

Keith Flood | Fire Investigator, CFEI

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Professional Summary:

Mr. Flood is an experienced fire investigator having investigated over 200 incidents. His investigations range from structures to vehicles. He is a graduate of the University of New Haven with a double major in Fire Science Administration and also Arson Investigation. Mr. Flood is currently working on his Master's degree in fire and arson investigation at the University of New Haven. Mr. Flood has experience in working with local and state agencies during fire investigations and has attended numerous classes to further his education in the field of fire investigation.

Licenses and Certifications:

Certified Fire and Explosion Investigator, NAFI, #15920-10188
Certified Evidence Collection Technician, IAAI, #294
Certified Fire Investigator Technician, IAAI
Certified Emergency Medical Technician, CT, #900444
Certified Hazardous Materials Awareness, CT
Certified Hazardous Materials Operations, CT
Certified Hazardous Materials Technician, CT
Certified Firefighter I/II, Connecticut
Certified NIMS ICS 100, 200, 300, 400, 700, 800
Certified All Hazards Planning Section Chief
Certified Fire Marshal, Connecticut
Certified Fire Service Instructor I, Connecticut
Certified Public Fire and Life Safety Educator, Connecticut

Project Experience:

West Haven Fire Department, West Haven, CT Fire Investigation

This was a fire investigation involving a mass arson case which involved three set fires over a short period of time. Conducted scene investigations and interviews with local police which concluded with three arson charges and a conviction.

West Haven Fire Department, West Haven, CT Fire Investigation

This was a fire investigation involving a triple fatality. Conducted scene examination and worked with state and local agencies along with local prosecutors to develop a cause and origin conclusion.

Professional Experience:

EFI Global, Fire Investigator, 2017 – Present

West Haven Fire Department, Fire Marshal, 2011 – Present

- Firefighter/Emergency Medical Technician, 1995 – Present
- Deputy Fire Marshal/Fire Inspector 2009 - 2011

American Medical Response, Emergency Medical Technician, 2000 – 2006

Specialized Education:

Forensic Photography, IAAI, 2017

Forensic Evidence Collection, National Fire Academy, 2015

Sprinkler System Plan Review, NFSA, 2015

Understanding, Applying and Enforcing NFPA 25, NFSA, 2014

Electrical Aspects in Fire Investigations, National Fire Academy, 2014

Fire and Arson Investigation: Writing and Defending Your Expert Report, PATC, 2014

Who Are You Going To Call, IAAI, 2012

Advanced Death Investigation, University of New Haven, 2012

Fire Pattern Certification, PATC, 2011

Juvenile Fire Setter Specialist, CFA, 2011

State of CT Vehicle Fire Investigation School, CFA, 2010

Fire/Arson Origin and Cause Investigations, National Fire Academy, 2010

State of CT Advanced Fire Investigation School, CFA, 2010

Prevention and Response to Suicide Bombings, New Mexico Tech, 2007

Incident Response to Terrorist Bombings, New Mexico Tech, 2006

Incident Safety Officer, National Fire Academy, 1998

CFI Training Courses, transcript available upon request

Education:

Masters of Science, Fire Science, University of New Haven, degree expected 2019

Bachelors of Science, Fire Science, University of New Haven, 2016

Associates of Applied Science, Fire and Occupational Safety, 2005

Affiliations:

International Association of Arson Investigators, Connecticut Chapter Board of Directors

International Fire Marshals Association

International Association of Firefighters, Local 1198



National Association of Fire Investigators
National Fire Protection Association
Connecticut Fire Marshals Association (Past President)

Honors and Awards:

Outstanding Student in Fire Science, 2016
Certificate of Recognition, NFPA, 2015
International Fire Service Training Association, Validation Committee, 2014
Outstanding Accomplishment Award, IAAI CT Chapter, 2013
Photo Award, IAAI CT Chapter, 2012