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Curriculum Vitae

Biography (Brief Summary)

I am a thirty-year veteran with the Sacramento County Sheriff's Office and the Sacramento County Probation Department. I have several years of patrol experience in the Sacramento County area including the contract city of Rancho Cordova Police Department. My experience includes patrol, criminal investigations, jail operations, media relations, and personnel management with special emphasis on training. I have spent over 20 years in investigative assignments, either as a detective or a sergeant over investigation divisions. I have 15 years of homicide investigations experience and have investigated well over 500 homicides.

I am most recognized in the area of investigations, police practices, and training with over twenty years of experience. I have trained approximately 10,000 law enforcement officers locally, statewide, and across the country. My experience is extensive in criminal investigations, investigative procedures & protocols, policy, cellular phone analysis, critical incident negotiations, search and arrest warrants, laws of arrest, probable cause, officer involved shooting investigations, in-custody death investigations, interview and interrogations, jails and prisons policy and procedures, probation/parole procedures, gang investigations, narcotics investigations, and police misconduct investigations. I have qualified and testified as an expert in criminal court (see expert testimony below) and testified in both state court and federal court.

My experience includes assignments to the Sacramento County Sheriff's Office Centralized Investigations Division to include Narcotics Investigations, Gang Investigations, and Homicide Investigations. I also am an instructor for POST's Robert Presley Institute of Criminal Investigations teaching investigators throughout the state of California on a wide variety of investigative techniques, resources procedures and laws. I am an instructor for Core Investigations, Officer Involved Shooting Investigations, Homicide Investigations, and Science Based Interviewing. I have also been an instructor for the International Homicide Investigators Association teaching Basic Homicide Investigations to investigators throughout the country.

FORMAL EDUCATION

California State University of Sacramento

- Bachelor of Arts-Ethnic Studies

Sacramento Sheriff's Academy

- Basic Recruit Academy

Los Rios Community College

- Continued Vocational Education-Law Enforcement

American River Community College

- Continued Vocation Education-Law Enforcement
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ASSIGNMENTS, RESPONSIBILITES, AND EXPERIENCE

April 2021 to Present

Sheriff's Deputy (Sergeant-retired)

Sacramento County Sheriff's Office

County of Sacramento

Homicide Bureau-Cold Case Investigations

Duties include investigation of unsolved murders within the Sheriff's Office

April 2018 to Oct. 2020

Sheriff's Detective Sergeant

Sacramento County Sheriff's Office

County of Sacramento

Homicide Bureau

Duties included supervision of detectives investigating cases of murder, stranger abduction, officer involved shootings, custodial deaths, missing persons, and cold case unit.

Oct. 2017 to April 2018

Sheriff's Sergeant

Sacramento County Sheriff's Office

County of Sacramento

Patrol Sergeant-Rancho Cordova Police Department

Duties included supervising of patrol team in the City of Rancho Cordova

Oct. 2015 to Oct. 2017

Sheriff's Sergeant
Sacramento County Sheriff's Office
County of Sacramento
Media Bureau
Duties included Public Information Officer for the Sheriff's Office, liaison with local, state, and national media

May 2008 to October 2015

Deputy Sheriff-Detective
Sacramento County Sheriff's Office
County of Sacramento
Homicide Bureau
Duties included investigations involving murder, stranger abduction, officer involved shootings, missing persons, and custodial deaths.

May 2007 to April 2008

Deputy Sheriff-Detective
Sacramento County Sheriff's Department
County of Sacramento
Narcotics Suppression Unit
Authored and executed narcotic search warrants, conducted buy/bust and buy/walk operations on street level narcotics, and marijuana cultivation enforcement and eradication.

Nov. 2006 to April 2007

Deputy Sheriff
Rancho Cordova Police Department
County of Sacramento
Problem Oriented Policing (POP) Officer
Responded to neighborhood nuisance issues, organized operations to combat drugs, gangs, and prostitution.

June 2004 to June 2008

Deputy Sheriff
Sacramento County Sheriff's Department
County of Sacramento
Critical Incident Negotiations Team (CINT)
Respond to critical incidents including Hostage Negotiation, Barricaded Criminal Suspects, Barricaded Suicidal Subjects, and Contain and Call Warrant Service.

June 2004 to Nov. 2006

Deputy Sheriff
Rancho Cordova Police Department
County of Sacramento
Patrol Officer
Responded to crimes in progress, traffic collision investigations.

April 2002 to June 2004

Deputy Sheriff

Sacramento County Main Jail

County of Sacramento

Main Jail Gang/Intelligence Officer

Supervise a 25 officer Gang/Intelligence Team dealing with gang validation, inmate monitoring and jail security issues, submitted reports to the California Board of Corrections regarding Title 15 & 24 minimum jail standards.

August 2000 to May 2002

Police Officer

California State Fair Police

State of California

Assigned to the Gang Investigators Unit of the State Fair Police.

