



# Idaho State Police Forensic Services



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Forensic Scientist II

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### **EDUCATION:**

July 2013

College of Western Idaho-Nampa, ID

Associate of Applied Science, Information Security and  
Digital Forensics

### **EXPERIENCE:**

July 2024-present

Idaho State Police Forensic Services  
Forensic Scientist II: Digital Forensics

July 2017- June 2024

Idaho State Police-Cyber Crime Unit  
Computer Forensic Examiner

Sept. 2014- July 2017

Idaho State Police-CJIS  
IT Systems Technician/CJIS Tech

Jan. 2013-Sept. 2014

Idaho State Police-Fusion Center  
Cell Phone Examiner

July 2012-Jan. 2013

Idaho State Police-Cyber Crime Unit  
Intern

### **CERTIFICATION:**

2021-present

International Association of Computer Investigative Specialists  
(IACIS)-Certified Forensic Computer Examiner (CFCE)

2013

Cellebrite-UFED Mobile Device Examiner (Logical and Physical)

### **PROFESSIONAL ORGANIZATIONS:**

2021-present

International Association of Computer Investigative Specialists  
(IACIS)

<https://isp.idaho.gov/forensics>

**EQUAL OPPORTUNITY EMPLOYER**

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**TESTIMONY:** Blaine County  
Canyon County

**CONTINUING EDUCATION:**

- 2025 Cellebrite Certified Operator (CCO)  
Cellebrite Certified Physical Analyst (CCPA)
- 2024 X-Ways Forensics I (X-Ways Software Technology AG)  
Cutting Edge Topics in Virtual Forensics Webinar (The Henry C. Lee  
Institute of Forensic Science at the University of New Haven)
- 2022 Cell Phone Evidence: From Seizure to Court Room (Risk Management  
Institute)
- 2021 Certified Forensic Computer Examiner (CFCE) (IACIS)
- 2020 Advanced Analysis of Windows Artifacts (Guidance/OpenText)  
Video Evidence Training Symposium (Input-Ace)  
OsTriage Parts 1-3 (NCJTC)  
iA Operator Certification (Input-Ace)  
iA Examiner Certification (Input-Ace)
- 2019 Building an Investigation Course (Guidance/OpenText)
- 2018 Basic Computer Evidence Recovery Training-BCERT (NCFI)  
Forensic Explorer Training (NCFI)
- 2017 Foundations in Digital Forensics (Guidance/OpenText)
- 2014 Digital Forensics (FedCTE)
- 2013 Surviving Mobile Forensics (Sumuri)  
Certified Cellebrite UFED Mobile Device Examiner Course (Sumuri)  
Certified Cellebrite UFED Physical Examiner Course  
Ethical Hacking & Countermeasures (College of Western Idaho)  
Introduction to Digital Forensics (College of Western Idaho)  
Forensic Acquisition and Analysis (College of Western Idaho)  
Computer Literacy Skill Development (College of Western Idaho)  
Basic Cell Phone Investigations (NW3C)  
Cell Phone Interrogation (NW3C)  
GPS Interrogation (NW3C)  
Computer Analyst Crash Course (NCFI)
- 2012 Basic Network Routing (College of Western Idaho)  
Server Operating Systems (College of Western Idaho)  
Linux Operating Systems (College of Western Idaho)  
Securing Directory Services Infrastructure (College of Western Idaho)  
Fundamentals of Network Security (College of Western Idaho)

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Advanced Network Security (College of Western Idaho)

2011

Intro to Information Technology (College of Western Idaho)

Microsoft Client Operating Systems (College of Western Idaho)

Network Fundamentals (College of Western Idaho)

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