

Jim Wagner (right) with three of his students are in costumes and stage make-up for Jim Wagner's Women Against Rape (WAR) course at the Baleric Community Center in Costa Mesa, California in 1989. This course would later be renamed Women's Survival in 2003. Jim Wagner was the first civilian self-defense instructor to use costumes and stage make-up for realistic scenario training. Today Jim Wagner and his many instructors worldwide teach students how to make their own training more realistic, and learning how to put on stage make-up, fit costumes, and make props is taught in the Level 2 Scenario Training course.

