



Dave Wygal
Economic Crime Specialist

Dave Wygal is an Economic Crime Specialist with the National White Collar Crime Center (NW3C). He currently instructs and facilitates the following courses: Intelligence Writing and Briefing (IWAB), Financial Investigations Practical Skills (FIPS), Financial Records Investigative Skills (FRIS), Financial Investigations Triage (FIT), Financial Crimes Against Seniors (FCAS), and Financial Records Examination and Analysis (FREA) classes.

Prior to his career with NW3C, Dave spent the majority of his twenty-one years in law enforcement with the City of Clarksburg Police Department in West Virginia before retiring in 2012. While in Clarksburg, Dave was assigned to the Detective Bureau as a major case detective with an emphasis on sexual and financial-based crimes.

Dave's background includes training in Advanced Crime Scene Investigations, Advanced Death and Homicide Investigations, Forensic Entomology Evidence, Traffic Accident Reconstruction, and certification in forensic interviewing techniques. In addition to his own training, Dave has trained new detectives on all aspects of investigative work.

Several of Dave's accomplishments include the Chief's Award, seven Sherlock Holmes Awards, and being named Officer of the Year. Dave has worked with several federal, state, and local task forces, including the FBI Homeland Security Task Force, FBI Crimes Against Children, U.S. Marshal Fugitive Task Force and the WV Internet Crimes Against Children Investigative Team. He served on the Board of Directors for the Harrison County Child Advocacy Center and the West Virginia Fatality Review Board.

Dave holds his Certified Economic Crime Forensic Examiner (CECFE) certification through NW3C.

