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**PERSONAL**

Attorney, NYS Bar, 1984  
Lecturer in Law and Police Science  
Retired NYC Police Department Inspector  
Consultant re: police procedures

**EDUCATION**

St. John's University School of Law  
Juris Doctorate, Cum Laude, 1983  
Awards: Criminal Law & Criminal Procedure

Columbia University School of Management  
Police Management Institute, 1992

John Jay College of Criminal Justice, 1977

**PROFESSIONAL  
QUALIFICATIONS**

**Management and  
Administration**

Inspector, Deputy Inspector, Captain, NYC Police  
Department. Commanding Officer of precincts, divisions,  
districts.

**Investigations**

Supervised investigative units in Detective Bureau,  
Organized Control Bureau, and Narcotics Division.

**Professional**

Admitted to practice law, New York State Bar Association, 1984

**Teaching**

Courses taught: Constitutional Law, Criminal Law,  
Evidence, Criminal Procedure Law, Criminal Investigations,  
Police Administration, Organized Crime

**PUBLICATIONS**

*Criminal Law, Procedure, and Evidence*: Taylor & Francis, 2011.

*Constable Has Blundered: Exclusionary Rule, Crime, and  
Corruption*: Carolina Academic Press, 2010

*Crisis of Police Liability Lawsuits:  
Prevention and Management*  
Carolina Academic Press, 2006

Contributor: *Preparation Guide: State Trooper Exam*  
Learning Express, N.Y., 2007

**EMPLOYMENT  
EXPERIENCE**

Jan. 1998 to Present John Jay College of Criminal Justice  
Lecturer and Adjunct Professor

March 2001 to Present Attorney  
Westchester County Defense Panel

2000 to Present Independent Consultant re: police procedures

2004 to 2006 St. John's University  
Adjunct Professor

1998 to 2004 Worldlink Investigative Services, Inc.,  
President

1967 to 1998 New York City Police Department

Rank	Dates	Assignments:
Inspector	1997-98	Detective Borough Brooklyn South
Inspector	1996-97	Narcotics Division, Man. North Initiative
Inspector	1994-96	Narcotics Division, Executive Officer
Inspector	1991-94	License Division, Commanding Officer
Dep. Inspector	1990-91	Chief of Patrol's Office, Community Policing
Dep. Inspector	1989-90	Narcotics Division, Bronx
Dep. Inspector	1987-89	24 <sup>th</sup> Precinct, Commanding Officer
Captain	1985-87	Personnel Bureau, Employee Management, Staff Services
Captain	1983-85	79 <sup>th</sup> Precinct, Commanding Officer
Captain	1980-83	Organized Crime Control Bureau, Manhattan No. Public Morals Division, Commanding Off.
Captain	1979-80	46 <sup>th</sup> Precinct, Executive Officer
Lieutenant	1977-79	50 <sup>th</sup> Precinct, Desk Officer
Sergeant	1974-77	70 <sup>th</sup> Precinct, CO, Anti-Crime
Sergeant	1973-74	88 <sup>th</sup> Precinct, Patrol Supervisor
Sergeant	1972-73	17 <sup>th</sup> Precinct, Patrol Supervisor
Police Officer	1968-72	80 <sup>th</sup> Precinct
Police Officer	1967	Police Academy

**PROFESSIONAL  
SOCIETIES**

New York State Defenders Association  
Westchester County Bar Association  
Columbia University, Police Management Institute  
American Academy of Professional Law Enforcement  
Academy of Criminal Justice Sciences  
New York State Bar Association  
New York State Association of Criminal Defense Attorneys  
International Association of Chiefs of Police

