



Midsouth Service Center

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Special Investigator

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EDUCATION:

Fayetteville High School – Agriculture

Garland County Community College
Hot Springs, Arkansas
ASA Degree Fire Science & Technology

Arkansas Fire Academy
Camden Arkansas
Certified Fire Instructor

EMPLOYMENT:

Unified Investigation & Sciences
Memphis, Tennessee
Special Investigator
2007 - Present

Washington County, Arkansas
Fayetteville, Arkansas
Washington County Fire Marshal
2002 - 2010

Washington County, Arkansas
Fayetteville, Arkansas
Fireman, Investigator, Retired as Captain
1982 – 2002

SPECIALIZED TRAINING:

- National Electrical Code updates, Conway, Arkansas, July 2011, 8 hours, tested
- Arkansas Chapter IAAI, Texarkana, Arkansas, Fire Prevention & Investigation, April 2011, 12 hours, (Tested)
- Arkansas Chapter IAAI, Fayetteville, Arkansas, Cellulose Insulation in Relation to Zero Clearance Fireplaces, Characteristics of Recessed Light Fixtures, October 2010, 12 hours, (Tested)
- Arkansas Chapter IAAI, Hot Spring, Arkansas, Fire Prevention & Investigation, April, 2010, 12 hours, (Tested)
- Arkansas Chapter IAAI, Eureka Springs, Arkansas, Understanding Post Flashover Fire Behavior, October 2009, 12 hours, (Tested)
- National Electrical Code updates, Conway, Arkansas, June 2009, 8 hours
- Arkansas Chapter IAAI, Hot Springs, Arkansas, Electrical Engineering Related to Fire Investigations, April 2009, 12 hours, (Tested)
- Arkansas Chapter IAAI, Eureka Springs, Arkansas, Fire Protection & Investigation Techniques, October 2008, 12 hours, (Tested)
- Interview and Interrogation and Cellulose Insulation, Arkansas Chapter IAAI, Fayetteville, Arkansas, April 2008, 12 hours (Tested)
- Fire Pattern Analysis, Legal Matters & Vehicle Fires Arkansas Chapter IAAI, Eureka Springs Arkansas, April 2007 12 hours (Tested)
- Advanced Fire and Arson Investigation, Fayetteville, Arkansas, Instructor 80 hours, 2-2007 (Tested)
- Arkansas Chapter Fall Seminar (IAAI), Eureka Springs Arkansas 12 hours (Tested)
- Arkansas Department of Emergency Management, Pipeline Explosions, April 2007, 4 hours (Tested)
- Juvenile Fire Setters, Meth Labs, Spoliation, Arkansas Chapter IAAI, Eureka Springs-Arkansas, October 2005 12 hours, (Tested)
- Electrical Fires, Evidence, & Depositions, Arkansas Chapter IAAI, Hot Springs – Arkansas, April 2005 12 hours, (Tested)

SPECIALIZED TRAINING (CON'T):

- LP Gas, Legal Aspects, Practical Electrical Fire Investigation, Arkansas Chapter IAAI, Fall Seminar – Eureka Springs – Arkansas, October 2004 12 hours (Tested)
- Underwriter Laboratories Inc., Fire Alarm and Sprinkler Operations, University of Arkansas at Fayetteville, April 2004 8 hours, (Tested)
- Prosecution Techniques for the Arson Investigator, Arkansas Chapter IAAI, Hot Springs, Arkansas, 4 – 2004, 12 hours, (Tested)
- Total Fire Loss, Interview Techniques, Arkansas Chapter IAAI – Searcy Arkansas, April 2004 12 hours, (Tested)
- Investigative Techniques, Bureau of Alcohol, Tobacco and Fire Arms, Fayetteville, Arkansas, May 2003 20 hours, (Tested)
- Documentation and Photography, Electrical Appliances, Arson Defense Arkansas Chapter IAAI, Hot Springs, Arkansas, 4 –2003, 12 hours, (Tested)
- Associated Builders and Contractors, Fayetteville Arkansas, October 2002, 40 hours Code & Construction
- Electrical Appliance Fire Investigation, Public Training Council, Springdale, Arkansas, 2-2002, 40 hours, (Tested)
- Advances Fire and Arson Investigation, Fayetteville, Arkansas, 4 – 2002, 80 hours instructor, (Tested)
- 1982 – 2002 Numerous other Fire & Fire Investigation Classes, including Aircraft Fire / Crash Investigation Courses, 1,500 hours
- Department of Emergency Management, Special training on issues of terrorism, bombs, and weapons of mass destruction, Fayetteville, Arkansas February 2002 40 hours

EXPERIENCE:

Personally investigated over 2,600 fires and explosions of vehicle, residences and commercial buildings and equipment involving single and multiple fatalities.

PROFESSIONAL ORGANIZATIONS: International Association of Arson Investigators (IAAI)

Arkansas Chapter International Association of Arson Investigators
(Board of Directors)

National Association of Fire Investigators (NAFI)

National Fire Protection Association (NFPA)

Washington County Arkansas Juvenile Fire Setters Task Force (Board Member)

COURT QUALIFICATIONS: Expert Witness – Fire Causation
Arkansas State Court

LICENSES/CERTIFICATIONS: Certified Fire and Explosion Investigator (CFEI)

Certified Fire Investigator (IAAI-CFI)

State of Arkansas
Journeyman Electrician – J5024

Washington County Sheriff’s Office -Deputy Sheriff’s Special Officer

Department of Health – Emergency Medical Technician (EMT)