# ADAM BERCOVICI

Results-Centric, Solutions-Focused Police Practices and Security Expert



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#### **PROFFESIONAL SUMMARY**

**Nationally recognized Police Policy Expert** with over 40 years of distinguished service in law enforcement, security and investigations. Adept leader in high-risk environments, renowned for advanced knowledge in law enforcement trends, best practices and protocols. Demonstrates exceptional confidentiality, professionalism and influential media presence.

#### PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

#### Elite Police Leadership (1982 - 2012)

Led premier investigative units, including the FBI Violent Crime Task Force, Joint Terrorism Task Force and Homicide Special Section.

#### Private Investigator and CEO (2010 - 2017)

Former CEO of Critical Solutions Protective Services Group, holding licenses in California and Oregon.

#### Policy Development and Publication

Pioneered research on officer-involved shootings and active shooter scenarios.

#### **Expert Witness and Advisory Services**

Provided expert testimony on police use of force, tactical operations and security practices.

#### **Client Base Development**

Established strategic partnerships with Fortune 500 companies and media outlets.

#### **Media Presence**

Served as an on-camera expert and executive producer for The Discovery Channel.

#### EXPERT CASES – DEPOSITION, REPORT & TRIAL TESTIMONY (details upon request)

- Bassi, Edlin, Hui & Blum LLP Lassarte v. American Cylinder (Expert Criminal Conspiracy)
- Henry v. Municipality of Anchorage United States District Court of Alaska Case No. 3:15-cv-000187-RRB Deposition-Rule 26-Report Plaintiff Verdict IA Best Practices –Brady (D)
- Mya Hendrix v. City of San Diego Case No. 37-2019000002275-CU-PO-CTL Case Dismissed (D)
- Lassarte v. Catalina Cylinders Los Angeles Superior Court B295059 Deposition Defense Verdict (D)
- Fear v. City of Exter Superior Court State of California, County of San Luis Obispo Case No. 17CV-0529 Deposition and Trial Testimony Plaintiff Verdict (\$21-MillionVerdict) Qualified as a K9 Expert (P)
- Contreras v. Compton United States District Court for the Central District of California Case No. 2:17- CV08834-FFM Deposition-Rule 26-Report Settlement (D)
- Hunnicutt v. MARTA Superior Court of Fulton County (Georgia) Case No. 2017CV290575 Deposition- Crime Foreseeability (P)
- Thurman v. Spokane Superior Court of Washington for Spokane County No. 19-2-03787-32 Deposition Report Internal Affairs Best Practices (P) Plaintiff Verdict 19 million dollars
- Wence v. Cruz Superior Court-State of California Contra Costa County C18-02060-Deposition-Settled (D)
- Hartt v. Keizer Police Department- Marion County Superior Court, Salem, Oregon 18CV29560 Trial Testimony Defense Verdict Qualified as a K9 and Use of Force Expert (P)
- Bryant v. County of U.S. District Court for the Central District of California:20-cv-09582-JFW-E Deposition Rule 26 Report Trial Testimony Plaintiff Verdict (\$30 Million) Qualified as Police Best Practices Expert (P)
- Depp v. Heard Virginia State Court-Fairfax County CL-2019-0002911 Deposition & Trial Appearance. Report (D)
- Sands v. District of Columbia 2021 CA699B-Rule 26 Report Deposition Police Use of Force-Crowd Control (P)
- Gittler v. Midjit Market District Court Clark County, NV Case No. A-19-788723-c-Report Case Settled (D)
- Chavez v. City of Vernon-Riverside, California Superior Court BC719460 Deposition mistrial. (D)
- Upson v. City of Phoenix- Arizona State Court Rule 26 Report Deposition-Settled (P)
- Hart v. City of Redwood United States District Court Northern District of California Case No. 3:21-cv-02653 Rule 26 Report Deposition Police Use of Force (P)

