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Career Assignments

4/2021 – present **Chief Program Officer**, International Association of Human Trafficking Investigators (IAHTI.org), works to carry out the strategic vision of working to unite, support, and empower those serving individuals impacted or vulnerable to child exploitation and human trafficking. Ensures effective roll out, implementation, and evaluation of new programs and initiatives. Actively collaborates with experts in the field of child exploitation and human trafficking to build the best strategic plan to combat the problem. Provides training to government and non-government organizations. Develops/Assists in development of strategic plans to combat the exploitation of children. Subject Matter Expert in the field of Child Exploitation and Human Trafficking.

4/2022 – present **Private Investigator and Agency Owner**, Canyon River Solutions LLC, Specializing in private investigations across Washington State. Carlos brings over 25 years of investigative experience and professionalism to support your individual needs.

11/2020 – present **Independent Consultant and Agency Owner**, Canyon River Solutions LLC Enhances organizations that recognize child exploitation is happening everywhere. Develops/Assists in development of strategic plans to combat the exploitation of children. Actively collaborates with experts in the field of Child Exploitation and Human Trafficking to build the best strategic plan to combat the problem. Provides training to government and non-government organizations.

1/2021 – 4/2022 **Chief Program Officer**, Coaxion (kō-'AK-shān) Global, works to carry out the strategic vision of working to unite, support, and empower those serving individuals impacted or vulnerable to child exploitation and human trafficking. Ensures effective roll out, implementation, and evaluation of new programs and initiatives. Actively collaborates with experts in the field of child exploitation and human trafficking to build the best strategic plan to combat the problem.

7/2020 – 10/2020 **Domestic Coordinator**, Operation Underground Railroad (O.U.R.). Developed relationships with Law Enforcement Agencies, evaluated their capabilities, provided guidance, and assessed their needs. Provided strategic operational training. Provided international training support to Thailand's Internet Crimes Against Children Task Force.

8/2019 – 6/2020 **Sergeant**, Washington State Patrol (WSP) Executive Protection Unit Detail Supervisor. Provided a safe and secure environment for the Governor and the Governor's immediate family.

5/2012 - 8/2019 **Detective Sergeant**, WSP MECTF State Task Force Supervisor. Investigated all crimes dealing with the sexual exploitation of children. Conducted proactive undercover operations across Washington State to apprehend sexual predators as well as rescue children. Worked with multiple Federal and Local agencies to accomplish this mission. Highly sought after to present and consult on combating child exploitation. Considered a subject matter expert.

2/2011 - 5/2012 **Sergeant**, WSP Field Operations Bureau. Successfully supervised and motivated detachment troopers.

7/2010 - 2/2011 **Sergeant**, WSP Executive Protection Unit Detail Supervisor. Provided a safe and secure environment for the Governor, Lieutenant Governor, and the Governor's immediate family.

11/2006 - 7/2010 **Detective Sergeant**, WSP, West Sound Narcotics Enforcement Team (WestNET) Regional Task Force Supervisor. Targeted, investigated, and assisted with prosecution of mid to upper-level Drug Trafficking Organizations. Worked with multiple agencies and communities to achieve this goal.

2/2005 - 11/2006 **State Coordinator**, WSP, Washington State Drug Evaluation and Classification Program Managed all aspects of the Drug Evaluation and Classification Program throughout the State of Washington. Worked closely with multiple agencies.

9/2002 - 2/2005 **Sergeant**, WSP Field Operations Bureau. Successfully supervised and motivated detachment troopers.

3/2001 - 9/2002 **Detective**, Auto Theft Unit. Targeted, investigated, and helped prosecute large Auto Theft Organizations. Worked with multiple agencies and the community to achieve this goal. Received award for Investigator of the Year (NICB).

1/1996 - 3/2001 **Trooper**, WSP Field Operations Bureau. Performed as a trooper in North King County.

7/1995 - 1/1996 **Trooper Cadet**, WSP. Training position. Successfully became a trooper

Other Appointments /Honors

2020 Chief's Award for Distinguished & Devoted Service, WSP
2018 Champions of Children Award, Clackamas County Child Abuse Summit, Clackamas County Sheriff's Office (CCSO)
2017 Chief's Award for Professional Excellence, WSP
2017 Not on My Watch: Stolen Youth Luncheon Speaker
2017 Nominated for National Association of Police Organizations Top Cops Awards, Federal Bureau of Investigation (FBI)
2017 Commendation for commitment and dedication to MECTF, WSP
2016 Multiple commendations for Leadership, WSP
2016 Testified in front of Washington State's House and Senate reference Sex Trafficking laws
2016 ICAC Hackathon participant – Ideas on how to enhance ICACCOPS. ICACCOPS is a database utilized by ICAC.
2011 Detachment of the Year, WSP District Eight
2010 Sheriff Specialty Award, Kitsap County Sheriff's Office
2005 Interagency Committee on Alcohol, Washington Traffic Safety Committee (WTSC)
2004 Detachment of the Year, WSP District Two
2002 Investigator of the Year, National Insurance Crime Bureau (NICB)
2001 Trooper of the Year, WSP District Two
1999 Detachment of the Year, WSP District Two
1998 Detachment of the Year, WSP District Two
1996 - 2000 Mothers Against Drunk Drivers (MADD) Award for DUI enforcement

