



Curriculum Vitae

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<u>Service</u>

DIVISION #41- Specialized Investigations

Staff Sergeant

March 2018 to Present

I am responsible to provide leadership and guidance to the following units:

- Sex Crimes Unit
- Child Abuse Unit
- Counter Exploitation Unit
- Missing Persons Unit
- Manitoba Integrated High Risk Sex Offender Unit
- Internet Child Exploitation Unit
- Vulnerable Persons Unit
- Domestic Violence unit

Liaise to build and maintain effective relationships with internal and external partners, agencies, and the public

DIVISION #41 - Amber Alert Program

Coordinator

April 2017 to Present

I am responsible to Coordinate the Winnipeg Police Service Amber Alert Program and activate the "Amber Alert" process when required.

DIVISION #41 COUNTER EXPLOITATION UNIT & MISSING PERSONS UNIT

Sergeant

July 2016 to March 2018

I was responsible for providing leadership, guidance and direction to both CEU & MPU. Coordinate projects for both Units. Liaise with other agencies on matters of mutual concern(CFS, Child Protection Branch & Canadian Center for Child Protection). Participate in various committees and build partnerships with both NGO's and Government agencies

DIVISION #11 GENERAL PATROL

Sergeant

April 2016 to July 2016

I was responsible for providing leadership, guidance and direction to ensure quality front line police service is maintained. Plan, organize and implement short and long term operational objectives and communicate with members of the public.

DIVISION #41 COUNTER EXPLOITATION UNIT

Detective Sergeant April 2013 to April 2016

I was responsible for providing leadership and direction in relation to enforcement relating to all areas of the sex trade in Winnipeg and illegal gaming. I am involved in and in charge of numerous investigations relating to street level prostitution, escorts, escort services, common bawdy house investigations, procuring and living off the avails investigations and human trafficking investigations and the by law enforcement of massage parlours.

DIVISION #41 CHILD ABUSE UNIT

Detective Sergeant April 2011 to April 2013

I was responsible for investigating cases of child abuse, sexual exploitation, child deaths and/or child homicides. I provided supervision to other members within the unit by assigning cases, making special assignments and assisting with case problems. Maintain professional relationships with other law enforcement officials, community resource agencies, CFS, ANCR and the Child Protection Branch.

DIVISION #16 GENERAL PATROL

Street Supervisor

April 2010 to April 2011

Exercise leadership at scenes and take control of emergency or difficult situations.

MANITOBA INTEGRATED HIGH RISK SEX OFFENDER UNIT

Detective Sergeant/WPS coordinator for the National Sex offender Registry April 2006 to April 2010

I was assigned to this unit which is comprised of three Winnipeg Police members and four RCMP members. The units mandate is to track and monitor High Risk Sex offenders who are 810 orders, Parole, Probation and Conditional Sentence Orders. These offenders predominately but not exclusively have targeted women who are involved in the sex trade, online escorts and online dating sites. My responsibilities were to provide direct supervision and leadership to the officers in the unit.

DIVISION #32 TECHNICAL SUPPORT/INTELLIGENCE UNIT Detective/Analyst/Affiant for Part VI Investigations April 2003 to April 2006

Successful applicant for a Bulletined position (5yr position) to the Intelligence Unit. This unit is mandated to conduct privacy act Investigations for but not limited to Major Crime, Homicide and Serious Sexual Crime investigations. Duties included collect, collate & analyze Intelligence and data. Provide technical support to members and various units. Provide leadership and supervision to civilian/police wiretap monitors during projects.

<u>DIVISION #40 MORALS UNIT</u> Detective/Undercover officer/D.I.S.C co-ordinator

May 2001 to May 2003

Requested by the Sgt in charge of the unit to return to Division #40 Criminal Investigation Bureau, Vice Division/Morals Section as a Detective. The Morals Unit is mandated to address the sex trade in Winnipeg. Duties included investigations and enforcement involving sex trade workers, their customers and their exploiters.

I again acted in an undercover capacity on numerous occasions posing as a "Customer" in obtaining evidence towards a charge of communicating for the purposes of engaging in prostitution of female, male and transgender sex trade workers.

DISC database (Deter Identify Sex Trade workers and their Consumers). I researched, networked with the designers, provided a budget report to the executive on the cost and implementation of the program. I developed SOG's for the program and created a training video on DISC for more than 1600 police and civilian members.

DIVISION #15 GENERAL PATROL

General Patrol Officer August 1999 to May 2001

Assigned to Division 15 Uniform General Patrol as a Constable. Duties included emergency response and investigation of all types of Criminal Code, Highway Traffic Act, City of Winnipeg By-Law and citizen complaints in the areas which encompass Division 15.

DIVISION #22 MORALS UNIT

Detective/Undercover officer
May 1996 to August 2003(Extended for 3 months)

I applied and was assigned to Division 22/ Morals Unit. The unit is mandated to address the sex trade in Winnipeg. Duties included investigations and enforcement involving sex trade workers, their customers and their exploiters.

