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# Fingerprint Evidence Processing, Collection, & Photography

## Instructors:

**Lawrence Stringham &  
Kasey Buckner Brager, CCSA, CFWE**

**July 17 - 21, 2023 | 8 am - 5 pm**

**Tuition: \$689**

## Course Location:

Martin County Sheriff's Office  
800 SE Monterey Road | Stuart, FL 34994

## Lodging Information:

Hampton Inn & Suites, Stuart-North  
1150 NW Federal Highway | Stuart, FL 34994  
(772) 692-6922

**Room Rate: \$128 plus tax per night plus tax if applicable** | Free Breakfast, Free Wi-Fi, Free Parking

**Booking Info:** Call the hotel and mention the Crime Scene Investigations course. \* Special rate expires 07/21/23.



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## ABOUT TRITECH

A leader in the forensics market, Tri-Tech Forensics provides evidence collection and crime scene investigation products and training to crime labs and crime scene investigators throughout the world. With over 30 years of experience, we are the nation's most proficient developer and manufacturer of forensic kits. We are committed to providing our customers with state-of-the-art forensics products and services at affordable prices. It is our goal, through our research and development program, to continue to develop superior products and training to aid in all aspects of crime scene investigation and crime lab analysis. We know how important our products and training are to the forensics community, from investigation to prosecution. Our mission is the same as our customers – *Identify. Protect. Preserve.*

## COURSE DESCRIPTION

### Fingerprint Evidence Processing, Collection, & Photography

The Fingerprint Evidence Processing, Collection, and Photography course includes comprehensive training in the mechanical and chemical processing of latent print evidence as well as two days of photography workshops that include specialized lighting techniques and use of forensic light sources to visualize and photographically record the evidence.

The processing, collection, and preservation of fingerprint evidence are primary concerns for those who have conducted crime scene investigations for the past 100 years. Many of the individuals who are currently charged with this responsibility have not had the opportunity to attend a course of instruction on the proper application of latent fingerprint processing techniques that are available to them.

This comprehensive 40-hour course on the processing, recovery, and photography of latent print evidence has been designed for detectives, crime scene investigators, and fingerprint identification specialists. This course

will provide both lecture and hands on techniques for processing latent prints on various surface types, using both mechanical and chemical techniques. Additionally, students attending this course will learn to take legible fingerprints that are suitable for booking, eliminations, and other uses.

The course will also introduce students to photographic and lighting techniques that are useful in the documentation of latent print evidence. Photography is essential in cases where prints cannot be otherwise collected, where processing techniques do not render permanent results, and in cases where processed evidence is not readily visible or discernable to the naked eye. Since this course presents techniques that include fluorescent fingerprint powders and dye stains, an overview of forensic light sources will be presented, and students will have access to forensic light sources in order to visualize and photograph the evidence they process in class.

## COURSE INSTRUCTORS

### LAWRENCE STRINGHAM



Larry has been connected with law enforcement since 1985 when he joined the US Air Force as a Security Policeman. Working with the USAF and later with the National Guard, Larry became a certified Police Officer in Little Rock Arkansas.

In 1997, Larry became a Forensic Technician for the Cape Coral Police Department. Being promoted to supervisor of the Forensic Section in 2005, Larry now supervises nine employees and has increased the Department's viability by creating latent, computer, video, and lab units within the forensic section.

Larry has an Associate's Degree in Criminal Justice and has testified as an expert in the fields of latent print identification, 10-print identification, and crime scene procedures to include forensic light sources, photography, scene processing and crime scene reconstruction.

### KASEY BUCKNER BRAGER



Kasey Buckner Brager is a Certified Footwear Examiner, Certified Crime Scene Analyst and Latent Print Examiner for the Cape Coral Police Department. She is not your typical footwear examiner because her primary job for CCPD is crime scene investigation. Kasey is a Certified Footwear Examiner and Certified Crime Scene Analyst through the International Association of Identification (IAI). She serves as the Region 6 Director for the Florida Division of the International Association of Identification (FDIAI), Chairperson of the FDIAI Science and Practices Crime Scene Subcommittee and serves on the Advisory Board for Keiser University Fort Myers. She earned her Bachelor of Arts degree in Psychology from Florida Gulf Coast University and her Associate in Science degree in Crime Scene Technology from Keiser University. She gained her experience in the forensic field starting out as an intern with the Sarasota County Sheriff's Office Crime Scene Unit, as well as with the Charlotte County Sheriff's Office Crime Scene Unit then becoming a Forensic Technician for the Cape Coral Police Department.

Kasey has instructed several forensic related training courses for a range of audiences from local citizens for the Cape Coral Police Department's Citizens Police Academy to college students and fellow crime scene investigators. She has instructed several classes including Introduction to Forensic Science, Basic Crime Scene Investigations, and Preserving Documenting and Collecting Footwear and Tire Track Evidence. Kasey has been a guest lecturer at Keiser University Fort Myers and a speaker at the FDIAI educational conferences. Kasey is passionate about the crime scene field and loves to share her knowledge.