

# INTERNATIONAL SEMINAR

on

# FORENSIC COMPARATIVE SCIENCE: GENERALIZING ACROSS DISCIPLINES

FEBRUARY 11, 2019

Venue: DEPARTMENT OF FORENSIC SCIENCE SCHOOL OF MEDICAL AND ALLIED SCIENCES SANSKRITI UNIVERSITY, CHHATA-281401

MATHURA (UTTAR PRADESH)

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# Welcome Note

On behalf of the organizing committee, we would like to extend a hearty invitation to *Seminar on Forensic Science* to be held at Sanskriti University, Mathura on **February 11**, **2019**. The seminar will be organized by the Department of Forensic Science, *School of Medical and Allied Sciences*, Sanskriti University, Mathura, Uttar Pradesh. The seminar has been designed for students, researchers and academicians from various universities and Forensic Science laboratories with the aim of discussing the fundamental beliefs of Forensic Science.



# **ABOUT THE HOST UNIVERSITY**

Sanskriti University, set up in a serene environment with state of the art infrastructure, is delivering 360 degree holistic development of students. Sanskriti's intellectual capital comprises highly qualified and experienced faculty drawn from Industry as well as from Academia. The university is set up as a private university in Chhata, Mathura, Uttar Pradesh spread over 40+ acres of land on NH2, 57 km from Delhi NCR. Curriculum tailored to the needs of the industry, coupled with use of industry leading pedagogies enables the students to transform themselves into job ready resources. Sanskriti is committed to elevate itself to the status of top 10 private universities in the country on all key parameters.

# **ABOUT THE CITY**

Mathura is a sacred city in the state of Uttar Pradesh. It is located approximately 145 km south-east of Delhi. According to Hindu scriptures, Mathura is the birthplace of Lord Krishna and is also known as *Shri Krishna Janma Bhoomi* (birthplace of Lord Krishna).



# **About The Host Department**

In the current scenario, forensic investigation of criminal cases is limited to a small percentage of all criminal cases despite the fact that most of the criminal cases involve use of technology in the perpetration of the crime. Thus, Forensic Science is the only justifiable answer to improving the quality of investigation.

With a view to strengthen the Forensic Science capability of the nation as also to scale up the national ability to investigate crime, *B.Sc.* (Hons.) in Forensic Science is being offered to interested candidates who want to make a successful career in Forensic Science.



# Speakers



John R. Vanderkolk Indiana State Police Laboratory Manager and Consultant in Forensic Comparative Science at Unique Forensics LLC

Mr. Vanderkolk has authored/co-authored numerous journals and articles on topics related to forensic comparative science. He has also authored the 'Examination Process' chapter of *The Fingerprint Sourcebook* and a very unique book, *Forensic Comparative Science – Qualitative and Quantitative Source Determination of Unique Impressions, Images, and Objects.* 



**Dr. S. K. Jain** Director cum Chief Forensic Scientist Directorate of Forensic Science Services, Ministry of Home Affairs, Govt. of India, New Delhi.

Dr. Jain has been trained on "Video Technologies" at British Columbia Institute of Technology(BCIT), Canada, for a period of one week. He has also visited FBI's laboratories in Washington D.C. (USA) in connection with advanced training on Digital technology.

As a project leader, Mr. Jain has also conducted very prestigious projects on, (i) Speaker Identification from Voice Over Internet & (ii) Development of computer based technique for characterization of small arms firearms from their sound patterns of gunshots. Recently, Dr. Jain visited Forensic Science Lab. at Vietnam as one of the members of Indian delegation for establishment of Indira Gandhi Hi-Tech Cyber Forensic Lab in Vietnam.



Dr. B.B. Arora Former Director, State Forensic Science Laboratory, Rajasthan Under a United Nation's resolution to develop Forensic Science in East Africa, he served as Principal Forensic Adviser in Republic of Seychelles. After returning from abroad, he was again picked up as Director with same pay, perks and status by Rajasthan Government. He retired (again) in July 2018.

As Director, his achievements in setting up 6 new Regional forensic labs and 34 Mobile Forensic Units to deliver forensic services at door step throughout the entire length and breadth of Rajasthan, deserve a special mention.

### **HOW TO REACH**

Delegates coming from north of the country may reach university via Delhi, while those coming from central and southern parts of the country may drop at Mathura Junction Railway Station or the bus stand.

Chhata is well connected to other major cities of the country via regular trains from where the university is at a distance of just about 3 km. Nearest airport is IGI, Delhi.

# BUSES FROM DELHI TO MATHURA

Buses are available at a frequency of 10 minutes from ISBT - Sarai Kale Khan, Delhi to Mathura. The University is 28 KM before Mathura and most buses take a halt at University campus.

# FIND ON GOOGLE MAPS

https://goo.gl/maps/pV7yHS73XGQ2

### **ACCOMODATION**

The seminar is a one day event and therefore the Registration fee does not include accommodation. However, please inform the organizing committee in advance if you want the university to arrange for accommodation.

Alternatively, nearby hotels can be booked through OYO or by making an advance payment for the same to the University.

### **REGISTRATION FEE**

Indian delegate	INR 1000/-
Accompanying person	INR 750/-
Foreign delegate	U.S. \$ 100/-
Accompanying person	U.S. \$ 50/-
Student delegate	INR 750/-

# Note:

- Registration fee can be paid using the registration link. Fees includes registration kit, participation certificate, refreshment, lunch and high tea.
- On the spot payments are also accepted.

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# **Advisory Committee**

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