



## CE-AFI

### CENTRAL EUROPEAN ASSOCIATION OF FIRE INVESTIGATORS

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Benny Thomsen is employed by the Danish National Police at the National Forensic Services.

Benny Thomsen started as a police officer 29 years ago and has been working at the forensic science unit for two decades. For 16 years Benny has been specializing in fire investigation and he is now professionally responsible at the national level for fire investigation within the national police. Benny is the chairman of the IAAI subchapter “the Nordic Association of Fire Investigators” and of the European Network of Forensic Science Institutes.

Since the last couple of years, Benny Thomsen has together with Eva Ljungkvist been working with developing the forensic science unit at the Danish police.

It is in this mix of – fire engineering, forensic science and hard police work, that Benny and Eva thrive. They are recurring speakers at conferences in Denmark and in Europe. In June 2018 they gave lectures on the ENFSI conference *How to shed some UV light on the fire scene* and *Pyrolysis products are a recurrent headache for fire investigators; can a developed Dynamic Headspace be the needed painkiller?* .