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PROFESSIONAL PROFILE

Robert Clayton has over 35+ years of construction industry experience and over 6+ years of forensic construction experience. Roberts forensic experience includes, but is not limited to: construction litigation construction defect, contract disputes, building code compliance, quality & delay evaluation, loss of use evaluation, warranty issues, jobsite injuries, preconstruction evaluation, post construction evaluation, water intrusion and insurance claims. Robert has substantial trial experience, including depositions, arbitrations and mediations.

POSITIONS

Brillouin Consulting
Senior Consultant

Orange County Area, CA
Feb 2025 - Present

Perform forensic inspections, code analysis, develop scopes of repair and cost estimates, allocations, and present in expert meetings. Analyze various structural types, design standards, project management systems, construction contracts and bidding. Analyze construction defect and general property claims within the residential, commercial and industrial sectors by conducting site investigations to collect forensic evidence. Develop reports and responses for clients. Create subcontractor allocations and assist with investigative strategies. Perform destructive testing, waterproofing, leak detection, scope of repairs and cost estimating services.

Clayton Builders
Owner

Huntington Beach, CA
Aug 2023 - Present

Residential / commercial, new construction and remodeling. Emphasis on structural remodeling, room additions, kitchen & bathroom remodeling, door & window installation.

Coastline Construction
Lead Carpenter

Tustin, CA
Oct 2001 - Aug 2003

Large scale HOA class action construction projects.

ICI Investment Concepts, Inc.
Foreman

Orange, CA
Nov 1991 - Sep 2001

Tenant improvement for shopping centers, office buildings & apartment complexes.

Perfection Woodwork
Lead Carpenter

Huntington Beach, CA
Aug 1997 - Oct 1999

Commercial & residential door and hardware installation, custom wood fabrication & installation for commercial sites, restaurants, HOA & apartment complexes.

Phoenix Construction
Lead Railroad Bridge Mechanic

Pomona, CA
Oct 1996 - Aug 1997

Bridge, track & signage construction & maintenance.

John Frank Construction
Lead Carpenter

Santa Ana, CA
Jul 1995 - Sep 1996

Grocery store & shopping center remodel and maintenance projects.

Mel Smith Electric
Foreman / Lead Carpenter

Public works projects for school campuses & navel yard remodeling and construction.

Santa Ana, CA
Apr 1993 - Jul 1995

Antimite Termite & Pest Control
Lead Construction Technician

Reconstruction of termite damaged property, chemical treatment for both drywood & subterranean termites.

Santa Ana, CA
Apr 1992 - Mar 1993

Lakewood Custom Builders
Framing Subcontractor

Residential demolition, foundations & framing for room additions.

Lakewood, CA
May 1990 - Apr 1992

Argus Construction
Framing Carpenter

Commercial & residential wood framing & layout.

Huntington Beach, CA
Mar 1988 - May 1990

PROFESSIONAL LICENSES & CERTS.

- General Contractor License: CA B585804
- Licensed Ham radio technician, FCC License (call sign KK6MSM)
- Certified NRA firearms instructor
- CSLB Home Improvement certification
- OSHA Fall Protection certification
- SPCB Pest Control certification

ADDITIONAL

- CA Alligator Farm: Head keeper / herpetologist; Caring for all 5 classes of reptiles, including crocodilians, snakes, lizards, turtles & sphenodons. Public lectures & PR.
- CA Zoological Supply: Herpetologist / Animal handler; Care & handling for reptiles, amphibians & arachnids.