



**DAVID D. TAYLOR, JD**  
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**Talented Public Service Professional with exceptional multidisciplinary skills**

- Recent law school graduate
  - Nearly twenty years of progressive professional sworn law enforcement service
  - Enthusiastic, knowledge-hungry self starter who eagerly meets new challenges
  - Hard working, detail oriented, and able to multi-task assignments
  - Solid communicator with exceptional ability to deliver complex information
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**PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE AND ACCOMPLISHMENTS**

**Government and Private Service**

- Knowledge of civil and criminal justice disciplines and the court system
  - Ability to understand and apply laws, rules & regulations
  - Ability to prepare, review and evaluate reports
  - Ability to plan, organize and coordinate work assignments
  - Ability to communicate effectively, public speaking
  - Ability to develop and/or conduct training programs
  - Ability to participate in court proceedings
  - Ability to establish and maintain effective working relationships
  - Ability to accept responsibility for my own decisions
  - Ability to display loyalty to the profession of law & law enforcement
  - Author of three published law enforcement training manuals
  - Co-author of three published law enforcement training manuals
  - Recipient of numerous awards to include Deputy Sheriff of the Year in 1991
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**OTHER QUALIFICATIONS**

<b><u>JOB-RELATED TRAINING CERTIFICATES</u></b>	<b><u>(NUMBER OF CLASSROOM HOURS)</u></b>
Basic Firemanship Course - Section One, May 1981	<b>(24 hours)</b>
Emergency Vehicle Operations, November 1981	<b>(8 hours)</b>
Emergency Medical Technician, December 1981	<b>(76 hours)</b>
Jail Operations, December 1981	<b>(40 hours)</b>
Basic Firemanship Course - Section Two, February 1982	<b>(24 hours)</b>
Arson Investigations, April 1982	<b>(12 hours)</b>
Breathalyzer Operations, May 1982	<b>(40 hours)</b>
Street Survival Seminar, July 1982	<b>(16 hours)</b>
Survival vs. Survival vs. Survival, September 1983	<b>(8 hours)</b>
Dangerous Motorcycle Gangs, May 1985	<b>(8 hours)</b>
Intoxilyzer Breath Testing Instrument, June 1995	<b>(40 hours)</b>

Law Enforcement - Nystagmus, March 1986	(8 hours)
Police Recruit Supplemental Training, December 1986	(67 hours)
Proficiency Skills Training, October 1987	(40 hours)
Field Training Officer, December, 1987	(40 hours)
Radar Operators Training Course, January 1988	(44 hours)
Instructor Techniques, May 1988	(80 hours)
Case Preparation and Courtroom Presentation, June, 1988	(40 hours)
Proficiency Skills Training, July 1988	(40 hours)
Interviews and Interrogations, February 1989	(40 hours)
Field Investigator, March 1989	(80 hours)
Automatic Transition Course, June 1989	(16 hours)
Criminal Law, July 1989	(40 hours)
Limited Access Terminal, August 1989	(8 hours)
Proficiency Skills Training, September 1989	(40 hours)
Line Supervision, October 1989	(40 hours)
Developing Better Listening and Memory Skills, November, 1989	(6 hours)
Advanced Report Writing and Review, May, 1990	(40 hours)
Interviewing Child Victims, November 24, 1990	(24 hours)
Youthful Offender Program, November 1990	(40 hours)
Injury and Death Investigation, December 1990	(40 hours)
Target USA, April 1991	(16 hours)
Child Homicide Investigation, July 1991	(8 hours)
Investigating Sexual Child Abuse, September, 1991	(24 hours)
Advanced Crime Scene Processing, January 1992	(40 hours)
Convenience Store Security, July 1992	(24 hours)
Florida Advisory Committee on Arson Prevention, November 1992	(24 hours)
Criminal Psychology - Profiling, June 1993	(24 hours)
<i>Advanced</i> Injury and Death Investigation, July 1993	(40 hours)
Instructor Human Diversity, November 1993	(24 hours)
Officer Human Diversity, December 1993	(16 hours)
“Masters 6” Conference in Advanced Death Investigation, August 1995	(32 hours)
Medical Death Investigation, March, 2002 (Las Vegas Metro Police)	(16 hours)

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### HONORS AND AWARDS

Outstanding Employee of the Month (Field Services), April 1987
Certificate of Appreciation, March 1988
Certificate of Commendation, July 1989
Certificate of Appreciation, February 1990. (City of Reddick, Florida)
Certificate of Commendation, March 1991
Medal of Commendation, August 1991
Certificate of Appreciation, September 1991
Deputy Sheriff of the Year - 1991 (American Legion Post # 58)
Certificate of Appreciation, August 1994
Medal of Commendation, August 1995
Detective Bureau Outstanding Achievement Award, August 1995
Certificate of Commendation, February 1996 & October 1996
Certificate of Appreciation, September 1996
Certificate of Appreciation, December 1997
Certificate of Appreciation, February 1998 (Florida Council on Crime and Delinquency)
Medal of Commendation, June 1999

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## **PUBLICATIONS**

*Forensic Death and Homicide Investigations* - Student Study Guide. Self-published, 1997.

*Tactical Robbery and Apprehension Investigation* - Student Study Guide. Co-authored and self-published, 1998.

*Sex Crimes Investigations* - Student Study Guide. Co-authored and self published, 1998.

*Advanced Criminal Investigations* - Student Study Guide. Co-authored and self-published, 1998.

*Child Injury and Death Investigations* - Student Study Guide. Self-published, 2000

*Criminal Investigation for New Detectives* – Self-published, 2004

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## **CURRENT AND PAST PROFESSIONAL MEMBERSHIPS**

International Homicide Investigators Association, 1993 to present

Student Bar Association, Florida Coastal School of Law, 1997

St. Leo College Alumni Association, 1997

Florida Council on Crime and Delinquency (FCCD), 1998

American Bar Association, 2000

American Bar Association, Section of Litigation, 2000

American Trial Lawyers Association, 2000

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## **EMPLOYMENT HISTORY**

*National Criminal Justice Instructor/Consultant*, Private, Ocala, FL (2000-Present)

*Adjunct Instructor*, St. Leo University, St. Leo, FL (1997-Present)

*Deputy Sheriff*, Marion County Sheriff's Office, Ocala, FL (1986-2000)

*Police Officer*, St. Mary's Police Department, St. Mary's, WV (1984-1986)

*Correctional Officer*, Upshur County Sheriff's Office, Buckhannon, WV (1981-1984)

## **EDUCATION**

*Juris Doctor*, Florida Coastal School of Law, Jacksonville, FL (2000)

*B.A.* in Liberal Arts, (with honors) St. Leo University, St. Leo, FL (1997)

*A.A.* in Criminal Justice, Central Florida Community College, Ocala, FL (1994)

## **COMPUTER SKILLS**

Windows, MS Office, MS Word, MS PowerPoint, Internet