

# EXECUTIVE PROFILE

## Mark Pellegrino

SENIOR FORENSIC FIRE EXAMINER



### QUALIFICATIONS

- Bachelor of Applied Science in Forensic Investigation, Canberra Institute of Technology, 2009
- Basic Fire Debris Analysis, University of Central Florida, 2016

### ROLE

Mark travels all over Australia to conduct origin and cause examinations for structural, vehicle and machinery fires. His building knowledge and experience in vehicle restoration allows him to critically analyse any type of fire or explosion incident. He enjoys the problem solving process of collecting data, thinking critically and determining the cause of the fire. As well as examining fire scenes himself, Mark also has a Quality Assurance role and mentors younger investigators.

### SPECIALISATION

Fire and explosion origin and cause investigations – structural and mechanical, physical evidence collection, scene photography, training and Quality Assurance.

### JOINED GKAIG

November 2010

### INVESTIGATIONS

Over 800 fire incidents, involving structural, vehicles, machinery and marine vessels.

### OUTSIDE OF WORK

Mark loves playing sport especially competitive paint ball. He enjoys modifying and restoring cars and motorcycles. He also likes to design and build eco-friendly homes.

“The aftermath of a fire is chaotic, so you need to be organised in your approach.”

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