

**SCOTTY NEELY  
Firefighter / Investigator**

**CURRICULUM VITAE**

**Current Position:**

Fire Investigator for Fire Cause Analysis

**Duties & Responsibilities:**

Conduct fire investigations of accidental, suspicious, and incendiary origin; investigate post blast bombing and explosion scenes.

<b><u>Investigative Experience:</u></b>	<b><u>Arson</u></b>	<b><u>Accidental</u></b>	<b><u>Undetermined</u></b>
Structure Fires	15	38	8
Vehicle Fires	8	9	2
Wildland Fires	3	8	2
Other	4	19	5

I have been involved in the suppression activity of approximately 700+ fires ranging from rubbish fires to structure fires and assisted in approximately 200 fire investigations.

I have deliberately set and/or observed 85 fires and explosions in various types of structures, vehicles and electrical appliances, to observe fire spread and behavior, explosion effects and determine cause and origin. The fires duplicated accidental and incendiary fires and explosions.

**Work Experience:**

Fire Cause Analysis: September 2008 to Present

Napa City Fire Department: August 1998 to 2009 (Retired)

Vacaville Fire Protection District: May 1990 to August 1998 (Volunteer)

Dixon Fire Department: November 1986 to May 1990 (Volunteer)

American Canyon Fire District: December 2001 to May 2005 (Volunteer)

**Vocational Certificates:**

International Association of Arson Investigators IAAI – CFI # 22-060911

California Conference of Arson Investigators: CFI #654

California State Board of Fire Services: Fire Investigator 2

California State Board of Fire Services: Fire Investigator 1

California State Board of Fire Services: Firefighter 2

California State Board of Fire Services: Firefighter 1

**Vocational Training & Education:**

California State Fire Marshal: Fire Prevention 1A – September 2001

American River College - 40 hrs.

California State Fire Marshal: Fire Prevention 1B – October 2001

American River College - 40 hrs.

California State Fire Marshal: Fire Investigation 1A – December 2002

American River College - 40 hrs.

California State Fire Marshal: Fire Investigation 1B – December 2002

American River College - 40 hrs.

California State Fire Marshal: Fire Investigation 2A – March 2003

American River College - 40 hrs.

California State Fire Marshal: Fire Investigation 2B – May 2005

Sierra College - 40 hrs.

Napa Valley College: PC 832 – March 2004 24 hrs.

CCAI Live Burn Exercise (tested) – Seaside, CA – July 2003 – 20 hours

CCAI Conference (tested) – Seaside, CA - January 2004 – 20 hours

Electrical Fire Investigation – Novato, CA – March 2004 – 16 hours

CCAI Conference (tested) – San Luis Obispo, CA - January 2005 – 20 hours

CCAI Conference (tested) – San Luis Obispo, CA - July 2006 – 20 hours

CCAI Conference (tested) – San Luis Obispo, CA - March 2007 – 20 hours

Attended autopsy of 4 fire victims, Vale Ave. fire, Napa CA. – Feb. 2008

Fire Death Investigation Class (tested) – Napa, CA. – June 2008 – 16 hours

Vehicle Fire Investigation Class – Petaluma CA. – October 2008 – 12 hours CCAI Conference (tested) – San Luis Obispo, CA - November 2008 – 20 hours

CCAI Conference (tested) – San Luis Obispo, CA - April 2009 – 20 hours

Fire Cause Analysis 2008 NFPA 921 (tested) – Roseville CA. July 2009 – 8 hours

CCAI Conference (tested) – San Luis Obispo, CA - November 2009 – 20 hours

**Witness Testimony:**

People V Jasen Frank Meyen – Courtroom Testimony – June 6 2008  
Napa Superior Court # CR139301 NDA # 200504513-02

People V Jasen Frank Meyen – Courtroom Testimony – November 13 2008  
Napa Superior Court # CR139301 NDA # 200504513-02

**Professional Affiliations:**

California Conference of Arson Investigators (CCAI)  
International Association of Arson Investigators (IAAI)  
Solano Napa Fire Investigation Unit (SNFIU)

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