



2020
Conference Schedule

47th Annual New England Seminar In Forensic Science

Saturday, July 25th

3:00 pm – 8:00 pm Early Housing check-in: Cotter Union Information Desk

Sunday, July 26th

11:00 am – 5:00 pm Conference & Housing check-in: Diamond Building Lobby

1:00 pm – 1:15 pm Welcome Remarks

1:15 pm – 2:15 pm Cold Case Issues with Focus on the 'Buckskin Girl'
Elizabeth Murray, PhD, DABFA

2:15 pm – 3:15 pm Interesting NH Cold Cases
Marcella Sorg, PhD, DABFA & Kim Fallon, Chief Forensic Investigator, NH

3:15 pm – 3:45 pm Afternoon Break: light refreshments, coffee and tea will be provided

3:45 pm – 4:45 pm An Interesting NH Cold Cases, Part II
Marcella Sorg, PhD, DABFA & Kim Fallon, Chief Forensic Investigator, NH

4:45 pm – 5:00 pm Question & Answer Session

5:00 pm – 6:00 pm Reception: Diamond Building Lobby

5:00 pm – 8:00 pm Late Housing check-in: Cotter Union Information Desk

7:00 pm – 8:00 pm Serial Killers in Ohio
Thomas P. Gilson, M.D.

8:00 pm – 9:00 pm Forensics in New Zealand
Paul Morrow, M.D.

Monday, July 27th

8:30 am – 9:30 pm Update on Methods of Investigation for Cold Cases
Elizabeth Murray, PhD, DABFA

9:30 am – 10:30 am Case Studies in Forensic Pathology
Jennie V. Duval, M.D. and Thomas P. Gilson, M.D.

10:30 am – 11:00 am Morning Break: light refreshments, coffee and tea will be provided

11:00 am – 12:00 pm The Importance of the Autopsy for Medical, Nursing and Scientific
Education: Gregory J. Davis, M.D.

1:00 pm – 2:00 pm Cognitive Bias in Forensic Pathology - What It Is, What It Is Not, and Why
You Need to Care: Andrew M. Baker, MD, FCAP

2:00 pm – 2:30 pm The Forensic Expert and Assault Testimony
Margaret Greenwald, M.D.

2:30 pm – 3:00 pm Afternoon Break: light refreshments, coffee and tea will be provided

- 3:00 pm – 5:00 pm Case Studies in Forensic Pathology, Answers and Discussion
Jennie V. Duval, M.D. and Thomas P. Gilson, M.D.
- 5:00 pm – 5:15 pm Question & Answer Session
- 5:30 pm – 7:00 pm Lobster Bake: Johnson Pond Picnic Area
- 7:00 pm – 9:00 pm Informal Presentations

Tuesday, July 28th

- 8:30 am – 9:30 pm It's Just an Overdose, Doc!
Jennie V. Duval, M.D.
- 9:30 am – 10:30 am The Exoneration of Kirstin Lobato
Andrew M. Baker, MD, FCAP
- 10:30 am – 11:00 am Morning Break: light refreshments, coffee and tea will be provided
- 11:00 am – 12:00 pm Statement Analysis and Suicide Notes
Detective Michael Chavez, Maine State Police, Major Crimes Unit South
- 12:00 pm – 1:00 pm The US Drug Epidemic and the Future of the Forensic Pathology
Workforce: Andrew M. Baker, MD, FCAP
- 2:00 pm – 5:00 pm ERT Exercise: 3D Measurement, Imaging & Realization Technology:
Edward David, MD & Detective Lawrence Rose, Maine State Police
- 7:00 pm – 9:00 pm Informal Presentations

Wednesday, July 29th

- 8:30 am – 9:30 pm Patterned Injuries in Motor Vehicle Collisions
Thomas A. Andrew, M.D.
- 9:30 am – 10:30 am Rape: A Family Survival Story, Part I: Retired Lt. Detective, Williamsburg
PD Rob Smith & Debbie Smith, Advocate and Founder, CEO of H-E-A-R-T
- 10:30 am – 11:00 am Morning Break: light refreshments, coffee and tea will be provided
- 11:00 am – 1:00 pm Consults: Doing the Right Thing, and Not What You Can for the
Prosecution or Defense: Clifford C. Nelson, M.D.
- Free Afternoon ENJOY!
- 7:00 pm – 9:00 pm Informal Presentations

Thursday, July 30th

- 8:30 am – 10:00 pm Wound Interpretation
Mark Flomenbaum, MD, PhD.
- 10:00 am – 10:30 am The Medical Examiner as First Responder
Fred Jordan, MD
- 10:30 am – 11:00 am Morning Break: light refreshments, coffee and tea will be provided
- 11:00 am – 12:00 pm Rape: A Family Survival Story, Part II
Retired Lt. Detective Rob Smith & Debbie Smith, CEO of H-E-A-R-T
- 12:00 pm – 1:00 pm Checkout & Key Drop off: Diamond Building Lobby