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TRACE EVIDENCE COLLECTION AND USE IN INVESTIGATIONS

INSTRUCTOR: Jennifer Dillon is a forensic scientist with the Michigan State Police at the Northville Laboratory, currently working in the Trace Evidence Unit. She also conducts casework as a Bloodstain Pattern Analyst, processes crime scenes, and has previous experience as a DNA analyst.

COURSE DESCRIPTION: This course will discuss how the collection trace evidence at crime scenes, autopsies, and vehicle processing on a routine basis can aid in the initial stages of an investigation or when latent prints and DNA fail to provide an identification. Emphasis will be placed on the proper techniques for collection and packaging of trace evidence such as tape lifts, post-it note lifts, paint transfers, fiber collection, known samples, etc. Footwear examinations will be included. Case studies will be presented and hands on collection methods will be practiced.

TOPICS INCLUDE:

- Locard's Exchange Theory
- Fiber Transfer
- Paint Transfer
- Physical Match
- Glass
- Fire Debris
- Miscellaneous/Unknowns
- Footwear examinations

COURSE NAME: Trace Evidence Collection and Use in Investigations

DATE: March 29, 2019

TIME: 8:00 am - 4:30 pm

COST: \$100.00

LOCATION: Oakland Police Academy
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