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EDUCATION

University of New Orleans, New Orleans, Louisiana, Bachelor of General Studies, May 2001

Delgado Community College, New Orleans, Louisiana, Associate of Applied Science degree in Electrical Construction Technology, December 1998

Delgado Community College, New Orleans, Louisiana, Associate of Applied Science degree in Fire Science Technology, with Honors, May 1998

Hillsborough Community College, Tampa, Florida, Associate in Arts degree in Education, May 1991

WORK EXPERIENCE

1995 to Present – Evidence Technician, Senior Fire Specialist and Vice President, M. A. Stringer and Associates, Inc., Covington, Louisiana

Set up evidence system, assist in examination of evidence; Conduct fire scene examinations; Provide expert witness testimony in Fire Investigation, Fire Origin and Cause, Fire Science and Contents Identification as needed

1994 to 1995 – New Car Service Department, Bill Currie Ford, Tampa, Florida

1988 to 1994 – Lead Operator, Credit Card Embossing, Equifax Services, Inc., Tampa, Florida

CERTIFICATIONS & LICENSES

NAFI Certified Fire and Explosion Investigator, Reg. No. 7474-3110

Licensed Private Investigator, State of Louisiana, License Number 5312-102102-LA

IAAI Certified Fire Investigator, Cert. No. 42-110802

National Board on Fire Service Professional Qualifications Certified Fire Investigator, Cert. No.260554

Licensed Private Investigator, State of Arkansas, CMPY.0002386, REP.0004721

Licensed Private Investigator, State of Alabama, License Number 460

WORK RELATED TRAINING

On the job training, M. A. Stringer and Associates, Inc.

IAAI Basic Electrical Aspects of Fire Investigation, Seattle, Washington, October 12 and 13, 2015

2014 Mississippi Fire Investigators Association Mid Summer Training

2011 IAAI, Louisiana Chapter Annual Conference and Training Seminar

2011 IAAI, Louisiana Chapter Southern Regional Training Seminar, NFPA 1033 and You, Meeting the Standard for Fire Investigator

2010 IAAI, Louisiana Chapter Southern Regional Training Seminar, Investigation of Methamphetamine Labs and Hazardous Materials Refresher

2009 IAAI, Louisiana Chapter Northern Region Training Seminar, Fire Scene Analysis presented by John DeHaan, Ph.D

2009 Cargill Annual MSHA Refresher Training, Fire Prevention and Extinguishment (Instructor)

WORK RELATED TRAINING (continued)

2008 IAAI, Louisiana Chapter Annual Training and Conference, The Information Generation

2008 IAAI, Louisiana Chapter Southern Region Training Seminar, Recreational Vehicle Fires

2007 IAAI, Louisiana Chapter Annual Training Seminar, Live Fire Scenarios

2007 North American Training Group, On Line Training
Arson for Profit
GCE Auto Theft 101
Concepts of Product Liability
Subrogation and the Investigation

2007 IAAI, Louisiana Chapter, Regional Training Seminar, NFPA 921

2006 Private Investigators Seminar, Delgado Community College

2005 IAAI, Louisiana Chapter, Fire Evidence Seminar

2003 IAAI, Louisiana Chapter Annual Training Seminar, Basic Electrical Investigations

2003 IAAI, Louisiana Chapter Southern Regional Training Seminar, Investigation of Motor Vehicle Fires

2003 National Institute of Trial Advocacy (NITA) Seminar, Participant in Expert Witness Training

2002 Louisiana State Board of Private Investigator Examiners, 40 hour course

2002 Annual Training Seminar, Slidell, Louisiana, International Association of Arson Investigators (IAAI), Louisiana Chapter

2001 Spring Fire and Arson Seminar, Biloxi, Mississippi, Mississippi Fire Investigators Association

FEMA / U. S. Fire Administration, "Juvenile Firesetters Prevention / Intervention Workshop," April 2000

2000 Louisiana State Police, Department of Insurance and Office of Attorney General Technical Aspects of Fire Investigation (Instructor)

