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PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

SENIOR CAPTAIN

Westfield Police Department, Westfield, MA / April 2008—Present

- In charge of all staff personnel below the rank of captain
- Acting Chief of Police in his absence
- Responsible for all purchases made by the department with direct oversight of the department's budget
- Oversees department grants and matters pertaining to the Internal Affairs Unit
- In charge of the Community Policing Program, Detective Bureau and Court Officer

DETECTIVE LIEUTENANT

Westfield Police Department, Westfield, MA / January 2000—April 2008

- Assigned to oversee all phases of criminal investigations and coordinate investigations with other agencies
- Liaison to the Office of the Superintendent of Schools and the Hampden County District Attorney's Office
- Responsible for the coordination of drug investigations and interfacing those investigations with other State and Federal Agencies

COMMUNITY POLICE SERGEANT

Westfield Police Department, Westfield, MA / September 1996 — December 1999

- Managed the Community Policing Program
- Oversaw the 4:00pm—12:00am shift which included establishing positions and coordinating manpower
- Acted as the station Shift Commander in the absence of a Lieutenant and assumed all responsibilities
- Served as an advisor and mentor to Uniform Patrolman

PATROL SERGEANT

Westfield Police Department, Westfield, MA / July 1996—September 1996

- Supervised the 4:00pm—12:00am shift including assigning roster positions and coordinating manpower
- Acted as station Shift Commander in the absence of a Lieutenant and assumed all responsibilities
- Served as an advisor and mentor to Uniform Patrolmen

DETECTIVE PATROLMAN

Westfield Police Department, Westfield, MA / January 1989—July 1996

- Investigated all major cases assigned by supervisors
- Areas of expertise included: Child Sexual Assault, Sexual Assault, Burglaries, Gang Intelligence, Drug Interdiction, Interviewing & Interrogation, and Community Policing

**PROFESSIONAL
EXPERIENCE**

DETECTIVE PATROLMAN (cont.)

- Responsible for case and court preparation

UNIFORM PATROLMAN

Westfield Police Department, Westfield, MA / April 1986—December 1988

- Assigned to the 12:00am– 8:00am shift, responsible for traffic investigations, initial responder to crime scenes, answering calls and conducting routine patrol throughout the city
- Reassigned in mid 1988 to the 4:00pm—12:00am shift
- Served as dispatcher for 6 months, responsible for dispatching calls, answering phones, handling citizen complaints and managing computer operations.

SUPERIOR PRESIDENT

International Brotherhood of Police Officers, Westfield, MA / October 1996—June 2006

- Handled all grievances proffered by superior officers.
- Collaborated with administrators and City Officials on a regular basis, cultivating a good working relationship

PRESIDENT

Local Union, Westfield, MA / April 1992—October 1996 (Member since 1986)

- Assisted all patrolmen in need of advice with regard to work related issues
- Chief negotiator and guardian of the contract between the City and the Union
- Facilitator for patrolmen and superiors during times of conflict to help parties understand and achieve common objectives while maintaining an excellent relationship with those involved

**CRIMINAL
JUSTICE
TEACHING
EXPERIENCE**

STAFF INSTRUCTOR

MA Criminal Justice Training Council, Agawam, MA / May 1994—2000

- Provide training for all four levels of police: Supervisors, Patrolman, Detectives and Recruits in various courses ranging from Law to Sexual Assault investigations to Expandable Baton Certification
- Primarily taught law and case law updates
- Course also focused on new case law and practical applications of current case law as it relates to constitutional issues

ADJUNCT FACULTY

Westfield State University, Westfield, MA / 2000—Present

- Responsible for teaching several courses within the Criminal Justice Department including Community Policing, Law Enforcement and Society, Contemporary Problems in Law Enforcement, and Introduction to Criminal Justice

ADJUNCT FACULTY

Bay Path College, Longmeadow, MA / 2000—2001

- Juvenile Law and Procedure
- Constitutional Law

**PROFESSIONAL
DEVELOPMENT
AND
EDUCATION**

FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION NATIONAL ACADEMY

Session 210 / July 2002—September 2002
Completed 5 Credit Course in Accounting & Budgets for Police

MASTER'S DEGREE / CRIMINAL JUSTICE

Westfield State College, Westfield, MA
1992—1994
3.70 cum

BACHELOR'S DEGREE / CRIMINAL JUSTICE & SPANISH

Westfield State College, Westfield, MA
1980—1984

**MEMBERSHIPS
AND
AFFILIATIONS**

BOARD OF TRUSTEES

Baystate Noble Hospital, Westfield, MA / 2013—Present

SPECIAL EVENTS CHAIRPERSON

Boys and Girls Club of Greater Westfield, Westfield, MA / 2002—Present

TREASURER

Centennial Lions Club, Westfield, MA / 2016—Present

2017 CHAIRPERSON

Baystate Noble Ball, Springfield, MA / 2017

GIRL'S CROSS COUNTRY COACH & GIRL'S SWIM COACH (VOLUNTEER)

Westfield High School, Westfield, MA / 2014—Present

MEMBER

Westfield Historical Society, Westfield, MA / 2014—Present

MEMBER

Westfield Police Association, Westfield, MA / February 1985—Present

- Participate in and assist with organizing community based programs designed to promote positive interaction between police and citizens of the community
- Member in good standing