

## Scott McDonald | Fire Investigator, CFI, CFEI, CVFI

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### Professional Summary:

Scott McDonald has over 30 years of firefighting and law enforcement experience. He currently holds the position of Fire Investigator with EFI Global and is based out of Northern California. He has over 500 hours of training specific to fire origin and cause investigation. He is certified as a California State Fire Marshal Level II Fire Investigator. He is a member of the International Association of Arson Investigators (IAAI), the California Conference of Arson Investigators (CCAI) and the National Association of Fire Investigators (NAFI). Mr. McDonald is recognized by the California chapter of the IAAI as a Certified Fire Investigator (CFI) and NAFI as a Certified Fire and Explosion Investigator (CFEI) and a Certified Vehicle Fire Investigator (CVFI). During the course of Mr. McDonald's career, he has investigated over 500 structure, vehicle, marine and wildland fires. Mr. McDonald has qualified as an expert witness in the San Joaquin County Superior Court.

### Licenses and Certifications:

California Conference of Arson Investigators, CFI #725

National Association of Fire and Explosion Investigations, CFI, CVFI #18647-10706

State of Oregon PI license #77251

State of Washington PI license #4569

Nevada Private Investigator Agency License, NV #644

Pro Board Certification: #R-076420

### Professional Experience:

EFI Global, Inc.; Senior Fire Investigator; 7/18- Current

Envista Forensics; Senior Fire Investigator; 1/16- 7/18

EFI Global, Inc.; Senior Fire Investigator; 4/13-12/15

City of Stockton- Fire; Administrative Captain; 5/92-4/13

San Joaquin Co. S/O; Deputy Sheriff II; 12/86-8/95

### Specialized Education:

CFI Trainer, 2019

CCAI, 2018

California State Fire Marshal Hazardous Materials Specialist

**Education:**

Associates of Arts Degree San Joaquin Delta College- Public Safety, Stockton CA. 2000

**Affiliations:**

California Conference of Arson Investigators (CCAI)  
International Association of Arson Investigators (IAAI)  
National Association of Fire and Explosion Investigators (NAFI)

**Courses Instructed/ Guest Lecturer:**

California State Fire Marshal Investigations Series Instructor (Investigations 1A, 1B, 1C)

\*\*Litigation CV available upon request.