

LIFETIME ACHIEVEMENT AWARD

TERRI BROWN

Since starting her career as a patrol officer with the Florida State University Police Department in 1991, Terri Brown has served as Sergeant, Lieutenant, Captain, Deputy Chief, and retired as Chief. She was a Field Training officer, Crisis Management member, and instructor in Defensive Tactics, Taser, and several other high liability areas. She focused closely on defensive tactics and use of force training during her time in the Training Unit

with the goal to make FSUPD officers the best-trained officers in the Tallahassee area. She implemented the first K-9 unit for the FSUPD. Terri was not only the first female to be selected as FSUPD Chief of Police but also the first officer to promote up the ranks to that position.

Throughout her career, Terri served on several sexual assault panels to address assaults on and off campus. She taught Campus Victimization for the Attorney General's Office, which addressed a range of victimizations, such as mass violence and hazing, as well as stalking and sexual assault. She served as the Florida Director for Rape Aggression Defense and helped shape women's self-defense training programs for the Tallahassee/Leon County area. Terri taught women's self-defense across the United States and is known for her commitment to training women how to defend themselves against an assault.