April, 1999 to April, 2002

**Deputy Probation Officer (Gang Suppression Unit)-
Rancho Cordova Project/District 5**

County of Sacramento

Working in collaboration with District 5 Sheriffs POP Officers, and other county Law Enforcement Agencies for gang, drug, and violence suppression.

June, 1998 to April, 1999

Deputy Probation Officer- Juvenile Field Unit

County of Sacramento

Supervise a caseload of juvenile high-risk offenders (North Area), provide court with progress reports and violations of probation. Student Attendance Review Board member for Center Unified School District and Rio Linda School District. Defensive Tactics Instructor for Sacramento County Institutions.

August, 1997 to June, 1998

Deputy Probation Officer- Institution

County of Sacramento

Supervision of staff and residents of Juvenile Hall. Worked on the security team which oversaw intake, booking, and emergency response team. New staff trainer specializing in gang identification, crisis cycle intervention, Management of Assaultive Behavior, incident report writing, cultural diversity, transportation issues, and computer training

December 1994 to August 1997

Deputy Probation Assistant-Institution

County of Sacramento

Maintain security of detained juvenile offenders pending court or commitment to other facilities in Juvenile Hall.

TEACHING CREDENTIALS

Northern California Regional Public Safety Training Authority

Institute of Criminal Investigation-CORE Investigation

- Science Based Interviewing
- Cognitive Interview Methods
- Practical Scenarios

Institute of Criminal Investigation-Officer Involved Shooting Investigation

- Officer Involved Shooting Investigation-Stakeholders
- Administrative Investigations
- Crime Scene Processing
- Administrative Interviews
- Shooting Officer Interviews
- Video Seizures

Institute of Criminal Investigation-Basic Homicide Investigations

- Interaction with Victim's Families
- Interview and Interrogation
- Crime Scene Processing
- Officer Involved Shooting Investigation Case Studies

South Bay Public Safety Academy

Institute Of Criminal Investigation-Officer Involved Shooting Investigation

- Officer Involved Shooting Investigation-Stakeholders
- Administrative Investigations
- Crime Scene Processing
- Administrative Interviews
- Shooting Officer Interviews
- Video Seizures

Institute of Criminal Investigation-Basic Homicide Investigations

- Interaction with Victim's Families
- Interview and Interrogation
- Crime Scene Processing
- Officer Involved Shooting Investigation Case Studies

Institute of Criminal Investigations-Science Based Interviewing (SBI)

- Cognitive Interviews
- Interrogation Techniques
- Strategic Use of Evidence
- Interview and Interrogation practicals

Government Training Agency (San Diego)

Institute of Criminal Investigation-Basic Homicide Investigations

- Interaction with Victim's Families
- Interview and Interrogation
- Crime Scene Processing
- Officer Involved Shooting Investigation Case Studies

International Homicide Investigators Association

Basic Homicide Investigation

- Interview and Interrogation
 - Investigative Techniques
 - Investigative Resources
 - Suspect Development
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PROFESSIONAL ORGANIZATIONS AFFILIATIONS

MEMBERSHIPS:

- California Gang Investigators Association (CGIA)
 - California Narcotics Officers Association (CNOA)
 - Bikers Investigators of Northern California (BIANCA)
 - California Association of Hostage Negotiators (CAHN)
 - International Homicide Investigators Association (IHIA)
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SPECIALIZED TRAINING

Robert Presley Institute of Criminal Investigations

Basic Homicide Investigations

Robert Presley Institute of Criminal Investigations

Advanced Homicide Investigations

Robert Presley Institute of Criminal Investigations

Officer Involved Shooting Investigations

Robert Presley Institute of Criminal Investigations

Science Based Interview and Interrogation

Robert Presley Institute of Criminal Investigations

Narcotics Investigations

South Bay Regional Training Center

Advanced Telephone Record Analysis

South Bay Regional Training Center

Bloodstain Pattern Analysis & Interpretation

Department of Justice

Electronic Surveillance-Wiretaps

Los Angeles Police Department

Detective Symposium

Government Training Agency
Institute of Criminal Investigations Instructor Certification Course

Cameron Consultants
Weaponless Defense Instructor
(Certified Weaponless Defense Instructor)

Sacramento County Probation Department
Criminal Justice Information Systems

Cameron Consultants
Weaponless Defense Instructor-Update

California Gang Investigators Association & Alcohol, Tobacco, and Firearms
Criminal Street Gang Conference

California Attorney General
Organized Crime/Gang Training Conference

National Highway and Traffic Safety Administration
Drug Evaluation and Classification Training: DRE School

Sacramento County Sheriff's Department
Narcotics Tactical Entry Training-Roundhill