Prior Certifications

2022 – present Licensed and Bonded Private Investigator

1996 – 6/2020 Washington State Trooper
 2001 – 6/2020 Washington State Peace Officer
 Washington State Criminal Justice Training Commission (WCJTC)
 Burien, WA - (not previously issued prior to 2001)
 2015 – 6/2020 Federal Task Force Officer, FBI

A Selected List of Continued Professional Education

8/2022 *Crimes Against Children Conference (28 hours)*
 6/2022 *International Association of Human Trafficking Investigators (IAHTI) Conference (20 hours)*
 5/2022 *WSIN Anti-Human Trafficking Summit*
 3/2022 Maryland Human Trafficking Professionals Conference
 11/20121 Just Conference- Shared Hope International (24 hours)
 11/2021 SMILE Conference
 9/2021 WSIN Anti-Human Trafficking Summit
 9/2021 International Association of Human Trafficking Investigators (IAHTI) Conference (20 hours)
 8-12/2021 Crimes Against Children Conference - Virtual
 7/2020 International Association of Human Trafficking Investigators (IAHTI) Conference (20 hours)
 10/2019 Just Conference- Shared Hope International (20 hours)
 8/2019 Crimes Against Children Conference (28 hours)
 6/2019 International Police Executive Symposium (IPES) (32 hours)
 4/2019 Child Abuse & Family Violence Seminar (32 hours)
 10/2018 Just Conference- Shared Hope International (24 hours)
 8/2018 Crimes Against Children Conference (28 hours)
 5/2018 Sex Trafficking Response and Awareness Program of Washington (STRAPWA) (24 hours)
 4/2018 Child Abuse & Family Violence Seminar (32 hours)
 4/2017 ICAC National Conference (32 hours)
 4/2017 Child Abuse & Family Violence Seminar (32 hours)
 4/2017 Child Abduction Response Team FBI(CART) (8 hours)
 9/2016 NW ICAC conference (40 hours)
 4/2016 Child Abuse & Family Violence Seminar (32 hours)
 6/2016 Just Conference- Shared Hope International (16 hours)
 10/2015 NW ICAC conference (40 hours)
 8/2015 ICAC Undercover Concepts/Techniques (40 hours)
 6/2015 National Law Enforcement Training on Child Exploitation (21 hours) USDOJ
 5/2015 Child Sex trafficking: Awareness and Response (32 hours)
 National Center for Missing and Exploited Children (NCMEC)
 11/2014 Just Conference- Shared Hope International (24 hours)
 6/2014 ICAC Unit Supervisor (40 hours) NCMEC
 11/2013 Just Conference- Shared Hope International (16 hours)
 9/2013 Specialist Interviewing (40 hours)
 Texas Department of Public Safety - Mentor Forensics
 8/2013 Craigslist Investigations part 1 (16 hours) Police Technical
 7/2013 Amber Alert – Investigative Strategies for Missing/Abducted Children (32 hours) Fox Valley
 7/2013 Child Abuse & Family Violence Seminar (32 hours)
 11/2012 Just Conference- Shared Hope International (16 hours)

9/2012 Advanced Human Trafficking (24 hours)
Seattle Police Department (SPD)

8/2012 Crimes Against Children Conference (28 hours)

7/2012 Forensic Medical Analysis of Child Development (8 hours) ICAC

7/2012 Child Protections Dynamic Response Seminar (16 hours) NCMEC

3/2009 Leadership in Police Organizations week three (40 hours) WSP

2/2009 Leadership in Police Organizations week two (40 hours) WSP

1/2009 Leadership in Police Organizations week one (40 hours) WSP

11/2008 California's Narcotics Officers Association Conference (32 hours)

1/2007 Narcotics Commander (20 hours)

11/2007 California's Narcotics Officers Association Conference (32 hours)

5/2002 Vehicle Theft Investigation (40 hours) WSP

3/2001 Interviewing and Interrogation - Reid Method (24 hours) IACP

3/2001 Investigator's Basic Training (80 hours) WSP

12/2000 Interview and Interrogation (8 hours) CJTC

1/2000 Drug Recognition Expert Instructor (40 hours)
National Highway Traffic Safety Administration (NHTSA)

1/1999 Interview/Interrogation (2 hours) WSP

5/1998 Drug Recognition Expert School (160 hours) NHTSA

9/1997 Advanced Collision Investigation (65 hours) WSP

1/1996 Trooper Basic Training (1109 hours) WSP

A selected list of presentations/classes

8/2022 *Unlocking the Truth: An Investigator's Guide to Interviewing Suspects seeking to Exploit Children*
Law Enforcement Officials only
Crimes Against Children Conference, Dallas TX

