

# GRACE WARMBIER

CERTIFIED FORENSIC DOCUMENT EXAMINER  
NEW YORK

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## *Education*

- 2012 Bachelors of Science in Forensic Science University of New Haven
  - 2012 Bachelors of Science in Biology University of New Haven
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## *Employment History*

- **Grace Warmbier Forensic Document Examination**
- **Title: Owner- Private Forensic Document Examiner** **Present**

Performing casework in all aspects of Questioned Document Examination, primarily in handwriting comparisons, but also including and not limited to: ink, paper, printing processes, alterations, indented impressions, counterfeit documents, age determination, mechanical impressions, photographic and imaging techniques, and expert testimony.

- **New York City Police Department Police Laboratory** **2013-2023**
- **Title: Criminalist III**

Performing casework in all aspects of Questioned Document Examination, primarily in handwriting comparisons, but also including and not limited to: ink, paper, printing processes, alterations, indented impressions, counterfeit documents, age determination, mechanical impressions, photographic and imaging techniques, and expert testimony.

Examine evidentiary material for the possible presence of trace material. Collect DNA via swabbing and/or cutting for cases requesting DNA collection. Prepare laboratory reports on analyses and provide expert witness testimony as required.

Controlled Substance Analysis Section (2014-2019): Perform qualitative analysis of evidentiary material for the possible presence of controlled/non-controlled substances via color tests, microscopic examinations, TLC, and GC/MS. Prepare laboratory reports on analyses and provide expert witness testimony as required.

- **Queens District Attorney's Office** **2012-2013**
- **Title: Paralegal**

Performing administrative assistance and trial preparation to the district attorneys of the Homicide Investigations Bureau.

- **Suffolk County Crime Laboratory** **2011**
- **Title: Intern (Questioned Documents and Trace Sections)**

Performing administrative casework, evidentiary analysis, and laboratory tasks to assist and apprentice the analysts of the Suffolk County Crime Laboratory.

(Primary assignment- Questioned Documents Unit under Jeffery Lubert)

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## *Professional Development/ Continuing Education*

- SSL Presentation: e-signatures, digital signatures and regulatory frameworks- Daniel Rendon SAFE (April 2025)
  - Application of ISO 9001:2015 to develop a Quality Management System for Forensic Examiners- Mike Wakshull SAFE (February 2025)
  - What Document Examiners Need to Know About Fonts and Why- Thomas Phinney SAFE (January 2025)
  - Paper Authentication- Doug Cobb SAFE (August 2024)
  - MOHAWK PAPER MILL Presentation and Tour MOHAWK (May 31, 2018 )
  - BOND Company Presentation and Tour BOND (February 13, 2017)
  - How to be an Effective Criminal Forensics Expert Witness SEAK (June 22-23 2016)
  - Speak Wells Nicole Wells (May 16, 2016)
  - Typewriters Peter Tytell (March 2, 8, 10, 2016)
  - Critical Thinking American Management Association (April 1, 2015)
  - Electrostatic Detection Apparatus (ESDA) Foster and Freeman (2014)
  - Video Spectral Comparator (VSC) Foster and Freeman (2014)
  - Doing It All: How to Stay Focused and Engaged American Management Association (June 2013)
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## *Testimony Experience*

- Manhattan, Bronx, Brooklyn, 1PP, Queens, Nassau County, Courtland County, Tompkins County NY (Federal, Supreme State, Criminal, Civil & Family Courts), New Jersey, Pennsylvania, British Columbia (Canada) 2015- Present
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## *Publications*

- Distinguishing Characteristics of Robotic Writing. Journal of Forensic Science. 2018 Aug 17. Doj 10.1111/1556-4029.13886. Dumitra. A, Guzowski. A, Jean. A, Shaw. M, Warmbier, G., Zippo, P.
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## *Professional Affiliations*

- Scientific Association of Forensic Examiners (SAFE) 2024- Present
- Association of Certified Fraud Examiners (ACFE) 2024- Present
- Technical Working Group of Document Examiners 2014- 2023
- American Academy of Forensic Sciences 2012- 2015

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## *Skills/Qualifications/Projects*

- Certified Forensic Document Examiner (CFDE)- *Scientific Association of Forensic Examiners*
- C14 Certified-NYC Fire Department

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## *Conferences Attended/ Presentations Given*

- National Student Leadership Conference (Columbia)- *Speaker* 2025
- National Student Leadership Conference (Columbia)- *Speaker* 2024
- SAFE Seminar- *Attendee* 2024
- Association of Certified Fraud Examiners (ACFE)- *Speaker* 2024
- Putnam County Sheriff's Office- Crime Scene Unit- *Speaker* 2024
- NYPD Crime Scene- *Speaker* 2023
- Secret Service- *Speaker* 2022-2023
- AAFS Annual Conference- *Attendee* 2012

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## *Awards*

- Outstanding Law Enforcement Professionals Award- Detectives Crime Clinic  
Metropolitan New Jersey and New York June 2023