

Sergeant Patrick Guckian, of the **Metropolitan Bureau of Investigation (MBI) Vice/Organized Crime Section** attended and graduated with a Bachelor of Science degree from the Eastern Kentucky University, Richmond, Kentucky, 1993 and a Master of Science degree from Michigan State University, East Lansing, Michigan, 1995.

Sergeant Guckian was hired by the Orlando Police Department in August 1997 after successfully completing the Basic Law Enforcement Academy in Orlando, Florida. From August 1997 until April of 2011, Sergeant Guckian was assigned to the East and West Patrol Divisions, International Drive Unit, Neighborhood Patrol Unit, Airport Patrol, Criminal Investigation Division, and the Drug Enforcement Division. Since May of 2011, Sergeant Guckian has been a duly sworn Special Investigator for the State Attorney of the Ninth Judicial Circuit assigned to the Metropolitan Bureau of Investigation Vice/Organized Crime Section.

Sergeant Guckian has obtained advanced training in: interview and interrogation; United States Drug Enforcement Administration (DEA) basic narcotics and dangerous drug investigations; Investigative Techniques for Human Trafficking Task Forces; Protecting Victims of Child Prostitution; and, Identification of Commercially Sexually Exploited Children.

Sergeant Guckian has law enforcement experience involving: undercover vice investigations, prostitution investigations, gambling investigations, organized crime investigations, and human trafficking investigations. In addition to his regular duties, Sergeant Guckian also makes human trafficking presentations to law enforcement officers, nongovernmental

To date, Sergeant Guckian has conducted and supervised more than 70 human trafficking investigations and has been instrumental in rescuing both underage and adult victims from what is considered modern day slavery.

In 2013, Sergeant Guckian was honored as the Florida Department of Juvenile Justice Law Enforcement Officer of the Year.