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Currently serving as the Director, Professional Standards for Primary Response Inc. in Toronto, ON, Tom has over 21 years of experience in Public Policing and Private Security & Investigations. Tom's specialist qualifications in Training and Security Personnel Development and dedication to continuous learning lend well to his responsibilities with the ASIS International Toronto Chapter as Education Committee Chair.

Tom has written and delivered Security Training Programs since 1995. He has created customized security educational training programs to the Canadian General Standards Board level (CGSB Standard 133.1 – Standard for training of Security Personnel as accredited by the Canadian Standards Council). Tom is a Certified Protection Officer (CPO) and Certified Protection Officer Instructor (CPOI) and is Certified in Security Supervision and Management (CSSM) from the IFPO, a PPCT Defensive Tactics Instructor, a PPCT Spontaneous Knife Defense Instructor, a PPCT GAGE

Instructor, a Monadnock PR-24 Instructor, a Monadnock Expandable Baton Instructor, a Monadnock Defensive Tactics System Instructor, an Instructor in the Crisis Prevention Institute's Non-Violent Crisis Intervention program, and many more security related course subjects. Additionally, he is an active member of ILEETA (the International Law Enforcement Educators and Trainer's Association), which is a worldwide organization based in Twin Lakes, WI (Greater Chicago Area). This organization is dedicated only to those that have demonstrated experience in the delivery of training programs to the criminal justice profession.

Tom is also a founding member and current Executive Director of the newly formed Canadian Association of Law Enforcement Trainers (CALET). While similar in mission to ILEETA, CALET is dedicated to Canadian Law Enforcement Training issues, researching and distributing Canadian Case Law decisions to its members, and representing a unified voice to various Legislative Bodies on training standards and issues that directly affect how training is delivered to Law Enforcement personnel in Canada. Tom also lends his considerable experience in the Security Industry to ProtectionServices.ca, where he serves as one of the Forum Administrators.

In addition to his position with Primary Response, Tom is a member of and actively involved in numerous other Professional Security Associations such as Association of Certified Fraud Examiners (ACFE), International Foundation for Protection Officers (IFPO), International Association of Healthcare Security and Safety (IAHSS), and ASIS International.

Tom joined ASIS International in February 2008 and then became Board Certified in Security Management in July 2008 when he received his CPP credential. In November 2008, Tom became the person in Canada to be Board Certified in Investigations when he received his PCI credential. Being dedicated to continuous learning and professional development, Tom wrote and passed the PSP exam and became Board Certified in Physical Security in July of 2009, becoming one of only two people in Canada to achieve Board Certification in all three ASIS International credential programs. Tom also wrote and passed the Certified Healthcare Protection Administrator (CHPA) credential exam in June of 2009, and is awaiting approval to write the Certified Fraud Examiner (CFE) credential exam in the Winter of 2009. Tom is also currently working towards his Post Graduate degree in Business Administration (MBA), when upon graduation, plans to pursue his degree in law (Juris Doctorate).

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