I have acted in an undercover capacity as a male client in a bawdy house investigation and escort agency investigations. On occasion I have also been required to act in an undercover capacity to purchase illegal drugs and acted in an undercover capacity in illegal gaming investigations. I have also acted in an undercover capacity in a number of bawdy house, escort/escort agency investigations utilizing the internet.

Lead investigator and case manager on Project "ICE" that led to the shutting down of the largest escort agency in Winnipeg. The agency ran for more than 10yrs in the City of Winnipeg and employed more than 50 escorts at one given time. The investigation encompassed a 9mth period, that led to numerous search warrants across Canada and the arrest of 5 key persons with links to other organized crimes.

DIVISION #32 PROTECTIVE SERVICES TEAM TEAM CO-ORDINATOR April 2012 to Present PST Member 1997 to April 2012

Protective Services Team consists of 16 specialized tactical VIP members and one Co-ordinator. The Teams mandate is the protection of Dignitaries, Important Persons, Prisoners & Witnesses.

DIVISION #50 WPS DIVERSITY UNIT

Diversity Unit Member 2007 to 2011

Applied and selected in to the Diversity Unit. Units mandate is to represent the services cultural diversity at public venues, meetings and celebrations

DIVISION #32 CROWD CONTROL UNIT CCU Member 1994 to 2004

Applied and selected as a Crowd Control Member. The units mandate is to be deployed in a variety of different situations and for a variety of different purposes. They may be deployed to control riots, disperse or control crowds, to maintain public order or discourage criminality, to protect people or property, to function as a tool of political repression by breaking up protests and suppressing dissent or civil disobedience.

DIVISION #13 GENERAL PATROL

General Patrol Officer Sept 1992 to May 1996

Assigned to Division 13 Uniform General Patrol as a Constable. Duties included emergency response and investigation of all types of Criminal Code, Highway Traffic Act, City of Winnipeg By-Law and citizen complaints in the areas which encompass Division 13.

Division 13 is a culturally diverse area of Winnipeg and has one of the highest calls for service in Winnipeg.

DIVISION #33 RECRUIT CALL #118/GENERAL PATROL

General Patrol Officer-Recruit-General Patrol September 1991 – September 1992

Selected as a Constable with the Winnipeg Police Service and assigned to the Police Training Academy. Duties included studies, examinations and evaluations, followed by two phases of field training in operational uniform divisions. These duties were performed under the supervision of field training officers.

Education and Training

Winnipeg Police Service Training

- 2018 Management Essentials
- 2018 Major Case Management
- 2017 Leadership Series II
- 2014 Protection Services Detail Course
- 2014 Tactical Building Searches
- 2012 Effective Presentation
- 2011 DNA Collection Course
- 2010 Street Supervisor Skills
- 2009 Workplace and Leadership Course
- 2008 Winnipeg Emergency Management Course
- 2007 Media Relations and Law Enforcement
- 2007 Forensic Interrogators Course
- 2007 Supervisors Level I Course
- 2006 Offer to Assist II
- 2005 Offer to Assist
- 2003 Leadership & Transition Course
- 2003 Privacy Act Investigators Course
- 2002 Interview and Interrogation Course
- 2002 Major Sex Crimes Course
- 2001 Domestic Violence Professional Development
- 2000 Aerodrome Law Enforcement
- 2000 Operation Pipeline Course
- 2000 Field Training Course
- 1998 Spanish Language Level 1
- 1998 Intermediate Spanish
- 1998 Child Abuse Investigations
- 1997 Protective Services
- 1997 Surveillance Course
- 1997 Public Safety Level 1
- 1996 Undercover Techniques Course
- 1996 Criminal Investigators Course

Mentor Forensic Services - Dr. J. Sullivan

2013 - Specialist Interview Course (Profiling of offenders, understanding of offender behaviour and Progressive interview techniques).

Dalhousie University

2010 - Police Leadership and Management Development

Simon Fraser University & Vancouver Police Service

2008 - Threat Assessment and Risk Management Course

Midwest Counterdrug Training Center/US National Guards

2007 - Computers for Law Enforcement

2006 - High Risk Entries

Royal Canadian Mounted Police

2007 - Advanced Tactical Query Course/National Sex offender Registry

2006 - National Sex offender Registry

2005 - Major Case management Course

University of Victoria & Victoria Police Service

2002 - Dynamics of Global Sex Exploitations of Children

Ontario Provincial Police

1998 - Logistics Officers Course

Canadian Police College

2014 - Human Trafficking Investigators course

2013 - Search Warrants(online)

2005 - Basic Internet Searching Course

2004 - CISC-RCMP Criminal Intelligence Course

2003 - Criminal Intelligence Analysis Course

2002 - Analysis Course(online)

Seminars and Conferences

Toronto Police Services
2018 - International Human Trafficking Conference

<u>US Consulate in Mexico City</u> 2018 - Tri-National Amber Alert Conference with Canada, US & Mexico

2013 - CHILD FIND MANITOBA 13th ANNUAL MISSING & EXPLOITED CHILDREN CONFERENCE, WINNIPEG, MB

This conference focused on child sexual exploitation and interviewing of young children who have been abused. The conference examined a case study relating to a bullying/kidnapping/homicide investigation.

