

Basic Bloodstain Pattern Analysis Workshop

Hosted by the Gallatin County Sheriff's Office

July 28 to August 1

Location: GCDC Community Room
605 S. 16th Ave.
Bozeman, MT 59715

COURSE TOPICS INCLUDE:

- History of BPA
- Terminology
- Documenting bloodstain patterns
- Case examples of the various bloodstain pattern types
- Creating bloodstain patterns
- Learning from bloodstain pattern experiments
- Pattern classification method
- Reconstruction of events at the crime scene
- Limitations of BPA
- The physical properties of blood
- Fluid dynamics
- Report writing

This 40-hour workshop exceeds the requirements set forth by SWGSTAIN, OSAC, and the IAI for an introductory BPA course.

The instructors intend to introduce the students to BPA through approximately 50% lecture/discussion and 50% experiments involving the creation and analysis of bloodstain patterns.

INSTRUCTORS:

Michael J. Van Stratton, Laboratory Director (Retired), Kansas Bureau of Investigation. Mike has 40 years of experience in BPA and has taught basic and advanced bloodstain pattern workshops for more than 33 years in 20 states and Canada.

Kevin R. Winer, Director, Kansas City Missouri Police Department Crime Laboratory. Kevin has 25 years of experience as a bloodstain pattern analyst and has taught basic and advanced bloodstain workshops in 9 states. Kevin has been a member or affiliate with the OSAC BPA Sub-committee since its inception.

COURSE FEE:

\$1,200.00 per person. Fee includes training material and laboratory manual.

Make checks payable to:
Gallatin County Sheriff's Office

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