## **Daniel Estes**

Senior Computer Forensic Analyst



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## PROFILE

Daniel Estes is a Senior Computer Forensic Analyst at UnitedLex. In his role, Dan is a member of the data collections team which is tasked with executing both remote and onsite data collections globally. Dan constantly reviews and improves data collection techniques to ensure client needs are met, forensic best practices are followed, efficiencies are increased, and capabilities are expanded to support to ever growing types of electronically stored information. With over 8 years of experience operating in a forensic lab environment and performing defensible data collections, Dan has collected several thousands of devices from around the globe including all types of workstations, file servers, cloud-based data types, webmail and email. Additionally, Dan specializes in non-custodial data sources (NCDS) collections which encompass a wide range of standard and custom-built databases. Dan has conducted remote collections from several countries outside of the United States including Mexico, the South Africa, Italy, Norway, Australia and Singapore. Dan has also traveled to Israel for onsite data collection work and consultation.

In addition to performing collections, Dan has also managed several 1000+ device collections for UnitedLex's fortune 50 clients including managing of real-time status tracking, several dozen locations simultaneously being collected from, and ensuring the validity of the evidence collected.

## **CORE COMPETENCIES**

Computer forensics best practices, project management, data recovery, electronic discovery, evidence handling & management, windows and mac environments, data collection, cell phone forensics, data conversion, advanced file type analysis, encryption protocols, Microsoft office suite, adobe product suite, html coding, XML, visual basic, SQL, computer hardware, and presentations.

## EDUCATION AND CERTIFICATIONS

- University of New Mexico, Bachelor of Arts Degree in Media Arts
- Johnson County Community College, Associate of Arts Degree
- ACE AccessData Certified Examiner
- CCPA Cellebrite Certified Physical Analyst