

Joseph Nadboralski | Fire Investigator

IAAI-CFI, ECT, CI, NAFI-CFEI, CFII, CVFI, MIFirE, IAMI-CMI

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### Professional Summary:

Mr. Nadboralski has over 21 years of experience in the fire service. Since 2018, Mr. Nadboralski has investigated over 700 fires as both a public and private investigator. These incidents included vehicles, machinery, commercial structures, and residential properties.

Mr. Nadboralski is a Certified Fire Investigator through the International Association of Arson Investigators and meets the National Board for Fire Service Professional Qualifications of NFPA 1033. He has also obtained certification as a Fire and Explosive Investigator through the National Association of Fire Investigators.

### Licenses and Certifications:

Certified Instructor (CI), International Association of Arson Investigators

Certified Vehicle Fire Investigator (CVFI), National Association of Fire Investigators, #28034-16208iv

Certified Evidence Collection Technician (ECT), International Association of Arson Investigators, #1254

Certified Fire Investigator (CFI), International Association of Arson Investigators, #25-121859

Certified Fire Investigation Technician (FIT), International Association of Arson Investigators, #1400195

State of Wisconsin College Board, Hazardous Materials Technician NFPA 1072 #XX30094

Certified Fire and Explosion Investigator (CFEI), National Association of Fire Investigators #28034-16208i

Certified Fire Investigation Instructor, (CFII), National Association of Fire Investigators #28034-16208i

Certified Marine Investigator (CMI), #219

NFPA 1033, Standard for Professional Qualifications for Fire Investigator #V30094

Certified Private Investigator, State of Wisconsin #15036-63

State of Wisconsin College Board Fire Inspector 1 #N30094, IFSAC #2331969

Private Investigator, State of Minnesota, #989

Private Investigator, State of Indiana, #PI2070099

Private Investigator, State of Michigan, #3701207620

Private Investigator, State of Illinois, #129.50321

Fire and Emergency Instructor 3, State of Wisconsin College Board, #H30094, IFSAC #2331490  
Fire and Emergency Instructor 2, State of Wisconsin College Board, #G30094, IFSAC #2331490  
Fire Officer 2, State of Wisconsin College Board, #K30094, IFSAC #2487739  
Fire Officer 1, State of Wisconsin College Board, #J30094  
Fire and Emergency Instructor 1, State of Wisconsin College Board, #F30094, IFSAC #2331490  
Fire Fighter 2, State of Wisconsin College Board, #B30094, IFSAC #2331094

### Professional Experience:

EFI Global, Fire Investigator, 2023-Current.  
Milwaukee Fire Department, Fire Captain, 2004-Current.  
Milwaukee Fire Department, Director of Fire Investigation Unit, 2020-2023  
Milwaukee Fire Department, Team Member with the Fire Investigation Unit, 2018-Current  
International Association of Arson Investigators-WI CH.25, District 2 Director, 2023-Current.  
Bureau of Alcohol, Tobacco, Firearms and Explosives (ATF) Task Force Firewall Member, 2018-Current.  
Milwaukee Fire Department strategic planning committee member, "Building Our Own Fire Investigation Unit", 2016-2023.

### Specialized Education:

International Association of Marine Investigators (IAMI) ATC, Spring 2026.  
International Association of Marine Investigators (IAMI), Feb 2026  
International Association of Arson Investigators, Forensic Photography, Nov 2025, (16 hours tested)  
WI-IAAI Chapter 25 Training Seminar, IAAI, June 2025, (28 hours. tested)  
International Association Marine Investigators, Annual Training Conference, Feb 2025, (24 hours)  
WI-IAAI Chapter 25 Training Seminar, IAAI, June 2024, (28 hours. tested)  
Fire Investigation Training Program, NAFI, June 2024 (28 hours. tested)  
Charles T. Thibodeau & Associates, Private Detective Training, Jan 2024 (12 hours tested)  
Compliance Training Online, Construction Asbestos Safety, Jan 2024 (2 hours tested)  
International Association of Arson Investigators-Wisconsin, Fall Conference, Sept 2023 (20 hours tested)  
International Association of Arson Investigators-Wisconsin, Spring Conference, June 2023 (20 hours tested)  
National Fire Academy, Basic Fire Investigation, May 2023 (40 hours tested)  
International Association of Arson Investigators, Expert Witness Courtroom Testimony, March 2023 (80 hours)  
REID, Basic Interview & Interrogation, Dec 2022 (32 hours)  
CTK Group, Evidence Based Interviewing, Nov 2022 (24 hours)  
Illinois Fire Chief Association, Training Program Manager, Dec 2021 (40 hours)  
International Association of Arson Investigators, Complex Arson & Fraud Investigations, Oct 2021 (16 hours)  
International Association of Arson Investigators-Wisconsin, Spring Conference, June 2021 (20 hours tested)  
Milwaukee Area Technical College, Advanced Fire Investigation & Methodology, Nov 2020 (40 hours tested)  
National Fire Academy, Incident Safety Officer, Sept 2020 (40 hours tested)

Illinois Fire Service Institute, Liquefied Petroleum Gas (Propane) Fire Fighting, Sept 2020 (4 hours)  
National Fire Academy, Management 4, May 2019 (40 hours tested)  
National Fire Academy, Management 3, May 2019 (40 hours tested)  
National Fire Academy, Management 2, May 2019 (40 hours tested)  
National Fire Academy, Management 1, March 2019 (40 hours tested)  
National Fire Academy, Fire & Arson Investigation III, Aug 2018 (40 hours tested)  
National Fire Academy, Fire & Arson Investigation II, Aug 2018 (40 hours tested)  
National Fire Academy, Fire & Arson Investigation I, Aug 2018 (40 hours tested)  
National Fire Academy, Youth Fire-Setter Intervention Specialist, Dec 2017 (40 hours tested)

**IAAI (CFITrainer.net):**

Charting Your Career Path in Fire Investigation, IAAI, 2024 (3 hours tested)  
How First Responders Impact the Fire Investigation, IAAI, 2024 (2 hours tested)  
Physical Evidence at the Fire Scene, Dec 2023 (4 hours tested)  
Introduction to Evidence, Dec 2023 (4 hours tested)  
Evidence Examination: What Happens at the Lab, Dec 2023 (4 hours tested)  
Documenting the Event, Dec 2023 (4 hours tested)  
DNA, Dec 2023 (3 hours tested)  
Thermometry, Heat, & Heat Transfer, Oct 2023 (3 hours tested)  
Effective Investigations & Testimony, Jan 2023 (3 hours tested)  
The Scientific Method for Fire & Explosion Investigations, Jan 2023 (3 hours tested)  
Practical Application of NFPA 1033 & 921, Aug 2018 (2 hours tested)  
Ethics & the Fire Investigator, Aug 2018 (4 hours tested)  
Basic Electricity, April 2018 (4 hours tested)

**Education:**

Associate Degree in Applied Science- Fire Protection Technician, Milwaukee Area Technical College, Oak Creek, WI, December 2017

**Affiliations:**

National Fire Protection Association (NFPA)  
International Association of Arson Investigators, (IAAI)  
International Association of Arson Investigators, Wisconsin Chapter 25 (IAAI-WI)  
National Association of Fire Investigators (NAFI)  
International Association of Fire Investigators (IAFI)  
Professional Firefighters of Wisconsin (PFFW)  
International Association of Firefighters (IAFF)  
National Fire Sprinklers Association (NFSA)  
Institution of Fire Engineers (IFE)  
International Association of Marine Investigators (IAMI)