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# Ryan Gallagher

## Lateral Police Officer

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### Summary

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Lateral police officer with 6 years of sworn law enforcement experience in 2 Arizona departments, now a certified field training officer. Strong in DUI enforcement, traffic control and crime prevention, with clean use-of-force reviews and current AZPOST certification ready for transfer.

### Experience

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#### Lateral Police Officer

Superstition Springs Police Department — Mesa, AZ — 03/2023 - Present

Joined as a lateral hire in a 180-officer suburban department in the East Valley.

- Handle **1,500** calls for service a year in a busy district, from injury crashes to domestic disputes.
- Train 4 recruit officers as a certified field training officer, all of whom passed solo patrol on schedule.
- Conduct 120+ DUI enforcement stops a year using standardized field sobriety tests, with a 91% conviction rate.
- Present crime prevention talks to 12 neighborhood watch groups and HOA boards on burglary and car theft.

#### Police Officer

Desert Vista Police Department — Tempe, AZ — 09/2020 - 02/2023

Patrol officer in a city department near a large university campus.

- Enforced city ordinances and traffic laws on day and night shifts, writing about 50 citations a month.
- Applied defensive tactics in 8 resisting-arrest incidents with no officer or suspect injuries.
- Delivered CPR and first aid to 6 overdose and cardiac patients before fire crews arrived.
- Directed traffic control at 30 major crashes and road closures during game days.

### Education

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#### Associate of Applied Science

Mesa Community College

Administration of Justice

Mesa, AZ

05/2020

### Skills

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| DUI Enforcement | — | Traffic Control | — | Crime Prevention | — | Defensive Tactics |
| Field Training  | — | City Ordinances | — | CPR              | — | First Aid         |
| Good Judgment   | — | Integrity       |   |                  |   |                   |

### Certificates

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#### Peace Officer Certification

Arizona Peace Officer Standards and Training Board  
(AZPOST)

08/2020

#### Standardized Field Sobriety Testing (SFST)

National Highway Traffic Safety Administration

11/2021