

STATEMENT OF QUALIFICATIONS

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CURRENT POSITION

- April 2018-Present
Consultant for Transformations Help For Our Hero's First Responder Treatment Center (Del-ray Beach, Florida)
- February 2024-Present
Putnam County Tennessee Sheriff's Department
Reserve Deputy Sheriff Badge #899
- Cyber Crime Investigation Support
 - Intelligence Support to Investigations Unit
- May 2018-March 2019
Kane County Sheriff Police Cyber Crimes Detective
On a part time basis, assisting the Kane County Sheriff's Detectives with online child exploitation cases, teaching in schools and training staff on how to investigate internet crime.
- April 1990 to Jan. 2018
Naperville Police Department, Naperville, IL. 28 Years of Service (Retired)
High Technology Crimes Unit: Responsible for the investigations of Youth and/or Computer related Crimes and community education for the following topics:
- May 1995 to Sept. 2016
Special Response Team Sniper (Member of the NPD Special Response Team for 22 years).
- Jan. 2012-Oct 2015
Special Investigator with the Will County States Attorney's Office (part-time).
Tasked to develop a cutting edge High Technology Crimes Unit:
- Assisted other Will County Agencies in Internet Crimes Investigation
 - Developed Proactive Cases involving Child Exploitation in Will County
 - Taught Parents/Students/Law Enforcement about Internet Safety
 - Responsible for the arrest of 91 men who had sexually exploited children online.
- Jan 2009 to Present
President of Be Sure Consulting Inc.
Presentation to Parents and Students
Training for Law Enforcement
Training for Transformations Treatment Center First Responder Program
- President of The Restorative Justice Institute for Juveniles
Creator of JuvenileJusticeOnline.org
Creator of Cyberparenting-101.com
Creator of MyCyberSafeSchool.com
Creator of JuvenileJusticeOnline.com
- Juvenile Justice Reform using Education Practices Online instead of Juvenile Court
Brand Ambassador for Bark.US and Light Speed Systems Inc.

ADDITIONAL EXPERIENCE

- April 1990 to Jan. 1995 **Patrol Officer:** Responsible for the protection of life and property of the citizens of Naperville Naperville Police Department, Naperville, IL
- Jan. 2006 to Present **Adjunct Professor:** Responsible for conducting the following classes:
- Basic Computer Crimes Investigations
 - Social Networking Investigations
 - 5 Day Computer Crimes Investigations
 - Law Enforcement response to “Sexting” Investigations
 - Patrol Officers response to Internet Crimes
 - 3 Day Train the Trainer Delivering Effective Internet Safety Presentations to Parents and Students.
 - 3 Day Identifying and Intercepting School Violence Through Leakage
 - 1 Day The Art of Diversion Using Restorative Justice
- April 2006 to Present College of DuPage Suburban Law Enforcement Agency (SLEA), Glen Ellyn, IL
North East Multi-Regional Training, MTU 10 and 15.
- Adjunct Instructor for the Department of Justice (DOJ)
National Criminal Justice Training Center (NCJTC)

EDUCATION

- Jan. 1989** B.A. in Criminal Justice
St. Xavier University, Chicago, IL
- Dec. 1989** Graduate of the Cook County Police Academy 89-3

SPECIALIZED TRAINING

- 09/13/99** 40 Hrs. Responding to Missing and Abducted Children (OJJDP/FVTC/NCMEC)
- 09/29/97** 40 Hrs. Sexual Exploitation of Children (OJJDP/FVTC/NCMEC)
- 08/06/01** 40 Hrs. Child Fatality Investigations (OJJDP/FVTC/NCMEC)
- 10/19/98** 40 Hrs. Protecting Children Online I (OJJDP/FVTC/NCMEC)
- 12/13/04** 40 Hrs. Protecting Children Online II (OJJDP/FVTC/NCMEC)
- 07/97-12/02** Member of Department of Children and Family Services (DCFS) Child Death Review Team
- 07/97-11/00** Member of Multi-Disciplinary Pediatric Education and Evaluation Consortium (MPEEC)
- 08/08/97** 40 Hrs. Basic Computer Crimes Investigations (ICAC)
- 07/23/07** 32 Hrs. Undercover Computer Investigations (ICAC/OJJDP/FVTC/NCMEC)
- 1998-2006** Annual Attendee Crimes against Children Conference in Dallas Texas
- 2000-2012** Annual Attendee ICAC Conference
- 2004-present** Hold certifications in the Peer to Peer Investigations in Round Up, Child Protection System (CPS), Bit Torrent and Ares Networks. These certifications are necessary to conduct undercover investigations in Child Pornography distribution networks.

