



PRESENTS:

INTERMEDIATE DIGITAL IMAGING

The **Maryland State Police** is proud to announce that it is hosting an **intermediate, three-day**, hands-on training program in forensic digital imaging **June 11 - 13, 2019**. This class will be held at the Business Park Complex in **Columbia, Maryland**.¹

During this **intermediate three-day** course, participants will review the fundamental digital imaging concepts and technologies and will be able to select basic the appropriate Adobe® Photoshop® processing tools and function. In addition, participants will gain a more in-depth experience with and knowledge of digital imaging processes as well as learn when these techniques should be used to aid in the **forensic investigative process**.

Throughout this **hands-on** training program, participants will expand and improve their knowledge of and expertise of best practices for calibrating digital photographs, suppressing background noise, adjusting tonal range and contrast, and more. The participants will be required to complete a number of practical exercises to demonstrate their knowledge and their ability to use the additional functions, tools, techniques taught. For example, participants will select the appropriate process(es) for enhancing more challenging evidentiary images while optimizing image quality and contrast.

Participants are encouraged to bring some of their own images (in TIF or camera RAW format) so they utilize their newly learned concepts, tips and techniques in practical exercises using their own images! They will document, interpret and explain their image analysis process as well as describe the best practices for basic digital imaging concepts.

With more than 25 years of AFIS and forensic digital imaging experience, David Witzke (AKA Ski), is considered to be one of the foremost experts in forensic digital imaging technologies. Ski is an associate member of the International Association for Identification (IAI), the European and several regional divisions of the IAI; the Canadian Identification Society (CIS); and the European Network of Forensic Science Institutes Fingerprint Working Group (ENFSI FWG), where he has also been elected to serve on the ENFSI FWG Steering Committee; and Ski is the chairperson for the Digital Evidence Subcommittee for the IAI.

Ski is a contributing writer for three well-known forensic books: *Crime Scene Photography* (Third Edition, published 2016 by Academic Press), *Introduction to Crime Scene Photography* (Published 2012 by Academic Press) and *Footwear, The Missed Evidence* (Third Edition, published 2013 by Staggs Publishing). (*Crime Scene Photography* has been chosen by the IAI certification committees for the Certified Crime Scene Investigator (CCSI) Certification Test, the Certified Crime Scene Analyst (CCSA) Certification Test, the Certified Senior Crime Scene Analyst (CSCSA) Certification Test, and the Forensic Photography Certification Test.)

¹ Participants must attend all three days of training. It is also recommended that each person attending this program have at least a basic understanding of the Microsoft Windows 7 or 10 operating system. In addition, participants should, at a minimum, have a basic familiarity with Adobe Photoshop.

REGISTER NOW!!!
CLASS SIZE /IS LIMITED!!!

What: Intermediate Digital Imaging
Where: Business Park Complex
7155 Columbia Gateway Drive, Suite C
Columbia, MD 21046
When: June 11 - 13, 2019
Time: 0830-1630 each day
Cost: \$695.00 per attendee
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REGISTRATION FORM

Name: _____
Agency: _____
Mailing Address: _____
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Full payment is required prior to first day of class. Cancellations will be handled as follows: cancellations made 45 days prior to the first day of class will receive a full refund; cancellations within 30-44 days will be refunded at 50% of the course cost, and cancellations made less than 30 days will not be refunded.

Attendees will receive written course confirmation prior to course start date.

Foray, LLC reserves the right to cancel the above course due to unforeseen circumstances outside our control; we strongly encourage necessary travel arrangements to be made upon receipt of written confirmation.

******Recommended Hotel Accommodations******

Spring Hill Suites by Marriott: 1-410-290-7896, 7055 Minstrel Way, Columbia, MD 21046.

The government room rate is **\$106.00** per night. (Subject to change and based upon availability.)

The Spring Hill provides a complimentary, continental breakfast. There are a variety of eateries within walking distance or a short drive. The WiFi is complimentary. All rooms have refrigerators and microwaves. There is an indoor pool (10pm) and a 24-hour fitness center. There is also a business center onsite.

Recommended airport: Baltimore/Washington International (BWI)
((Approximately 20-minute drive from the airport))