



South Central Service Center

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Special Investigator

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EDUCATION:

Wilmington University
New Castle, Delaware
Master of Science, 2010
Major: Public Administration.

Oklahoma State University
Stillwater, Oklahoma
Bachelor of Science, 2002
Major: Engineering Technology –
Fire Protection and Safety Technology.

Delaware Technical and Community College
Stanton, Delaware
Associates in Applied Sciences, 2010
Major: Fire Protection Engineering Technology

Delaware Technical and Community College
Stanton, Delaware
Associates in Applied Sciences, 2010
Major: Fire Protection Engineering Technology -
Fire Science

EMPLOYMENT:

Unified Investigations & Sciences, Inc.
Arlington, Texas
Special Investigator
April 2011 to Present

City of Newark, Delaware
Newark, Delaware
Fire Marshal
August 2006 to April 2011

Aetna Hose, Hook and Ladder Company, Inc
Newark, Delaware
Deputy Fire Chief, Assistant Fire Chief, Safety
Officer, and Firefighter
March 1998 to April 2011

Delaware State Fire School
Dover, Delaware
Field Instructor
January 2007 to April 2011

City of McKinney Fire Department,
McKinney, Texas
Fire Systems Review Specialist/ Fire Investigator
February 2005 to August 2006

Claymont Fire Department
Claymont, Delaware
Firefighter/ Emergency Medical Technician
March 1994 to April 2011

SPECIALIZED TRAINING:

- Motor Vehicle Fire Investigation, International Association of Arson Investigators – Delaware Chapter 2010
- Electrical Fires, International Association of Arson Investigators Delaware Chapter – 2009 (Tested)
- Insurance Fire and Fraud Investigation, International Association of Arson Investigators Delaware Chapter – 2009
- Post Blast Investigator School, Federal Bureau of Investigation - 2008

SPECIALIZED TRAINING (Con't):

- Interviewing and Interrogation Techniques and Courtroom Testimony, National Fire Academy – 2008
- Maryland Serial Arsonist Investigation, International Association of Arson Investigators Delaware Chapter – 2008
- Arson Scene Search, Public Agency Training Council – 2007 (Tested)
- WMD Crime Scene Management for Emergency Responders, Federal Emergency Management Agency – 2007
- WMD Hazmat Evidence Collection Course- 2007
- National Advanced Fire, Arson and Explosion Investigation Science and Technology Program, Eastern Kentucky University - 2006
- Post Blast Investigator School - Federal Bureau of Investigation - 2006
- Basic Fire Investigator Certification - North Texas Training Association – 2005 – (128 hours -Tested)

ORGANIZATIONAL AFFILIATIONS

- Principal Member of the NFPA Technical Committee on Venting Systems for Cooking Appliances – NFPA 96. – National Fire Protection Association
- National Fire Protection Association
- International Fire Marshals Association
- National Association of Fire Investigators
- International Association of Arson Investigators
- National Association of Arson Investigators – (Board of Director – 2010 – 2011) - Delaware Chapter (IAAI –DE)
- Delaware State Fire Marshals Association.

CERTIFICATIONS:

- Certified Fire Investigator, International Association of Arson Investigators, 2010
- Fire Investigator, National Board of Fire Service Professional Qualifications (Pro Board), 2010
- Emergency Medical Technician, Basic, National Registry of Emergency Medical Technicians - 2010
- Emergency Medical Technician – Basic – State of Delaware - 2010
- Certified Fire Plans Examiner – National Fire Protection Association
- Fire Officer II, National Board on Fire Service Professional Qualifications, 2007
- Certified Fire & Explosion Investigator, National Association of Fire Investigators, 2006
- Basic Emergency Medical Technician, Texas Department of State Health Services - 2006
- Fire Investigator, International Fire Service Accreditation Congress - 2005
- Firefighter I - International Fire Service Accreditation Congress Seal – 2005
- Firefighter II - International Fire Service Accreditation Congress Seal – 2005
- Fire Inspector II - International Fire Service Accreditation Congress Seal – 2005
- Fire Inspector I - International Fire Service Accreditation Congress Seal – 2005
- Hazardous Materials Operations - International Fire Service Accreditation Congress Seal – 2005
- Hazardous Materials Awareness - International Fire Service Accreditation Congress Seal – 2005
- Fire Investigator Basic – Texas Commission on Fire Protection – 2005
- Firefighter Basic – Texas Commission on Fire Protection – 2005
- Certified Fire Protection Specialist – National Fire Protection Association - 2005

CERTIFICATIONS (Con't):

- Inspector Basic – Texas Commission on Fire Protection – 2004
- Fire Officer I - National Board on Fire Service Professional Qualifications – 2003
- Emergency Medical Technician – Basic – State of Maryland - 2003

Driver/ Aerial Operator Certification Course –
Virginia Department of Fire Programs 2003

Fire Instructor II - International Fire Service
Accreditation Congress Seal – 2002

Hazardous Materials Technician – Oklahoma State
University - 2001

Fire Instructor I - International Fire Service
Accreditation Congress Seal – 2000

Firefighter II - National Board on Fire Service
Professional Qualifications – 1999

Firefighter I - National Board on Fire Service
Professional Qualifications - 1999

Emergency Medical Technician – Basic – State of
Delaware- 1998

Emergency Medical Technician – Basic – National
Registry of Emergency Medical Technicians – 1998