

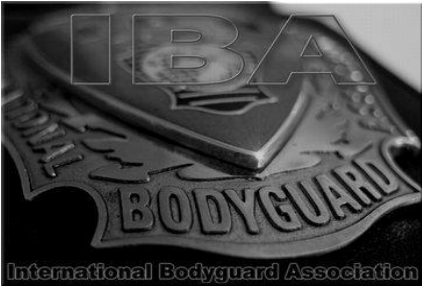
# Membership



2012

## International Bodyguard Association

**Established in Paris in December 1957, by Lucien Victor OTT, a highly decorated French special forces veteran of the wars in Indochina and Algeria. Lucien was a founding member of President de Gaulle's elite "Les Gorilles" during the OAS terror campaign**



**“often imitated, never equalled”**

## IBA Training (Lucien Ott Method)



The International Bodyguard Association is a membership organization that subscribes to the United Nations Charter of Human Rights. It is a registered organization with the Union of International Associations (UIA) in Brussels, established in 1907. The IBA is an International Non-Governmental Organisation (INGO) registered with UN DESA (Departments of Economic & Social Affairs) and having consultative status with the Office for Economic and Social Council Support and Coordination (OESC) of the United Nations.

The Lucien Ott method teaches Threat Management through the deployment of the 6 core skills of The Bodyguard:

- Protective Escort
- Protective Driving
- Communications & search for Electronic Surveillance
- Search for Improvised Explosive Devices
- Conflict Management
- Bodyguard Para medicine

These modules are at the centre of the IBA education and provision for the International Bodyguard Skills diploma which is the entry point to full membership of the IBA. Further enhanced by our advanced bodyguard skills courses



## Membership progression: Honourary/Full/Associate/Social

The constitution and bye-laws of the Association provide for corporate & personal membership. Corporate membership is through the International Bodyguard Service established by the IBAHQ in 1989.

Those companies seeking corporate membership should apply with the PDF documents found at

[www.bodyguardnetwork.org](http://www.bodyguardnetwork.org).

There are four categories of personal membership:

### **FULL MEMBERS**

for men and women who have completed a minimum 100 hours of training with the IBA in the Lucien Ott method. Those who have completed a minimum 40 hours are granted probationer's membership. These members have the right to wear the red IBA pin.

### **ASSOCIATE MEMBERS**

For men and women who have completed a minimum 100 hours of training with a state approved bodyguard, executive protection or close protection school, or whose level of bodyguard education competency is recognized by the IBAHQ. These members have the right to wear the blue IBA pin.

### **HONOURARY (Life) Membership**

Granted for services to the profession and Protection industry at discretion of the IBAHQ. A special silver pin with the logo of the IBA in colour is awarded.

### **SOCIAL MEMBERSHIP**

Awarded to those who are family or friends of a member, or to those not active in the profession who support the aims of the Association. Approval must be given by the IBAHQ. No pin is awarded.

The 100 hour badge with international number and leather wallet is gained by a member completing 100 hours of IBA training.



Membership pins



Silver (200 hrs) and Gold (500 hrs) pins are awarded on completion of levels of training





Lucien Victor OTT  
1931-1990

in Algeria in 1957 when  
Lucien was with the  
Para-Commandos.

Lucien Ott in the Battle  
of Dien Bien Phu where  
he was wounded and  
captured in 1954

Lucien protecting First  
Lady Jacqueline Kennedy  
in Paris 1961 and with  
Film star Sylvie Vartan



