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Hugo Holland obtained his undergraduate degree in Criminal Justice from LSU in Baton Rouge while working as a deputy sheriff, his Juris Doctor from LSU Law School in 1988, and has been a prosecutor ever since. He is admitted to practice in both Louisiana and Texas. He recently completed 14 years as the section chief of the Homicide & Sex Crimes Investigations Division of the District Attorney's Office in Shreveport, Louisiana, taking that position after ten years in the felony trial division of the same office. He is a special Assistant District Attorney and Special Assistant Attorney General appointed to handle high profile RICO, white collar, political corruption, sexual assault, and homicide cases throughout the State of Louisiana. Over his career he has conducted thousands of felony investigations and hundreds of jury trials.

Holland is on the Board of Directors for the Louisiana District Attorneys Association, and is very active at the Louisiana Legislature and the United States Congress, having authored Louisiana's Statutes on the Atkins decision, Protection of Victim's Rights Act, and Post-Conviction DNA Testing among others. He is co-author and Chief Editor of the Louisiana Law Enforcement Handbook, used by police throughout Louisiana, and the Louisiana Capital Bench Book, used by Louisiana judges in death penalty trials.

He is a regular presenter at many police academies in Louisiana concerning law enforcement topics. He teaches advanced investigative techniques, advanced trial techniques, and media relations for the National College of District Attorneys and for prosecutor groups in Texas, West Virginia, North Carolina, California, New York, Virginia, Tennessee, Vermont, Alabama, Tennessee and Florida. He is also a presenter for the Louisiana Judicial College, the training arm for the Louisiana Judge's Association.

Holland serves on the Caddo-Bossier Sexual Assault Response Team, the Louisiana Attorney General's Internet Crimes Against Children Task Force, the Louisiana Child Death Review Panel, the Volunteer's of America Human Rights Committee, the Volunteers for Youth Justice, and is a special consultant the White Collar Crimes Task Force of Northwest Louisiana. He is also, of course, a regular presenter for the Association of Certified Fraud Examiners.

In his spare time, Holland is an active Reserve Police Officer in Bossier City Louisiana, is an active licensed pilot, and a Major in the United States Air Force Auxiliary, Civil Air Patrol.