



Unified

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Kentucky Service Center

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EDUCATION:

University of Louisville
Louisville, Kentucky
Class of 1982
Bachelor of Arts Degree in Biology

Bishop David High School
Louisville, Kentucky
Class of 1969

EMPLOYMENT:

Unified Investigations & Sciences, Inc.
Louisville, Kentucky
Special Investigator
August 1, 2007 to Present

Southern Fire Analysis, Inc.
Madison, Tennessee
Investigator
August 1, 2000 to June 30, 2007

Jefferson County Police Department
Louisville, Kentucky
April 1, 1977 to July 31, 2000

SPECIALIZED TRAINING:

- Forensic Evaluation of Vehicle Fuels, Physical Evidence, and Structure Fires, Kentucky Chapter IAAI, Scott County, Kentucky, March 2011, 16 hours - Tested
- Interview and Interrogation, Scene Examination and Documentation, Live Burn Flashover Cell, Kentucky Chapter IAAI, Scott County, Kentucky, March 2010, 16 hours - Tested
- Forensic Evidence Collection, Interview Techniques for Arson Investigators, and Flammable Gas Explosions, Kentucky Chapter IAAI, March 2009, 16 hours - Tested
- Ohio Chapter IAAI, "Greater Cincinnati Regional Arson and Fire Investigators Seminar," Evendale, Ohio, October 2008, 16 hours - Tested.
- Louisville Division of Fire, "Appliances as an Ignition Source Seminar" Louisville, Kentucky, May 2007, 16 hours - Tested
- Kentucky Chapter IAAI, "Vehicle Burn Seminar 2007" Georgetown, Kentucky, March 2007, 16 hours - Tested
- Tennessee Chapter IAAI, "Modern Techniques of Fire and Arson Investigation" Gatlinburg, Tennessee, August 2006, 40 hours - Tested
- Somerset Fire Department and International Association of Arson Investigators, "IAAI Expert Witness Courtroom Testimony Course" Somerset, Kentucky, September 2004, 20 hours - Tested
- Somerset Fire/EMS, "Fire Investigation Seminar" Somerset, Kentucky, September 2002, 40 hours - Tested
- Somerset Fire/EMS "Fatal Fire and Homicide Investigations Seminar" Somerset, Kentucky, September 2001, 40 hours - Tested
- Louisville Fire Department and International Association of Arson Investigators, IAAI Regional Seminar "NFPA921, Structural, Vehicles "Live Burn" August 2001, 20 hours - Tested
- Eastern Kentucky University, National Advanced Fire, Arson, and Explosion Investigation Science and Technology Program Seminar, Richmond, Kentucky, March 2000, 40 hours - Tested
- Florida Office of State Fire Marshal, 1999 Florida Arson Seminar, Orlando, Florida, September 1999, 40 hours

SPECIALIZED TRAINING (CON'T):

- Kentucky Chapter International Association of Arson Investigators, Arson III, Lexington, Kentucky, June 1999, 18 hours - Mock Court
- Jefferson County Fire Instructors Association, Educational Methodology I, Louisville, Kentucky, September 1999, 20 hours - Tested
- Eastern Kentucky University, Bombing Crime Scene Investigation, June 1999, 40 hours - Tested
- University School of Business, Basic Criminal Environment Investigation, Louisville, Kentucky, April 1991, 8 hours
- Kentucky Chapter International Association of Arson Investigators and Jefferson County Fire Instructors Association, Fire/Arson II, Louisville, Kentucky, 16 hours
- Jefferson County Police Department, National Fire Academy Field Course, Fire/Arson Detection, Louisville, Kentucky, May 1991, 20 hours - Tested
- Eastern Kentucky University and Kentucky Department of Justice, Techniques fore Police Instructors, Richmond, Kentucky, August 1979, 40 hours - Tested
- Eastern Kentucky University and Kentucky Department of Justice, Police Basic Training Certificate, Richmond, Kentucky, June 1977, 480 hours - Tested
- Forty Hours of Yearly In-Service Training while employed by the Jefferson County Police Department of a Program or an Agency approved by the State of Kentucky

PROFESSIONAL ORGANIZATIONS:

International Association of Arson Investigators

National Association of Fire Investigators

Kentucky Chapter - International Association of Arson

Jefferson County Fraternal Order of Police Lodge 14

Louisville Metro Police Department Fraternal Order of Police Lodge 614

CERTIFICATIONS:

Certified Fire and Explosion Investigator by the National Association of Fire Investigators

State of Indiana Private Investigator License

Kentucky Peace Officer Professional Standard Certification

State of Kentucky Private Investigator License

COURSES TAUGHT:

Assistant Instructor of Arson II at Jefferson County Regional Fire School, September 2003

Assistant Instructor of Arson II at Kentucky State Fire School, June 2003

Assistant Instructor of Arson II at Kentucky State Fire School, June 2000