Course Information

November 15-17, 2016

Registration begins at 7:30 AM
Conference begins at 8 AM
Tuesday through Thursday
November 15-17, 2016: 8am-5pm

FEE
$375.00 (US): Includes tuition and student materials and lunch each day.

LODGING
Best Western Gateway Grand, 4200 NW 97th Boulevard, Gainesville, FL 32606. Lodging is the responsibility of each attendee. A special rate of $119 per night has been arranged for course attendees. Reservation rates will be honored throughout the course dates. Please refer to UF Forensic Training when making reservations. For reservations, call (352) 331-3336 (local). Reservation deadline under the group rate is 10/28/2016.

CONFERENCE

The Workshop will be held at the Austin Cary Forest located at 10625 NE Waldo Road, Gainesville, FL 32609.

The Animal Crime Scene workshop focuses upon detection and excavation of animal crime scenes involving surface deposition and burial. Students will attend lectures covering methods for the detection and excavation of a gravesite, as well as mapping techniques for the exhumation of animal remains. Afternoons will be spent in the field at the Austin Cary Forest processing mock crime scenes and excavating gravesites. Appropriate clothing should be worn for fall field conditions in Florida. Bug Spray, Gloves, and sunscreen are advised.

Registration Form

Name: _________________________________
Employer: ____________________________
Position/Title: _________________________
Address: ________________________________________________________________
City, State, Zip Code: ________________________________
Telephone: (_______)_____________________
Fax: (_______)_____________________________________
E-mail: _______________________________________

Registration Fee - $375
($50 late fee assessed after 10/28/16)

Credit Card Payment (preferred) - REGISTER ON-LINE - It’s fast, safe and convenient. To register with your Visa, MasterCard, or American Express, please visit our secure, on-line registration web-site: http://conferences.dce.ufl.edu/vetforensics

Please make checks/purchase orders payable to: University of Florida. Mail this form to: University of Florida, Department of Continuing Education, P.O. Box 113172, Gainesville, FL 32611.

*Registrants must withdraw prior to October 28, 2016 or a $50 cancellation fee will apply. No Cancellations after October 28, 2016.
November 15, 2016

Classes will be held in the Lodge at the Austin Cary Forest.
Afternoon sessions will be held in the field at the Austin Cary Forest.

Tuesday, Nov. 15, 2016

Topics Include:
- Legal and Scientific Principles
- Search and Detection of Clandestine Grave Site
- Skeletal Trauma Analysis
- Botanical Evidence at the Gravesite

November 16, 2016

Wednesday, Nov. 16, 2016

Topics Include:
- Recovery of Animal Remains
- Collection of Entomological Evidence
- Application of Forensic Entomology
- Veterinary Pathology

November 17, 2016

Thursday, Nov. 17, 2016

Topics Include:
- Complete Grave Excavation

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The William R. Maples Center for Forensic Medicine at the University of Florida, in conjunction with the American Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals presents a three day conference on the processing of crime scenes involving animal death and cruelty. Conference Speakers include:

University of Florida, Gainesville, FL
Bruce A. Goldberger, Ph.D., Professor and Director, William R. Maples Center for Forensic Medicine

Jason H. Byrd, Ph.D., Forensic Entomologist and Associate Director, William R. Maples Center for Forensic Medicine

Amanda Fitch, M.S., Forensic Analyst

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COURSE OBJECTIVES

This course is designed to demonstrate the proper scene processing techniques for the detection and recovery of physical evidence from cases of animal neglect, cruelty and death. Students will get hands-on experience in the excavation of a gravesite and the exhumation of buried remains. Emphasis will be placed on the collection of associated physical evidence from the crime scene. The proper collection techniques will be demonstrated and students will be expected to implement those techniques throughout the excavation process.

CEU CREDIT

Continuing Education Credits will be provided all attendees to this program. RACE Credits application pending.

Upcoming Courses:

9th Annual IVFSA Conference
May 11-13, 2016
Stay tuned for a Workshop announcement to be held May 10, 2016
www.IVFSA.org

Bugs, Bones & Botany
Oct. 30-Nov. 4, 2016
For more information, please visit http://maples-center.ufl.edu

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