



*Bureau Forensic Document Examination*  
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Court Qualified Forensic Document Examiner  
Certified Graphoanalyst  
Member IADE, IGAS

**Academic Background:**

University of Western Ontario, B.A. (Hons), Psychology/Mathematics (June 1995)  
University of Western Ontario, B.Ed., Senior Mathematics Education (June 2010)  
International Graphoanalysis Society – Certified Graphoanalyst (December 2016)  
International Association of Document Examiners – completed Question Document Examiner

Course (2017-19)

**Employment:**

Bureau Forensic Document Examination BFDE – January 2018-present  
Diann Vail Document Examination – 2012 – 2017.

**Continuing Education:**

-August 2018 IADE webinar attendance – current issues/cases/topics in document examination  
-On-going study of current questioned document cases  
-Attendance at current weekly online webinar (IADE) where issues in document examination are addressed such as court citations, report writing, and depositions, etc.  
-Attendance at monthly Document Examination webinar with IADE peers  
-reading of current journals through IADE  
-reading of books pertaining to Forensic Document Examination (eg. Albert Osborn, Bradford and Bradford, Ordway Hilton).

**Membership Affiliation:**

Current member at International Association of Document Examiners (IADE)  
Current member at International GraphoAnalysis Society (IGAS)

**Experience:**

Forensic Document Examiner – Bureau Forensic Document Examination January 2018 - present  
Forensic Document Examiner – Diann Vail Document Examination from 2012 – 2016, sole operator-2017

Some case work includes:

- property disputes regarding purchase contracts (British Columbia, Kitchener, Toronto)
- wills, both holographic and standard (both private and lawyer, Ottawa)
- anonymous letters/handwriting identification (both private and lawyer London)
- company ownership transfer dispute (Nova Scotia, Mississauga)
- suspected cheque fraud (P.I. Niagara Falls)
- contract disputes (Kitchener, London, Brampton)

**Seminar:**

Presentation to “Lunch and Learn” lawyers from Cohen Highley, London, ON. June 19, 2018.

**Qualifications:**

- Qualified as an expert witness in the Social Justice Tribunals Ontario, Landlord/Tenant Board - Toronto – Madame Chair Renee Lang – March 23, 2017, October 24, 2019.
- Qualified as an expert: London, ON. Report and qualifications accepted by all parties, June 1, 2017.
- Qualified as an expert witness in the Ontario Superior Court of Justice, Criminal. July 11, 2017. The Honourable Justice Gregory Pockele.
- Qualified as an expert witness in Civil court, Antigonish NS, November 1, 2018. Justice Denise Boudreau.
- Qualified as an expert witness in Superior Court of Justice, Toronto ON, October 10, 2019. Honourable Madame Justice Sharon Shore.

**Research** – differences between electronic vs pen/ink signatures, to be published spring 2019, IADE journal.