6/2022 *Unlocking the Truth: An Investigator's Guide to Interviewing Suspects Seeking to Exploit Children*
Law Enforcement Officials only
International Association of Human Trafficking Investigators (IAHTI) Conference

5/2022 *Unlocking the Truth: An Investigator's Guide to Interviewing Suspects Seeking to Exploit Children*
Law Enforcement Officials only
WSIN Anti-Human Trafficking Summit, Sacramento CA

3/2022 Conducting Proactive Undercover Operations
Law Enforcement Officials only
Maryland Human Trafficking Professionals Conference, Oceanside MD

11/2021 *Unlocking the Truth: An Investigator's Guide to Interviewing Suspects seeking to Exploit Children*
Law Enforcement Officials only
SMILE Conference, Scottsdale AZ

8-12/2021 *Unlocking the Truth: An Investigator's Guide to Interviewing Suspects seeking to Exploit Children*
Law Enforcement Officials only
Crimes Against Children Conference, Dallas TX - Virtual

3/2021 Operation Net Nanny: A Collaborative Attack on Child Sex Trafficking
Law Enforcement Officials only
HSI NW Region ASAC, HSI Alaska RAC, HSI Alaska and Washington Agents

8/2020 Enhanced Collaborative Task Force Model
Mega Project, Thailand
International, National, and Local Law Enforcement

10/2019 Operation Net Nanny: A Collaborative Attack on Child Sex Trafficking
Public venue
JUST conference Shared Hope, Cincinnati OH

8/2019 Unlocking the Truth: An Investigator's Guide to Interviewing Suspects seeking to Exploit
Children
Law Enforcement Officials only
Crimes Against Children Conference, Dallas TX

8/2019 Operation Net Nanny: A Collaborative Attack on Child Sex Trafficking
Law Enforcement Officials only
Crimes Against Children Conference, Dallas TX

6/2019 Operation Net Nanny Overview
Law Enforcement and police researchers only
International Police Executive Symposium (IPES), Belgrade Serbia

5/2019 Operation Net Nanny: A Collaborative Attack on Child Sex Trafficking
Public venue
Children's Justice Task Force Conference, Seattle WA

4/2019 Unlocking the Truth: An Investigator's Guide to Interviewing Suspects seeking to Exploit
Children
Law Enforcement Officials only
Child Abuse & Family Violence Seminar, Portland OR

4/2019 Operation Net Nanny: A Collaborative Attack on Child Sex Trafficking
Law Enforcement Officials only
Child Abuse & Family Violence Seminar, Portland OR

1/2019 Advisor for Undercover Operations Hawaii ICAC
Law Enforcement Officials only
Hawaiian Islands

10/2018 Operation Net Nanny: A Collaborative Attack on Child Sex Trafficking
Law Enforcement Officials only
NW ICAC conference

6/2018 *Operation Net Nanny: A Collaborative Attack on Child Sex Trafficking*
Law Enforcement Officials only
National ICAC conference – Selected but unable to present due to trial

5/2018 Operation Net Nanny: A Collaborative Attack on Child Sex Trafficking
Public venue
STRAPWA conference

4/2018 Operation Net Nanny: A Collaborative Attack on Child Sex Trafficking
Law Enforcement Officials only
Child Abuse & Family Violence Seminar, Portland OR

11/2017 Advisory/Investigative Role for Undercover Online operation
Portland OR

5/2017 Operation Net Nanny: A Collaborative Attack on Child Sex Trafficking
Public venue
American Association of Motor Vehicle Administrators (AAMVA) National Conference,
Seattle WA

2017 Operation Net Nanny: A Collaborative Attack on Child Sex Trafficking
Law Enforcement Officials only
UTAH Homeland Security Investigations (HSI), St. George UT

2016 to present Advisor for Undercover Online investigations and child exploitation cases
 Law Enforcement Officials only – Phone conferences with State and Federal Law enforcement officials in Alaska, Arizona, Alabama, British Columbia, California, Hawaii, Illinois, Florida, Georgia, Maryland, Oregon, Pennsylvania, Tennessee, Virginia, Washington, and Ukraine National Cyber Police.

2016 Operation Net Nanny: A Collaborative Attack on Child Sex Trafficking
 Law Enforcement Officials only
 Anti- Sex trafficking training with FBI, Washington Office of the Attorney General, and King County Sherriff’s Office, King County Prosecutor’s Office - multiple cities across WA

2016 Operation Net Nanny: A Collaborative Attack on Child Sex Trafficking
 Public venue
 Seattle Stolen Youth Board, Seattle WA

6/2016 Operation Net Nanny: A Collaborative Attack on Child Sex Trafficking
 Public venue
 JUST conference Shared Hope, Mesa AZ

2015 - present Interview Training/Complex Investigations at WSP Detectives Basic
 WSP Academy, Shelton WA

11/2014 Interview Training
 Just Conference Shared Hope, Washington DC

2014 - 2018 Interview Training/Complex investigations - WSP Detectives In-service
 WSP Academy, Shelton WA

2012 - 2019 MECTF training
 WSP Academy Cadet classes, Shelton WA

WSP training record available upon request from WSP