1999 International Association of Arson Investigators, Louisiana Chapter, Annual Training Seminar

1998 Florida Arson Seminar, Orlando, Florida, Office of State Fire Marshal

National Fire Academy Arson Detection for First Responders School, LSU Firemen Training Program, June 1998

Fire Findings Appliance Fire Investigation Seminar, Benton Harbor, Michigan 1997

IAAI (International Association of Arson Investigators, Inc.) CFITrainer.Net Certificates

Arc Mapping Basics, 4 hours tested September 14, 2015

Residential Electrical Systems, 4 hours tested September 14, 2015

Basic Electricity, 4 hours tested August 20, 2015

Using Resources to Validate your Hypothesis, 2 hours tested February 19, 2015

IAAI (International Association of Arson Investigators, Inc.) CFITrainer.Net Certificates (continued)

MagneTek: A case In The Daubert Challenge, 2 hours tested February 19, 2015

Digital Photography and the Fire Investigator, 4 hours tested May 17, 2014

Evidence Examination: What Happens at the Lab?, 4 hours tested April 24, 2013

DNA, 3 hours tested April 23, 2013

Physical Evidence at the Fire Scene, 4 hours tested April 23, 2013

Electrical Safety, 3 hours tested April 4, 2013

Introduction to Evidence, 4 hours tested December 25, 2012

Documenting the Event, 4 hours tested December 25, 2012

NFPA 1033 and Your Career, 2 hours tested December 24, 2012

The Practical Application of the Relationship Between NFPA 1033 and NFPA 921, 2 hours tested December 24, 2012

The Scientific Method for Fire and Explosion Investigation, 3 hours tested November 23, 2012

Ethics and the Fire Investigator, 3 hours tested November 23, 2012

PROFESSIONAL SOCIETY MEMBERSHIPS

International Association of Fire and Arson Investigators (IAAI)
Louisiana Chapter of the IAAI
Mississippi Fire Investigators Association
Louisiana Arson and Fire Prevention Association
National Association of Fire Investigators (NAFI)
Alabama Association of Arson Investigators

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Trial Testimony

August 24, 2015, MASA Contract No. 11097404M (Expert Witness in Fire Origin and Cause and Fire Investigations)
24th Judicial Court, Parish of Jefferson, State of Louisiana, Division "N" Case: 687343
Tiffany Jeffery v. State Farm Mutual Automobile Insurance Company

January 6, 2015, MASA Contract No. 04117746M (Expert Witness in Fire Origin and Cause and Fire Investigation)
24th Judicial District Court, Parish of Jefferson, State of Louisiana, Division "J" Case: 709-157
State Farm Fire and Casualty Company, Melvin Brookey v. Denise Mitchell

July 9, 2014, MASA Contract No. 07097344M (Expert Witness in Fire Origin and Cause and Fire Investigation)
Civil District Court for the Parish of Orleans, Division "C/10" No. 2010-7612
State Farm General Insurance Company as Subrogee of/and Michael W. Mayer v. Jake Staples

March 25, 2013, MASA Contract No. 03117729M (Expert Witness in Fire Origin and Cause)
24th Judicial Court, Parish of Jefferson, State of Louisiana,, Division "L" Case: 711-727
State Fram Fire and Casualty Company, Phoenix Hinyub One LLC v. Janice Marie Hookfin Ashford, Janice Marie Hookfin

November 19, 2008, MASA Contract No. 05055250M (Expert Witness in Fire Origin and Cause)
Baton Rouge City Court, Case No. 0606-04058-2, Judge Laura P. Davis, Division "A"
Gloria Hull v. Allstate Insurance Company

January 13, 2006, MASA Contract No. 05024120M (Expert Witness in Fire Origin and Cause)
19th Judicial Court, , Parish of East Baton Rouge, Case No. C 504579, Section 24
Louisiana Farm Bureau Insurance v. Mitsubishi Motor Sales of America