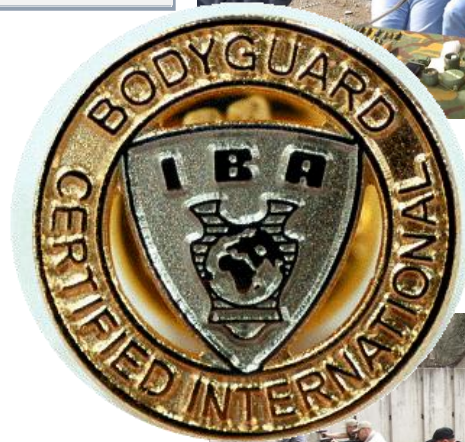
# History & Development

The International Bodyguard Association (IBA) was founded in Paris 1957. Since the IBA has established itself as the premier world training organisation for Bodyguards. It has been at the forefront of Bodyguard education in the emerging Baltic and Balkan Republics, European Union Security; and in the new South Africa, in Afghanistan and throughout the new Russia, Ukraine, Kazakhstan and Mongolia. During 2004, the IBA in addition to regular courses, trained classes of Iraqi Police, Cambodian Police, elements of the US Army's 1<sup>st</sup> Special Forces Group, Bodyguards for United Nations Security, Bodyguards and Drivers for the Organisation for Security and Co-operation in Europe (OSCE). In the following years, IBA training was provided to the Thai National Police and Royal Thai Navy SEALs and Royal Thai Army Special Forces (Task Force 90). In 2005, the Mongolian Government arranged an IBA course for their Special Forces, Central Intelligence Agency, the State Special Security Agency and Police SWAT unit. In the UK, IBA graduates were among the first to complete their training for the new state SIA CP licence. Training was completed through a partnership between the IBA and New College, Swindon, and now also with Protector Network. The IBA in collaboration with Rightrack, have been delivering BTEC Level 3 courses in Close Protection for licencing in the United Kingdom's Security Industry Authority's (SIA) Close Protection Officer's licence. The SIA CPO licence became a legal requirement for Bodyguards working within the United Kingdom from March 2006. All IBA candidates (UK and Foreign) who took the BTEC 3 or City & Guilds CP3 exam in Close Protection passed their exam, an exemplary 100% pass rate. By special application to the Director General, CP courses for SIA registration can be conducted outside of the United Kingdom. Last year IBA graduates successfully and safely completed high risk PSD and CP missions in Iraq, Afghanistan, and South East Asia. In the autumn of 2006 the IBA provided training for the United States of America's first Homeland Security Platoon. Prior to this, elements of 'C' company (Special Duties) 1<sup>st</sup> Regiment Armed Forces of Malta and Police were trained by the IBA. The IBA consistently provides the highest level of training to government, military, police and civilian Bodyguards. The IBA HQ provided training and consultancy to the British Cabinet Office security. In 2010, the IBA trained National Police Protection teams in Ankara, Turkey. President Victor Yushenko of Ukraine under Presidential Order № 698/2006 awarded the Director General the Presidential Order of Merit in recognition of his work training Government Bodyguard units and Counter Terrorist teams since independence. The Director General has been similarly honoured by Baltic and Balkan nations, as well as by Governments and Churches. The International Bodyguard Association's reputation for excellence is a result of over 50 years of achievement in protective skills training. The 50<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Dinner of the International Bodyguard Association was held on Friday 14<sup>th</sup> December 2007 at Dublin Castle, Dublin, capital of the Republic of Ireland.





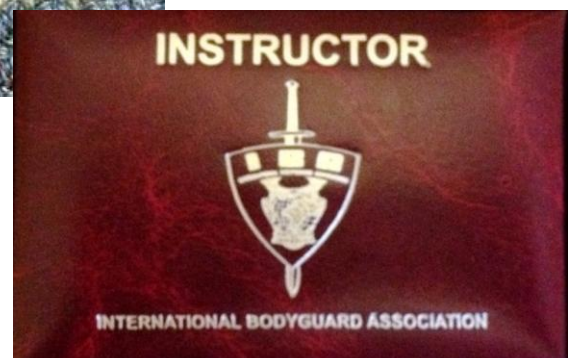
- MONITEUR
- INSTRUCTEUR
- PROFESSEUR



**INSTRUCTORS...  
(Shield & Sword)**

Every IBA instructor has completed the Certified International Bodyguard qualification with the IBA, This is regardless of previous experience, service and expertise. Then the new CIBG is permitted to undertake an instructor course at the grade of MONITEUR, after 2 years of teaching experience they return to undertake the INSTRUCTEUR programme they must renew their licence every 2 years. Our highest graded instructors are PROFESSEURS achieved only after 10 years as an IBA Instructor. In addition the IBA utilizes guest lecturers for specialist courses such as explosive search, surveillance and counter-surveillance, normally retired government personnel

IBA Instructor  
Passport



# 'Fortiter in Re, Suaviter in Modo'

*The motto of the Association 'Strong in Matter, Gentle in Manner', a quote from Claudio Acquaviva who wrote in "Industriae ad curandos animae morbos" that one should not compromise in substance but should always present the matter in a gentle way. Membership of the Association requires subscribing to the IBA Code of Ethics.*

