Analysis of Distortion in Latent Prints

October 15 - 17, 2019

0800 - 1700 hrs

Spokane County Sheriff’s Training Center
6011 N. Chase Rd.
Newman Lake, WA 99025

Tuition: $425

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This three-day workshop focuses on the Analysis phase of ACE-V (Analysis, Comparison, Evaluation, and Verification). During the Analysis of a latent print, the analyst is gathering information. The analyst is detecting the features they may use during the comparison, setting tolerances for variation in appearance, and determining the utility of the print. The detection of features in the latent print and the establishment of tolerances for variation in appearance are inextricably linked to distortion present in the latent print.

Full Course Description:  https://evolveforensics.com/distortion/

Registration Information:  https://evolveforensics.com/schedule/

About the Instructor

Alice (Maceo) White has a Bachelor of Science in Biology from the University of Alaska, Anchorage. She has worked in latent prints since 1997 and was the manager of the Latent Print Detail of the Las Vegas Metropolitan Police Department for 12 years. Alice served on the Scientific Working Group on Friction Ridge Analysis, Study, and Technology from 2001-2014, the NIST Expert Working Group on Human Factors in Latent Print Analysis from 2008-2011. Alice currently serves as a member of the OSAC Friction Ridge Subcommittee, and AAFS Standards Board Friction Ridge Consensus Body, and is a Technical Assessor for ANAB. Alice has published multiple articles and lectured throughout the United States and beyond.

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