January 10, 2006, MASA Contact No. 01034403M (Expert Witness in Fire Investigation, Fire Origin and Cause, Fire Science and Contents Identification)
United States District Court, Middle District of Louisiana, Baton Rouge, Louisiana, Judge Brady, Case No. CV04-41-DM2
Linda Travis v. State Farm Insurance Company

July 15, 2004, MASA Contract No. 08024196 (Fact Witness)
Civil District Court, Parish of Orleans, No. 2002-9872
Dixie Chicken, Inc. v. Wayne Estrade and Floriana M. Estrade D.B.A. Diamond Starter and Alternator

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Deposition Testimony

December 9, 2014, MASA Contract Number 12128090M
United States District Court, Eastern District of Louisiana
Civil Action No. 2:14-CV-0034, C/W 14-0049
Dana James Martin and Chequita Martin and Shay Martin v. General Electric Company,
Home Depot U.S.A., Inc., XYZ Insurance Company and RST Insurance Company

June 10, 2014, MASA Contract Number 01127921M
United States District Court for the Middle District of Louisiana, Division D, Civil
Action No. 3:13-cv-000251
David Doucet and Suzanne Doucet, Individually, and on behalf of their minor children,
May Kathryn Doucet, Mark Doucet, and Louis Doucet; and State Farm Fire and Casualty
Company v. Dormont Manufacturing Company

June 2, 2014, MASA Contract Number 01127926M
23rd Judicial District Court for the Parish of Assumption, State of Louisiana, Division "E"
No. 34040
State Farm Fire and Casualty Company v. Bayou L'Orse Volunteer Fire Department

May 16, 2014, MASA Contract Number 09117849M
United States District Court, Western District of Louisiana, Lake Charles Division, Civil
Action No. 2:12CV2702
State Farm Insurance Company, as real party in interest and subrogee of Barry and
Melissa Smith v. Electrolux Home Products, Inc.

February 18, 2013, MASA Contract Number 06117787M
United States District Court, Eastern District of Louisiana, Civil Action No. 12-1843
Rene J. Collins v. Allstate Insurance Company

February 15, 2012, MASA Contract Number 01127927M
29th Judicial District Court No. 68,385 Division "D"
Kay Baxter v. California Customs, Inc., et al

July 20, 2010, MASA Contract No. 09076028M
Civil District Court, Parish of Orleans, No. 2008-3623
Janet Lee v. Frank Gengo, Allstate Fire and Casualty Insurance Company and CJ Davis
Electrical Service

August 20, 2008, MASA Contract No. 02065595M
United States District Court, Middle District of Louisiana, Case No. 07-137
State Farm Fire and Casualty v. Delta Beverage Group

Deposition Testimony (continued)

March 17, 2008, MASA Contract No. 10065825M
19th Judicial Court, Case No. 560, 341 Division "24"
Dearman's Hamburger v. State Farm Fire and Casualty

July 24, 2007, MASA Contract No. 03055198M
23rd Judicial District Court, Parish of Ascension, No. 82845 Division "C"
Allstate Insurance Company as Subrogee of Joseph Roberts v. Rickitt Benckiser, Inc.

October 11, 2006, MASA Contract No. 03044824M
Civil District Court, Parish of Orleans, No. 2005-3405, Division "G"
State Farm Insurance Company / Pitt Investment v. John M. Deakle

October 9, 2006, MASA Contract No. 08045000M
21st Judicial District Court, Parish of Livingston, Docket No. 108-367
Allstate Insurance Company and Shannon Easley v. National Security Fire and Casualty
Company, Home Resources of Louisiana

July 7, 2004, MASA Contract No. 08024196M
Civil District Court, Parish of Orleans, No. 2002-9872
Dixie Chicken, Inc. v. Wayne Estrade and Floriana M. Estrade D.B.A. Diamond Starter
and Alternator

August 18, 2003, MASA Contract No. 08024197M
Civil District Court, Parish of Orleans, No. 2002-18866
Kevin Eminger and Joseph Richburg v. Louis Grimes, Jr., Later and Blum Property
Management, Inc. and State Farm Fire and Casualty Insurance Company