

Writing Crime Fiction

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Introducing your Coaches

Graham Rabone
Author, Speaker, Consultant



Graham is a former Detective Inspector, during his 30 year career he progressed from foot patrol, to Panda Car and Fast Response driver.

He experienced national strike disputes and riots, murders, and attacks on his Police Station before being promoted to Sergeant. During his time as a Sgt he faced a different style of policing in diverse areas of the West Midlands, before returning to inner city Birmingham as an Inspector, where he spent most of his service. Training as a **Senior Investigating Officer**, he headed several large enquiries. However, it is in the area of Hostage and Crisis Negotiation that he regards his greatest achievements. Graham was part of the UKs International Cadre and specialised in Kidnap for Ransom, and this is where he drew his inspiration for his crime/thriller writing.

Angela Clarence
Editor & Freelance Writer



Angela Clarence acted on both sides of the Atlantic before taking a position as personal assistant to Nobel Prize Winning playwright and screenwriter Harold Pinter. She free-lanced as a photo journalist writing travel pieces for broadsheets and glossy magazines such as Harpers and Queen, The Observer, and The Mail on Sunday for many years, before settling down as a book doctor - helping fiction and non-fiction writers polish their manuscripts in readiness for publication.

Paula Creed
Crime Scene Investigator



Paula is one of the most experienced Crime Scene Investigators in the country; qualified in Forensic Scene Coordination and Forensic Scene Management she has 27 years experience.

She has led over 30 murder cases and been involved in anti-terrorist scenes and child abuse investigations where her training in drug testing, advanced fire investigation, forensic video and photography have been crucial to the outcome.

As a member of the highly regarded United Kingdom Disaster Victim Identification (UKDVI) cadre she has been deployed by Interpol to several international disasters.

Nick Curry is a serving Detective Constable. His current role as a Digital Media Investigator requires him to act as the strategic link between investigation teams and experts in the of digital and communications data and how this can be effectively exploited during the operation. Digital data plays a huge part in successfully detecting and preventing crime, locating the vulnerable, arresting offenders and seizing vital evidence. Convergence of technology has resulted in organised crime gangs finding various alternative ways of communicating in a bid to escape detection. Nick's role is to develop a strategy to utilise the relevant capabilities effectively within digital data specialist and covert teams

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