



U.S. Department of Justice

Missing Person Regional Training

Clearwater Beach, Florida • September 19–21, 2005

AGENDA

SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 18, 2005

5:00–8:00 p.m. **Registration**

MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 19, 2005

7:00 a.m.–6:00 p.m. **Registration**

8:00–9:00 a.m. **Continental Breakfast**

9:00–9:45 a.m. **Opening Plenary Session**

Welcoming Remarks

John Morgan, Assistant Director for Science and Technology,
National Institute of Justice, Office of Justice Programs

Keynote Address

Regina B. Schofield, Assistant Attorney General,
Office of Justice Programs

9:45–10:15 a.m. **Plenary Session**

John Bish, President, The Molly Bish Foundation, Inc.

10:30–10:45 a.m. **Break**

10:45–11:45 a.m. **Plenary Session: Investigating the Missing**

Moderator: Susan Narveson, Chief, Investigative and Forensic
Sciences Division, National Institute of Justice, Office
of Justice Programs

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**DNA
INITIATIVE**

Advancing Justice Through DNA Technology

Panelists: William Hagmaier, Executive Director, International Homicide Investigators Association
MaryAnn Krauss, Supervisory Special Agent, Violent Criminal Apprehension Program, Federal Bureau of Investigation
Robert G. Lowery, Jr., Major, Greater St. Louis Major Case Squad
Cynthia Johnston, Management Analyst, Criminal Justice Information Services Division, Federal Bureau of Investigation

12:00 noon–1:30 p.m.

Luncheon/Keynote Address

Carla Proudfoot, Director, Maryland Center for Missing Children

1:30–2:45 p.m.

Plenary Session: The Forensic Perspective

Moderator: Dale Heideman, Program Manager, Investigative and Forensic Sciences Division, National Institute of Justice, Office of Justice Programs

Panelists: Arthur Eisenberg, Director, DNA Identity Laboratory, University of North Texas Health Science Center
Anthony B. Falsetti, Director, C.A. Pound Human Identification Laboratory, University of Florida
Randy Hanzlick, Medical Examiner, Fulton County, Georgia
Norman “Skip” Sperber, Forensic Odontologist, San Diego Coroner’s Office

2:45–3:00 p.m.

Break

3:00–4:15 p.m.

Plenary Session: Resources To Support Your Efforts

Moderator: John Paul Jones, Program Manager, National Institute of Justice, Office of Justice Programs

Panelists: Harry Carlile, Advanced Training Instructor, Federal Bureau of Investigation
Patricia Aagaard, Forensic Examiner, National Missing Person DNA Database Program, Federal Bureau of Investigation
Barbara Nelson, Program Manager, National Center on Missing Persons
Jeannine Willie, Administrator, Missing Persons DNA Program, California Department of Justice

4:15–5:00 p.m.

Wrap-Up and Anatomy of a Case and Unsolved Cases Preview

Facilitator: John Paul Jones, Program Manager, National Institute of Justice, Office of Justice Programs

TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 20, 2005

- 8:00–9:00 a.m. **Continental Breakfast**
- 9:00–10:00 a.m. **Introduction to Anatomy of a Case**
Facilitators: Kevin Lothridge, Executive Director, National Forensic Science Technology Center
John Priest, Lieutenant, Homicide Division, Denver Police Department
- 10:00–10:15 a.m. **Break**
- 10:15–11:45 a.m. **Anatomy of a Case Breakout Sessions**
- Red, **Team 1:** *Facilitator:* Arthur Eisenberg, Director, DNA Identity Laboratory, University of North Texas Health Science Center
State Participants: Alabama, Florida, Georgia, North Carolina, South Carolina, and Virginia
- Green, **Team 2:** *Facilitator:* Jeannine Willie, Administrator, Missing Persons DNA Program, California Department of Justice
State Participants: Indiana, Kentucky, Michigan, Ohio, and Tennessee
- Yellow, **Team 3:** *Facilitator:* John Hicks, Director, Forensic Services, Criminal Justice Services, New York
State Participants: Delaware, District of Columbia, Maryland, New Jersey, New York, and Pennsylvania
- Blue, **Team 4:** *Facilitator:* Robert G. Lowery Jr., Major, Greater St. Louis Major Case Squad
State Participants: Connecticut, Maine, Massachusetts, New Hampshire, Rhode Island, and Vermont
- 12:00 noon–1:30 p.m. **Luncheon/Keynote Address**
Sheriff Jeffrey J. Dawsy, Citrus County Sheriff's Office
- 1:30–3:00 p.m. **Anatomy of a Case Breakout Sessions (continued)**
- 3:00–3:15 p.m. **Break**
- 3:15–5:00 p.m. **Plenary Session: Report Back from Anatomy of a Case Teams**
Facilitators: Kevin Lothridge, Executive Director, National Forensic Science Technology Center
John Priest, Lieutenant, Homicide Division, Denver Police Department

WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 21, 2005

8:00–9:00 a.m.

Continental Breakfast

9:00–11:15 a.m.

Bring Your Unsolved Case to the Experts

Facilitator: John Paul Jones, Program Manager, National
Institute of Justice, Office of Justice Programs

11:15–11:30 a.m.

Closing Remarks

Susan Narveson, Chief, Investigative and Forensic Sciences
Division, National Institute of Justice, Office of Justice Programs