

WEST COAST TRAINING CONFERENCE

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April 20—22, 2016



2016 WEST COAST TRAINING CONFERENCE

Welcome and Introduction
Dr. Mark A. Fajardo
Chief Medical Examiner-Coroner,
County of Los Angeles

Keynote Address
Daryl L. Osby
Fire Chief, County of Los Angeles

Day 1

Investigation of Hollywood Dismemberment Case

Yulai Wang, M.D., Deputy Medical Examiner
Courtney Castellino, Coroner Investigator
LA County Department of Medical Examiner-Coroner

Demonstrative Evidence in Death Cases

Sheldon Borenstein, Professor, San Jose State University

Shooting Incident Investigation

James P. Carroll, M.S., Crime Laboratory Assistant Director/Firearm
and Toolmark Examiner, LA County Sheriff's Department

Explosive Overview and Case Studies

Jacqueline Hickey, Bomb Technician, LAPD

Blast Injuries and the Global War on Terrorism

Scott Luzi, M.D., Deputy Medical Examiner,
LA County Department of Medical Examiner-Coroner

The Legal Anatomy of Homicide

Geoffrey Rendon, Deputy District Attorney
Charles R. Chaiyarachta, Deputy District Attorney
LA County District Attorney's Office

Ancestry and Phenotype: Informative Genetic Markers Add Value to the Identification of Human Remains

Winters Reef Hardy, Ph.D., Senior Criminalist,
LA County Department of Medical Examiner-Coroner

Day 2

Utilization of Post Mortem Computed Tomography in the Practice of Forensic Pathology

Gary M. Hatch, M.D., Forensic and General Radiologist,
University of New Mexico

Hypernatremia Due to Exogenous Salt Intake/Return to Sender

Odey Ukpo, M.D., Deputy Medical Examiner,
LA County Department of Medical Examiner-Coroner

Vaccine-Preventable Diseases in Los Angeles County

Franklin Pratt, M.D., MPH, FACEP, Medical Director, Immunization,
LA County Department of Public Health

Riots in Los Angeles

Christopher Rogers, M.D., Chief, Forensic Medicine,
LA County Department of Medical Examiner-Coroner

Nobody Expects the Spanish Inquisition

Mark A. Fajardo, M.D., Chief, Medical Examiner-Coroner,
LA County Department of Medical Examiner-Coroner

Blood Stain Pattern Analysis

Cristina Gonzalez, Senior Criminalist, LA County Sheriff's Dept.

Ligature Involved Homicides

John Bockrath, Senior Criminalist, LA County Sheriff's Dept.

Day 3

Emerging Recreational Drugs

Michael Levine, Assistant Professor, USC Department of
Emergency Medicine, Medical Toxicology Section

Psychoactive Botanicals—The All Natural OD

Officer Peter Tulagan, Narcotics Expert Police Officer, LAPD

Is Race Scientific? - The Role of the Forensic Anthropologist in Matters of Race/Ancstry

Ciarán P. Brewster, Ph.D., Santa Monica College

Special Operations—Multiple Decedent Scenes

Elissa Fleak, Special Operations Lieutenant, LA County
Department of Medical Examiner-Coroner

High Profile Case—Robin Williams Case Study

Keith A. Boyd, Sheriff's Lieutenant, Marin County Sheriff's Office

Is Your Refrigerator Running?

Is There a Body in It?

Matthew J. Miller, M.D., Associate Deputy Medical Examiner,
LA County Department of Medical Examiner-Coroner

Who will benefit from this conference?

1. Forensic Pathologists
2. Coroner and/or Criminal Investigators
3. Scientists
4. Students and those pursuing a career in the forensic field
5. Teachers of forensic science or criminal justice
6. Forensic nurses
7. Attorneys
8. Law Enforcement

Schedule: April 20—22, 2016
8:00am—5:00pm

Location: Hilton Los Angeles/Universal City
555 Universal Hollywood Dr.
Universal City, CA 91608
(818) 506-2500

Hotel Info: \$179/per night
(Must reserve by March 30, 2016)

Parking: \$10.00 per day; \$24.00 overnight

The Hilton Hotel meets ADA requirements. Participants with special needs should contact Silvia Gonzalez at (323) 343-0682.

Continuing Medical Education (CME)



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The Coroner takes responsibility for the content, quality, and scientific integrity of these CME activities. The views and opinions expressed in any presentation are solely those of the speaker and do not represent the position or opinion of the Department of Medical Examiner-Coroner or the County of Los Angeles.

****Schedule subject to change without notice****

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