A FIRSTHAND ACCOUNT OF THE OSLO AND UTOYA, NORWAY TERRORIST ATTACKS

In this four-hour NVERS Regional Speaker Series Event, Lt. Knut Grini and Lt. Geir Rye of the Norwegian National Police will provide a detailed firsthand account of their responses to the domestic terrorist attacks on Oslo and Utoya that occurred on July 22, 2011.

Lt. Grini and Rye will provide detailed insight on their initial responses, tactics and strategies, lessons learned, and aftercare of first responders and their families. Lt. Rye, who served as the Tactical Medic on his team, will provide a detailed examination of his actions taken in that role and the important lessons learned from his response.

Lieutenant Rye joined the Norwegian National Police in 2000 after three years at the National Police Academy. After serving in a variety of patrol capacities, he successfully completed the selection process for the Norwegian National Hostage Rescue Team (HRT) based out of Oslo. He then served for almost 10 years as a tactical paramedic.

Lieutenant Grini joined the Norwegian National Police in 2002 after three years at the National Police Academy. After working three years in a sheriff's department, he then began working a patrol assignment in Bergen. He would then become a Special Weapons and Tactics (SWAT) officer and later a SWAT team leader and member of a Close Protection Team for visiting dignitaries.

The event will be held in Chantilly, VA. Exact venue location will be sent out via email to registered attendees following the registration cut off date, January 21, 2025 at 4 P.M. EST.

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