

# MEDIA FACT SHEET ABOUT CHRISTIAN MEISTER

**Name, Birth Date & Place:** Christian Meister; June 1968; Austria

**Nationality** U.S. Citizen, 1999; emigrated to the U.S. in 1987; native language: German

**Author:** 2010: *How To Stop Foreclosure: Securitization, Wall Street, The People Behind The Boom and Bust of the American Economy, About A System Which Serves The Elite, Dysfunctional Courts, What To Do In Court & How To Keep Your Property!*  
2011: *How Judges Abuse Procedural Law in Favor of Banks: A Report That Belongs In Every American Living Room*

**Public Office:** Candidate for Lee County, Florida, Sheriff, 2008 and 2012; sought appointment for Lee County Commissioner vacancy, 2010; candidate for Lee County Sheriff, 2008, garnered 61,000 votes—25 percent; write-in candidate for Governor in the California 2003 Special Election

**Projects:** Legal Literacy, 2011. Founder of [www.wewepeaks.com](http://www.wewepeaks.com), 2011

**Former Positions:** Certified Family Case Manager, Kids Hope United, a DCF-contracted agency, 2007  
Deputy Sheriff Trainee, Lee County Sheriff's Office, 2005

**Certification:** Child protection: Child Protection Phase I Certification, DCF  
Law enforcement: Florida Department of Law Enforcement (FDLE) Florida State Officer Certification Examination #06-222; year of examination: 2006

**License:** Real Estate: Real Estate Sales License, 2002 - 2004; State of California; expired

**Membership:** Member of the board of the Academic Senate Curriculum Committee, California State University, Fullerton, CA, 2004; Real Estate Investment Association of California (REIAC) (expired); Phi Theta Kappa—International Honor Society; American Legion (expired)

**Legal:** Section 1983 police liability law; Title VII discrimination law; Mortgage foreclosure law:  
Extensive legal writing experience (2,500-plus hours), crafting motions and memoranda of law, interrogatories, requests for production of documents, subpoenas; experience in deposing defendants and in defending plaintiff in deposition; experience in direct and cross examination; managed litigation in the U.S. District Court, the U.S. Circuit Court of Appeals, and the U.S. Supreme Court, in Meister's capacity as a Pro Se litigant; 2006–2010

**Liability:** Trained in officer safety and in the application of the use of force matrix; 760 hours; 2005; graduate of Law Enforcement Officer Class LEO #106; Southwest Florida Public Service Academy, Fort Myers, Florida. Trained at the police academy in Palm Beach County, FL

**Child protection:** Experience in the juvenile justice system; KHU, DCF-contracted agency:  
As a certified family case manger in 2007 and 2008, Meister served in child protection for a DCF-contracted agency where he provided services for abandoned, abused, and neglected children adjudicated dependent on the State of Florida. In his capacity as a State certified child protection professional, Meister participated in judicial proceedings and gave advisory recommendations concerning children-parent progress.

**Communications:** Reported and published 27 stories for the news beat  
Staff writer for the California State University's daily newspaper, *The Daily Titan*

**Financial:** Experience in trading company shares

**Real Estate:** Negotiated commercial lease transactions and sold residential properties

**Teaching:** Tutor of piano at LAVC, CA. Tutor of counterpoint and English at Fullerton College, CA

**U.S. Military:** U.S.C.G.; Veteran; Operation Desert Storm; Highest Rank: E-4, Petty Officer; Responsible for operational safety; drug interdiction support staff; Honorable Discharge, 1993.

**Education:** B.A. Communications, Cum Laude, California State University, Fullerton, CA, 2004  
Graduate of LEO 106, SW Florida Public Service Academy, Fort Myers, FL, 2006  
A.A. Music, Fullerton College, Fullerton, CA, 2002

Trial Preparation, Miami Dade College	Communications Law, Cal State Fullerton
Trial Practice & Appeal, Miami Dade College	Real Estate Law, Fullerton College
Criminal Law, Cal State Fullerton	Real Estate Appraisals, Fullerton College

**Military Honors:** Humanitarian Service Medal—National Defense Service Medal  
CG Pistol Marksmanship Ribbon—CG Special Operations Service Ribbon