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Professional Summary:

Mr. McClure is a fire investigator serving the Denver Service Center. His primary area of responsibility includes northern Colorado, Wyoming, and western South Dakota.

Mr. McClure's fire service career spanned nearly 20 years and he has been involved in fire investigations since 2006. His involvement in investigations includes residential and commercial structures, wildland, and motor vehicles.

Prior to joining EFI Global, Mr. McClure was a Firefighter 1st Class, Apparatus Engineer, and Acting Company Officer where he performed technical work required to protect life and property while responding to fire incidents, hazardous materials, medical/trauma situations, and the transport of sick and injured patients. He served as a member of the Honor Guard. He was the supervising Fire/Arson Investigator where he managed the investigation of all fire related incidents to determine fire origin and cause. After his retirement from the public sector, he continues his work in fire investigation where he provides prompt and professional service to his colleagues and clients.

Licenses and Certifications:

- IAAI Certified Fire Investigator – Cert# 41-091637
- NAFI Certified Fire and Explosive Investigator – Cert# 15578-8235
- NAFI Certified Vehicle Fire Investigator – Cert# 15578-8235V
- CDFFPC – Firefighter Level 2
- CDFFPC – Driver Operator Pumper
- CDFFPC – Hazmat Operations
- FI-210 Wildland Fire Origin & Cause Determination, INVF
- FI-210 Wildland Fire origin and Cause (pre-course work)
- S-110 Basic Wildland Fire Orientation
- Private Investigator, State of Montana, #43359
- Private Investigator, State of New Mexico, #PI-2023-0563
- Private Investigator, State of Oregon, #PI112253
- Private Investigator, State of Washington, #23010895

Court Qualifications/ Depositions:

Litigation CV available upon request.

Professional Experience:

- EFI Global, Inc., Fire Investigator, 2022 – Present
- Iris Fire Investigations, Inc., Fire Investigator, 2018 – 2021
- Western Engineering and Forensics, Inc., Fire Investigator 2015 – 2017

Adams County Fire Rescue, Firefighter, Investigator, Hazmat Tech, EMT, 2003 – 2019
American Medical Response Inc., EMT, 2003 – 2003
United States Navy, Heavy Equipment Mechanic, 1984 - 1987

Specialized Education:

S-110 Basic Wildland Fire Orientation, Wildland Fire Learning portal, 9/4/2023
FI-210 Wildland Fire origin and Cause (pre-course work), Wildland Fire Learning portal, 9/5/2023
The Practical Application of the Relationship Between NFPA 1033 and NFPA 921, CFITrainer, /3/2023
Ethical Duties Beyond the Fire Scene, CFITrainer, 6/3/2023
Residential Electrical Systems- IAAI /Cfi Trainer 1/11/2022
Motor Vehicle, Transmission, Exhaust, Brake, and accessory systems- IAAI /Cfi Trainer 1/10/22
Discovery in Criminal Cases- IAAI /fi Trainer 1/10/2022
Investigating Natural Gas Systems – IAAI /Cfi Trainer 1/3/2022
Thermometry, Heat, and Heat Transfer – IAAI /Cfi Trainer 1/3/2022
Motor Vehicle: The Engine and Ignition, Electrical, and Fuel Systems – IAAI /Cfi Trainer 12/10/2021
Photovoltaic Cells and Systems IAAI /Cfi Trainer 12/8/2021
Electric & Hybrid Vehicle Fires IAAI Cfi Trainer 12/8/2021
Writing the initial Origin and Cause Report IAAI Cfi Trainer 12/8/2021
Critical Evaluation and Testing of Commonly Reported Accidental Causes – IAAI Cfi Trainer 12/6/2021
Electric & Hybrid Vehicle Design Basics - IAAI /Cfi Trainer 11/30/2021
Fire Flow Analysis – IAAI /Cfi Trainer 11/30/2021
Introduction to Appliances – IAAI /Cfi Trainer 11/30/2021
Lithium-Ion Battery Fires – IAAI /Cfi Trainer 11/30/2021
Alternative Fuel Vehicles – IAAI /Cfi Trainer 11/8/2021
Emerging Technologies in Fire Investigations – IAAI /Cfi Trainer 2/2/2021
The Deposition Part 2: Questioning Tactics & Effective Responses – IAAI /Cfi Trainer 2/2/2021
The deposition Part 1: Format, Content, and preparation – IAAI /Cfi Trainer 3/28/2020
IAAI-FIT Test – Refresh – IAAI /Cfi Trainer 6/26/2019
Fire Chemistry – IAAI /Cfi Trainer 5/17/2019
Discovery of Civil Cases – IAAI /Cfi Trainer 2/27/2019
Ethics & Social Media – IAAI /Cfi Trainer 2/27/2019
CIAAI Annual Meeting and Seminar (October 2018, Vail CO)
Colorado IAAI 10th Annual Training Conference – IAAI 10/29/2018
CIAAI Annual Meeting and Seminar (October 2017, Vail CO)
P.A.T.C. Hands on Vehicle Fire/Arson Investigation (Denver, Aug 2017)
Basic Electricity – IAAI /Cfi Trainer 11/10/2017
CIAAI Annual Meeting and Seminar (October 2016, Vail CO)
John E. Reid; The Reid Technique of Investigative Interview & Advanced Interrogation (June 2015, Loveland, CO)
CIAAI Annual Meeting and Seminar (October 2015, Vail CO)
Deposition Part 1: Format, Content, and preparation – IAAI /Cfi Trainer 5/4/2015
CIAAI Annual Meeting and Seminar (October 2014, Vail CO)
Process of Elimination – IAAI /Cfi Trainer 10/26/2014
MagneTek: A Case Study in the Daubert Challenge - IAAI /Cfi Trainer 2/25/2014
Using Resources to Validate your Hypothesis – IAAI /Cfi Trainer 2/25/2014
NFPA 921 and 1033 2014 Edition: Important Revisions – IAAI /Cfi Trainer 2/25/2014
CIAAI Annual Meeting and Seminar (October 2013, Vail CO)
How First Responders Impact the Fire Investigation – IAAI /Cfi Trainer 12/8/2012
IAAI-FIT Test – IAAI /Cfi Trainer 12/9/2012

Education:

National Fire Academy Origin and Cause Investigation Program, Emmitsburg, MD, 2012
Fire Fighter Academy, Southwest Adams County Fire Department, Denver, CO, 2000
EMT Academy, Thompson Valley EMS, Loveland, CO, 1996
Heavy Equipment Mechanic/ Firefighter, United States NAVY, 1987
Berthoud High School, Berthoud, CO, 1984

Affiliations:

International Association of Arson Investigators (IAAI)
National Association of Fire Investigators (NAFI)

Honors and Awards:

Fire Fighter of the Year 2008-2009
Life Saver Award (2012)
Life Saver Award (2014)
Life Saver Award (2015)
CIAAI Recognition for Investigative excellence (2015)
Life Saver Award (2016)
Distinguished Service Medal (2016)