

Curriculum Vitae

Gary F. Celetti Jr., Esq.

EDUCATION

Juris Doctor, *Cum Laude*

Nova Southeastern University, Shepard Broad College of Law, Fort Lauderdale, FL

Bachelor of Science Degree, *Magna Cum Laude*

Barry University, Miami, FL

184th Police Academy

Broward College, Davie, FL

PROFESSIONAL LEGAL EXPERIENCE

Founding Member, GFC LAW, PLLC

2020 – Present

Attorney – Family and Matrimonial Law, Domestic Violence, and Personal Injury Litigation

Associate Attorney, Arcaro Law Group, P.A.

2020

Attorney – Family and Matrimonial Law, Domestic Violence Law, Tort Law

Associate Attorney, Shiner Law Group, P.A.

2019 – 2020

Attorney – Complex Litigation, Contract Litigation, Personal Injury and Tort Litigation

Law Clerk, Shiner Law Group, P.A.

2018 – 2020

Legal Assistant – Complex Litigation, Contract Litigation, Personal Injury and Tort Litigation

Judicial Intern, Honorable Judge Jeffrey Levenson 17th Judicial Circuit

2018

Intern – Complex Litigation, Contract Litigation, Personal Injury and Tort Litigation

Police Lieutenant, City of Lauderhill Police Department

2013 – 2017

Commander – Homicide, Aggravated Felonies, Sexual Battery, Domestic Violence, Fraud, Victim Advocates, Property Crimes, Narcotics, Crime Scene, Canine and Road Patrol Functions

Police Sergeant, City of Lauderhill Police Department

2010 – 2013

First Line Supervisor – Homicide, Aggravated Felonies, Sexual Battery, Domestic Violence, Fraud, Traffic, Victim Advocates, Narcotics, and Road Patrol Functions

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Criminal Investigator, City of Lauderhill Police Department

2003 – 2010

Criminal Investigator – Homicide, Aggravated Felonies, Property Crimes, Sexual Battery, Domestic Violence, Crime Scene, and Fraud

Road Patrol Officer, City of Lauderhill Police Department

1997 – 2003

Road Patrol Officer for Calls of Service and Community Policing

PROFESSIONAL LICENSES

2019 **Sworn Licensed Practitioner**
Florida Bar

2019 **Sworn Licensed Practitioner**
United States District Court for the Southern District of Florida

1997 **Sworn Law Enforcement Officer**
State of Florida

PROFESSIONAL ORGANIZATIONS / ACTIVITIES

2019 **Member**
Florida Bar

2019 **Member**
U.S. District Court of the Southern District of Florida

2019 **Member**
Family Law Section of the Florida Bar

2019 **Member**
Solo and Small Firm Section of the Florida Bar

2019 **Member**
Broward County Bar Association

11/09 – 07/2017 **Board Trustee**
Lauderhill Police Officer's Retirement Plan

03/13 – 07/2017 **Treasurer**
Police Benevolent Association-Lauderhill Police Lieutenants

COMMUNITY ACTIVITIES

01/13 – 05/13 **Participant**
Gun Buy Back Program-City of Lauderhill
Lauderhill, FL

08/12 – 06/13 **Participant**
Kids and the Power of Work- Learning for Success Inc.
Lauderhill, FL

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10/05 – 10/05 **Volunteer**
Hurricane Wilma-Department of Army
Lauderhill, FL

TRAINING

2012 **National Conference on Public Employee Retirement Systems**
New York-New York

2011 **First Line Supervision**
Institute of Public Safety Broward College

2009 **Handgun Training and Qualification**
Lauderhill Police Department

2008 **Police Patrol Rifle Training and Qualification**
Lauderhill Police Department

2006 **Criminal Interview and Interrogation Techniques**
Wicklender-Zulawski & Associates

2006 **Criminal Investigative Analysis Training**
West Palm Beach Police Department

2006 **Taser X26 Certification**
Lauderhill Police Department

2006 **PBSO Homicide Conference Certificate of Attendance**
Palm Beach County Sheriff's Office

2006 **FCIC/NCIC Certification**
State of Florida Department of Law Enforcement

2005 **Bloodborne Pathogens Identification and Detection**
Lauderhill Police Department

2005 **Patrol Shotgun Certification**
Lauderhill Police Department

2004 **Specialties in Death Investigation**
Southern Institute of Forensic Science

2003 **Police Medicolegal Investigation of Death**
Miami – Dade County Medical Examiner Department

2003 **Advanced Homicide Investigations**
The Metropolitan Police Institute

2003 **Homicide Investigations**
The Metropolitan Police Institute

2004 **Incident Command Systems**
Lauderhill University

2004 **Advanced Practical Homicide Investigation**
P.H.I. Investigative Consultants, Inc.

