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EDUCATION

Grand Canyon University
Master of Science in Executive Fire Service Leadership 2012

Western Illinois University
Board of Trustees Bachelor of Arts 2002
Certificate in Fire Administration and Management

Austin Community College
Associates of Applied Science in Fire Protection Technology 2002

TEACHING EXPERIENCE

Austin Community College
Fire Protection Technology Degree Program 2007-Present

Austin Fire Department 2000-Present

FIRE SERVICE EXPERIENCE

Austin Fire Department, TX
Battalion Chief 2008-Present
Captain 2003-2008
Lieutenant 2000-2003
Fire Specialist 1997-2000
Firefighter 1993-1997

Clinton Township Fire Department, MI
Firefighter 1990-1993

Detroit Fire Department, MI
Firefighter 1989-1990

FIRE SERVICE CERTIFICATIONS

Executive Fire Officer – National Fire Academy
Fire Officer IV – Texas Commission on Fire Protection
Fire Instructor III – Texas Commission on Fire Protection
Incident Safety Officer - Texas Commission on Fire Protection
Wildland Firefighter – Texas Commission on Fire Protection
Fire Investigator – Texas Commission on Fire Protection
Fire Inspector – Texas Commission on Fire Protection
Firefighter Master – Texas Commission on Fire Protection