ADDITIONAL EXPERT INVOLVEMENT

- 2006 Continued involvement with Congresswoman Judy Biggert’s “Teen Safe Text Messaging Initiative.”
- 2007 Continued assistance to Chicago’s Fox 32, internet investigation news involving children.

- 2007 Invited speaker at the US Governor's Conference on: "Protecting our Children Online."
Traverse City, Michigan
- 2008 Testified as a MySpace.Com expert in the Iowa criminal case of US v. Jerrell Moore.
- 2009 Invited speaker by Illinois House of Representatives, Darlene Senger, regarding passing of the "Sexual Exploitation of Children Exemption to the Illinois Overhear Statute (HB1348)
- 2009 Testified as a MySpace.Com expert in the DuPage County Illinois criminal case of People v. Nicole Abushariff
- 2010 Authored the State of Illinois Sexting Legislation
- 2010 Authored the updated version of the Sexual Exploitation of a Child law to include online activities and web camming to protect kids from predators online.
- 2011 Authored HB2052 to include the Cyber-Bullying Statute and HB2053 to include "Cyber Hijacking" of email and social network accounts.
- 2012 Authored in conjunction with the DuPage County States Attorney HB 4642 which makes it a felony to log into someone's online account and change or delete data without authorization.
- 2013 Presented to attendees at the SANS Conference in Orlando, Florida.
- 2014 Presented at the National Association of School Resource Officers Conference.
- 2015 Authored and passed SB 1904 which is now a law designed to combat Internet Hackers and Swatting.
- 2016 Authored and passed SB 2345 Allowing drug seizure funds to be used for community education to the public and schools.
- 2016 Key Note Speaker at National Conferences (Prevent Child Abuse Illinois, Internet Crimes Against Children (ICAC) Atlanta Georgia, National Association of School Resource Officers (NASRO), Problem Orientated Policing Law Enforcement Conference Naperville, Illinois)
- 2018 Ted X Presenter on "Parents Responsibility For Their Child's Technology"
<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=k2buaziaNnE>
- 2018 Co-Authored the State of Illinois School Resource Officer Legislation to codify training for the SRO (SB2925).
- 2018 Appointed to train all State of Illinois Family Court and Juvenile Court Judges about Juveniles and Cyber Crimes.
- 2020 Created an Online Curriculum for Students 4-12, faculty and parents for Cyber Safety WWW.MyCyberSafeSchool.Com
- 2021 National Cyber Trainer for the National Association of School Resource Officers (NASRO) Certified to train SRO's in Illinois, Oregon, Georgia, Michigan and Indiana.

PROFESSIONAL MEMBERSHIPS

Illinois Tactical Officers Association (ITOA), since 1995

Internet Crimes against Children Task Force (ICAC), since 1998

High Tech Criminal Investigators Association (HTCIA), since 2000

United States Secret Service Computer Electronic Crimes Task Force (CECTF), since 2001

HONORS

2006 Innovations in Law Enforcement Award from Fox Interactive Media (My Space Inc.)

2007 National Exchange Club Officer of the Year Award

2008 Citizens Appreciate Public Service (CAPS) Officer of the Year/George Pradel Award.

2008 Son's of the American Revolution Officer of the Year Award.

2012 Meritorious Unit Award from the CAPS Organization for Computer Crimes Investigations

2014 Citizens Appreciate Public Service (CAPS) Officer of the Year / George Pradel Award.

2016 Friend of Children Award Prevent Child Abuse Illinois

2017 Exchange Club of Naperville Care Award

2022 Safe Suburbs USA Life Time Achievement Award

REFERENCES

Additional information regarding expert activities is available upon specific request.