



Idaho State Police Forensic Services



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Education:

Sept 2011 Eastern Washington University
Bachelor of Science – Chemistry/Biochemistry
with Forensics Option

Experience:

Oct 2016 - Present Idaho State Police Forensic Services
Forensic Scientist – Biology/DNA Casework

Oct 2014 - Oct 2016 Idaho State Police Forensic Services
Forensic Scientist – DNA Database

June 2013 - Sept 2013 Idaho Bureau of Laboratories
Laboratory Technician

Certifications:

Oct 2017 - Present American Board of Criminalistics; Molecular Biology Fellow

Testimony:

State Courts - Ada County, Boise County, Elmore County

Continuing Education; Association Meetings; Conferences:

2018 Basic Bloodstain Pattern Recognition Course (Craig Moore)
17th Annual Forensic DNA Conference (Bode)

2017 In Service Training: Biology Screening (ISPFS)
Professional Meeting – DNA (AFDAA)
Crime Scene Photography (FBI)
Fundamentals of Drug Related Crime Scene Investigation (RS&A)
28th International Symposium on Human Identification (Promega)
Hair Evaluation for DNA Analysis (WVU)

<https://isp.idaho.gov/forensics>

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2016 DNA Workshop – Fall Seminar (CAC)
In Service Training: DNA Analysis of Convicted Offender
Samples (ISPFs)

2015 Courtroom Presentation of Evidence (Raymond Davis)
12th Annual DNA Technical Workshop (Bode)

2014 Ethics in Forensic Science (WVU)

Research; Presentations:

2011 Isolation and Purification of DNA from Bloodstains on Porous
Wood Surfaces. **Venessa Murray**, mentored by Peter Bilous,
Ph.D., Department of Chemistry & Biochemistry, Eastern
Washington University, Cheney, WA.

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