## CODE OF ETHICS

- i. As a member of the International Bodyguard Association (IBA), I realise that it is my personal responsibility to further the professional development of myself and other men and women who serve in the bodyguard profession.
- ii. I will always exhibit the highest level of integrity in the performance of my professional duties, and will do my best to see that my responsibilities are carried out with professional competence.
- iii. I will not engage in any unethical or illegal conduct, or in any activity that could jeopardise my responsibilities. I undertake to refrain from using narcotic or intoxicating agents that might hinder my judgement and ability to perform my duties to the fullest.
- iv. I will always keep an open mind and commit myself to the pursuit of knowledge and information for the purpose of discovering new methods and systems.
- v. I will be always honest when dealing with my principals, fellow bodyguards, Association members and officers, business associates. I will uphold the standards established by our founder, Lucien Victor Ott.
- vi. I realise that a great deal of trust and responsibility has been given to me and I know that I must dedicate myself to the furtherance of the bodyguard profession and those I am sworn to protect.
- vii. I will always keep in mind the fact that I am a member of a truly unique international organisation and that I will not become unworthy of membership by holding animosity towards any member based upon their gender, creed or ethnic origin. I will not act in a manner discriminatory towards another member for these reasons.
- viii. I will be truthful in presenting myself to principals, potential employers and fellow members of the IBA. I will not misrepresent my capabilities, or myself.
- ix. I will not engage in teaching bodyguard skills to any person till I have qualified to do so and received the written permission of the Director General of the IBA.
- x. Lastly, I will commit myself to attaining excellence in all areas of the bodyguard profession.



# + Specialist Advanced Bodyguard Training

Examples of some of the specialist advanced training one can undertake as a member of the International Bodyguard Association, So many CPOs and bodyguard pay 'over the odds' to attend a course taught by ex-special forces (who may or may not have actually trained as bodyguards). When the course ends and the training parking meter have run out, your training finishes. What of audit and specialist training? In addition to special courses based on our core skills such as Protective Driving,, Search, Medic, Tactical Firearms, Counter-sniper, HEAT-PSD, Defence & Restraint Tactics, here are some of the courses the IBA developed and provide



## **International Team Leaders Course**

This is a specialist course for bodyguards who wish to organize and operate the sections of a Bodyguard Team. The course will also provide, teach and practice the Standard Operational Procedures, Operational Orders, and check lists such as Client/Principal interview and advances on hotels, restaurants, shopping, travel awareness and duties of the various sections of the bodyguard team.

## **International Yacht & Maritime Protection Course**

Following our VIP Yacht security courses in Greece, Russia, Norway, Italy, Malta, and Thailand we are again organizing this course to include immersion in matters maritime, nautical and related areas of maritime security Course covers yacht security protocols, underwater hull search and inspection with practical exercises. All the BG needs for working a luxury Yacht Anti and counter piracy measures



## **International Residence Security Team Course**

Management and Operation of a VIP Residence and estate All training will take place on a 2500 Hectare estate. Training includes securing the residence, access control protocols. Securing private beach & island. Patrolling, searching and route analysis. Firearms training on the estate's private range

## **International VIP Aviation Course**

Management and Operation of a VIP Aviation movement (fixed and rotary wing). All training will take place at an International airport includes security protocols, IED/ESD search access control protocols. Firearms international transport airport operations and border movement and documentation, aviation checklist





## Membership Application Form

YOU CAN SEND YOUR PHOTO DIGITALLY WITH PROOF OF  
PAYMENT AND A SCAN OF THIS DOCUMENT COMPLETED  
TO IBAHQ: [dg@ibabodyguards.com](mailto:dg@ibabodyguards.com)

International Bodyguard Association

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Republic of Ireland. Tel: +35387 1940787

### Family Name

\_\_\_\_\_ BADGE # \_\_\_\_\_ or index#

### Personal Names

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Date of Birth

Eye colour

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Height

(meters)

Nationality

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Address:

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Email address:

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Select you type of membership by marking the box with an 'X'

☐ FULL

☐ ASSOCIATE

☐ SOCIAL

Select the duration (years) of membership by marking the box with an 'X'

☐ 1yr (UK£55) ☐ 2yrs (UK£90) ☐ 3yrs (UK£125)

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