2004 **Handgun Qualification**
Lauderhill Police Department

2004 **FCIC Certification**
State of Florida Department of Law Enforcement

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2004 **Chemical Weapon Certification**
Lauderhill Police Department

2004 **Expandable Baton Certification**
Lauderhill Police Department

2003 **Weapons of Mass Destruction**
Lauderhill Police Department

2003 **Incident Command Systems**
Lauderhill Police Department

2003 **Crime Scene Management**
Institute of Public Safety Broward Community College

2003 **Tactical Handgun Training**
Miami-Dade College

2003 **Homicide Training**
Regional Organized Crime Information Center "ROCIC"

2003 **Tactical Handgun Course**
Lauderhill Police Department

2003 **Human Diversity**
Lauderhill Police Department

2002 **Field Force Training**
Lauderhill Police Department

2002 **FCIC Certification**
State of Florida Department of Law Enforcement

2002 **GLOCK Armorers Course**
Miami-Dade Police Department

2001 **D.U.I Standardized Field Sobriety Testing**
Institute of Public Safety Broward Community College

2001 **Field Training Offer**
State of Florida The Commission on Criminal Justice Standards and Training

2001 **Bloodborne Pathogens Examination and Testing**
Gallagher Bassett Services, Inc.

2001 **Firearms Instructor**
Miami-Dade Community College

2000 **Advanced Narcotics Identification and Investigation**
Criminal Justice Institute Broward Community College

2000 **Basic Narcotics Identification and Investigation**
State of Florida The Commission on Criminal Justice Standards and Training

2000 **FCIC Certification**
State of Florida Department of Law Enforcement

2000 **LoJack Stolen Vehicle Police Recovery System**
LoJack

1999 **Advanced Investigative Interviews and Techniques**
Criminal Justice Institute Broward Community College

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- 1999 **Radar Speed Measurement**
State of Florida The Commission on Criminal Justice Standards and Training
- 1999 **Investigative Interviews and Techniques**
Certificate State of Florida The Commission on Criminal Justice Standards and Training
- 1999 **First Responder Training**
Criminal Justice Institute Broward Community College
- 1998 **Community Policing**
St. Petersburg Junior College

AWARDS AND HONORS

- 2013 **Unit Commendation – Strategic Enforcement Team**
Lauderhill Police Department
- 2012 **Police Sergeant of the Year**
Lauderhill Police Department
- 2009 **Unit Commendation – Criminal Investigation Division**
Lauderhill Police Department
- 2009 **Distinguished Service Award – Criminal Investigation Division**
Lauderhill Police Department
- 2008 **Police Officer of the Year**
Lauderhill Police Department
- 2008 **Special Recognition Award – Criminal Investigations Division**
Lauderhill Police Department
- 2008 **Broward County State Attorney’s Award**
Attempted Murder Investigation: *State of Florida v. Swearin*
- 2008 **Chief Award for Commendation – Criminal Investigations Division**
City of Lauderhill Police Department
- 2008 **Special Recognition Award – Criminal Investigations Division**
Vice Mayor, Hayward Benson City of Lauderhill
Attempted Murder and Robbery Investigation
- 2008 **Chief Award for Commendation – Criminal Investigations Division**
City of Lauderhill Police Department
Juvenile Murder Investigation
- 2007 **Certificate of Appreciation**
United States Marshals Service – Operation FALCON
- 2007 **Chief Award for Commendation – Criminal Investigations Division**
City of Lauderhill Police Department
Attempted Murder Investigation
- 2007 **Chief Award for Commendation – Criminal Investigations Division**
City of Lauderhill of Police Department
Missing Recovered Juvenile
- 2007 **Meritorious Service Award – Criminal Investigations Division**

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2007 Lauderhill Police Department
Sheriff Award – Criminal Investigations Division
Sacramento County Sheriff’s Office
Investigation of a 1972 Homicide Cold Case and Arrest

2007 **Chief Award for Commendation – Criminal Investigations Division**
City of Lauderhill Police Department
4.2 Million Dollar Theft Investigation and Arrest

2007 **Chief Award for Commendation – Criminal Investigations Division**
City of Lauderhill Police Department
Robbery and Attempted Murder Investigation

2006 **Chief Award for Commendation – Criminal Investigations Division**
Lauderhill Police Department
Robbery and Burglary Investigations

2006 **Detective of the Quarter Commendation**
City of Lauderhill of Police Department

2006 **Meritorious Service Award**
Lauderhill Police Department

2006 **Chief Award for Commendation – Criminal Investigations Division**
Lauderhill Police Department
Robbery and Burglary Investigations

2006 **Certificate of Appreciation**
United States Marshal’s Service

2005 **Chief Award for Commendation**
City of Lauderhill Police Department

2005 **Chief Award for Commendation**
City of Lauderhill Police Department

2005 **Chief Award for Recognition**
Lauderhill Police Department

2004 **Broward County State Attorney Award**
State Attorney’s Office

2004 **Chief Award for Commendation**
City of Lauderhill Police Department

2003 **Chief Award for Commendation**
City of Lauderhill Police Department

2003 **Unit Commendation Award**
Lauderhill Police Department

2002 **Chief Award for Commendation**
Lauderhill Police Department

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City of Lauderhill Police Department

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- 2000 **Chief Award for Commendation**
Lauderhill Police Department
- 1999 **Chief Award for Commendation**
Lauderhill Police Department
- 1999 **Chief Award for Recognition for a Job Well Done**
Lauderhill Police Department
- 1999 **Notice of Outstanding Police Work**
Lauderhill Police Department
- 1998 **Performance Recognition**
Lauderhill Police Department