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- Anderson v. Securitas Circuit Court State of Oregon Case No. 19CV45425 Trial Testimony Qualified as Security Best Practices Expert (D)
- De Los Santos V. Weith Superior Court for the State of California, County of San Francisco Case No. CGC 19-578634 Deposition Case Settled (P)
- Hurley v. Nevada Property d/b/a Cosmopolitan Case No A-21-8344560-C Superior Court Clark County Deposition Report (P)
- Hector Hernandez v. City of Fullerton Case No. 8:20-CV-01747-CJE-JDE Rule 26 Report Deposition (P)
- Munger Toles and Olsen Vanessa Bryant v. County of Los Angeles (Police and IA Best Practices)
- Charlson, Bredehoft, Cohen & Brown Heard v. Depp (Police Best Practices)
- Stream Kim Wicks Wrage and Alfaro Chavez v. City of Vernon (Police Internal Affairs)
- Cheong, Denove & Rowell Fear v. Exeter Trial Plaintiff Verdict (July 2021) (K9 Best Practices)
- Law Offices of Keith Knowlton Upson v. City of Phoenix (K9 Best Practices)
- Moregenstern Law Firm-Wence v. Cruz (Use of Force)
- Glasser Weil Gross v. Gross (Expert Private Investigations Best Practices)
- · Covington and Burling Sands v. District of Columbia
- Howard & Howard Douris v. Henderson NV (Use of Deadly Force)
- City of San Diego Mya Hendrix v. City of San Diego (Kidnap Investigations Best Practices)
- Johnson v. Caesars Palace (Premise Liability)
- Kramer, DeBoer & Keane (Security Guard Operations)
- Law Offices of Michael Mills Hunnicutt v. MARTA (Crime Foreseeability)
- Law Offices of Patrick Buelna McCoy v. Vallejo (Shooting Policy Use of Deadly Force
- Law Offices of Will Macke Hartt v. City of Keizer (K9 Best Practices)
- Littler Mendelson P.C Henry v. Anchorage (Expert Brady-Police Internal Affairs / Misconduct)
- Richard A. Criummo & Associates (Police Tactics Officer Involved Shootings Pursuit Policy)
- Richards Watson Gershon Contreras v. City of Compton (Police Investigation Best Practices)
- Selman Breitman LLP Gittler v. Midjt Market (Premise Liability)
- Law Officers of Mary Schultz Thurman v. Spokane (Police Internal Affairs)
- · Heath and Yuen- Santos v. Weith (Security Guard Operations)
- Hall Griffin-Johnl.L. Doe v. Mi Ju Security (Security Guard Best Practices)
- Hamparyan Personal Injury-Celani v. Westfield Corporation (Premise Liability)
- Law Offices of John Buris-Hart v. City of Redwood (Deadly Force)
- Kafoury and McDougal Garza v. Salem (Excessive Force)-Rule 26 –(P) 3.15 million dollar verdict

#### PROFESSIONAL SYNOPSIS

#### TITAN NATIONAL CONSULTING, LLC

**2012 - PRESENT** 

Police Consulting, Expert & Investigative Company Owner | Consultant | Senior Investigator

#### CRITICAL SOLUTIONS PROTECTIVE SERVICES GROUP

2010 - 2017

Los-Angeles-Based Security Company

Lieutenant II | Officer-in-Charge

Lieutenant II | Officer-in-Charge

CEO

#### LOS ANGELES POLICE DEPARTMENT

1982 - 2012

Rapidly Advanced to Roles of Greater Accountability & Responsibility Due to Performance Excellence; Recipient of 50 Bureau/Major Commendations and 300+ Area Commendations; Recipient of the Police "Medal for Bravery" (1993) and Police "Meritorious Unit Citation" (1994) by the Los Angeles Police Department (LAPD).

#### Robbery - Homicide Division, Homicide Special Section

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2011 - 2012

### Major Crimes Division, Criminal Investigation Section

Joint Terrorism Task Force – Surveillance Special Section Lieutenant II | Officer-in-Charge

2003 - 20112002 - 2003

#### Burglary - Auto Theft Division, Field Enforcement Section

Federal Theft Task Force Lieutenant II

2000 - 2001

#### North Hollywood Area

Lieutenant I | Watch Commander | Mobile Field Force Leader

1999 - 2000

Internal Affairs Division, Advocate Section Sergeant II	1998 – 1999
Van Nuys Area Sergeant II   Watch Commander   Assistant Watch Commander	1996 – 1998
West Los Angeles Area Sergeant II Vice Supervisor	1995 – 1996
Operations West Bureau CRASH Sergeant I	1994 – 1995
77th Street Area Sergeant I	1993 – 1994
Metropolitan Division Police Officer III   K9 Handler	1989 – 1993
Metropolitan Division Police Officer III	1987 – 1989
Wilshire Area Police Officer III   Field Training Officer	1985 – 1987
Operations West Bureau CRASH Police Officer II   Gang Suppression Officer	1985
Wilshire Area Police Officer II	1984 – 1985
Foothills Area Police Officer I	1982 – 1984

## **EDUCATION & PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT**

# **Bachelor of Arts in English Literature** CLAREMONT MCKENNA COLLEGE

#### Certifications

Basic | Intermediate | Advanced | Supervisor | Management CALIFORNIA POST

#### **REFERENCES**

Excellent Professional References Provided Upon Request