2013 - NATIONAL STRATEGIES ON HUMAN TRAFFICKING, TORONTO, ONT

This Conference focused on Human Trafficking and prostitution trends internationally, nationally and locally

Roundtable meetings with Police/Legal/Social Services that focused on human trafficking, Online Escorts, bawdy house investigations, sex tourism, the prostitution offender program, and the difficulties victims face when trying to exit the sex trade

2009 - PROFILING SEX OFFENDERS, WINNIPEG, MB

This training looked at a number of case studies conducted by Dr. Lawrence Ellerby who researched the link between sex offenders their crimes and their victims.

<u>2008 - CHILD FIND MANITOBA 8th ANNUAL MISSING & EXPLOITED CHILDREN CONFERENCE, WINNIPEG, MB</u>

This conference focused on child sexual exploitation and interviewing of young children who have been abused. The conference examined a case study relating to a parental abduction investigation

2007- GATHERING TOGETHER COMMUNITY RESPONSES TO WOMEN & CHILDREN EXPLOITED/INVOLVED IN THE SEX TRADE CONFERENCE, WINNIPEG, MB

This conference focused on the current state of the sex trade in Winnipeg and looked at initiatives focusing on the sex trade. This conference particularly looked at initiatives that were aboriginal-based.

<u>2002 – ORGANIZED CRIME & VICE TECHNIQUES COURSE, YORK REGIONAL POLICE SERVICE, ONT</u>

The conference focused on the psychological strategies used by pimps to manipulate young women and girls into prostitution. The conference examined organized crime in the area of the trafficking of women and human trafficking methods of investigation for bawdy houses, escort agencies and massage parlours that operate as fronts for prostitution.

Lectures and Presentations

2014 - HUMAN TRAFFICKING - University of Winnipeg Global Education

<u>2014 - HUMAN TRAFFICKING - International Associations of Women Police</u> Conference IAWP

<u>2013 – HUMAN TRAFFICKING – HOSTED BY THE WOMEN'S INTER-CHURCH COUNCIL OF CANADA</u>

This conference was attended by delegates from across Canada and the US. It focused on human trafficking of women for both labour and sexual exploitation. The writer delivered a presentation outlining where Winnipeg fits into the human trafficking of women for sexual exploitation on a national and international level.

<u>2013 – WINNIPEG POLICE DIVERSITY UNIT – NEW IMMIGRANTS TO WINNIPEG</u>

Providing presentations to new immigrants on the sex trade the dangers of the sex trade for all involved parties, including the customers, sex trade workers, residents and business owners of the affected areas.

WINNIPEG JOHN SCHOOL PRESENTATIONS

Presenter at the Winnipeg John School. The writer has provided presentations on the sex trade, the dangers of the sex trade for all involved parties, including the customers, sex trade workers, residents and business owners of the affected areas.

During John School the writer also participates in group discussions as well as one on one discussions with the men who have been charged under section 213 of the Criminal Code (communication for the purposes of engaging in prostitution).

PROSTITUTION DIVERSION CAMP ANNUAL PRESENTATION

Presenter at the Prostitution Diversion Camps. Each camp is three days in duration outside the City of Winnipeg. At each camp the writer delivers a presentation on the sex trade to the participants. I also participate in some activities, lectures and counselling sessions with the women involved in the sex trade.

WINNIPEG POLICE SERVICE POLICE ACADEMY

Presenter for the undercover techniques course held at the Winnipeg Police Service Academy. The writer provides lectures concerning undercover work related to street prostitution, bawdy house & escort investigations.

Committees

SEXUALLY EXPLOITED YOUTH COALITION COMMITTEE

W.O.N - Winnipeg Outreach Network

- 1. Provide information/resources to youth/adults
- 2. Coordinate outreach efforts and network between agencies
- 3. Promote safety for outreach workers by sharing info about streets and neighborhoods
- 4. Provide training opportunities for outreach workers
- 5. Identify youth that are street involved, transient, and gang involved in care and not in care and
- 6. Building/maintaining relationships

MANITOBA HUMAN TRAFFICKING RESPONSE TEAM

In partnership with the National Human Trafficking Director of the Salvation Army meetings are held with stakeholders from all levels of government and non-government community organizations. The response team provides both the victim's needs and expectations in mind coupled with the investigative requirements of the law enforcement community. The response team is seen as a model for Canada being recognized by Member of Parliament Joy Smith.

PROSTITUTION DIVERSION ADVISORY COMMITTEE: PDP

This Committee is comprised of government and non-government agencies that specifically address issues surrounding the sex trade.

Committee members are from the Winnipeg Police Service, Sage house, Klinic Community Health Centre, The Salvation Army, Probation Services, Manitoba Justice, Transition and Education Resources for Females (TERF).