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AREA OF SPECIALIZATION

CCAI Certified Fire Investigator
NAFI Certified Fire & Explosion Investigator

BACKGROUND AND PROFESIONAL EXPERIENCE

Patrick Buckley is a Certified Fire Investigator through the California Conference of Arson Investigators (CCAI) and a Certified Fire and Explosion Investigator through the National Association of Fire Investigators (NAFI). Currently, he is a Fire Engineer with the San Diego Fire-Rescue Department and is permanently assigned to the Metro Arson Strike Team as a Fire Investigator. Concurrent to working for the San Diego Fire-Rescue Department, Patrick works as a Fire Investigator for Fire Cause Analysis, operating outside of the County of San Diego. Previous to his eight years with the San Diego Fire-Rescue Department Patrick worked as a Fire Fighter I for CAL-FIRE and a Paid Call Firefighter for the San Luis Obispo County Fire Department. Patrick coordinates training for southern California fire investigators and continues to increase his knowledge of fire investigation by attending fire and explosives investigation training throughout the country.

PROFESIONAL EXPERIENCE

2014 to Present	SAN DIEGO FIRE-RESCUE DEPARTMENT Metro Arson Strike Team San Diego, CA Fire Investigator
2006 to Present	SAN DIEGO FIRE-RESCUE DEPARTMENT San Diego, CA Firefighter and Fire Engineer
2012 to Present	FIRE CAUSE ANALYSIS Berkeley, CA Fire Investigator

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SPECIALIZED TRAINING

2009

Fire Investigation 1A: Fire Origin and Cause Determination – CSFM (40 hours)

NFPA 1033 1.3.7(1)-(5)(8)-(11)(15)

Intermediate Wildland Fire Behavior S-290 – NWCG (32 hours)

NFPA 1033 1.3.7(1)(2)(5)

2010

Fire Investigation 1B: Techniques of Fire Investigation – CSFM (40 hours)

NFPA 1033 1.3.7(8)-(11)

Fire Investigation 2A: Criminal and Legal Procedures – CSFM (40 hours)

NFPA 1033 1.3.7(8)

Fire Investigation 2B: Field Case Studies – CSFM (40 hours)

NFPA 1033 1.3.7(8)(10)(11)

Investigations of Electrical and Appliance Related Fires - IAAI/AHAM (20 hours)

NFPA 1033 1.3.7(8)(13)(16)

2011

Arson Murders and Fire Death Investigations – LA HIDTA (8 hours)

NFPA 1033 1.3.7(8)

Vehicle Fire Investigation – CCAI (7 hours)

NFPA 1033 1.3.7(8)-(11)(13)(15)

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NFPA 1033 1.3.7(8)-(11)(13)(15)

Expert Courtroom Testimony Program – IAAI (40 hours)

Fire Prevention 1A: Introduction to the California Fire Code – CSFM (40 hours)

NFPA 1033 1.3.7(14)

2012

Incident Response to Terrorist Bombings – New Mexico Tech EMRTC (32 hours)

NFPA 1033 1.3.7(6)

Juvenile Fire Setters FATJAM Training – San Diego Burn Institute (4 hours)

NFPA 1033 1.3.7(8)

2013

Fire/Arson Origin and Cause Investigations – National Fire Academy/ATF (96 hours)

NFPA 1033 1.3.7(1)-(11)(13)(15)(16)

2014

Forensic Vehicle Fire Investigation – SLOFIST (32 hours)

NFPA 1033 1.3.7(1)-(5)(8)-(11)(13)(15)

Electrical Aspects of Fire Investigations – National Fire Academy (48 hours)

NFPA 1033 1.3.7(8)-(11)(13)(16)

Photography for Fire Investigators – CCAI (8 hours)

NFPA 1033 1.3.7(15)

Wildland Fire Investigation FI-210 – NWCG (40 hours)

NFPA 1033 1.3.7(1)-(5)(8)-(11)(15)

Arson Statutes – CCAI (4 hours)

NFPA 1033 1.3.7(8)

Explosive Hazard Recognition & Safety Training – DHS (8 hours)

NFPA 1033 1.3.7(6)

2015

Post Blast Investigative Techniques – ATF (40 hours)

NFPA 1033 1.3.7(6)(15)(16)

Evidence Collection – CCAI (8 hours)

NFPA 1033 1.3.7(2)(14)(15)

A Fresh Look at Fire Dynamics – SDFD MAST/ATF (7 hours)

NFPA 1033 1.3.7(1)-(5)(8)

Use of Burglar Alarms in Investigations – SDFD MAST (8 hours)

NFPA 1033 1.3.7(16)

Butane Hash Oil Labs – Drug Enforcement Administration (DEA) (8 hours)

NFPA 1033 1.3.7(6)(10)(12)(15)

NFPA 921/Solid-Fuel and Gas-Burning Appliances – CCAI (8 hours)

NFPA 1033 1.3.7(1)-(5)(8)-(11)(13)

Reading Wildland Fire Indicators – CCAI (4 hours)

NFPA 1033 1.3.7(8)(10)

CFI Trainer Fire Investigation Modules – IAAI (172 hours)

NFPA 1033 1.3.7(1)-(16)

Hazardous Materials Course FRO – SDFD (annually refreshed)

NFPA 1033 1.3.7(12)

CONFERENCES

2013 CCAI November Training Conference: San Luis Obispo, CA

NFPA 1033 1.3.7(1)-(5)(8)-(11)(13)

2012 CCAI March Training Conference: San Luis Obispo, CA

NFPA 1033 1.3.7(1)-(5)(8)-(11)(13)

2011 IAAI Annual Training Conference: Las Vegas, NV

NFPA 1033 1.3.7(1)-(5)(8)-(11)(13)(15)(16)

EXPERT WITNESS TESTIMONY

San Diego Superior Court Case No. CD258104, Preliminary Hearing – November 4, 2014

San Diego Superior Court Case No. CD255780, Preliminary Hearing – February 5, 2015

San Diego Superior Court Case No. CD264367, Preliminary Hearing – November 23, 2015

COURSES INSTRUCTED

From Everest to Arsonist, Suicide in the Courtroom – San Diego Chapter of CPCU

PROFESIONAL MEMBERSHIPS

International Association of Arson Investigators (IAAI)

California Conference of Arson Investigators (CCAI)

National Association of Fire Investigators (NAFI)