# **JEFF EISER**

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#### **OBJECTIVE**

To provide professional instructional, consulting and expert witness services to government agencies, attorneys, colleges and universities that wish to evaluate and improve their corrections knowledge, programs and operations.

# **SUMMARY OF QUALIFICATIONS**

- Offers a unique combination of real-life experience, a researcher and adjunct instructor of criminal justice at the undergraduate university level.
- Possesses a distinct advantage over other criminal justice/corrections experts because he has personal work experience in every facet of a corrections/jail facility.
- Retired as the Deputy Director of Corrections for the Hamilton County Sheriff's Office in Cincinnati, Ohio. Responsible for the operation of four facilities with approximately 2,200 inmates, over 600 employees and a operating budget of over 40 million dollars.
- ♦ Twenty-nine years (29) of experience working in corrections, the last nineteen (19) as a top administrator.
- Nationally recognized speaker and trainer in the areas of interpersonal communication and de-escalation skills for U.S. Department of Justice – National Institute of Corrections and the American Jail Association.
- ♦ Co-author of the Ohio Jail Administrator's Handbook (March 2008) in conjunction with the Ohio Bureau of Adult Detention.
- Qualified as an expert witness in state and federal courts since 1994.
- Serving as an Adjunct Instructor in the Social Sciences Department for the College of Evening and Continuing Education at the University of Cincinnati.
- ♦ Committed to the highest levels of professional and personal excellence.

### PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

- **Corrections Administrator** served as Operations Commander and Deputy Director of one of the largest local corrections operations in the United States. Extensive experience and expertise in the operation and staffing of small, medium and large jail facilities. Twenty (20) years of experience in the research, writing and updating of departmental policy, procedures and general orders.
- Criminal Justice Author, Trainer and Researcher A co-author of the Ohio Jail Administrator's
   Handbook, in conjunction with the Ohio Bureau of Adult Detention and serving since 1986 as a
   member of Ohio Peace Officer Training Council (O.P.O.T.C.) sub-committee on corrections
   training. Personally researched and authored a large part of the training curriculum used by
   O.P.O.T.C. to train and certify corrections officers, supervisors and administrators in the State of
   Ohio. Assisting O.P.O.T.C. since 1997 in presenting "Corrections Management" training to all
   newly elected County Sheriffs in Ohio.

- Consultant and Trainer since 1993 presenting national training seminars for the American Jail
  Association and the National Institute of Corrections U.S. Department of Justice. Nationally
  recognized in the areas of interpersonal communication and de-escalation skill training for
  corrections/jail staff.
- Expert Witness in State and Federal Court since 1994 assisting attorneys from around the
  country in civil rights and tort litigation. Qualified and testified in areas of corrections standards
  and practices, jail facility operations and staffing, inmate assault (failure to protect), staff use-offorce, Corrections Emergency Response Teams (CERT), prisoner access to medical and mental
  healthcare, in-custody deaths, inmate suicide, sexual assault by staff/other prisoner, conditions
  of confinement, inmate supervision, booking, classification, housing, jail records procedures,
  strip/body cavity searches and the training of correctional staff, supervisors and administrators.
- Adjunct Instructor of Criminal Justice since 2002 instructing undergraduate students in the course "Introduction to Corrections" in the College of Evening and Continuing Education at the University of Cincinnati.

# **EDUCATION**

Master of Education Degree Xavier University - Cincinnati, Ohio Graduation: May 2011

Major: Educational Administration (4.0 GPA)

Bachelor of Science Degree University of Dayton – Dayton, Ohio Graduation: April 1980

Major: Criminal Justice

#### **Professional Certifications:**

- Ohio Peace Officer Training Council Basic Peace Officer Training Academy Lifetime Instructor Certification
- *Certified Peace Officer* –certified from 1980 2009 as peace officer by Ohio Peace Officer Training Council.
- Certified Master instructor for the <u>AchieveGlobal's</u> "Frontline Leadership" and "Leadership for Results" training programs for managers and administrators.

## ADDITIONAL SKILLS

- Assisted and led teams that planned, opened and transitioned into two new major corrections facilities (800+ beds)
- Team leader in the design and implementation of "Windows/PC based" jail management system in conjunction with UNISYS Corporation.
- Certified Master instructor for the Achieve Global's "Frontline Leadership" and "Leadership for Results" training programs for managers and administrators.
- Assist the local Prosecutors and attorneys in the understanding of corrections and inmate litigation.
- Research, write and administer promotional exams and assessment board interviews for supervisory and administrative positions.
- 20 years of experience in the research, writing and updating of departmental policy, procedures and general orders.

- Negotiate labor contracts from the side of management. Testify and present arguments in verbal and written form for arbitration hearings.
- Attend budget hearing, analyze budget requests and develop, prepare budget documents.
- Perform in-depth jail staffing studies and analysis to discover inventive ways to save taxpayer money and resources.

# REFERENCES

Available upon request