California Attorney General
Organized Gang Training Conference

Department of Justice
Crystal Methamphetamine

California Narcotics Officer Association
CNOA Conference-Monterey

Sacramento County Sheriff's Department
Sheriff's Basic Recruit Academy

New Mexico Technical Institute
Incident Response to Terrorist Bombings

Department of Justice
Public Enemy Number One (PENI)

Division of Training and Reserve Forces
Interview and Interrogation

California Association of Hostage Negotiators
Hostage Negotiators Conference

Alcohol, Tobacco, and Firearms/California Gang Investigators Association
Criminal Street Gang Conference

Disaster Preparation (DPREP)
Basic Hostage Negotiator

California Association of Hostage Negotiators
Hostage Negotiators Conference

CERTIFICATIONS

P.O.S.T.: ICI and AICC Instructor
P.O.S.T.: Weaponless Defense Instructor
P.O.S.T.: Drug Recognition Evaluator (D.R.E.)
P.O.S.T.: Basic Recruit Training Academy Certification
P.O.S.T.: Intermediate Certification
P.O.S.T.: Advanced Certification

EXPERT WITNESS

Criminal – Prosecution (Testified)

Gang Expert Testimony

- White Gangs
- Black Gangs
- Hispanic Gangs
- Predicate Cases

Narcotics Expert Testimony

- Sales of Marijuana
- Sales of Controlled Substances
- Sales of Narcotic Analgesics
- Drug Recognition Expert

Homicide Expert Testimony

- Cell phone analysis
- Call data records
- Common call analysis
- Call frequency analysis
- Cell phone extractions and analysis
- Functionality of cell phones and cellular networks
- Blood stain pattern analysis and interpretation

Federal Civil Litigation

Clifford Farwell v. Curry County et. al. (Case Review-Testifying Expert)

1:24-cv-01109-MO

Ricky Davis v. County of El Dorado, et. al. (Case Review-Testifying Expert)

2:22-CV-00262-MCE-JDP

Estate of Jade Castellanos et. al. v. Orange County (Consulting Expert-Review)

8:24-cv-00479-DOC-ADS

Adrienne Henry v. Iron County Sheriff's Department, et.al. (Review/Testifying Expert-Retained)

1:24-cv-00218

Estate of James Healy v. California Department of Corrections and Rehabilitation (Consulting Expert-Retained)

Brent & Fiol, LLP

Robert Jimenez v. California Department of Corrections and Rehabilitation (Consulting Expert-Retained)

Brent & Fiol, LLP

Mark Enterprises Car Company, LLC, a Michigan limited liability company dba Mark Mitsubishi; Mark Enterprises Car Co. II, LLC, an Arizona limited liability company dba Mark Kia; Mark Enterprises Car Co. III, LLC, and Arizona limited liability company dba Mark Mazda; Mark Dubowy, Dylan Mougel; Joshua Spencer v. Dilsher Ali; James Connell; James Cope; Reginald Grigsby (Report Review/Deposition-Testifying Expert)

CV-21-1681-PHX-DLR

Baljit Athwal; Daljit Atwal v County of Stanislaus; City of Modesto; Kirk Bunch; John Evers; Dale Lingerfelt; Steve Jacobson; Birgit Fladager; Galen Carroll (Report Review/Deposition-Testifying Expert)

1:15-cv-00311-TLN-BAM

Ciria v. City & County of San Francisco (Report Review/Deposition- Testifying Expert)

Ciria v. City & County of San Francisco, 22-cv-07510-KAW

Saldivar v. Police Officers Evan Wright, Abel Soria, et al. (Outsourced-Report Review, DSI Consulting, LLC)

Saldivar v. Police Officers Evan Wright, Abel Soria, et al., 2:20-cv-02081-CAS-PD

State Criminal Proceedings

State of Arizona v. Jesse Farmer

Docket #S1300CR202300959

Interview & Interrogation Techniques Expert

State of California v. Snowden, Lewis, et. al

Docket #05F06143

Gang Expert

State of California v. Sam, Miles, Shorter

Docket #09F09113

Gang Expert, Cell phone Expert- CDR-forensic, and cell tower analysis

State of California v. Mitchell, Mitchell, Carney, Jones, et al

Docket #11F00700

Cell Phone Expert-CDR-forensic, and cell tower analysis

State of California v. Rodgers, Rodgers

Docket #12F03810

Cell Phone Expert-CDR-forensic, and cell tower analysis

State of California v. Sydnor, Jacobs

Docket #15F03945

Cell Phone Expert-CDR-forensic, and cell tower analysis

State of California v. Joseph, Miles

Docket #18FE012933

Cell Phone Expert-CDR-forensic, and cell tower analysis

State of California v. Ortega

Docket #08F07509

Cell Phone Expert-CDR-forensic, and cell tower analysis

State of California v. James

Docket #12F08213

Cell Phone Expert-CDR-forensic, and cell tower analysis

State of California v. Brown, Kennedy

Docket #13F03759

Cell Phone Expert-CDR-forensic, and cell tower analysis